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Read—the following paper:—

From M.R.Ry. T. R. VASUDEVA RAO Garu, Chairman-delegate, Municipal Council, Sríraṅgam, to the Secretary to Government, Local and Municipal Department (through the Revenue Divisional Officer, Trichinopoly), dated 5th July 1899, No. 228.

I have the honour to submit the administration report of this Municipality for the year 1898–99 passed at the meeting held on the 30th ultimo, with the usual statements in the revised forms as per G.O., No. 210 M., dated 16th February 1899. The delay in submission of this report is due to the absence of the Chairman from the station for some weeks. His presence was found absolutely necessary for its completion. I therefore solicit the pardon of Government for this delay.

I.—Constitution of the Council.

2. The elective system has been in force since 1888. The sanctioned strength of the Council is sixteen including the Revenue Divisional Officer (ex-officio councillor), of which one-half is elected and the other half nominated by Government. The right of electing the Chairman rests with the Council. At the beginning of the year under review, the Council had its full strength, viz., the Revenue Divisional Officer (ex-officio), five nominated non-officials, two nominated officials and eight elected non-officials. During the year, one nominated official was transferred to another district, two nominated non-officials and three elected non-officials vacated their seats owing to the expiry of their term of office and one nominated non-official died. These vacancies were filled up by nomination and by election accordingly. Thus, the Council had its full strength at the close of the year, making up the total as follows: one ex-officio, two nominated officials, five nominated non-officials and eight elected non-officials.

3. Fresh lists of voters for the year were received on the 1st May 1898 as per G.O., Mis. No. 574 M., dated 4th May 1894, and they came into force on the 13th July succeeding. The registered number of voters in this Municipality was 695 as against 859 in 1897–98 comprising 238, 288 and 169 voters in the 1st, 2nd and 3rd wards, respectively. The decrease in the number of voters is due to the fact that only a smaller number of persons were assessed for profession-tax in 1897–98 in accordance with the schedule of the amended Act.

4. The number of meetings held during the year was 29 against 30 in 1897–98. The average attendance fell from 10·1 to 9·3 in the previous year, but no meeting was adjourned for want of quorum.

II.—Receipts.

5. The total receipts excluding the opening balance amounted to Rs. 26,028–15–9, showing a decrease, as explained below, under the revised estimate and the actuals of the previous year by Rs. 2,891–0–3 and Rs. 1,146–7–0, respectively.

A.—Receipts from Taxation.

6. *Tax on Arts, &c.*—The total amount of the tax assessed by the Chairman was Rs. 1,213–8–0. Out of 447 persons assessed, 161 preferred appeals; 91 were disposed of before the close of the year and Rs. 17–8–0 were thereupon remitted. A sum of Rs. 723 was realized within the year and Rs. 174 since.

7. *Tax on Buildings and Lands.*—The house and land tax registers were revised at the close of the year under report with a view to bring the revised assessment into force from the beginning of the current official year. The measure adopted in assessing the tax for the year under report is stated in the note appended to statement I. The total extent of lands assessed was 3,507 acres as in previous years.

8. *Demand, Collection and Balance Statements IV-A and IV-B*—(1) *Tax on Arts, &c.*—The balance of Rs. 833 shown in paragraph 8 of the last administration report reviewed in G.O., No. 1282 M., dated 18th July 1898, was raised subsequently to Rs. 1,027 at the suggestion of the Assistant Inspector of Local Fund Accounts in the course of the examination of the Municipal accounts for 1897–98 for the following reason. Hotel-keepers and money-lenders who were assessed below class 7 according to their estimated income for 1897–98 were assessed at the suggestion of the said officer under class VII, as per proviso 4 of schedule E of the District Municipalities Amended Act. Hence supplemental bills were issued for Rs. 194. Thus the total amount of arrears under this head was Rs. 1,027 which, with the finally-settled demand of Rs. 1,213–8–0 for the year under review, made a total of Rs. 2,240–8–0. Of this, Rs. 422–2–0 for the arrears and Rs. 723 for the current, making a total in all of Rs. 1,145–2–0, were collected in the year under report, Rs. 30–8–0 were remitted and Rs. 94–12–0 written off the accounts, leaving a balance of Rs. 970–2–0 at the close of the year, which has been by subsequent collections reduced to Rs. 794–10–0.

(2) *Tax on Buildings and Lands.*—Rs. 1,127–10–0 shown as arrears at the close of the last year in paragraph 8 (2) of G.O., No. 1282 M., dated 18th July 1898, reviewing the administration report were raised by the Assistant Inspector of Local Fund Accounts to Rs. 1,132–8–0 on verifying the arrears demand register Thus the arrears under these heads in the beginning of the year under review were Rs. 1,132–8–0 and the demand of the year was Rs. 10,890–5–6, altogether making a total of Rs. 12,022–13–6. Of this amount, Rs. 943–9–6 for the arrears and Rupees 10,025–14–6 for the current, making in all Rs. 11,049–8–0, were collected; Rupees 54–9–0 were written off, leaving a balance of Rs. 998–12–6 at the close of the year. This balance has been reduced by subsequent collection to Rs. 570–1–6. The arrears will be adjusted at an early date. The percentage of collections of the house and land taxes to the current demand was 92·7 and to arrears 83·4 as against 92·1 and 83·6, respectively, in the previous year. The number of houses under taxation for the year under report was 4,141 as against 4,136 in the previous year, and the incidence of the tax per house was Rs. 1–10–7 on current demand.

(3) Water and Drainage Tax on Buildings and Lands, Tax on Private Menial and Domestic Male Servants and Rent of Cartstands.—The taxes and rents under these heads are not levied in this Municipality.

(4) Tolls.—This Municipality has no toll-gate under its charge. The District Board that manages the tolls paid the fixed contribution of Rs. 1,000. The Council regrets its inability to raise the contribution, though the Board itself now realizes a very large amount.

(5) *Market Rents and Slaughter-house Fees.*—There were no arrears under this head at the commencement of the year. The right to collect rents for markets and fees for animals slaughtered was leased out, and the contractors paid the total amount within the year by fixed instalments.

(6) *Private Scavenging.*—Rs. 5–4–0 were in arrears at the beginning of the year which, together with the demand of the year, Rs. 1,901–4–0, made a total of Rs. 1,906–8–0. Of this amount, Rs. 5–4–0 for arrears and Rs. 1,890–12–0 for the current were collected and Rs. 10–8–0 were written off, thus leaving no balance at the close of the year. The number of houses served by the private scavenging agency on the 31st March 1899 was 1,206 as against 1,064 in the last year. The increase was due to the further extension of the system in the three wards.

(7) *Tax on Vehicles, Animals and Carts.*—The arrears at the beginning of the year under report were Rs. 875–9–0, though by mistake it was given as Rs. 542 in the last administration report, which, together with the demand of the year, Rs. 4,000, made a total of Rs. 4,875–9–0. Of this, Rs. 700–10–0 for the arrears and Rupees 3,294–12–0 for the current were realized and Rs. 15–8–0 were remitted and written

off the accounts, leaving a balance of Rs. 864-11-0 at the close of the year. Out of this balance, Rs. 309-4-0 have since been collected.

(8) *Warrant Fees.*—Rs. 22-4-0 were in arrears at the commencement of the year which, with the finally-settled demand of the year, Rs. 182-2-0, made a total of Rs. 204-6-0. Of this Rs. 13-12-0 for the arrears and Rs. 138-6-6 for the current were collected and Rs. 1-6-0 were remitted, leaving a balance of Rs. 50-13-6 at the close of the year. Out of this amount Rs. 11 have since been collected.

9. *Coercive Process.*—The number of distraint warrants that remained unexecuted at the close of the year 1897-98 was 340 and the number issued during the year under report was 1,098, making a total of 1,438 in all. In 836 cases warrants were returned unexecuted, the defaulters having paid their dues before execution. In 85 cases, properties were attached but returned, the tax having been realized before the time fixed for sale, and in six cases the distrained properties were sold and the tax recovered. Twenty-one warrants have been cancelled during the year under report; in 342 cases the parties concerned have been ordered to be prosecuted, and thus the number of unexecuted warrants at the close of the year was 148.

10. *Incidence of Taxation.*—The population according to the census of 1891 is 21,632, and the total income from taxation was Rs. 16,177-6-0 excluding the toll contribution and Rs. 17,177-6-0 including it. The incidence of tax per head of population excluding tolls is As. 12 and including it is As. 13 as against As. 12-9 and As. 13-6, respectively, in the last year.

11. *Realization under Special Act—Fees under Act II of 1888.*—There were no applications for license for opening places for public resort during the year under review.

B.—Miscellaneous Receipts.

12. *Revenue derived from Municipal Property and Powers apart from Taxation.*—The receipts under this head amounted to Rs. 4,958-8-8, showing a decrease of Rs. 181-7-4 below the revised estimate and an increase of Rs. 146-7-10 over the actuals of the previous year. The difference is explained below:—

(*a*) (i) *Rent of Lands.*—The receipts under this head were Rs. 291-12-0, showing an increase over the revised estimate and the actuals of the previous year of Rs. 41-12-0 and Rs. 57-15-0, respectively. The increase was chiefly due to the realization of rent for unauthorized occupation of Municipal lands.

(*a*) (iii) *Avenue Receipts.*—Rs. 866-4-10 were collected during the year under review, which shows a decrease of Rs. 183-11-2 below the revised estimate and an increase of Rs. 28-4-3 over the actuals of the previous year. The decrease below the revised estimate was due to the non-payment of the last kist within the year by the renter of avenue trees who has taken a lease for three years.

(*e*) (i) *Income from Market.*—The receipts under this head were Rs. 294-11-2, which show a decrease of Rs. 151-10-11 below the actuals of the previous year, and this was due to the absence of competition among the bidders when the right of collecting fees for the Municipal market was leased out.

(*f*) (i) *Other Fees—Warrant and Distraint Fees, &c.*—The total receipts under this head were Rs. 199-8-6, showing a decrease of Rs. 10-7-6 below the revised estimate and an increase of Rs. 88-14-6 over the actuals of the previous year; the increase is attributable to the realization of warrant fees on all the warrants under section 104 of the Amended Act, whereas warrant fees were levied in the last year from August, the provision of the Amended Act having escaped notice for a few months.

(*f*) (ii) *License Fees.*—There was a decrease of Rs. 229-9-0 under this item below the revised estimate of the year under review; this was mainly due to a fewer number of brick-kilns having been burnt than was anticipated.

(*g*) (ii) *Fines under Municipal and other Acts.*—This is a fluctuating item of receipts. There was an increase of Rs. 180-5-0 over the revised estimate of the current year and of Rs. 109-1-10 over the actuals of the previous year, which was chiefly due to the imposition of increased fines by the Bench of Magistrates in all cases of failure to register births and deaths.

13. *Grants and Contributions.*—The total receipts under this head were Rupees 1,738-3-8, falling short of the revised estimate and the actuals of the previous year by Rs. 1,621-12-4 and Rs. 318-7-0, respectively. The difference is explained below:—

(*a*) *From Government—Other Purposes.*—There was a decrease of Rs. 151-10-8 below the revised estimate and Rs. 16-15-8 below the actuals of the previous year. This was because the grant towards the salary of the Educational supervisor was not drawn within the year for the period under report and for the preceding year, pending the sanction of the Educational authorities.

(*b*) *From Local Board*—(iii) *Other Purposes.*—One-third of the total cost of the sanitary arrangements of the Ekadasi festival of the years 1897 and 1898 was not drawn from the Trichinopoly Taluk Board, as that body has taken objection to the payment of one-third of the cost of two items of expenditure, viz., sectioning streets and plague arrangements. The Government has been addressed on the subject and its decision is awaited. Hence no income is shown under this head for the year under review.

(*c*) *Other Grants and Contributions*—(ii) *Medical.*—The contribution payable by the Trustees of the Srírangam pagoda towards the maintenance of the hospital and dispensary was not paid within the year for four months of 1896-97 and the whole of 1897-98 and 1898-99; but Rs. 390 have since been paid by the Trustees and the balance will soon be recovered.

III.—EXPENDITURE.

14. The total expenditure of the year under review under all grants amounted to Rs. 26,688-9-6 which, when compared with the revised estimate of the year under report and the actuals of the previous year, shows a decrease of Rs. 1,641-6-6 below the former and of Rs. 3,899-15-3 below the latter. The variations are explained below.

15. *Grant 1, Public Works—New Works—Communications.*—A sum of Rupees 293-6-9 was spent under this head, showing a slight increase over the revised estimate of Rs. 43-6-9 and a large decrease below the actuals of the previous year of Rupees 1,389-0-4. Only a few roads as shown in statement II-A, part I, were metalled, and no new tunnels were constructed during the year. Even the sum of Rs. 250 out of the amount allotted in the budget estimate for this item was retrenched for plague expenditure under G.O., No. 2031 L., dated 22nd October 1898. These causes account for the large decrease below the actuals of the previous year.

16. *Buildings.*—Rs. 150-4-5 were spent under this head for the purchase of 22 air-tight receptacles provided for public latrines and for the completion of the store-house. No other works of importance were undertaken during the year. Hence the decrease of Rs. 908-2-7 below the actuals of the previous year.

17. *Water-supply.*—The expenditure under this head amounted to Rs. 113-4-0, which shows a decrease below the revised estimate and the actuals of the previous year of Rs. 56-12-0 and Rs. 220-5-3, respectively. The decrease below the revised estimate was due to the non-payment of contribution towards the cost of a well sunk by private individuals in the West Uttara street for drinking purposes, as it was not completed within the year; and the decrease below the actuals of the previous year was due to the fact that the allotment itself under this head was much less than the allotment of the last year.

18. *Repairs—Communications.*—Rs. 1,810-12-11 were spent under this head, showing a decrease below the revised estimate of Rs. 89-3-1 and an increase over the actuals of the previous year of Rs. 137-1-2. The decrease below the revised estimate was due to the savings effected from the allotment made for certain roads. The increase over the actuals of the last year was owing to the fact that several roads were repaired as they were damaged by incessant rain. The length of the roads including the streets maintained during the year under review was $16\frac{3}{4}$ miles as in the last year, of which $10\frac{1}{16}$ miles were metalled as against $9\frac{7}{8}$ in the previous year. They are in good order. As per instructions conveyed in the concluding portion of paragraph 4 of the order of Government in G.O., No. 1282 M., dated 18th July 1898,

reviewing the administration report of this Municipality for 1897–98, an estimate for Rs. 1,019 for remetalling the road between Srírangam and the Madras Trunk road called the "Famine Relief Road" was sanctioned by the Council at its meeting held on the 30th September 1898, but the work was given up in pursuance of G.O., No. 2031 L., dated 22nd October 1898. All streets, lanes and metalled as well as unmetalled roads were sectioned as usual with side channels provided for the free passage of rain water.

19. *Buildings.*—The expenditure under this head was Rs. 229–7–8, showing a slight decrease below the revised estimate and the actuals of the previous year, which calls for no special remarks.

20. *Grant 2, Education.*—The total expenditure under this grant was Rupees 3,436–3–9 which shows a decrease of Rs. 113–12–3 and Rs. 153–9–2, respectively, below the revised estimate and the actuals of the previous year. The variations under each head are explained below.

21. (i) *Training School—Stipends to Normal Students.*—One student was trained in the Government Training School, Trichinopoly, as in the last year. Rupees 54–3–2 were spent under this head, which shows a slight decrease of Rs. 5–12–10 and Rs. 7–4–5, respectively, below the revised estimate and the actuals of the previous year.

22. (2) (i) *Municipal School on Salary System—Education of Girls.*—The number of girls educated on the 31st March 1899 was 49 as against 48 in the last year. The number presented for examination and number passed are shown below:—

	Number presented.	Number passed.
Infant Standard	10	9
I Do.	7	3
II Do.	8	5
III Do.	2	1
	27	18

The present teachers of the school are qualified under the Educational rules. On the 13th April 1899, a qualified mistress was appointed to give instruction in needle-work. The recommendation of the Sub-Assistant Inspector of Girl Schools for the opening of the 4th standard will be considered at the time of the next budget. The Inspecting Schoolmaster will be directed to visit the school as often as is necessary to secure the efficient working of the institution. The percentage of passes was 66·6 as against 68·10 in the last year; the expenditure under this head was Rupees 230–7–6, showing a decrease below the revised estimate and the actuals of the previous year of Rs. 19–8–6 and Rs. 7–13–4, respectively.

23. (2) (ii)—*Municipal Schools on Salary Result System—Primary Education of Boys.*—The expenditure under this head was Rs. 1,444–6–2, showing a decrease below the revised estimate and the actuals of the previous year of Rs. 15–9–10 and Rs. 37–7–1, respectively. The total strength of the eight schools on the 31st March 1899 was 281 boys and 50 girls as against 279 boys and 49 girls in the previous year. All these schools were examined for grants. Rs. 293–15–0 were paid as result stipends for the year under report uniformly at 75 per cent. as recommended by the Educational Department and Rs. 6–1–0 were paid for arrears. The percentage of passes is 93·1 as shown in the following table as against 82·56 in the last year:—

Standard.	Pupils presented		Pupils passed	
	Boys.	Girls.	Boys.	Girls.
Infant Standard	44	9	40	8
I Do.	52	9	50	9
II Do.	35	..	34	..
III Do.	19	..	17	..
IV Do.	21	..	18	..
	189		176	

It is to be noted that all the teachers of these salary-result schools are qualified men.

24. (3) *Salary Grants.*—Rs. 200 were allotted under this head for paying salary grant to the two Lower Secondary schools—one in Srírangam and the other in Thiruvanakaval, of which Rs. 120 were paid to the Lower Secondary school in Thiruvanakaval and no grant was paid to the one at Srírangam, as no application was received.

25. (4) *Fixed and Results Grants.*—Of the 9 schools notified for examination in the combined list, all except the one in Teppakulam street which was closed were examined and Rs. 1,000 were paid to them as fixed and result grants. These grants were paid at the maximum rates. The percentage of passes is 93·3 as against 87·68 in the last year as shown below:—

Standard.	Pupils presented.	Pupils passed.
Infant Standard	59	51
I Do.	89	85
II Do.	90	83
III Do.	68	66
IV Do.	67	63
	373	348

There is a difference of 18 in the number presented and the number passed between the statements IV and V-B furnished by the Assistant Inspector of Schools and it has been explained in the remarks column of the latter statement.

26. *Building Furniture, &c., Grants.*—Only Rs. 5–4–0 were paid to the Lower Secondary School, Tiruvanakaval, as furniture grant and no other school applied for the grant within the year under review and this effected a large saving under this item.

27. *Miscellaneous—General Gymnasium and General Drawing.*—The expenditure under this head amounted to Rs. 320–14–11, showing a slight increase over the revised estimate and the actuals of the previous year. The drawingmaster and the gymnastic instructor are qualified men. The two Lower Secondary schools in the town continued to pay a monthly contribution of Rs. 2 each for the instruction given to their pupils in drawing and gymnasium. The class for private persons to receive instruction in drawing and gymnasium continued to work during the year under report. The net expenditure on education was Rs. 2,734–14–1, or 16 per cent. of the income from taxation.

28. *Grant 3, Medical Service and Sanitation.*—The expenditure under this grant was Rs. 14,273–9–2, showing a decrease of Rs. 1,206–6–10 and of Rs. 1,071–9–4, respectively, below the revised estimate and the actuals of the previous year.

29. (1) *Hospital and Dispensary.*—The institution has, as usual, maintained its usefulness under the charge of the first-class hospital assistant assisted by a third-class hospital assistant. The number of in-door patients treated during the year was 211 as against 301 in the last year and 14,761 out-door patients as against 18,217. There was a decrease of in and out door patients of 90 and 3,456, respectively. The decrease was due chiefly to the plague scare. No Brahmin in-door patients were admitted and treated during the year under review.

30. The number of labour cases treated in the lying-in-ward by the midwife was two as against one and in this town and its vicinity eighty-two as against fifty-three in the last year. The midwife is growing popular. She is a woman trained at the Municipal cost in 1895–96 in the Government Maternity hospital at Madras, and no expenditure was incurred during the year under report in furtherance of female medical education. If, however, funds are available, provision to endow a scholarship in connection with the Countess of Dufferin's fund will be made in the ensuing year's

budget, or the Council will employ a caste female medical practitioner trained by the association. A purveyor on Rs. 7 a month to purchase articles for diets, &c., was appointed in October 1898 with the sanction of Government under G.O., Mis. No. 1628 M., dated 19th September 1898. The total expenditure under this item was Rs. 3,139–9–8 which shows a decrease below the revised estimate and the actuals of the previous year of Rs. 80–6–4 and Rs. 490–12–7, respectively. The large decrease below the actuals of the previous year was due to the fact that the cost of medicines purchased in 1896–97 was also paid in 1897–98. A sum of Rs. 49–14–0 was spent for the renewal of hospital buildings. The hospital premises and the wards were whitewashed and kept clean.

31. (2) (*a*) *Contribution to Provincial Funds.*—Rs. 261 were paid towards the proportionate cost of Medical College, sanitary inspection and medical reserve staff on demand made by the Treasury officer under the instructions of the Accountant-General.

32. (3) *Vaccination.*—The charges amounted to Rs. 238–1–1, showing a decrease below the revised estimate and the actuals of the previous year of Rs. 31–14–11 and Rs. 83–8–8, respectively. The total number of cases vaccinated during the year, both by the vaccinator and the senior hospital assistant, was 919 as against 1,187 in the last year, of which 878 cases were by the vaccinator and forty-one cases by the hospital assistant. Of the 878 cases operated on by the vaccinator—870 cases were successful and eight cases were unknown. All the forty-one cases performed by the hospital assistant were successful. Four hundred and forty children below one year and 479 above one year were vaccinated by both, of which 440 cases under one year and 471 cases above one year were successful and in eight cases above one year, the results were unknown. The number of children re-vaccinated during the year under review was 15 as against 52 in the last year. The decrease in the number of children vaccinated and in expenditure was due to the temporary suspension of vaccine operations on account of plague scare.

33. *Infantile Vaccination.*—The total number of births available for vaccination during the year under review was 654, the number registered from 1st October 1897 to 30th September 1898, of which 103 died, 148 left the town and of the remaining 403, 318 children were veccinated, 8 were on medical certificates and 77 were at the close of the year served with notices for being vaccinated.

34. Six hundred and seventeen notices were served during the year under review on parents and guardians; this, together with 72 cases that were served with notices, but not vaccinated before the 31st March 1898, made a total of 689 cases; 303 persons obeyed the notices; 172 children left the town, 28 died and the parents of 186 children failed to get them vaccinated; 63 out of this number were referred to the Magistrate during the year under review; these with the ten cases pending before the Magistrate on the 31st March 1898 made a total of 73 cases, of which 59 children were vaccinated under the orders of the Magistrates, eight left the town and six remained unprotected even after conviction. One hundred and twenty-three cases remained undisposed of at the close of the year. The parents of 70 children who were served with notices to get their children vaccinated in the latter part of March 1899 failed to do so within the month, and hence the large number of undisposed of cases. Steps have been taken in the succeeding months for the disposal of the same. In 29 cases persons were tried and convicted.

35. The number of births and deaths registered during the year under review was 788 and 692, respectively, as against 572 and 688 in the last year, showing an increase of 216 births and four deaths over the figures of the previous year. The increase in the number of births registered was due to better supervision. The number of prosecutions for failure to register births and deaths were 48 and 57, respectively, as against 25 and 30 in the last year. Out of these 105, which with the six cases pending before the Magistrate on the 31st March 1898, made a total of 111, 99 cases ended in conviction, two in acquittal and two were withdrawn, leaving eight cases pending before Magistrate at the close of the year under review.

36. (5) *Sanitation.*—The total charges under this head amounted to Rupees 10,479–12–1, showing a decrease of Rs. 1,060–3–11 and Rs. 493–2–5 below the revised estimate and the actuals of the previous year, respectively.

(5) (*a*) *Canservancy—Road-cleaning and Road-watering.*—Rs. 6,219–15–3 were spent under this head, showing a decrease of Rs. 330–0–9 below the revised estimate and an increase of Rs. 122–5–10 above the actuals of the previous year. The decrease below the revised estimate was owing to the non-entertainment of the full staff of sweepers and toties provided for in the budget.

37. (5) (*b*) *Private Scavenging.*—The expenditure under this head amounted to Rs. 1,130–13–5, showing a decrease of Rs. 39–2–7 and|Rs. 675–8–1 below the revised estimate and the actuals of the previous year, respectively. The decrease below the actuals of the previous year was due to the fact that the expenditure of cartage for the removal of the night-soil which was debited to the head "Private scavenging" till 1st April 1898 was transferred to the head "Conservancy" in accordance with section 217 of the Amended Act—*vide* paragraph 19 of the letter embodied in G.O., No. 189 M., dated 13th February 1899, reviewing the budget of this Municipality for 1899–1900. The system is self-supporting, leaving a balance of Rs. 759–14–7.

38. (*c*) *Epidemic Charges.*—The expenditure under this head amounted to Rupees 1,557–14–9 which shows a decrease of Rs. 762–1–3 below the revised estimate of the year under review and an increase of Rs. 27–15–1 over the actuals of the previous year. The large decrease below the revised estimate was owing to the fact that there was no necessity for any more expenditure under this head.

39. The conservancy establishment as it stood on the 31st March 1899 consisted of three sanitary inspectors, one scavenging inspector, seven peons as against ten last year, fourteen sweepers, 24 as against 21 scavengers, twenty private scavengers as against eighteen in the last year, three conservancy iron night-soil carts, six private scavenging carts and sixteen wooden rubbish carts. With the above establishment, the conservancy of the town was well looked after. The total number of dust-bins on the 31st March 1899 was 204, of which 60 were masonry and the remaining 132 moveables; twelve masonry dustbins were demolished during the year for various reasons. The street refuse was as usual removed twice a day to private gardens pointed out by the rubbish contractor and approved of by the sanitary inspector. There were 21 public latrines and an urinal on the 1st April 1898, of which three latrines were removed and a new one was constructed at Jambukeswaram, the cost of which was paid in the current year. There were thus at the close of the year under review nineteen latrines, of which thirteen were pucka built and six tatti latrines and a urinal. The night-soil was removed from these latrines twice a day at about 7 A.M. and between 3 and 4 P.M., and that from private houses was removed daily between 7 and 9 A.M. and buried in trenches dug in the night-soil depot. There was no demand for the night-soil manure during the year under report; but in the current year it was leased out for Rs. 100.

40. The wells used for drinking purposes were preserved from impurities. The upper portions of the Nattuvaikal at the bathing ghaut of Srírangam and Jambukeswaram were reserved solely for drinking purposes and watchmen were posted thereat to prevent people from polluting the water . . . . As stated in paragraph 41 of the last administration report, the question of introducing a water-supply scheme into this town is in abeyance pending the preparation of a separate scheme by the Sanitary Engineer, called for by Government in their order, Mis. No. 488 M., dated 3rd March 1898.

41. The rain-gauge having been removed from the hospital premises under the orders of the Collector of the district, no account of rainfall was maintained by the hospital establishment during the year under review. The health of the town was generally good; but during the latter part of the year under review cholera was prevalent. This disease broke out on the 18th December 1898, and continued till 1st April last. Every arrangement suggested by the District Medical and Sanitary Officer was adopted and the cholera staff was also maintained with reference to G.O., No. 1536 M., dated 9th September 1896. According to the report submitted by the

cholera staff there were 151 attacks up to 31st March 1899, and three cases of death by cholera were reported to the registrar of births and deaths and registered by him, making a total of 154 attacks and 81 deaths during the year; hence there is a difference of three cases in the number of attacks between the figure herein given and that given by the District Medical and Sanitary Officer in the concise report of the hospital. When the warning against plague was received from the Collector, plague sheds were erected in Agobala Jeer's garden on the Ammamantapam road about three furlongs from the town, and a big bungalow opposite to the same was taken out for rent for isolating and segregating purposes under the instructions of the District Medical and Sanitary Officer and the Collector of the district, and they were provided with necessary establishment and medicines. A third-class hospital assistant was sent for for plague duty and the observation staff was also entertained as per G.O., No. 1985 M., dated 18th November 1896. This staff was converted into a cholera staff when this epidemic broke out in the town. The hospital assistant was observing all the persons coming to Srírangam from the affected parts under plague regulations. There was only one case of plague which, the Council regrets to state, proved fatal; but this case was treated in consultation with the District Medical and Sanitary Officer in a separate shed erected in a private garden owned by a relative of the deceased and situated near the town. The Collector, the Superintendent of Police, the District Medical and Sanitary Officer and the Revenue Divisional-officer visited the place and were satisfied with the arrangements made by the Chairman for isolating the patient and segregating contacts.

42. The Ekadasi festival commenced on the 13th December 1898 and continued for 21 days. The usual sanitary arrangements were made and supervised by a sub-committee specially appointed for the purpose. Separate sheds with out-houses for both sexes for the accommodation of cholera patients were, as usual, provided in a convenient garden. Quarantine sheds at the outskirts of the town were also erected. The special establishment entertained for the purpose was posted thereat with necessary medicines. The senior hospital assistant was also deputed for perambulating duty. The report on the working of the sanitary arrangements was, as usual, submitted to Government by the senior hospital assistant. The cost of the said arrangements was Rs. 1,085–13–8 as against Rs. 1,522–9–5 in the previous year. The difference was due to inclusion of the cost of plague sheds specially erected for the occasion in 1897–98 under festival charges. Besides this an amount of Rs. 485–3–0 has been paid as contribution to the Trichinopoly Municipality for plague charges incurred during the Ekadasi festival in 1897–98.

43. *Grant 4, Lighting and Miscellaneous Municipal purposes.*—The total expenditure under this grant amounted to Rs. 3,242–14–9, showing an increase over the revised estimate and the actuals of the previous year of Rs. 12–14–9 and Rs. 46–5–5, respectively. The variations are explained below.

44. (1) *Lighting.*—At the commencement of the year under review there were 328 lights, and 15 lights were newly purchased during the year. The total number at the close of the year was 343. The cost of lighting was Rs. 2,029–12–5, showing a decrease of Rs. 30–3–7 and Rs. 122–10–10, respectively, below the revised estimate and the actuals of the previous year. The decrease below the actuals of the previous year was due to the larger expenditure incurred in repairs in the year 1897–98.

45. *Avenues.*—Rs. 525–9–6 were spent under this head, which shows a decrease of Rs. 14–6–6 below the revised estimate and an increase of Rs. 335–6–8 over the actuals of the previous year. The large increase over the actuals of the previous year was owing to the fact that the amount of advance made in the last year for the purchase of new cocoanut plants, etc., were adjusted during the year under review.

46. *Other Charges.*—The charges under this head amounted to Rs. 600–7–2, showing an increase of Rs. 70–7–2 and Rs. 60–7–5 over the revised estimate and the actuals of the previous year, respectively. The increase was due to more law charges which were incurred during the year under report. One hundred and ninety-eight dogs were killed at a cost of Rs. 28–14–4. Rs. 29–10–0 were spent for the removal of prickly-pear during the year under report.

47. *Grant 5, Supervision and Management*—(i) *General Establishment*—(*a*) *Inspection.*—The total expenditure under this head was Rs. 360, showing an increase of Rs. 321–11–5 over the actuals of the previous year. The increase was due to the payment of carriage allowance to the Chairman who drew no allowance in the previous year.

(*d*) *Collection of Municipal Taxes*—(ii) *Contingencies.*—The expenditure under this head was Rs. 161–11–9, showing a decrease below the revised estimate and the actuals of the last year of Rs. 138–4–3 and Rs. 203–0–8, respectively. The decrease was due to the fact that the amount allotted for purchase of bill-books was not spent.

2. (*a*) *Contribution for Central Office and Audit Establishment.*—The contribution was paid under the instructions of the Accountant-General.

48. The year closed with a balance of Rs. 2,032–6–6, or 7·8 per cent. of the total receipts.

49. The accounts of the year have not as yet been audited.

50. In conclusion, I beg to state on behalf of the Chairman that he had the co-operation of the councillors in the administration of the municipal affairs.

ENCLOSURE.

CONCISE Annual Report of Municipal Hospital, Srirangam, for the official year 1898–99, No. 805.

Public health.—The health of the people during the year under review was good, but during the latter part of it cholera was prevalent. The first case occurred on the 18th December 1898 in the 2nd Circle within the enclosure walls of Srirangam. The number of attacks registered from 1st April 1898 to 31st March 1899 was 151. The number of cases treated by the senior hospital assistant and the cholera medical staff, in the sheds as well as in the town, was 66.

During the year under report there was only one imported case of plague (one Krishna Aiyangar, retired English head clerk, a resident of Srirangam, was kept under observation from 22nd February 1899 on his return from an affected area, Coopum; before the expiry of the period of observation, he was attacked with plague on 27th February 1899 and died on 2nd March 1899).

The authorities concerned took energetic measures towards effecting segregation by erecting sheds and entertaining necessary staff in accordance with the requirements of G.O., No. 1985 M., dated 18th November 1896.

2. *Vital Statistics.*—The number of births registered in Srirangam municipal town during the year under review was 788 and of deaths 692, against 572 births and 688 deaths in the previous year, giving a ratio per mille of births 36·42 as against 26·44 and deaths 31·99 against 31·80. The registered causes of mortality in Srirangam municipal town were:—

	1897–98.	1898–99.
Cholera	115	81
Small-pox	2	1
Fevers	92	82
Bowel-complaints	69	47
All other causes	399	465
Total ..	677	676

3. *Sanitation*—(*a*) The general sanitary state of the town during the year under review was fair. Neither the system of drainage nor water scheme is in force; cesspools exist in two of the streets of the town. The conservancy establishment is as follows: 14 sweepers and 22 scavengers; there are also 13 permanent and 6 temporary latrines (7 for males and 12 for females), one urinal and 16 rubbish-carts. Night-soil is buried in trenches. There is no rubbish-depot in this municipality, but the street sweepings, etc., are let on contract to gardeners who remove them to their gardens daily to be used as manure.

(*b*) Personal advice and suggestions in respect to checking the progress of cholera epidemic and keeping the town clean were carried out as far as funds permitted.

4. *Vaccination.*—

—	Total.	Successful.	Unsuccessful.
By Municipal Vaccinator.			
1897-98	1,135	1,127	8
1898-99	878	870	8
By Medical Subordinates.			
1897-98	52	50	2
1898-99	41	41	..
	Of the above under one year of age.		
By Municipal Vaccinator.			
1897-98	405	404	1
1898-99	430	430	..
By Medical Subordinates.			
1897-98	20	20	..
1898-99	10	10	..

The decrease is attributable to plague scare.

5. *Hospitals and dispensaries*—(*a*) *Nature and sufficiency of accommodation.*—The hospital building, which is of solid masonry, affords sufficient accommodation.

(*b*) *State of repair of buildings.*—Good.

(*c*) *State of repair of furniture.*—Good.

(*d*) *Inspections*—(i) *Steps taken to carry out the recommendations, if any, of the Surgeon-General with the Government of Madras.*—The Surgeon-General inspected the hospital on the 7th January 1899. Effects have been given to his suggestions.

(ii) *Steps taken to carry out the recommendations of other Inspecting officers.*—The District Medical and Sanitary Officer inspected the hospital on the 16th June 1898. Steps have been taken to carry out the suggestions as far as funds were available.

(*e*) *Amount of recoveries from patients who have been able to pay for their diets and medicines*—

	RS.	A.	P.
Diet	62	13	10
Medicines		..	

(*f*) *Number of patients treated as compared with previous year*—

—	1897-98.	1898-99.	Daily average sick.	
			1897-98.	1898-99.
In-patients	301	211	10·79	10·18
Out-patients	18,217	14,761	89·52	70·63

(*g*) *Establishment whether sufficient and efficient.*—The establishment is sufficient and efficient.

(*h*) *Midwives—Work actually done.*—A native midwife is attached to the institution. She attended 84 labour cases during the year under review against 54 in the previous year.

(*i*) *If Dufferin Fund dispensaries for women, etc.*—Nil.

(*j*) *General remarks.*—Nil.

TRICHINOPOLY, (Signed) H. M. HAKIM, Major, I.M.S.,
20th May 1899. *Ag. District Medical and Sanitary Officer.*

D. Dis. No. 667-Rev.

Forwarded.

The number of meetings held during the year was one less than in the previous year. The average attendance fell from 10·1 to 9·3. This is, I think, chiefly attributable to want of proper notice. On several occasions, I received the notice on the previous day and sometimes late in the evening. I have drawn the attention of the Chairman to section 29, clause 3 of the Act, which requires notice to be given at least three clear days previous to the day fixed for the meeting. The Council has also at my instance fixed a day for holding the ordinary monthly meetings. It happened sometimes that the meetings were fixed to be held at the same hour and on the same day on which the meetings of the Trichinopoly Municipality were held. It is hoped that there will be improvement in the attendance of the councillors in the current year.

2. The collection of the taxes on arts and vehicles cannot be said to be satisfactory. Of the total demand, arrear and current, of Rs. 2,240-8-0 under tax on arts, only Rs. 1,145-2-0, *i.e.*, about 50 per cent., was collected. The amount collected under the latter item is about 82 per cent. of the total demand.

3. It is satisfactory to note that the number of houses served under the private scavenging system increased by 142 during the year and that the fees have all been collected within the year without leaving any arrears.

4. The condition of the roads in the Municipality is fairly good. Funds being required for plague expenditure, the Council was not able to put the "famine relief" road in a thoroughly good condition. But some necessary repairs have been made and the road is better than what it was last year.

5. The decrease in vaccination has been sufficiently explained. The Council has paid more attention to the correct registration of vital statistics.

6. The number of lights has been increased by 15.

7. Except in the matter of collections in the two items of taxes noted above, there has been improvement in the administration of the Municipality during the year, and I think it is working on pretty smoothly in spite of the existence of factions. This is no doubt due to the tact and zeal of the Chairman, M.R.Ry K. Seshadri Aiyangar Avargal.

TRICHINOPOLY, (Signed) M. SRINIVASA ROW,
11th July 1899. *Deputy Collector.*

D. Dis. No. 1631-Rev.

Submitted.

2. *Paragraph* 4.—The average attendance of the meetings by the official members of the Council is poor, but appears to be mainly due to the reasons given by the Divisional officer.

3. *Paragraphs* 5 *and* 8—(i) *Tax on Arts.*—There was a fall of Rs. 504-6-6 in the actuals during the year. A sum of Rs. 173 has been since collected out of the current balance of Rs. 474. The arrear balance is Rs. 497-2-0 and relates to the past four years. The balances should be adjusted soon. A large balance under this head is discreditable to the Council. The Council states in the report that Rupees 94-12-0 were remitted and Rs. 30-8-0 written off. This is incorrect. The amount remitted should be Rs. 30-8-0 and that written off Rs. 94-12-0.

4. *Paragraph* 8—(2) *Tax on buildings and lands.*—There was also a fall of revenue under these heads. The arrears, old and current, are large and should be collected soon.

5. *Paragraph* 9—*Coercive processes.*—The number of warrants issued during the year was very large, but property was sold only in six cases involving Rs. 18-2-0.

6. *Paragraph* 12—(*e*) (i) *Income from markets.*—This amounted to Rs. 294-11-2 against Rs. 446-6-1 in the previous year. The decrease is not satisfactory and shows that the matter requires the attention of the Council.

7. *Paragraph* 13—(*b*) *Grants and contributions.*—The reference referred to by the Council has been submitted to Government in this office endorsement on C. No. 1377, dated 1st July 1899.

8. *Paragraph* 15—*Communications.*—The Council should endeavour to reduce the existing mileage of unmetalled or ungravelled roads. The Divisional-officer reports that the roads are in fair order and I agree with his opinion.

9. *Paragraph* 35—*Vital statistics.*—The work of registration is fair.

10. *Paragraph* 37—(5) (*b*) *Private Scavenging.*—It is satisfactory to find that this system is self-supporting leaving a balance of Rs. 759-14-7, and that there are no arrears under this head. The system is capable of further extension.

TRICHINOPOLY,
13*th July* 1899.

(Signed) J. H. ROBERTSON,
Acting Collector.

ORDER—No. 1144 M., dated 11th August 1899.

The receipts and charges of the Srírangam Municipality for 1898-1899 are compared below with the budget and revised estimates for the year and the actuals of 1897-98:—

—	Actuals, 1897-98.	Budget estimate, 1898-99.	Revised estimate, 1898-99.	Actuals, 1898-1899.
	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.
Receipts.				
Balance brought forward ..	6,105	3,610	2,690	2,692
Tax on Arts ..	1,697	730	1,400	1,170
„ Buildings and Lands ..	11,710	11,230	11,590	10,999
„ Vehicles and Animals ..	2,899	3,000	3,230	3,193
„ Carts ..	927	1,160	1,090	816
Tolls ..	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000
Realizations under Special Acts ..	..	50	..	..
Rent of Lands, Buildings, &c., and Sale-proceeds of Lands, &c. ..	1,377	1,190	1,560	1,435
Conservancy Receipts ..	671	700	630	638
Fees and Revenue from Educational Institutions ..	424	400	460	463
„ „ Medical Institutions ..	62	40	80	74
Income from Markets and Slaughter-houses ..	585	550	390	396
License Fees ..	1,111	1,400	1,400	1,170
Other Fees ..	112	60	220	202
Fines under Municipal and other Acts ..	471	400	400	580
Grants and Contributions from Government ..	203	350	370	190
„ „ Local Boards ..	1,801	1,800	2,400	1,500
„ „ Other Bodies ..	52	410	590	48
Recoveries for Services to Private Individuals ..	1,741	2,000	1,860	1,896
Miscellaneous ..	13	10	20	40
Advances Recovered ..	320	..	230	219
Total ..	27,176	26,480	28,920	26,029
Grand Total ..	33,281	30,090	31,610	28,721
Charges.				
GRANT 1—				
New Works—				
Communications ..	1,682	500	250	293
Buildings ..	1,058	..	150	150
Water-supply ..	334	100	170	113
Miscellaneous Public Improvements ..	77	..	..	..
Repairs—				
Communications ..	1,674	1,650	1,900	1,811
Buildings ..	232	100	230	229
Water-supply ..	164	240	180	144
Miscellaneous Public Improvements ..	5	..	..	..
Establishment ..	391	450	410	388
Tools and Plant and other Stores ..	8	50	20	8
Contributions for Public Works ..	..	50	..	..
Total ..	5,625	3,140	3,310	3,136
GRANT 2—				
Training Schools ..	47	60	60	54
Municipal Schools—				
On the Salary System ..	238	290	250	231
„ Salary-result System ..	1,482	1,370	1,460	1,444
Grants-in-aid—				
Salary Grants ..	150	200	200	120
Fixed and Result Grants ..	1,045	1,000	1,000	1,000
Building, Furniture, &c., Grants ..	48	50	..	5
Inspection ..	263	260	260	261
Miscellaneous ..	317	350	320	321
Total ..	3,590	3,580	3,550	3,436
Charges—cont.				
GRANT 3—				
Hospitals and Dispensaries ..	3,647	3,230	3,260	3,174
Contributions ..	267	220	260	261
Vaccination ..	321	300	270	238
Registration of Births and Deaths ..	137	170	150	121
Sanitation ..	10,973	10,360	11,540	10,480
Total ..	15,345	14,280	15,480	14,274
GRANT 4—				
Lighting ..	2,153	2,290	2,060	2,030
Markets and Slaughter-houses ..	3	..	10	10
Avenues ..	190	600	540	526
Public Garden, Survey of Land, Fire, Pounds and other Charges.	851	470	620	677
Total ..	3,197	3,360	3,230	3,243
GRANT 5—				
Supervision and Management ..	2,532	2,690	2,750	2,539
EXTRAORDINARY AND DEBT—				
Advances Recoverable ..	226	..	..	54
Refunds ..	74	..	10	7
Total ..	300	..	10	61
Grand Total ..	30,589	27,050	28,330	26,689
Balance ..	2,692	3,040	3,280	2,032

2. Twenty-nine meetings were held by the Municipal Council against thirty in the previous year. The average attendance of the official members improved, but that of the non-officials declined. In both cases, however, it was fair. Three seats were filled by election during the year and they were contested, 72·4 per cent. of the voters concerned attending the poll.

3. *Receipts.*—(1) For the reason stated in paragraph 8 (1) of the Chairman's report, the net current demand under the tax on arts showed an increase of Rs. 211. The demand under the tax on buildings also rose by Rs. 26, but that under the tax on lands remained almost stationary. The result of the revision of the house and land tax registers, referred to in paragraph 7 of the Chairman's letter, should be reported to Government.

(2) Except in the case of the tax on lands, the collections, both current and arrear, under the principal taxes declined. The collections under the taxes on buildings and lands continued to be on the whole fair; but nearly 40 per cent. of the current, and more than 48 per cent. of the arrear, demand under the arts tax were outstanding at the close of the year. This is very unsatisfactory. Every effort should be made to adjust these balances without further delay. Notwithstanding this there was a decline in the number of coercive processes issued during the year and their execution was not prompt. This is discreditable to the municipal executive.

(3) There was an increase in the receipts from the tax on animals and fines, but a decline under the tax on carts, market rents and contributions from Local Boards. The variations in some of these cases have not been explained. The attention of the Municipal Council is drawn to the remarks of the Collector in paragraph 6 of his endorsement.

(4) It is gratifying to observe that the number of houses served by the private scavenging agency again rose from 1,064 to 1,206 and that the fees collected on this account amounted to Rs. 1,896 against Rs. 1,731 in the previous year. Owing to this increase and to the fact that the expenditure on the cartage of night-soil was debited to general conservancy and not to private scavenging, this service was worked at a profit of Rs. 765 to the Council against a loss of Rs. 75 in the previous year. But

as it is not intended that the private scavenging system should be made a source of profit to the Municipal Council, the excess in the receipts over the expenditure under this head should be spent in extending the service for which there is still ample scope, seeing that the number of houses served by the municipal scavengers is only 29·1 per cent. of the total number assessed to the tax on buildings.

4. *Expenditure*—(1) *Public Works.*—No new work of any importance was undertaken during the year. The total outlay on communications amounted to Rs. 2,104 against Rs. 3,356 in the previous year and the town roads are reported by the Revenue Divisional Officer to have been maintained in fairly good order. The attention of the Municipal Council is drawn to the Collector's remark in paragraph 8 of his endorsement regarding the desirability of reducing the existing mileage of unmetalled and ungravelled roads.

(2) *Education.*—The net expenditure under this head amounted to Rs. 2,735 or 15·9 per cent. of the receipts from taxation. Of this sum, Rs. 2,610 were spent on primary, and the remainder on secondary, education. As in the previous year, the Municipal Council maintained a girls' school on the salary system and eight primary schools for boys on the salary-result system, but aided one secondary school with salary grant, and eight primary schools with result grants against two secondary and nine primary schools in the previous year. The attendance at the municipal schools remained almost stationary; but owing to the decrease in the number of aided institutions the attendance at these schools declined. Notwithstanding the remarks of Government in paragraph 4 (2) of G.O., No. 1282 M., dated 18th July 1898, again no information has been furnished regarding the working of the salary-grant school. This omission is unsatisfactory and should not be allowed to recur. The results of the departmental and grant examinations were good and the allotment for result grants was fully utilized. The number of boys under instruction in the municipal and aided schools fell from 943 to 807 or 52·5 per cent. of the male population of school-going age against the general average of 61·8 per cent. for Municipalities in 1897–98.

(3) *Medical Relief.*—There was a decline in the numbers of in-patients and out-patients treated at the municipal hospital which is attributed chiefly to the plague scare. The midwife attached to the municipal hospital attended 84 cases of labour against 54 in 1897–98—a satisfactory advance.

(4) *Vaccination and Vital Statistics.*—Owing to the plague scare, the total number of vaccinations performed during the year fell from 1,187 to 919; but the quality of the work continued to be good, the percentage of reported success being 99·1. Infantile vaccination received fair attention, the total number of children under one year successfully vaccinated being 440 or 20·3 per mille of the population against 19·6 per mille in the previous year.

There was an increase in the number of births and deaths registered during the year, which was marked in the former case and is ascribed to better supervision. The returns in both cases, however, cannot be regarded as accurate, the rates recorded being still below the normal.

(5) *Sanitation.*—The expenditure under this head slightly exceeded the sanctioned allotment and amounted to 40·3 per cent. of the current receipts. From paragraphs 39 to 42 of the Chairman's report, it appears that some attention was paid to the sanitation of the town; but paragraph 3 of the Medical officer's report shows that much yet remains to be done in this direction and the Government trusts that efforts will be made to remedy all the sanitary defects as funds become available.

5. *General Remarks.*—The year closed with a balance of Rs. 2,032 or 7·8 per cent. of the current receipts.

The administration of the Municipality during the year under review again showed an advance on that of the previous year in some respects and may now be regarded as fairly satisfactory. Increased attention should, however, be paid to the

collection of taxes and the improvement of sanitation in the current year. The Government is pleased to note the testimony borne by the Revenue Divisional Officer to the good work done by the Chairman, M.R.Ry. K. Séshadri Aiyangar.

(True Extract.)

M. HAMMICK,
Ag. Secretary to Government.

To the Chairman, Municipal Council, Srirangam.
„ Collector of Trichinopoly.
„ President, District Board, Trichinopoly.
„ Accountant-General.
„ Director of Public Instruction.
„ Surgeon-General.
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AUGUST.

Administration Report.

Reviewing the — of the Srirangam Municipal Council for 1898-99.

GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.

LOCAL AND MUNICIPAL DEPARTMENT.

Read—the following paper:—

From M.R.Ry. T. R. VASUDEVA RAO Garu, Chairman-delegate, Municipal Council, Srírangam, to the Secretary to Government, Local and Municipal Department (through the Revenue Divisional Officer, Trichinopoly), dated 5th July 1899, No. 228.

I have the honour to submit the administration report of this Municipality for the year 1898–99 passed at the meeting held on the 30th ultimo, with the usual statements in the revised forms as per G.O., No. 210 M., dated 16th February 1899. The delay in submission of this report is due to the absence of the Chairman from the station for some weeks. His presence was found absolutely necessary for its completion. I therefore solicit the pardon of Government for this delay.

I.—Constitution of the Council.

2. The elective system has been in force since 1888. The sanctioned strength of the Council is sixteen including the Revenue Divisional Officer (ex-officio councillor), of which one-half is elected and the other half nominated by Government. The right of electing the Chairman rests with the Council. At the beginning of the year under review, the Council had its full strength, viz., the Revenue Divisional Officer (ex-officio), five nominated non-officials, two nominated officials and eight elected non-officials. During the year, one nominated official was transferred to another district, two nominated non-officials and three elected non-officials vacated their seats owing to the expiry of their term of office and one nominated non-official died. These vacancies were filled up by nomination and by election accordingly. Thus, the Council had its full strength at the close of the year, making up the total as follows: one ex-officio, two nominated officials, five nominated non-officials and eight elected non-officials.

3. Fresh lists of voters for the year were received on the 1st May 1898 as per G.O., Mis. No. 574 M., dated 4th May 1894, and they came into force on the 13th July succeeding. The registered number of voters in this Municipality was 695 as against 859 in 1897–98 comprising 238, 288 and 169 voters in the 1st, 2nd and 3rd wards, respectively. The decrease in the number of voters is due to the fact that only a smaller number of persons were assessed for profession-tax in 1897–98 in accordance with the schedule of the amended Act.

4. The number of meetings held during the year was 29 against 30 in 1897–98. The average attendance fell from 10·1 to 9·3 in the previous year, but no meeting was adjourned for want of quorum.

II.—Receipts.

5. The total receipts excluding the opening balance amounted to Rs. 26,028–15–9, showing a decrease, as explained below, under the revised estimate and the actuals of the previous year by Rs. 2,891–0–3 and Rs. 1,146–7–0, respectively.

A.—Receipts from Taxation.

6. *Tax on Arts, &c.*—The total amount of the tax assessed by the Chairman was Rs. 1,213–8–0. Out of 447 persons assessed, 161 preferred appeals; 91 were disposed of before the close of the year and Rs. 17–8–0 were thereupon remitted. A sum of Rs. 723 was realized within the year and Rs. 174 since.

7. *Tax on Buildings and Lands.*—The house and land tax registers were revised at the close of the year under report with a view to bring the revised assessment into force from the beginning of the current official year. The measure adopted in assessing the tax for the year under report is stated in the ncte appended to statement I. The total extent of lands assessed was 3,507 acres as in previous years.

8. *Demand, Collection and Balance Statements IV-A and IV-B*—(1) *Tax on Arts, &c.*—The balance of Rs. 833 shown in paragraph 8 of the last administration report reviewed in G.O., No. 1282 M., dated 18th July 1898, was raised subsequently to Rs. 1,027 at the suggestion of the Assistant Inspector of Local Fund Accounts in the course of the examination of the Municipal accounts for 1897–98 for the following reason. Hotel-keepers and money-lenders who were assessed below class 7 according to their estimated income for 1897–98 were assessed at the suggestion of the said officer under class VII, as per proviso 4 of schedule E of the District Municipalities Amended Act. Hence supplemental bills were issued for Rs. 194. Thus the total amount of arrears under this head was Rs. 1,027 which, with the finally-settled demand of Rs. 1,213–8–0 for the year under review, made a total of Rs. 2,240–8–0. Of this, Rs. 422–2–0 for the arrears and Rs. 723 for the current, making a total in all of Rs. 1,145–2–0, were collected in the year under report, Rs. 30–8–0 were remitted and Rs. 94–12–0 written off the accounts, leaving a balance of Rs. 970–2–0 at the close of the year, which has been by subsequent collections reduced to Rs. 794–10–0.

(2) *Tax on Buildings and Lands.*—Rs. 1,127–10–0 shown as arrears at the close of the last year in paragraph 8 (2) of G.O., No. 1282 M., dated 18th July 1898, reviewing the administration report were raised by the Assistant Inspector of Local Fund Accounts to Rs. 1,132–8–0 on verifying the arrears demand register Thus the arrears under these heads in the beginning of the year under review were Rs. 1,132–8–0 and the demand of the year was Rs. 10,890–5–6, altogether making a total of Rs. 12,022–13–6. Of this amount, Rs. 943–9–6 for the arrears and Rupees 10,025–14–6 for the current, making in all Rs. 11,049–8–0, were collected; Rupees 54–9–0 were written off, leaving a balance of Rs. 998–12–6 at the close of the year. This balance has been reduced by subsequent collection to Rs. 570–1–6. The arrears will be adjusted at an early date. The percentage of collections of the house and land taxes to the current demand was 92·7 and to arrears 83·4 as against 92·1 and 83·6, respectively, in the previous year. The number of houses under taxation for the year under report was 4,141 as against 4,136 in the previous year, and the incidence of the tax per house was Rs. 1–10–7 on current demand.

(3) *Water and Drainage Tax on Buildings and Lands, Tax on Private Menial and Domestic Male Servants and Rent of Cartstands.*—The taxes and rents under these heads are not levied in this Municipality.

(4) *Tolls.*—This Municipality has no toll-gate under its charge. The District Board that manages the tolls paid the fixed contribution of Rs. 1,000. The Council regrets its inability to raise the contribution, though the Board itself now realizes a very large amount.

(5) *Market Rents and Slaughter-house Fees.*—There were no arrears under this head at the commencement of the year. The right to collect rents for markets and fees for animals slaughtered was leased out, and the contractors paid the total amount within the year by fixed instalments.

(6) *Private Scavenging.*—Rs. 5–4–0 were in arrears at the beginning of the year which, together with the demand of the year, Rs. 1,901–4–0, made a total of Rs. 1,906–8–0. Of this amount, Rs. 5–4–0 for arrears and Rs. 1,890–12–0 for the current were collected and Rs. 10–8–0 were written off, thus leaving no balance at the close of the year. The number of houses served by the private scavenging agency on the 31st March 1899 was 1,206 as against 1,064 in the last year. The increase was due to the further extension of the system in the three wards.

(7) *Tax on Vehicles, Animals and Carts.*—The arrears at the beginning of the year under report were Rs. 875–9–0, though by mistake it was given as Rs. 542 in the last administration report, which, together with the demand of the year, Rs. 4,000 made a total of Rs. 4,875–9–0. Of this, Rs. 700–10–0 for the arrears and Rup 3,294–12–0 for the current were realized and Rs. 15–8–0 were remitted and wr

off the accounts, leaving a balance of Rs. 864-11-0 at the close of the year. Out of this balance, Rs. 309-4-0 have since been collected.

(8) *Warrant Fees.*—Rs. 22-4-0 were in arrears at the commencement of the year which, with the finally-settled demand of the year, Rs. 182-2-0, made a total of Rs. 204-6-0. Of this Rs. 13-12-0 for the arrears and Rs. 138-6-6 for the current were collected and Rs. 1-6-0 were remitted, leaving a balance of Rs. 50-13-6 at the close of the year. Out of this amount Rs. 11 have since been collected.

9. *Coercive Process.*—The number of distraint warrants that remained unexecuted at the close of the year 1897-98 was 340 and the number issued during the year under report was 1,098, making a total of 1,438 in all. In 836 cases warrants were returned unexecuted, the defaulters having paid their dues before execution. In 85 cases, properties were attached but returned, the tax having been realized before the time fixed for sale, and in six cases the distrained properties were sold and the tax recovered. Twenty-one warrants have been cancelled during the year under report; in 342 cases the parties concerned have been ordered to be prosecuted, and thus the number of unexecuted warrants at the close of the year was 148.

10. *Incidence of Taxation.*—The population according to the census of 1891 is 21,632, and the total income from taxation was Rs. 16,177-6-0 excluding the toll contribution and Rs. 17,177-6-0 including it. The incidence of tax per head of population excluding tolls is As. 12 and including it is As. 13 as against As. 12-9 and As. 13-6, respectively, in the last year.

11. *Realization under Special Act—Fees under Act II of 1888.*—There were no applications for license for opening places for public resort during the year under review.

B.—Miscellaneous Receipts.

12. *Revenue derived from Municipal Property and Powers apart from Taxation.*—The receipts under this head amounted to Rs. 4,958-8-8, showing a decrease of Rs. 181-7-4 below the revised estimate and an increase of Rs. 146-7-10 over the actuals of the previous year. The difference is explained below:—

(*a*) (i) *Rent of Lands.*—The receipts under this head were Rs. 291-12-0, showing an increase over the revised estimate and the actuals of the previous year of Rs. 41-12-0 and Rs. 57-15-0, respectively. The increase was chiefly due to the realization of rent for unauthorized occupation of Municipal lands.

(*a*) (iii) *Avenue Receipts.*—Rs. 866-4-10 were collected during the year under review, which shows a decrease of Rs. 183-11-2 below the revised estimate and an increase of Rs. 28-4-3 over the actuals of the previous year. The decrease below the revised estimate was due to the non-payment of the last kist within the year by the renter of avenue trees who has taken a lease for three years.

(*e*) (i) *Income from Market.*—The receipts under this head were Rs. 294-11-2, which show a decrease of Rs. 151-10-11 below the actuals of the previous year, and this was due to the absence of competition among the bidders when the right of collecting fees for the Municipal market was leased out.

(*f*) (i) *Other Fees—Warrant and Distraint Fees, &c.*—The total receipts under this head were Rs. 199-8-6, showing a decrease of Rs. 10-7-6 below the revised estimate and an increase of Rs. 88-14-6 over the actuals of the previous year; the increase is attributable to the realization of warrant fees on all the warrants under section 104 of the Amended Act, whereas warrant fees were levied in the last year from August, the provision of the Amended Act having escaped notice for a few months.

(*f*) (ii) *License Fees.*—There was a decrease of Rs. 229-9-0 under this item below the revised estimate of the year under review; this was mainly due to a fewer number of brick-kilns having been burnt than was anticipated.

(*g*) (ii) *Fines under Municipal and other Acts.*—This is a fluctuating item of receipts. There was an increase of Rs. 180-5-0 over the revised estimate of the current year and of Rs. 109-1-10 over the actuals of the previous year, which was chiefly due to the imposition of increased fines by the Bench of Magistrates in all cases of failure to register births and deaths.

13. *Grants and Contributions.*—The total receipts under this head were Rupees 1,738-3-8, falling short of the revised estimate and the actuals of the previous year by Rs. 1,621-12-4 and Rs. 318-7-0, respectively. The difference is explained below:—

(*a*) *From Government—Other Purposes.*—There was a decrease of Rs. 151-10-8 below the revised estimate and Rs. 16-15-8 below the actuals of the previous year. This was because the grant towards the salary of the Educational supervisor was not drawn within the year for the period under report and for the preceding year, pending the sanction of the Educational authorities.

(*b*) *From Local Board*—(iii) *Other Purposes.*—One-third of the total cost of the sanitary arrangements of the Ekadasi festival of the years 1897 and 1898 was not drawn from the Trichinopoly Taluk Board, as that body has taken objection to the payment of one-third of the cost of two items of expenditure, viz., sectioning streets and plague arrangements. The Government has been addressed on the subject and its decision is awaited. Hence no income is shown under this head for the year under review.

(*c*) *Other Grants and Contributions*—(ii) *Medical.*—The contribution payable by the Trustees of the Srirangam pagoda towards the maintenance of the hospital and dispensary was not paid within the year for four months of 1896-97 and the whole of 1897-98 and 1898-99; but Rs. 390 have since been paid by the Trustees and the balance will soon be recovered.

III.—EXPENDITURE.

14. The total expenditure of the year under review under all grants amounted to Rs. 26,688-9-6 which, when compared with the revised estimate of the year under report and the actuals of the previous year, shows a decrease of Rs. 1,641-6-6 below the former and of Rs. 3,899-15-3 below the latter. The variations are explained below.

15. *Grant 1, Public Works—New Works—Communications.*—A sum of Rupees 293-6-9 was spent under this head, showing a slight increase over the revised estimate of Rs. 43-6-9 and a large decrease below the actuals of the previous year of Rupees 1,389-0-4. Only a few roads as shown in statement II-A, part I, were metalled, and no new tunnels were constructed during the year. Even the sum of Rs. 250 out of the amount allotted in the budget estimate for this item was retrenched for plague expenditure under G.O., No. 2031 L., dated 22nd October 1898. These causes account for the large decrease below the actuals of the previous year.

16. *Buildings.*—Rs. 150-4-5 were spent under this head for the purchase of 22 air-tight receptacles provided for public latrines and for the completion of the store-house. No other works of importance were undertaken during the year. Hence the decrease of Rs. 908-2-7 below the actuals of the previous year.

17. *Water-supply.*—The expenditure under this head amounted to Rs. 113-4-0, which shows a decrease below the revised estimate and the actuals of the previous year of Rs. 56-12-0 and Rs. 220-5-3, respectively. The decrease below the revised estimate was due to the non-payment of contribution towards the cost of a well sunk by private individuals in the West Uttara street for drinking purposes, as it was not completed within the year; and the decrease below the actuals of the previous year was due to the fact that the allotment itself under this head was much less than the allotment of the last year.

18. *Repairs—Communications.*—Rs. 1,810-12-11 were spent under this head, showing a decrease below the revised estimate of Rs. 89-3-1 and an increase over the actuals of the previous year of Rs. 137-1-2. The decrease below the revised estimate was due to the savings effected from the allotment made for certain roads. The increase over the actuals of the last year was owing to the fact that several roads were repaired as they were damaged by incessant rain. The length of the roads including the streets maintained during the year under review was $16\frac{3}{4}$ miles as in the last year, of which $10\frac{1}{16}$ miles were metalled as against $9\frac{7}{8}$ in the previous year. They are in good order. As per instructions conveyed in the concluding portion of paragraph 4 of the order of Government in G.O., No. 1282 M., dated 18th July 1898,

reviewing the administration report of this Municipality for 1897–98, an estimate for Rs. 1,019 for remetalling the road between Srírangam and the Madras Trunk road called the "Famine Relief Road" was sanctioned by the Council at its meeting held on the 30th September 1898, but the work was given up in pursuance of G.O., No. 2031 L., dated 22nd October 1898. All streets, lanes and metalled as well as unmetalled roads were sectioned as usual with side channels provided for the free passage of rain water.

19. *Buildings.*—The expenditure under this head was Rs. 229–7–8, showing a slight decrease below the revised estimate and the actuals of the previous year, which calls for no special remarks.

20. *Grant 2, Education.*—The total expenditure under this grant was Rupees 3,436–3–9 which shows a decrease of Rs. 113–12–3 and Rs. 153–9–2, respectively, below the revised estimate and the actuals of the previous year. The variations under each head are explained below.

21. (i) *Training School—Stipends to Normal Students.*—One student was trained in the Government Training School, Trichinopoly, as in the last year. Rupees 54–3–2 were spent under this head, which shows a slight decrease of Rs. 5–12–10 and Rs. 7–4–5, respectively, below the revised estimate and the actuals of the previous year.

22. (2) (i) *Municipal School on Salary System—Education of Girls.*—The number of girls educated on the 31st March 1899 was 49 as against 48 in the last year. The number presented for examination and number passed are shown below:—

	Number presented.	Number passed.
Infant Standard	10	9
I Do.	7	3
II Do.	8	5
III Do.	2	1
	27	18

The present teachers of the school are qualified under the Educational rules. On the 13th April 1899, a qualified mistress was appointed to give instruction in needle-work. The recommendation of the Sub-Assistant Inspector of Girl Schools for the opening of the 4th standard will be considered at the time of the next budget. The Inspecting Schoolmaster will be directed to visit the school as often as is necessary to secure the efficient working of the institution. The percentage of passes was 66·6 as against 68·10 in the last year; the expenditure under this head was Rupees 230–7–6, showing a decrease below the revised estimate and the actuals of the previous year of Rs. 19–8–6 and Rs. 7–13–4, respectively.

23. (2) (ii)—*Municipal Schools on Salary Result System—Primary Education of Boys.*—The expenditure under this head was Rs. 1,444–6–2, showing a decrease below the revised estimate and the actuals of the previous year of Rs. 15–9–10 and Rs. 37–7–1, respectively. The total strength of the eight schools on the 31st March 1899 was 281 boys and 50 girls as against 279 boys and 49 girls in the previous year. All these schools were examined for grants. Rs. 293–15–0 were paid as result stipends for the year under report uniformly at 75 per cent. as recommended by the Educational Department and Rs. 6–1–0 were paid for arrears. The percentage of passes is 93·1 as shown in the following table as against 82·56 in the last year:—

Standard.	Pupils presented		Pupils passed	
	Boys.	Girls.	Boys.	Girls.
Infant Standard	44	9	40	8
I Do.	52	9	50	9
II Do.	35	..	34	..
III Do.	19	..	17	..
IV Do.	21	..	18	..
	189		176	

It is to be noted that all the teachers of these salary-result schools are qualified men.

24. (3) *Salary Grants.*—Rs. 200 were allotted under this head for paying salary grant to the two Lower Secondary schools—one in Srírangam and the other in Thiruvanakaval, of which Rs. 120 were paid to the Lower Secondary school in Thiruvanakaval and no grant was paid to the one at Srírangam, as no application was received.

25. (4) *Fixed and Results Grants.*—Of the 9 schools notified for examination in the combined list, all except the one in Teppakulam street which was closed were examined and Rs. 1,000 were paid to them as fixed and result grants. These grants were paid at the maximum rates. The percentage of passes is 93·3 as against 87·68 in the last year as shown below:—

Standard.	Pupils presented.	Pupils passed.
Infant Standard	59	51
I Do.	89	85
II Do.	90	83
III Do.	68	66
IV Do.	67	63
	373	348

There is a difference of 18 in the number presented and the number passed between the statements IV and V-B furnished by the Assistant Inspector of Schools and it has been explained in the remarks column of the latter statement.

26. *Building Furniture, &c., Grants.*—Only Rs. 5–4–0 were paid to the Lower Secondary School, Tiruvanakaval, as furniture grant and no other school applied for the grant within the year under review and this effected a large saving under this item.

27. *Miscellaneous—General Gymnasium and General Drawing.*—The expenditure under this head amounted to Rs. 320–14–11, showing a slight increase over the revised estimate and the actuals of the previous year. The drawingmaster and the gymnastic instructor are qualified men. The two Lower Secondary schools in the town continued to pay a monthly contribution of Rs. 2 each for the instruction given to their pupils in drawing and gymnasium. The class for private persons to receive instruction in drawing and gymnasium continued to work during the year under report. The net expenditure on education was Rs. 2,734–14–1, or 16 per cent. of the income from taxation.

28. *Grant 3, Medical Service and Sanitation.*—The expenditure under this grant was Rs. 14,273–9–2, showing a decrease of Rs. 1,206–6–10 and of Rs. 1,071–9–4, respectively, below the revised estimate and the actuals of the previous year.

29. (1) *Hospital and Dispensary.*—The institution has, as usual, maintained its usefulness under the charge of the first-class hospital assistant assisted by a third-class hospital assistant. The number of in-door patients treated during the year was 211 as against 301 in the last year and 14,761 out-door patients as against 18,217. There was a decrease of in and out door patients of 90 and 3,456, respectively. The decrease was due chiefly to the plague scare. No Brahmin in-door patients were admitted and treated during the year under review.

30. The number of labour cases treated in the lying-in-ward by the midwife was two as against one and in this town and its vicinity eighty-two as against fifty-three in the last year. The midwife is growing popular. She is a woman trained at the Municipal cost in 1895–96 in the Government Maternity hospital at Madras, and no expenditure was incurred during the year under report in furtherance of female medical education. If, however, funds are available, provision to endow a scholarship in connection with the Countess of Dufferin's fund will be made in the ensuing year's

budget, or the Council will employ a caste female medical practitioner trained by the association. A purveyor on Rs. 7 a month to purchase articles for diets, &c., was appointed in October 1898 with the sanction of Government under G.O., Mis. No. 1628 M., dated 19th September 1898. The total expenditure under this item was Rs. 3,139–9–8 which shows a decrease below the revised estimate and the actuals of the previous year of Rs. 80–6–4 and Rs. 490–12–7, respectively. The large decrease below the actuals of the previous year was due to the fact that the cost of medicines purchased in 1896–97 was also paid in 1897–98. A sum of Rs. 49–14–0 was spent for the renewal of hospital buildings. The hospital premises and the wards were whitewashed and kept clean.

31. (2) (*a*) *Contribution to Provincial Funds.*—Rs. 261 were paid towards the proportionate cost of Medical College, sanitary inspection and medical reserve staff on demand made by the Treasury officer under the instructions of the Accountant-General.

32. (3) *Vaccination.*—The charges amounted to Rs. 238–1–1, showing a decrease below the revised estimate and the actuals of the previous year of Rs. 31–14–11 and Rs. 83–8–8, respectively. The total number of cases vaccinated during the year, both by the vaccinator and the senior hospital assistant, was 919 as against 1,187 in the last year, of which 878 cases were by the vaccinator and forty-one cases by the hospital assistant. Of the 878 cases operated on by the vaccinator—870 cases were successful and eight cases were unknown. All the forty-one cases performed by the hospital assistant were successful. Four hundred and forty children below one year and 479 above one year were vaccinated by both, of which 440 cases under one year and 471 cases above one year were successful and in eight cases above one year, the results were unknown. The number of children re-vaccinated during the year under review was 15 as against 52 in the last year. The decrease in the number of children vaccinated and in expenditure was due to the temporary suspension of vaccine operations on account of plague scare.

33. *Infantile Vaccination.*—The total number of births available for vaccination during the year under review was 654, the number registered from 1st October 1897 to 30th September 1898, of which 103 died, 148 left the town and of the remaining 403, 318 children were vaccinated, 8 were on medical certificates and 77 were at the close of the year served with notices for being vaccinated.

34. Six hundred and seventeen notices were served during the year under review on parents and guardians; this, together with 72 cases that were served with notices, but not vaccinated before the 31st March 1898, made a total of 689 cases; 303 persons obeyed the notices; 172 children left the town, 28 died and the parents of 186 children failed to get them vaccinated; 63 out of this number were referred to the Magistrate during the year under review; these with the ten cases pending before the Magistrate on the 31st March 1898 made a total of 73 cases, of which 59 children were vaccinated under the orders of the Magistrates, eight left the town and six remained unprotected even after conviction. One hundred and twenty-three cases remained undisposed of at the close of the year. The parents of 70 children who were served with notices to get their children vaccinated in the latter part of March 1899 failed to do so within the month, and hence the large number of undisposed of cases. Steps have been taken in the succeeding months for the disposal of the same. In 29 cases persons were tried and convicted.

35. The number of births and deaths registered during the year under review was 788 and 692, respectively, as against 572 and 688 in the last year, showing an increase of 216 births and four deaths over the figures of the previous year. The increase in the number of births registered was due to better supervision. The number of prosecutions for failure to register births and deaths were 48 and 57, respectively, as against 25 and 30 in the last year. Out of these 105, which with the six cases pending before the Magistrate on the 31st March 1898, made a total of 111, 99 cases ended in conviction, two in acquittal and two were withdrawn, leaving eight cases pending before Magistrate at the close of the year under review.

36. (5) *Sanitation.*—The total charges under this head amounted to Rupees 10,479–12–1, showing a decrease of Rs. 1,060–3–11 and Rs. 493–2–5 below the revised estimate and the actuals of the previous year, respectively.

(5) (*a*) *Conservancy—Road-cleaning and Road-watering.*—Rs. 6,219–15–3 were spent under this head, showing a decrease of Rs. 330–0–9 below the revised estimate and an increase of Rs. 122–5–10 above the actuals of the previous year. The decrease below the revised estimate was owing to the non-entertainment of the full staff of sweepers and toties provided for in the budget.

37. (5) (*b*) *Private Scavenging.*—The expenditure under this head amounted to Rs. 1,130–13–5, showing a decrease of Rs. 39–2–7 and Rs. 675–8–1 below the revised estimate and the actuals of the previous year, respectively. The decrease below the actuals of the previous year was due to the fact that the expenditure of cartage for the removal of the night-soil which was debited to the head "Private scavenging" till 1st April 1898 was transferred to the head "Conservancy" in accordance with section 217 of the Amended Act—*vide* paragraph 19 of the letter embodied in G.O., No. 189 M., dated 13th February 1899, reviewing the bud [illegible] of this Municipality for 1899–1900. The system is self-supporting, leaving a bal [illegible] of Rs. 759–14–7.

38. (*c*) *Epidemic Charges.*—The expenditure under this head amounted to Rupees 1,557–14–9 which shows a decrease of Rs. 762–1–3 below the revised estimate of the year under review and an increase of Rs. 27–15–1 over the actuals of the previous year. The large decrease below the revised estimate was owing to the fact that there was no necessity for any more expenditure under this head.

39. The conservancy establishment as it stood on the 31st March 1899 consisted of three sanitary inspectors, one scavenging inspector, seven peons as against ten last year, fourteen sweepers, 24 as against 21 scavengers, twenty private scavengers as against eighteen in the last year, three conservancy iron night-soil carts, six private scavenging carts and sixteen wooden rubbish carts. With the above establishment, the conservancy of the town was well looked after. The total number of dust-bins on the 31st March 1899 was 204, of which 60 were masonry and the remaining 132 moveables; twelve masonry dustbins were demolished during the year for various reasons. The street refuse was as usual removed twice a day to private gardens pointed out by the rubbish contractor and approved of by the sanitary inspector. There were 21 public latrines and an urinal on the 1st April 1898, of which three latrines were removed and a new one was constructed at Jambukeswaram, the cost of which was paid in the current year. There were thus at the close of the year under review nineteen latrines, of which thirteen were pucka built and six tatti latrines and a urinal. The night-soil was removed from these latrines twice a day at about 7 A.M. and between 3 and 4 P.M., and that from private houses was removed daily between 7 and 9 A.M. and buried in trenches dug in the night-soil depot. There was no demand for the night-soil manure during the year under report; but in the current year it was leased out for Rs. 100.

40. The wells used for drinking purposes were preserved from impurities. The upper portions of the Nattuvaikal at the bathing ghaut of Srírangam and Jambukeswaram were reserved solely for drinking purposes and watchmen were posted thereat to prevent people from polluting the water . . . . . As stated in paragraph 41 of the last administration report, the question of introducing a water-supply scheme into this town is in abeyance pending the preparation of a separate scheme by the Sanitary Engineer, called for by Government in their order, Mis. No. 488 M., dated 3rd March 1898.

1. The rain-gauge having been removed from the hospital premises under the orders of the Collector of the district, no account of rainfall was maintained by the hospital establishment during the year under review. The health of the town was generally good; but during the latter part of the year under review cholera was prevalent. This disease broke out on the 18th December 1898, and continued till 1st April last. Every arrangement suggested by the District Medical and Sanitary Officer was adopted and the cholera staff was also maintained with reference to G.O., No. 1536 M., dated 9th September 1896. According to the report submitted by the

cholera staff there were 151 attacks up to 31st March 1899, and three cases of death by cholera were reported to the registrar of births and deaths and registered by him, making a total of 154 attacks and 81 deaths during the year; hence there is a difference of three cases in the number of attacks between the figure herein given and that given by the District Medical and Sanitary Officer in the concise report of the hospital. When the warning against plague was received from the Collector, plague sheds were erected in Agobala Jeer's garden on the Ammamantapam road about three furlongs from the town, and a big bungalow opposite to the same was taken out for rent for isolating and segregating purposes under the instructions of the District Medical and Sanitary Officer and the Collector of the district, and they were provided with necessary establishment and medicines. A third-class hospital assistant was sent for for plague duty and the observation staff was also entertained as per G.O., No. 1985 M., dated 18th November 1896. This staff was converted into a cholera staff when this epidemic broke out in the town. The hospital assistant was observing all the persons coming to Srírangam from the affected parts under plague regulations. There was only one case of plague which, the Council regrets to state, proved fatal; but this case was treated in consultation with the District Medical and Sanitary Officer in a separate shed erected in a private garden owned by a relative of the deceased and situated near the town. The Collector, the Superintendent of Police, the District Medical and Sanitary Officer and the Revenue Divisional-officer visited the place and were satisfied with the arrangements made by the Chairman for isolating the patient and segregating contacts.

42. The Ekadasi festival commenced on the 13th December 1898 and continued for 21 days. The usual sanitary arrangements were made and supervised by a sub-committee specially appointed for the purpose. Separate sheds with out-houses for both sexes for the accommodation of cholera patients were, as usual, provided in a convenient garden. Quarantine sheds at the outskirts of the town were also erected. The special establishment entertained for the purpose was posted thereat with necessary medicines. The senior hospital assistant was also deputed for perambulating duty. The report on the working of the sanitary arrangements was, as usual, submitted to Government by the senior hospital assistant. The cost of the said arrangements was Rs. 1,085–13–8 as against Rs. 1,522–9–5 in the previous year. The difference was due to inclusion of the cost of plague sheds specially erected for the occasion in 1897–98 under festival charges. Besides this an amount of Rs. 485–3–0 has been paid as contribution to the Trichinopoly Municipality for plague charges incurred during the Ekadasi festival in 1897–98.

43. *Grant 4, Lighting and Miscellaneous Municipal purposes.*—The total expenditure under this grant amounted to Rs. 3,242–14–9, showing, an increase over the revised estimate and the actuals of the previous year of Rs. 12–14–9 and Rs. 46–5–5, respectively. The variations are explained below.

44. (1) *Lighting.*—At the commencement of the year under review there were 328 lights, and 15 lights were newly purchased during the year. The total number at the close of the year was 343. The cost of lighting was Rs. 2,029–12–5, showing a decrease of Rs. 30–3–7 and Rs. 122–10–10, respectively, below the revised estimate and the actuals of the previous year. The decrease below the actuals of the previous year was due to the larger expenditure incurred in repairs in the year 1897-98.

45. *Avenues.*—Rs. 525–9–6 were spent under this head, which shows a decrease of Rs. 14–6–6 below the revised estimate and an increase of Rs. 335–6–8 over the actuals of the previous year. The large increase over the actuals of the previous year was owing to the fact that the amount of advance made in the last year for the purchase of new cocoanut plants, etc., were adjusted during the year under review.

46. *Other Charges.*—The charges under this head amounted to Rs. 600–7–2, showing an increase of Rs. 70–7–2 and Rs. 60–7–5 over the revised estimate and the actuals of the previous year, respectively. The increase was due to more law charges which were incurred during the year under report. One hundred and ninety-eight dogs were killed at a cost of Rs. 28–14–4. Rs. 29–10–0 were spent for the removal of prickly-pear during the year under report.

47. *Grant 5, Supervision and Management*—(i) *General Establishment*—(a) *Inspection.*—The total expenditure under this head was Rs. 360, showing an increase of Rs. 321–11–5 over the actuals of the previous year. The increase was due to the payment of carriage allowance to the Chairman who drew no allowance in the previous year.

(*d*) *Collection of Municipal Taxes*—(ii) *Contingencies.*—The expenditure under this head was Rs. 161–11–9, showing a decrease below the revised estimate and the actuals of the last year of Rs. 138–4–3 and Rs. 203–0–8, respectively. The decrease was due to the fact that the amount allotted for purchase of bill-books was not spent.

2. (*a*) *Contribution for Central Office and Audit Establishment.*—The contribution was paid under the instructions of the Accountant-General.

48. The year closed with a balance of Rs. 2,032–6–6, or 7·8 per cent. of the total receipts.

49. The accounts of the year have not as yet been audited.

50. In conclusion, I beg to state on behalf of the Chairman that he had the co-operation of the councillors in the administration of the municipal affairs.

ENCLOSURE.

CONCISE Annual Report of Municipal Hospital, Srírangam, for the official year 1898–99, No. 805.

Public health.—The health of the people during the year under review was good, but during the latter part of it cholera was prevalent. The first case occurred on the 18th December 1898 in the 2nd Circle within the enclosure walls of Srírangam. The number of attacks registered from 1st April 1898 to 31st March 1899 was 151. The number of cases treated by the senior hospital assistant and the cholera medical staff, in the sheds as well as in the town, was 66.

During the year under report there was only one imported case of plague (one Krishna Aiyangar, retired English head clerk, a resident of Srírangam, was kept under observation from 22nd February 1899 on his return from an affected area, Coopum; before the expiry of the period of observation, he was attacked with plague on 27th February 1899 and died on 2nd March 1899).

The authorities concerned took energetic measures towards effecting segregation by erecting sheds and entertaining necessary staff in accordance with the requirements of G.O., No. 1985 M., dated 18th November 1896.

2. *Vital Statistics.*—The number of births registered in Srírangam municipal town during the year under review was 788 and of deaths 692, against 572 births and 688 deaths in the previous year, giving a ratio per mille of births 36·42 as against 26·44 and deaths 31·99 against 31·80. The registered causes of mortality in Srírangam municipal town were :— 2 X

	1897–98.	1898-99.
Cholera	115	81
Small-pox	2	1
Fevers	92	82
Bowel complaints	69	47
All other causes	399	465
Total	677	676

3. *Sanitation*—(*a*) The general sanitary state of the town during the year under review was fair. Neither the system of drainage nor water scheme is in force; cesspools exist in two of the streets of the town. The conservancy establishment is as follows: 14 sweepers and 22 scavengers; there are also 13 permanent and 6 temporary latrines (7 for males and 12 for females), one urinal and 16 rubbish carts. Night-soil is buried in trenches. There is no rubbish-depot in this municipality, but the street sweepings, etc., are let on contract to gardeners who remove them to their gardens daily to be used as manure.

(*b*) Personal advice and suggestions in respect to checking the progress of cholera epidemic and keeping the town clean were carried out as far as funds permitted.

4 *Vaccination.—*

—	Total.	Successful.	Unsuccessful.
By Municipal Vaccinator.			
1897–98	1,135	1,127	8
1898–99	878	870	8
By Medical Subordinates.			
1897–98	52	50	2
1898–99	41	41	..
By Municipal Vaccinator.	Of the above under one year of age.		
1897–98	405	404	1
1898–99	430	430	..
By Medical Subordinates.			
1897–98	20	20	..
1898–99	10	10	..

The decrease is attributable to plague scare.

5. *Hospitals and dispensaries—(a) Nature and sufficiency of accommodation.*—The hospital building, which is of solid masonry, affords sufficient accommodation.

(*b*) *State of repair of buildings.*—Good.

(*c*) *State of repair of furniture.*—Good.

(*d*) *Inspections*—(i) *Steps taken to carry out the recommendations, if any, of the Surgeon-General with the Government of Madras.*—The Surgeon-General inspected the hospital on the 7th January 1899. Effects have been given to his suggestions.

(ii) *Steps taken to carry out the recommendations of other Inspecting officers.*—The District Medical and Sanitary Officer inspected the hospital on the 16th June 1898. Steps have been taken to carry out the suggestions as far as funds were available.

(*e*) *Amount of recoveries from patients who have been able to pay for their diets and medicines—*

	RS.	A.	P.
Diet	..		
Medicines	62	13	10

(*f*) *Number of patients treated as compared with previous year—*

—	1897–98.	1898–99.	Daily average sick.	
			1897–98.	1898–99.
In-patients	301	211	10·79	10·18
Out-patients	18,217	14,761	89·52	70·63

(*g*) *Establishment whether sufficient and efficient.*—The establishment is sufficient and efficient.

(*h*) *Midwives—Work actually done.*—A native midwife is attached to the institution. She attended 84 labour cases during the year under review against 54 in the previous year.

(*i*) *If Dufferin Fund dispensaries for women, etc.*—Nil.

(*j*) *General remarks.*—Nil.

Trichinopoly,
20th May 1899.

(Signed) H. M. HAKIM, Major, I.M.S.,
Ag. District Medical and Sanitary Officer.

D. Dis. No. 667-Rev.

Forwarded.

The number of meetings held during the year was one less than in the previous year. The average attendance fell from 10·1 to 9·3. This is, I think, chiefly attributable to want of proper notice. On several occasions, I received the notice on the previous day and sometimes late in the evening. I have drawn the attention of the Chairman to section 29, clause 3 of the Act, which requires notice to be given at least three clear days previous to the day fixed for the meeting. The Council has also at my instance fixed a day for holding the ordinary monthly meetings. It happened sometimes that the meetings were fixed to be held at the same hour and on the same day on which the meetings of the Trichinopoly Municipality were held. It is hoped that there will be improvement in the attendance of the councillors in the current year.

2. The collection of the taxes on arts and vehicles cannot be said to be satisfactory. Of the total demand, arrear and current, of Rs. 2,240–8–0 under tax on arts, only Rs. 1,145–2–0, *i.e.*, about 50 per cent., was collected. The amount collected under the latter item is about 82 per cent. of the total demand.

3. It is satisfactory to note that the number of houses served under the private scavenging system increased by 142 during the year and that the fees have all been collected within the year without leaving any arrears.

4. The condition of the roads in the Municipality is fairly good. Funds being required for plague expenditure, the Council was not able to put the "famine relief" road in a thoroughly good condition. But some necessary repairs have been made and the road is better than what it was last year.

5. The decrease in vaccination has been sufficiently explained. The Council has paid more attention to the correct registration of vital statistics.

6. The number of lights has been increased by 15.

7. Except in the matter of collections in the two items of taxes noted above, there has been improvement in the administration of the Municipality during the year, and I think it is working on pretty smoothly in spite of the existence of factions. This is no doubt due to the tact and zeal of the Chairman, M.R.Ry K. Seshadri Aiyangar Avargal.

Trichinopoly,
11th July 1899.

(Signed) M. SRINIVASA ROW,
Deputy Collector.

D. Dis. No. 1631-Rev.

Submitted.

2. *Paragraph* 4.—The average attendance of the meetings by the official members of the Council is poor, but appears to be mainly due to the reasons given by the Divisional officer.

3. *Paragraphs* 5 *and* 8—(i) *Tax on Arts.*—There was a fall of Rs. 504–6–6 in the actuals during the year. A sum of Rs. 173 has been since collected out of the current balance of Rs. 474. The arrear balance is Rs. 497–2–0 and relates to the past four years. The balances should be adjusted soon. A large balance under this head is discreditable to the Council. The Council states in the report that Rupees 94–12–0 were remitted and Rs. 30–8–0 written off. This is incorrect. The amount remitted should be Rs 30–8–0 and that written off Rs. 94–12–0.

4. *Paragraph* 8—(2) *Tax on buildings and lands.*—There was also a fall of revenue under these heads. The arrears, old and current, are large and should be collected soon.

5. *Paragraph* 9—*Coercive processes.*—The number of warrants issued during the year was very large, but property was sold only in six cases involving Rs. 18–2–0.

6. *Paragraph* 12—(*e*) (i) *Income from markets.*—This amounted to Rs. 294–11–2 against Rs. 446–6–1 in the previous year. The decrease is not satisfactory and shows that the matter requires the attention of the Council.

7. *Paragraph* 13—(*b*) *Grants and contributions*.—The reference referred to by the Council has been submitted to Government in this office endorsement on C. No. 1377, dated 1st July 1899.

8. *Paragraph* 15—*Communications.*—The Council should endeavour to reduce the existing mileage of unmetalled or ungravelled roads. The Divisional-officer reports that the roads are in fair order and I agree with his opinion.

9. *Paragraph* 35—*Vital statistics.*—The work of registration is fair.

10. *Paragraph* 37—(5) (*b*) *Private Scavenging.*—It is satisfactory to find that this system is self-supporting leaving a balance of Rs. 759-14-7, and that there are no arrears under this head. The system is capable of further extension.

TRICHINOPOLY,
13*th July* 1899.

(Signed) J. H. ROBERTSON,
Acting Collector.

ORDER—No. 1144 M., dated 11th August 1899.

The receipts and charges of the Srírangam Municipality for 1898-1899 are compared below with the budget and revised estimates for the year and the actuals of 1897-98:—

—	Actuals, 1897-98.	Budget estimate, 1898-99.	Revised estimate, 1898-99.	Actuals, 1898-1899.
Receipts.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.
Balance brought forward	6,105	3,610	2,690	2,692
Tax on Arts	1,697	730	1,400	1,170
„ Buildings and Lands	11,710	11,230	11,590	10,999
„ Vehicles and Animals	2,899	3,000	3,230	3,193
„ Carts	927	1,160	1,090	816
Tolls	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000
Realizations under Special Acts	..	50	..	..
Rent of Lands, Buildings, &c., and Sale-proceeds of Lands, &c.	1,377	1,190	1,560	1,435
Conservancy Receipts	671	700	630	638
Fees and Revenue from Educational Institutions	424	400	460	463
„ „ Medical Institutions	62	40	80	74
Income from Markets and Slaughter-houses	585	550	390	396
License Fees	1,111	1,400	1,400	1,170
Other Fees	112	60	220	202
Fines under Municipal and other Acts	471	400	400	580
Grants and Contributions from Government	203	350	370	190
„ „ Local Boards	1,801	1,800	2,400	1,500
„ „ Other Bodies	52	410	590	48
Recoveries for Services to Private Individuals	1,741	2,000	1,860	1,896
Miscellaneous	13	10	20	40
Advances Recovered	320	..	230	219
Total	27,176 ✓	26,480 ✓	28,920 ✓	26,029 ✓
Grand Total	33,281 ✓	30,090 ✓	31,610 ✓	28,721 ✓
Charges.				
GRANT 1—				
New Works—				
Communications	1,682	500	250	293
Buildings	1,058	..	150	150
Water-supply	334	100	170	113
Miscellaneous Public Improvements	77	..	..	..
Repairs—				
Communications	1,674	1,650	1,900	1,811
Buildings	232	100	230	229
Water-supply	164	240	180	144
Miscellaneous Public Improvements	5	..	..	..
Establishment	391	450	410	388
Tools and Plant and other Stores	8	50	20	8
Contributions for Public Works	..	50	..	..
Total	5,625 ✓	3,140 ✓	3,310 ✓	3,136 ✓
GRANT 2—				
Training Schools	47	60	60	54
Municipal Schools—				
On the Salary System	238	290	250	231
„ Salary-result System	1,482	1,370	1,460	1,444
Grants-in-aid—				
Salary Grants	150	200	200	120
Fixed and Result Grants	1,045	1,000	1,000	1,000
Building, Furniture, &c., Grants	48	50	..	5
Inspection	263	260	260	~~621~~ 261
Miscellaneous	317	350	320	321
Total	3,590 ✓	3,580 ✓	3,550 ✓	3,436 ✓

—	Actuals, 1897-98.	Budget estimate, 1898-99.	Revised estimate, 1898-99.	Actuals, 1898-99.
Charges—cont.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.
GRANT 3—				
Hospitals and Dispensaries	3,647	3,230	3,260	3,174
Contributions	267	220	260	261
Vaccination	321	300	270	238
Registration of Births and Deaths	137	170	150	121
Sanitation	10,973	10,360	11,540	10,480
Total	15,345 ✓	14,280 ✓	15,480 ✓	14,274 ✓
GRANT 4—				
Lighting	2,153	2,290	2,060	2,030
Markets and Slaughter-houses	3	..	10	10
Avenues	190	600	540	526
Public Garden, Survey of Land, Fire, Pounds and other Charges.	851	470	620	677
Total	3,197 ✓	3,360 ✓	3,230 ✓	3,243 ✓
GRANT 5—				
Supervision and Management	2,532	2,690	2,750	2,539
EXTRAORDINARY AND DEBT—				
Advances Recoverable	226	..	..	54
Refunds	74	..	10	7
Total	300 ✓	..	10 ✓	61 ✓
Grand Total	30,589 ✓	27,050 ✓	28,330 ✓	26,689 ✓
Balance	2,692 ✓	3,040 ✓	3,000	2,032 ✓ 3280

2. Twenty-nine meetings were held by the Municipal Council against thirty in the previous year. The average attendance of the official members improved, but that of the non-officials declined. In both cases, however, it was fair. Three seats were filled by election during the year and they were contested, 72·4 per cent. of the voters concerned attending the poll.

3. *Receipts.*—(1) For the reason stated in paragraph 8 (1) of the Chairman's report, the net current demand under the tax on arts showed an increase of Rs. 211. The demand under the tax on buildings also rose by Rs. 26, but that under the tax on lands remained almost stationary. The result of the revision of the house and land tax registers, referred to in paragraph 7 of the Chairman's letter, should be reported to Government.

(2) Except in the case of the tax on lands, the collections, both current and arrear, under the principal taxes declined. The collections under the taxes on buildings and lands continued to be on the whole fair; but nearly 40 per cent. of the current, and more than 48 per cent. of the arrear, demand under the arts tax were outstanding at the close of the year. This is very unsatisfactory. Every effort should be made to adjust these balances without further delay. Notwithstanding this there was a decline in the number of coercive processes issued during the year and their execution was not prompt. This is discreditable to the municipal executive.

(3) There was an increase in the receipts from the tax on animals and fines, but a decline under the tax on carts, market rents and contributions from Local Boards. The variations in some of these cases have not been explained. The attention of the Municipal Council is drawn to the remarks of the Collector in paragraph 6 of his endorsement.

(4) It is gratifying to observe that the number of houses served by the private scavenging agency again rose from 1,064 to 1,206 and that the fees collected on this account amounted to Rs. 1,896 against Rs. 1,731 in the previous year. Owing to this increase and the fact that the expenditure on the cartage of night-soil was debited to general conservancy and not to private scavenging, this service was worked at a profit of Rs. 765 to the Council against a loss of Rs. 75 in the previous year. But

profit/ as it is not intended that the private scavenging system should be made a source of revenue to the Municipal Council, the excess in the receipts over the expenditure under this head should be spent in extending the service for which there is still ample scope, seeing that the number of houses served by the municipal scavengers is only 29·1 per cent. of the total number assessed to the tax on buildings.

4. *Expenditure*—(1) *Public Works.*—No new work of any importance was undertaken during the year. The total outlay on communications amounted to Rs. 2,104 against Rs. 3,356 in the previous year and the town roads are reported by the Revenue Divisional Officer to have been maintained in fairly good order. The attention of the Municipal Council is drawn to the Collector's remark in paragraph 8 of his endorsement regarding the desirability of reducing the existing mileage of unmetalled and ungravelled roads.

(2) *Education.*—The net expenditure under this head amounted to Rs. 2,735 or 15·9 per cent. of the receipts from taxation. Of this sum, Rs. 2,610 were spent on primary, and the remainder on secondary, education. As in the previous year, the Municipal Council maintained a girls' school on the salary system and eight primary schools for boys on the salary-result system, but aided one secondary school with salary, and eight primary schools with result grants against two secondary and nine primary schools in the previous year. The attendance at the municipal schools remained almost stationary; but owing to the decrease in the number of aided institutions the attendance at these schools declined. Notwithstanding the remarks of Government in paragraph 4 (2) of G.O., No. 1282 M., dated 18th July 1898, again no information has been furnished regarding the working of the salary-grant school. This omission is unsatisfactory and should not be allowed to recur. The results of the departmental and grant examinations were good and the allotment for result grants was fully utilized. The number of boys under instruction in the municipal and aided schools fell from 943 to 807 or 52·5 per cent. of the male population of school-going age against the general average of 61·8 per cent. for Municipalities in 1897–98. grant c/

(3) *Medical Relief.*—There was a decline in the numbers of in-patients and out-patients treated at the municipal hospital which is attributed chiefly to the plague scare. The midwife attached to the municipal hospital attended 84 cases of labour against 54 in 1897–98—a satisfactory advance.

(4) *Vaccination and Vital Statistics.*—Owing to the plague scare, the total number of vaccinations performed during the year fell from 1,187 to 919; but the quality of the work continued to be good, the percentage of reported success being 99·1. Infantile vaccination received fair attention, the total number of children under one year successfully vaccinated being 440 or 20·3 per mille of the population against 19·6 per mille in the previous year.

There was an increase in the number of births and deaths registered during the year, which was marked in the former case and is ascribed to better supervision. The returns in both cases, however, cannot be regarded as accurate, the rates recorded being still below the normal.

(5) *Sanitation.*—The expenditure under this head slightly exceeded the sanctioned allotment and amounted to 40·3 per cent. of the current receipts. From paragraphs 39-42 of the Chairman's report, it appears that some attention was paid to the sanitation of the town; but paragraph 3 of the Medical officer's report shows that much yet remains to be done in this direction and the Government trusts that efforts will be made to remedy all the sanitary defects as funds become available. to/

5. *General Remarks.*—The year closed with a balance of Rs. 2,032 or 7·8 per cent. of the current receipts.

The administration of the Municipality during the year under review again showed an advance on that of the previous year in some respects and may now be regarded as fairly satisfactory. Increased attention should, however, be paid to the collection of taxes and the improvement of sanitation in the current year. The Government is pleased to note the testimony borne by the Revenue Divisional Officer to the good work done by the Chairman, M.R.Ry. K. Séshadri Aiyangar.

(True Extract.)

for *Ag. Secretary to Government.*

To the Chairman, Municipal Council, Srirangam.
„ Collector of Trichinopoly.
„ President, District Board, Trichinopoly.
„ Accountant-General.
„ Director of Public Instruction.
„ Surgeon-General.
„ Sanitary Board.
„ „ Commissioner
„ „ Engineer.
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Papers to be read in Proceedings:—

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Order. No. 1144 M d/ 11/8/99

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	Actuals, 1897 -98.	Budget Estimate, 1898 -99.	Revised Estimate, 1898 -99.	Actuals 1898 -99.	
	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	
Receipts.					
Balance brought forward	6105	3610	2690	2692	
Tax on Arts	1697	730	1400	1170	
Tax on Buildings and Lands	11710	11230	11590	10999	
Water and Drainage Tax on Buildings and Lands	–	–	–	–	
Tax on Vehicles and Animals	2899	3000	3230	3193	+
Tax on Carts	927	1160	1090	816	–
Tax on Private Menial and Domestic Male Servants	–	–	–	–	
Tolls	1000	1000	1000	1000	
Realizations under Special Acts	–	50	–	–	
Rent of Lands, Buildings, &c., and Sale-proceeds of Lands, &c.	1377	1190	1560	1435	
Conservancy Receipts	671	700	630	638	
Fees and Revenue from Educational Institutions	424	400	460	463	
Do. from Medical Institutions	62	40	80	74	
Income from Markets and Slaughter-houses	585	550	390	396	–
License Fees	1111	1400	1400	1170	
Other Fees	112	60	220	202	
Fines under Municipal and other Acts	471	400	400	580	+
Interest on Investments and Premium on Loans	–	–	–	–	
Grants and Contributions from Government	203	350	370	190	
Do. from Local Boards	1801	1800	2400	1500	–
Do. from other Bodies	52	410	590	48	
Recoveries for services to private individuals	1741	2000	1860	1896	
Miscellaneous	13	10	20	40	
Loans	–	–	–	–	
Sale-proceeds of Government Securities, &c., Realizations of Sinking Fund, and Discount on Investments	–	–	–	–	
Advances Recovered	320	–	230	219	
Total	27176	26480	28920	26029	
Grand Total	33281	30090	31610	28721	

Charges.	Actuals, 1897-98.	Budget. Estimate, 1898-99.	Revised Estimate, 1898-99.	Actuals 1898-99.
	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
GRANT 1.				
New Works—				
Communications	1682	500	250	293
Buildings	1056	"	150	150
Drainage	"	"	"	"
Water-supply	334	100	170	113
Miscellaneous Public Improvements	77	"	"	"
Repairs—				
Communications	1674	1650	1900	1811
Buildings	232	100	230	229
Drainage	"	"	"	"
Water-supply	164	240	180	144
Miscellaneous Public Improvements	"	"	"	"
Establishment	391 388	450	410	388
Tools and Plant and other Stores	168	50	20	8
Contributions for Public Works	"	50	"	"
Total	5625	3140	3310	3136
GRANT 2.				
Training Schools	47	60	60	54
Municipal Schools— (a) On the Salary System	238	290	250	231
(b) On the Salary Result System	1482	1370	1460	1444
Grants-in-Aid— (a) Salary Grants	150	200	200	120
(b) Fixed and Result Grants	1045	1000	1000	1000
(c) Building, Furniture, &c., Grants	48	50	"	5
Inspection	263	260	260	261
Miscellaneous	317	350	320	321
Total	3590	3580	3550	3436
GRANT 3.				
Hospitals and Dispensaries	3647	3230	3260	3174
Contributions	267	220	260	261
Vaccination	321	300	270	238
Registration of Births and Deaths	137	170	150	121
Sanitation	10973	10360	11540	10480
Total	15345	14280	15480	14274
GRANT 4.				
Lighting	2153	2290	2060	2030
Markets and Slaughter-houses	3	"	10	10
Choultries	"	"	"	"
Travellers' Bungalows	"	"	"	"
Avenues	190	600	540	526
Public Garden, Survey of Land, Fire, Pounds and other Charges.	851	470	620	677
Total	3197	3360	3230	3243
GRANT 5.				
Supervision and Management	2532	2690	2750	2539
EXTRAORDINARY AND DEBT.				
Repayment of Debt	"	"	"	"
Interest on Loan	"	"	"	"
Advances Recoverable	226	"	"	54
Refunds	74	"	10	7
Discount	"	"	"	"
Pensions and Gratuities	"	"	"	"
Investments	"	"	"	"
Total	300	-	10	61
Grand Total	30589	27050	28330	26689
Balance	2692	3040	3000	2032

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cline under the tax on carts,
et rents and contributions
om the Local Boards and the
– variations in some of these

~~cars~~ have not been explai
~~in the Chairman's report~~ ⌊

⌊ The attention of the Municipal Council is drawn to the remarks of the Collector in para 6 of his Endorsement –

(5) It is gratifying to observe
that the number of houses
served by the private scavenging
agency again rose from 1064
to 1206 and that the fees collected
on this account amounted to Rs 1896 against
Rs 1731 in the previous year.
Owing to this increase and
the fact that the expenditure
on the cartage of nightsoil
was debited to general conservancy
and not to the private
scavenging, this service
was worked at profit of Rs 765
to the ~~Municipal~~ Council
against a loss of Rs 75 in
the previous year. But as it is
not intended that the
private scavenging system
should be made a source
of revenue to the Munl
Council, the excess in
the receipts over the
expenditure under this head should be
spent in extending the

Vide para. 37. of report

service for which there w ample scope seeing that the number of houses served by the Municipal Scavengers is only 29.1 per cent of the total number assessed to the tax on buildings

4. Expenditure (1) Public works

No new work of any importance was undertaken during the year. The total outlay on communications amounted to Rs 2104 against Rs 3356 in the previous year and the town roads are reported by the Revenue Divisional Officer to have been maintained in fairly good order. The attention of the Municipal Council is drawn to the Collector's remark in para 8 of his Endorsement regarding the desirability of reducing the existing mileage of unmetalled and ungravelled roads.

Para 11. of his endt.

(2) Education. The net expenditure under this he amounted to Rs 2735 or 15.9 per cent of the receipts from taxation. Of this su Rs 2610 were spent on primary, and the remain on Secondary Education. As in the previous year the Municipal Council maint a girls' school on the Salary System and eight primary schools on the Sal for boys on the Salary Result system but aided one Secondary School with Salary and Eigh primary schools with Result grants against two and nine primary scho in the previous year. The attendance at the Muni Schools remained almo stationary, but owing to the decrease in the number of aided institutions the attendance at these schools declined. Notwithstanding

ive remarks of Govt in para 421
of G.R. No 1282 M dated 18th
in July 1898, again no information
has been furnished regarding
the working of the salary
grant school. This omission
is unsatisfactory and
should not be allowed to
recur. The results of the
departmental and grant
examinations were good
and the allotment for
result grants was fully
utilized. The number of boys
under instruction in
the Municipal and aided
schools fell from 943 to 807
or 52.6 per cent of the male
population of schoolgoing
age against the general
average of 61.8 per cent for
Municipalities in 1897-98
(3) Medical Relief - There was
a decline in the numbers
of in-patients and out-patients

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Para 29 of report

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treated at the Municipal
hospital which is attribu
chiefly to the plague scare.
The midwife attached to
the Municipal hospital
attended 84 cases of labour
against 54 cases in 1897-9
- a satisfactory advanc
(4) Vaccination and vital
Statistics - Owing to the
plague scare the total
number of vaccinations
performed during the
year fell from 1187 to 919,
but the quality of the
work continued to be
good, the percentage of
reported success being
99.1. Infantile vaccination
also received fair atten
the total number of chil
under one year successfu
vaccinated being 44
or 20.3 per mille of the
population against 19.
per mille in the previous

ear.

There was an increase in the number of births and deaths registered during the year, which was very marked in the former case and ~~it~~ is ascribed to better supervision
Para. 35 of this report.
The returns in both cases ~~caused~~ however cannot be regarded as accurate the rates recorded being still below the normal.

(5) Sanitation. The expenditure under this head slightly exceeded the sanctioned allotment and amounted to 40.3 per cent of the current receipts. From paras 39-42 ~~and~~ 42 of the Chairman's report ~~this is observed~~ it appears that some attention was paid to the sanitation of the town, but para 3 of the medical officer's report shows that there much yet remains to be done in this direction and the Government trusts that

efforts will be made to remove all the sanitary defects as funds become available.

5 General Remarks. The year closed with a balance of Rs 203, or 7.8 per cent of the current receipts.

The administration of the Municipality during the year under review again showed an advance on that of the previous year in some respects and may now be regarded as ~~tolerably~~ fairly satisfactory. Increased attention should, however, be paid to the collection of taxes and the improvement of sanitation in the current year. The Government is pleased to note the testimony borne by the Revenue Divisional officer to the good work done

Chairman

The Chairman

K. Seshadri Aiyangar

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Acct. General /10
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List of Enclosures.

1. Statements I to V and VII to XIV with their enclosures.
2. Educational Statements – 3 Sets.
3. Concise Report of the Hospital –
4. Extract of the Proceedings of the Council passing the Administration Report.

Municipal Council Office
Srirangam 4th July 1899

T. R. Venkatramany,
Chairman R.

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

	Actuals, 1898–99. Details of Minor Heads.			Actuals, 1898–99. Totals of Major Heads.			Budget Estimate for 1898–99 *including* subsequent allotments.			Revised Estimate for 1898–99.			Actuals, 1897–98 (audited figures).		
1	2			3			4			5			6		
	RS.	A.	P.	RS.	A.	P.	RS.	A.	P.	RS.	A.	P.	RS.	A.	P.
1. Balance brought forward—															
(*a*) Municipal fund	2692	.	3				3610	.	.	2690	.	.	6105	2	3
(*b*) Endowments															
(*c*) Water and drainage tax fund ..															
2. Municipal Rates and Taxes—															
(*a*) Tax on arts, &c. (section 53) ..	1145	2	.				700	.	.	1400	.	.	1649	8	6
(*b*) Tax on buildings (section 63) ..	6758	3	.				7000	.	.				7264	8	3
(*c*) Tax on lands (section 63) ..	4211	5	.				4200	.	.	11590	.	.	4429	6	6
(*d*) Water and drainage tax on buildings and lands (section 75) ..															
(*e*) Tax on vehicles with springs and palanquins (section 77) ..	1395	8	.				1250	.	.				1464	.	.
(*f*) Tax on animals (section 77) ..	1785	14	.				1720	.	.	3230	.	.	1429	10	10
(*g*) Tax on carts and other vehicles without springs (section 85) ..	814	.	.				1150	.	.	1090	.	.	924	.	.
(*h*) Tax on private, menial and domestic male servants (section 96A) ..															
(*i*) Tolls (section 91)—															
Gross receipts	1000	.	.				1000	.	.	1000	.	.	1000	.	.
Less Local fund share ..															
(*j*) Penalties on account of—															
(i) Tax on arts	25	.	.				30	.	.				47	11	.
(ii) Tax on buildings	18	6	.				20	.	.				7	.	.
(iii) Tax on lands	10	10	.				10	.	.				9	6	.
(iv) Water and drainage tax on buildings and lands ..															
(v) Tax on vehicles, &c. ..	6	14	.				10	.	.				2	6	.
(vi) Tax on animals	10	.	.				20	.	.				3	1	.
(vii) Tax on carts, &c. ..	1	8	.				10	.	.				2	13	.
(viii) Tax on private menial and domestic male servants ..															
(ix) Evasion of tolls															
Carried forward				17177	6	.	17120	.	.	18310	.	.	18233	7	1

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

—	Actuals, 1898–99.						Budget Estimate for 1898–99, *including* subsequent allotments.			Revised Estimate for 1898–99.			Actuals, 1897–98 (audited figures).		
	Details of Minor Heads.			Totals of Major Heads.											
1	2			3			4			5			6		
	RS.	A.	P.	RS.	A.	P.	RS.	A.	P.	RS.	A.	P.	RS.	A.	P.
Brought forward ..				17177	6	-	17120	-	-	18310	-	-	18233	7	1
3. Realizations under Special Acts—															
(*a*) Pounds															
(*b*) Ferry rents															
(*c*) Fees under Act II of 1888 ..							50	.	.						
4. Revenue derived from Municipal property and powers apart from taxation—															
(*a*) Rent of lands, houses, &c.—															
(i) Rent of lands	291	12	.				200	.	.	250	.	.	233	13	.
(ii) Rent of buildings ..	131	11	9				140	.	.	130	.	.	147	5	3
(iii) Avenue receipts ..	866	4	10				700	.	.	1050	.	.	838	.	7
(iv) Fees from travellers' bungalows															
(v) Choultry rents ..															
(vi) Sale-proceeds of lands and buildings															
(vii) Produce of lands, gardens, &c.	117	2	1				140	.	.	120	-	.	141	9	9
(viii) Sale-proceeds of old materials, empty oil-cans, packing cases, &c. ..	27	13	6				10	.	.	10	.	.	16	10	6
				1434	12	2	1190			1560			1377	7	1
(*b*) Conservancy receipts—															
Sale-proceeds of night-soil, street-refuse, &c. ..	638	1	4	638	1	4	700	.	.	620	.	.	670	8	3
(*c*) Income from Educational institutions—															
(i) School fees	463	2	.				400	.	.	460	.	.	423	12	8
(ii) Other receipts				463	2	.									
(*d*) Income from Medical Institutions—															
(i) Sale-proceeds and composition fees of medicines ..	69	4	4				40	.	.	70	.	.	59	13	.
(ii) Other receipts ..	4	10	6							10	.	.	2	1	9
				73	14	10	40			80			61	10	9
Carried forward ..				19787	4	4	19500	-	-	21040	-	-	20767	1	8

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	Details of Minor Heads.			Totals of Major Heads.											
1	2			3			4			5			6		
	RS.	A.	P.	RS.	A.	P.	RS	A.	P.	RS.	A.	P.	RS.	A.	P.
Brought forward ..				19787	4	4	19500	-	-	21040	-	-	20767	1	8
4. Revenue derived from Municipal property and powers apart from taxation—*cont.*															
(*e*) Income from markets and slaughter-houses—															
(i) Income from markets ..	294	11	2				400	-	.	290	.	.	446	6	1
(ii) ,, slaughter-houses.	101	10	8				150	.	.	100	.	.	138	1	6
(*f*) Other fees—				396	5	10	550			390			584	7	7
(i) Warrant and distraint fees and recoveries on account of incidental expenses ..	199	8	6				50	.	.	210	.	.	110	10	.
(ii) License fees .. 4 ..	1170	7	.				1400	.	.	1400	.	.	1111	1	6 x
(iii) Cart-stand fees ..															
(iv) Vaccination fees ..															
(v) Miscellaneous fees ..	2	.	.				10	-	.	10	.	.	1	.	.
(*g*) Fines—	201	8	6	1371	15	6	60			220			111	10	0
(i) Balance of fines under sections 3 to 5 of the Towns Nuisances Act ..															
(ii) Fines under Municipal and other Acts	580	5	.				400	.	.	400	.	.	471	3	2
(*h*) Interest on investments—				580	5	.									
(i) General, including choultries ..															
(ii) Educational															
(iii) Medical															
(*i*) Premium on loans															
5. Grants and Contributions—				4958	8	8				5140	.	.	4812	.	10
(*a*) From Government—															
(i) Education—															
Normal stipends ..	32	8	4				40	.	.	40		.	32	8	2
Buildings															
Schools	59	6	.				100	.	.	80	.	.	55	15	.
Other purposes	98	5	4	190	3	8	210	.	.	250	.	.	115	0	6
							350			370			203	7	7
Carried forward ..				22326	2	4	22260	-	-	23820	-	-	2324[illegible]	6	6

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5(2) of the act accordingly [illegible] area.

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Chairman Delegate

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

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Brought forward ..				22326	2	4	22260	-	-	23820	-	-	23248	15	6
5. Grants and Contributions—*cont.*															
(*a*) From Government—*cont.*															
(ii) Medical															
(iii) Other purposes—															
Communications ..															
Water-supply															
Drainage															
Sanitation															
Other purposes ..															
(*b*) From Local Boards—															
(i) Education															
(ii) Medical	1500	.	.				1500	.	.	1500	.	.	1500	.	.
(iii) Other purposes				1500	-	-	300 1800	.	.	900 2400	.	.	300 1800	14 14	6 6
(*c*) Other Grants and Contributions—															
(i) Education	48	.	.				50	.	.	50	.	.	52	.	.
(ii) Medical							360	.	.	420	.	.	.	.	.
(iii) Other purposes				48	-	-	410			120	.	.	.	.	.
				1738	3	8				7860 590	.	.	2058	10	8
6. Miscellaneous—															
(*a*) Recoveries on account of services rendered to private individuals—															
(i) Private scavenging ..	1896	.	.				2000	.	.	1860	.	.	1731	2	.
(ii) Laying pipes to private houses.													10	.	.
(iii) Other purposes				1896	.	.									
(*b*) Other items—															
(i) Fishery rents															
(ii) Refunds of expenditure of previous years	8	2	.							10	.	.	10	11	.
(iii) Fees for numbering carts ..	.	8	.										.	4	.
(iv) Other items	31	12	.	40	6	.	10	.	.	10	.	.	1	14	6
Carried forward ..				25810	8	4	26480	.	.	28690	.	.	26855	14	6

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Brought forward ..				25810	8	4	26480	-	-	28690	-	-	26855	14	6
7. Extraordinary and Debt—															
(*a*) Sale-proceeds of Government securities and withdrawals from Savings Bank															
(*b*) Loans—															
(i) From Government ..															
(ii) In the open market ..															
(*c*) Realizations of Sinking Fund for repayment of loans															
(*d*) Discount on investments ..															
(*e*) Advances—															
(i) Permanent															
(ii) Others †	218	7	5	218	7	5				230	.	.	319	8	3
Total, Receipts ..				26028	15	9	26480	-	-	28920	-	-	27175	6	9
Grand Total ..				28721	.	.	30090	-	-	31610	-	-	33280	9	.

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† Expenditure on toll-tickets and process-fees and overpayments to District Boards on account of tolls should be debited to advances recoverable in Statement II, and when these are recovered the recoveries should be credited to this head.

Note to Statement I [1].—

1. The tax on arts, &c., is levied on ~~the first~~ all classes. in schedule A.
2. The tax on buildings is levied at 6¼ per cent. and the tax on lands at 6¼ per cent. of rent value. annas 2 for every 80 square yards.
3. The water and drainage tax on buildings and lands is levied at ______ per cent. nil
4. The tax on vehicles and animals is levied at ______ the maximum rates. given in schedule B.
5. The tax on carts, &c., is levied at Rs. 4 per cart per annum.
6. The tax on private, menial and domestic male servants is levied at Rs. ______ per mensem for each servant. nil
7. Tolls are ~~levied at~~ No 1000 fixed grant from the Trichy District Board under G.O. No 1207 / 26.8.79 ~~the maximum rates.~~
8. License-fees are levied at the rates sanctioned in G.O. No 557 Mis / 14.4.91, 793 Mis / 29.6.91, 148 Mis / 21.1.92, 1684 Mis / 16.10.92, 1383 Mis / 12.10.93
9. The house-tax registers were last revised in the official year 94–95 and the land-tax registers in the official year 94–95
10. The total extent of land assessed is 3507 acres.
11. The mode of estimating the annual rental of houses and lands is as follows:— The house tax was assessed

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[1] This note should be filled in both when the statement is submitted with the budgets as well as when it accompanies reports, but in the former case items 9, 10 and 11 may be left blank.

on the annual rental estimated by the Chairman and the Division councillors on personal inspection of the house in consideration of the importance of the locality, extent and demand for habitation and also upon the actual rent for which similar houses in the vicinity have been rented. The land tax was levied upon calculation of the annual rental for which similar lands in the same locality have been leased out and in some cases upon the actual income of the lands. Vacant sites were assessed under section 63(2) of the act according to the area.

Chairman

Statement I-A.—Endowments entrusted to the Municipal Council under Sections 25 and 26 of Act IV of 1884 for the official year 189 -9 .

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.	RS.	

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

—	Actuals, 1898-99.						Budget Estimate for 1898-99, *including* subsequent allotments.			Revised Estimate for 1898-99.			Actuals, 1897-98 (audited figures).		
	Details of Minor Heads.			Totals of Major Heads.											
1	2			3			4			5			6		
	RS.	A.	P.	RS.	A.	P.	RS.	A.	P.	RS.	A.	P.	RS.	A.	P.
GRANT 1 (*Public Works*)—															
1. New Works—															
(*a*) Communications	293	6	9				500	.	.	250	.	.	1682	7	1
(*b*) Buildings †	150	4	5							150	.	.	1058	7	
(*c*) Drainage															
(*d*) Water-supply	113	4	.				100	.	.	170	.	.	333	9	3
(*e*) Miscellaneous public improvements				556	15	2							77	6	6
2. Repairs—															
(*a*) Communications	1810	12	11				1650	.	.	1900	.	.	1673	11	9
(*b*) Buildings †	229	7	8				100	.	.	230	.	.	232	2	9
(*c*) Drainage—															
(i) Repairs to works															
(ii) Establishment															
(iii) Contingencies															
(*d*) Water-supply—															
(i) Repairs to works, machinery, &c.	23	4	5				120	.	.	60	.	.	44	14	1
(ii) Establishment ‡	120	4	2				120	.	.	120	.	.	118	12	10
(iii) Contingencies	143	8	7				240			180			163	10	11
(*e*) Miscellaneous public improvements				2183	13	2							49		
3. (*a*) General Establishment—	387	9	4				450	.	.	410	.	.	387	11	.
(*b*) Contingencies				387	9	4		.	.				7	11	
4. Tools and Plant and other Stores—	7	8	8	7	8	8	50	.	.	20	.	.	15 16	14	.
5. Contributions—															
(*a*) To Local Boards for works															
(*b*) To Provincial Funds for scrutiny of estimates, &c.							50	.	.						
(*c*) To others for public works															
Total, Grant 1				3135	14	4	3140	.	.	3310	.	.	5624	13	3

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† This item should show all constructions not belonging to water-supply and drainage, including dust-bins, whether masonry or of corrugated iron, latrines, permanent or temporary, sheds, walls, &c.

‡ This item should show the cost of cleansing tanks and wells, wages of watchmen employed to keep water free from pollution, &c.

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

—	Actuals, 1898-99.						Budget Estimate for 1898-99, *including* subsequent allotments.			Revised Estimate for 1898-99.			Actuals, 1897-98 (audited figures).		
	Details of Minor Heads.			Totals of Major Heads.											
1	2			3			4			5			6		
	RS.	A.	P.	RS.	A.	P.	RS.	A.	P.	RS.	A.	P.	RS.	A.	P.
Brought forward															
GRANT 2 (*Education*)—															
1. Training Schools—															
(*a*) Contributions to Local Boards															
(*b*) Stipends to normal students	54	3	2				60	.	.	60	.	.	46	14	9
2. Municipal Schools—				54	3	2									
(i) On salary system—															
(*a*) Establishment	180	.	.				180	.	.	180	.	.	179	9	7
(*b*) Contingencies	50	7	6				110	.	.	70	.	.	58	14	8
(ii) On salary-result system—				230	7	6	290			250			238	4	10
(*a*) Fixed payments	960	.	.				960	.	.	960	.	.	952	7	10
(*b*) Result stipends	300	.	.				250	.	.	320	.	.	351	12	9
(*c*) Contingencies	184	6	2				160	.	.	180	.	.	177	8	8
				1444	6	2	1370			1460			1481	13	
3. Salary grants	120	.	.	120	.	.	200	.	.	200	.	.	150	.	.
4. Fixed and result grants	1000	.	.	1000	.	.	1000	.	.	1000	.	.	1044	8	3
5. Building, furniture, &c., grants	5	4	.	5	4	.	50	.	.				48	4	.
6. Inspection—															
(i) Establishment	240	.	.				240	.	.	240	.	.	247	8	1
(ii) Contingencies	21	.	.				20	.	.	20	.	.	15	12	3
7. Miscellaneous—				261	.	.	260			260			263		
(*a*) General gymnasium—															
(i) Establishment	119	10	8				120	.	.	120	.	.	120	.	.
(ii) Contingencies							10	.	.	10	.	.	7	4	.
(*b*) General drawing—															
(i) Establishment	180	.	.				180	.	.	180	.	.	180	.	.
(ii) Contingencies	9	4	3				10	.	.	10	.	.	9	7	6
(*c*) Other items	12	.	.				30	.	.						
				320	14	11	350			320			316	14	8
Carried forward				3436	3	9	3580	.	.	3550	.	.	3587	12	11

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

	Actuals, 1898-99. Details of Minor Heads.			Actuals, 1898-99. Totals of Major Heads.			Budget Estimate for 1898-99, *including* subsequent allotments.			Revised Estimate for 1898-99.			Actuals, 1897-98 (audited figures).		
1	2 RS.	A	P.	3 RS.	A.	P.	4 RS.	A.	P.	5 RS.	A.	P	6 RS.	A.	P.
Brought forward ..				3436	3	9	3580	-	-	3550	-	-	3589	12	11
GRANT 2 (*Education*)—cont.															
8. Contributions to Local Boards for—															
(i) Inspection															
(ii) Drawing and gymnastic instruction															
Total, Grant 2 ..				3436	3	9	3580	.	.	3550	.	.	3589	12	11
GRANT 3 (*Medical Services, Sanitation, &c.*)—															
1. Hospitals and dispensaries—															
(*a*) Establishment	1720	10	5				1690	.	.	1720	.	.	1830	14	.
(*b*) Medicines and supplies	538	3	10				600	.	.	640	.	.	920	12	6
(*c*) Diet of patients	532	6	1½				500	.	.	500	.	.	519	9	2
(*d*) Sundries and contingencies ..	348	5	3½				400	.	.	400	.	.	359	2	7
(*e*) Contibutions to—															
(i) Government															
(ii) Local Boards	34	8	-				40	.	.	40	-	-	16	8	.
(iii) Other bodies															
				3174	1	8	3230			3260			3646	10	3
2. (*a*) Contributions to Provincial Funds for—															
(i) Medical College	158	.	.				120	.	.	140	.	.	145	.	.
(ii) Sanitary inspection ..	80	.	.				80	.	.	90	.	.	90	.	.
(iii) Medical reserve staff ..	23	.	.				20	.	.	30	.	.	32	.	.
(*b*) Contributions to Local Boards, &c., for—				261	.	.	220			260			267		
(a) Medical schools															
(ii) Reserve staff															
&c., &c., &c. ..															
(*c*) Other contributions															
Carried forward ..				3435	1	8	3450	-	-	3520	-	-	3913	4	8

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

	Actuals, 1898-99. Details of Minor Heads.			Actuals, 1898-99. Totals of Major Heads.			Budget Estimate for 1898-99, *including* subsequent allotments.			Revised Estimate for 1898-99.			Actuals, 1897-98 (audited figures).		
1	2 RS.	A.	P.	3 RS	A	P.	4 RS	A.	P	5 RS.	A.	P.	6 RS.	A.	P.
Brought forward ..				3435	1	8	3450	-	-	3520	-	-	3913	4	8
GRANT 3 (*Medical Services, Sanitation, &c.*) —cont.															
3. Vaccination—															
(*a*) Establishment	163	15	6				180	.	.	180	.	.	179	8	.
(*b*) Contingencies	74	1	9				120	.	.	90	.	.	142	1	9
(*c*) Contributions to Local Boards .. Nil				238	1	1	300			270			321	9	9
4 Registr[illegible] of births and deaths—															
(*a*) Establishment	120	.	.				120	.	.	120	.	.	120	.	.
(*b*) Contingencies	.	10	4				50	.	.	30	.	.	16	12	.
				120	10	4	170			150			136	12	
5. Sanitation—															
(*a*) Conservancy, road-cleaning and road-watering—															
(i) Establishment	2606	3	.				2956	.	.	2710	.	.	2641	14	7
(ii) Other charges † ..	3604	14	9				2904			3810	.	.	3655	10	1
Contingencies	8	13	6				60	.	.	30	.	.	66	6	6
(*b*) Private scavenging—															
(i) Establishment ‡	1130	13	5				1416	.	.	1170	.	.	1097	14	10
(ii) Other charges §	*						974	.	.				708	6	8
(*c*) Epidemic charges Pl. 703-1-10 ch. 854-12-11 ..	1557	14	9				1000	.	.	2320	.	.	1629	15	8
(*d*) Fairs and festivals .. [illegible] 1053-3-0 [illegible] 1018-12-8 (*e*) Other sanitary outlay	1871	.	8				1050	.	.	1500	.	.	1622	9	5
				10479	12	1	10360			11540			10972	14	6
Total, Grant 3 ..				14273	9	2	14280	.	.	15480	.	.	15345	2	6

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† Under this head should be shown such charges as the cost of purchase or hire of carts and purchase and maintenance or hire of bullocks.

‡ When separate establishments are not maintained for scavenging private houses, the proportionate cost of conservancy, debitable to this head should be calculated and entered here.

§ This head should include the cost of scavenging carts.

* Rs 672 for Private Scavenging Cartage at Rs 56 a month have been debited to Conservancy "other charges" according to the provision of the Amended Act Sec 217 vide para 19 of G.O. No 1897 M. of 18th Feb 18[illegible] reviewing the Budget of this municipality for 1899-1900 [illegible]
para 3
[illegible]

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

	Actuals, 1898-99.						Budget Estimate for 1898-99, *including* subsequent allotments.			Revised Estimate for 1898-99.			Actuals, 1897-98 (audited figures).		
	Details of Minor Heads.			Totals of Major Heads.											
1	2			3			4			5			6		
	RS.	A.	P.	RS	A.	P.	RS.	A	P.	RS.	A.	P.	RS.	A.	P.
Brought forward ..															
Grant 4 *(Lighting and Miscellaneous Municipal Purposes)*—															
1. Lighting—															
(a) Establishment	822	7	11				822	..	..	820	..	..	820	5	3
(b) Contingencies	1207	4	6				1468	..	..	1240	..	..	1332	2	.
				2029	12	5	2290			2060			2152	7	3
2. (i) Markets †—															
(a) Establishment															
(b) Contingencies															
(ii) Slaughter-houses †—															
(a) Establishment															
(b) Contingencies	10	9	2							10	..	..	3	5	4
				10	9	2									
3. Choultries—															
(a) Establishment															
(b) Contingencies															
(c) Feeding travellers															
4. Travellers' bungalows—															
(a) Establishment															
(b) Contingencies															
5. Avenues—															
(a) Establishment	209	4	10				240	..	..	220	..	..	101	.	1
(b) Contingencies	316	4	8				380	..	..	320	..	..	89	2	9
6. Public garden—				525	9	6	600			540			190	2	10
(a) Establishment	50	..	..				54	..	..	50	..	..	61	2	9
(b) Contingencies	3	14	6				6	..	..	10	..	..			
7. Survey of land—				53	14	6							249	7	5
8. Fire—															
(a) Establishment															
(b) Other charges ‡	22	10	.	22	10	6	60			30 90	..	..	310	10	2
Carried forward ..				2642	7	7	2950	..	..	2700	..	..	2656	9	7

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† Where establishments are maintained conjointly for markets and slaughter-houses, the share debitable to each head should be separately calculated and entered.

‡ Under this head should appear cost of purchasing or repairing fire-engines, buckets, &c.

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

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1	Actuals, 1898-99.						Budget Estimate for 1898-99, *including* subsequent allotments.			Revised Estimate for 1898-99.			Actuals, 1897-98 (audited figures).		
	Details of Minor Heads.			Totals of Major Heads.											
	2			3			4			5			6		
	RS.	A.	P.	RS.	A.	P.	RS.	A	P.	RS.	A.	P.	RS.	A.	P.
Brought forward ..	~~67~~			2642	7	7	2950	-	-	2700	-	-	2656	9	7
Grant 4 *(Lighting and Miscellaneous Municipal Purposes)*—cont.															
9. Pounds—															
(a) Establishment															
(b) Contingencies															
10. Other charges—															
(i) Work done for private individuals other than private scavenging—															
(a) Laying of pipes to private houses															
(b) Other purposes							60			90			310	10	2
(ii) Rewards for destruction of pigs and dogs	28	14	4				10	..	..	30	..	..	12	3	6
(iii) Stationery and printing ..	312	5	3				300	..	..	300	..	..	326	12	5
(iv) Compensation for lands ..															
(v) Law charges	165	10	.												
(vi) Charges for numbering carts ..	.	7	6	676	15	8									
(vii) Other items	93	2	1	76	8	6	100	..	..	200	..	..	200	15	10
				600	7	2	470			620			850	9	11
Total, Grant 4 ..				3242	14	9	3260	..	..	3230	..	..	3196	9	4
Grant 5 *(Supervision and Management)*—															
1. General Establishment—															
(a) Inspection—															
(i) Pay and pensionary contribution of Chairman or Secretary	240														
1802 (ii) Conveyance allowance ..	360	..	..	360	..	..	360	..	..	360	..	..	38	4	7
(b) Office establishment	1202	4	2	1202	4	2	1226	..	..	1220	..	..	1192	8	11
(c) Contingencies	180	14	5	180	14	5	174	..	..	170	..	..	176	1	5
733 (d) Collection of Municipal taxes—															
(i) Establishment	439	15	2				480	..	..	460	..	..	460	4	11
(ii) Contingencies	161	11	9	601	11	11	200	..	..	300	..	..	364	12	5
4 Tls Carried forward ..	4			2294	13	6	2450	..	..	2510	..	..	2232	.	3

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

1	Actuals, 1898-99. Details of Minor Heads. 2 RS.	A.	P.	Totals of Major Heads. 3 RS.	A.	P.	Budget Estimate for 1898-99, *including* subsequent allotments. 4 RS.	A.	P.	Revised Estimate for 1898-99. 5 RS.	A.	P.	Actuals, 1897-98 (audited figures). 6 RS.	A.	P.
Brought forward ..				2294	13	6	2450	-	-	2510	-	-	2232	-	3
Grant 5 *(Supervision and Management)*—cont.															
1. General Establishment—*cont.*															
(*e*) Collection of tolls—															
(i) Establishment															
(ii) Contingencies	4	2	3	4	2	3									
2. (*a*) Contribution for Central office and Audit establishments ..	240	..	.	240	.	.	240	-	-	240	.	.	300	-	-
(*b*) Contribution for the salary of the Collector's office Municipal Clerk ..															
Total, Grant 5 ..				2538	15	9	2690	-	.	2750	.	.	2532	.	3
Extraordinary and Debt—															
1. Repayment of Debt—															
(*a*) Instalments paid during the year.															
(*b*) Invested on account of Sinking Fund (par value of securities purchased)															
(*c*) Charges of investment ..															
2. Interest—															
(*a*) On account of previous years ..															
(*b*) On account of current year ..															
3. Advances recoverable—															
(*a*) Permanent															
(*b*) Other	54	7	9	54	7	9							226	6	6
4. Refunds of other than current collections	6	8	.	6	8	.				10	.	.	73	12	.
5. Discount															
6. Pensions and gratuities															
Carried forward ..				60	15	9				10	.	.	300	2	6

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1	Actuals, 1898-99. Details of Minor Heads. 2 RS.	A.	P.	Totals of Major Heads. 3 RS.	A.	P.	Budget Estimate for 1898-99, *including* subsequent allotments. 4 RS.	A.	P.	Revised Estimate for 1898-99. 5 RS.	A.	P.	Actuals, 1897-98 (audited figures). 6 RS.	A.	P.
Brought forward ..				60	15	9				10	.	.	300	2	6
Extraordinary and Debt—*cont.*															
7. Investments for purposes other than Sinking Fund—															
(*a*) In Government securities or Savings Bank															
(*b*) In other securities															
Total, Extraordinary and Debt ..				60	15	9				10	.	.	300	2	6
Total, Expenditure ..				26688	9	6	27050	.	.	28330	.	.	30588	[illegible]	9
Balances—															
(*a*) Municipal Fund	2032	6	6				3040	.	.	3000	.	.	2692	.	3
(*b*) Endowments															
(*c*) Water and drainage tax fund ..													?		
Grand Total ..				28721	-	.	30090	.	.	31330	.	.	33280	9	[illegible]

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Note to Statement II. †

Position of the Municipality of on 31st *March* 1899.

Liabilities.

	RS.
Balance of loans	
Deposits to be adjusted	874-7-6
Other liabilities (in detail) ..	18-8-1
Travelling allowance to Rangiah Pillai [illegible] Deputy [illegible] -	15-6-0
Balance of pay of Sanitary Inspector for Oct 98	3-2-1
	18-8-1
Total	892-15-7

Assets.

		RS.
Municipal balance.	Cash	2032-6-6
	Securities	
Deposit balance.	Cash	874-7-6
	Post office Savings Bank ..	
	Government promissory notes.	
	Landed property	
	Other securities	
Sinking Fund investments		
Other investments		
Funded Capital of endowed institutions—		
(1) Securities		
(2) Landed property		
Total ..		2906-14-0
Value of premises, &c. ..		13054-0-0
Do. of tools and plant		3036-0-0
Do. of live-stock		- - 0
Do. of furniture		1430-0-0
Arrears of taxes, &c		2884-7-0
Other assets (in detail)		1779-5-9
Provincial [illegible] grant to [illegible] for [illegible]	160-0-0	
[illegible]	7-6-9	
Avenue [illegible]	210-0-0	
[illegible]	861-15-0	
Total		22183-12-9
Claims—contribution from [illegible]	540-0-0	
	1779-5-9	
Advances recoverable—		
Permanent advances		75-0-0
Advances for works, &c. ..		242-2-10
Total		317-2-10

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

Part I.—New Works.

Number.	Project.	Amount of estimate.	Past expenditure.			Expenditure in 1898-99.			Remarks.
1	2	3	4			5			6
		RS.	RS.	A.	P.	RS.	A.	P.	
(a)	Communications								
1	Raising the Road to Alamanthar Paduthurai —	50				50	8	3	
2	Gravelling Kondayampatty Agraharam —					3	9	2	
3	Gravelling Jumbugasaravam Elraide —	200				194	14	6	
	Raising bank of Bratimin Buring Groub —	50				44	6	10	
	Total ..	300				293	6	9	
(b)	Buildings								
1	Remaining portion of Store House —	100				98	.	5	
2	Cost of 22 airtight receptacles —	50				52	4	-	
3									
	Total ..	150				150	4	5	

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

Part I.—New Works.

Number.	Project.	Amount of estimate.	Past expenditure.			Expenditure in 1898-99.			Remarks.
1	2	3	4			5			6
		RS.	RS.	A.	P.	RS.	A.	P.	
(a)	Communications								
1	Raising the Road to Alauan-thar Paduthurai —	50				50	8	3	
2	Gravelling Kondayampatty Agraharam —					3	9	2	
3	Gravelling Jumbugasa-navam Elraidi —	200				194	14	6	
	Raising bank of Brahmin Burying Ground ..	50				44	6	10	
	Total ..	300				293	6	9	
(b)	Buildings								
1	Remaining portion of Store House —	100				98	-	5	
2	Cost of 22 airtight receptacles —	50				52	4	-	
3									
	Total ..	150				150	4	5	

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

PART I.—New Works—*cont.*

Number.	Project.	Amount of estimate.	Past expenditure.			Expenditure in 189 -9			REMARKS.
1	2	3	4			5			6
		RS.	RS.	A.	P.	RS.	A.	P.	
(*c*)	Drainage								
1									
2									
3									
	Total ..								
(*d*)	Water-supply								
1	Completing Steps of								
2	Malur Bathing Ghat								
3	Sinking well in								
	West Utra Street –	170							
	Total ..	170				113	4	-	

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

PART II.—Repairs.

Number.	Project.	Grant.			Actual expenditure.			REMARKS.
1	2	3			4			5
		RS.	A.	P.	RS.	A.	P.	
(*a*)	Communications							
1	Ammamantapam Road	600	.	-	583	2	1	Total mileage of roads, streets, lanes, &c., in the town. 16 3/4
2	Utra Street	200	.	.	198	1	2	
	Chitra Street	80	.	.	81	7	1	Metalled or Gravelled } Unmetalled.
3	Jumbugasharanam Ulundi	30	.	.	26	13	6	
	Adyanalantham Street	220	.	.	211	2	7	10 1/16 6 11/16.
	Famine Relief Road.	160	.	.	150	2	3	
	Srirangam Road	160	-	.	122	10	5	
	Kandayanpet Atha Street	50	.	-	39	2	2	Total mileage under maintenance.
	Do. Agraharam	-	-	-	.	8	6	
	Thiruvanaikaval Atha Street	70	.	.	54	7	.	Metalled or Gravelled } Unmetalled.
	Malur Road	50	.	.	48	9	7	
	Sectioning Streets	100	-	.	117	2	6	10 1/16 6 11/16.
	Vibuthi pragahram –	180	.	.	177	8	1	
	Total ..	1900	-	-	1810	12	11	

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

PART I.—New Works—*cont*.

Number.	Project.	Amount of estimate.	Past expenditure.			Expenditure in 189 -9			REMARKS.
1	2	3	4			5			6
		RS.	RS.	A.	P.	RS.	A.	P.	
(c)	Drainage								
1									
2									
3									
	Total ..								
(d)	Water-supply								
1	Campleting Steps of								
2	Malur Bathing Ghaut								
3	Sinking well in					113	4		
	West Ultra Street –	170							
	Total ..	170				113	4	-	

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

PART II.—Repairs.

Number.	Project.	Grant.			Actual expenditure.			REMARKS.
1	2	3			4			5
		RS.	A.	P.	RS.	A.	P.	
(a)	Communications							
1	Ammanamantapam Road	600	.	-	583	2	1	
2	Ultra Street	200	.	.	198	1	2	
3	Chitra Street	80	.	.	81	7	1	
	Jumbugaranamuthundi	30	.	.	26	13	6	
	Adyavalanthan Street	220	.	.	211	2	7	
	Famine Relief Road.	160	.	.	160	2	3	
	Srirangam Road	160	.	.	122	10	5	
	Kandayanpet Attha Street	50	.	.	39	2	2	
	Do Agraharam	-	.	.	.	8	6	
	Thirumanakaval Attha Street	70	.	.	54	7	.	
	Malur Road	60	.	.	48	9	7	
	Sectioning Street	100	.	.	117	2	6	
	Vibuthi pragahram –	180	.	.	177	8	1	
	Total ..	1900	-	-	1810	12	11	

Total mileage of roads, streets, lanes, &c., in the town. 16 3/4

Metalled or Gravelled	Unmetalled.
10 1/16	6 11/16

Total mileage under maintenance.

Metalled or Gravelled	Unmetalled.
10 1/16	6 11/16

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

Part II.—Repairs—*cont.*

Number.	Project	Grant			Actual expenditure.			Remarks.
1	2	3			4			5
		RS.	A.	P.	RS.	A.	P.	
(*b*)	Buildings							
	Hospital	180	..	..	166	2	2	
1	Latrines	20	..	..	18	12	4	
2	Straw market	30	..	..	25	12	3	
3	Schools				14	12		
	Slaughter House				2	10	8	
	Dust bins –				1	6	8	
	Total ..	230	.	-	229	7	8	

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

Part II.—Repairs—*cont.*

Number.	Project.	Grant			Actual expenditure.			Remarks.
1	2	3			4			5
		RS.	A.	P.	RS.	A.	P.	
(*c*)	Drainage							
1								
2								
3								
	Total ..							
(*d*)	Water-supply							
1								
2								
3								
	Total ..							

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

—	Number.	Salary per mensem.			Salary per annum.		
1	2	3			4		
		RS.	A.	P.	RS.	A.	P.
GRANT 2.—EDUCATION—*cont.*							
b. On the Salary Result System—							
N. V. School.							
Head Master for 12 months at Rs 10 per month	1	10	.	.	120	.	.
2nd - Do - for 12 months at 9 Rs per mensem	1	9	.	.	108	.	.
3rd - Do - for 12 months. 7 Rs per mensem	1	7	.	.	84	.	.
4th - Do - for 12 months 5 Rs per mensem	1	5	.	.	60	.	.
Vernacular Schools.							
Masters at Rs 7. each a month	7	49	.	.	588	.	.
Total ..					960	.	.
Deduct Fines and Stoppages ..					.	.	.
Add arrears for last year paid this year ..					.	.	.
Balance (Statement II) ..					960	.	.

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

—	Number.	Salary per mensem.			Salary per annum.		
2	2	3			4		
		RS.	A.	P.	RS.	A.	P.
GRANT 2.—EDUCATION—*cont.*							
INSPECTION—							
Inspecting Schoolmaster	1	20	.	.	240	.	.
Total ..					240	.	.
Deduct Fines and Stoppages ..					.	.	.
Add arrears for last year paid this year ..					.	.	.
Balance (Statement II) ..					240	.	.
7. *b.* COMMON GYMNASTIC INSTRUCTORS	1	10	.	.	120	.	.
Total ..					120	.	.
Deduct Fines and Stoppages ..					.	5	4
Add arrears for last year paid this year ..					.	.	.
Balance (Statement II) ..					119	10	8
c. COMMON DRAWING MASTERS	1	15	.	.	180	.	.
Total ..					180	.	.
Deduct Fines and Stoppages ..					.	.	.
Add arrears for last year paid this year ..					.	.	.
Balance (Statement II) ..					180	.	.

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

—	Number.	Salary per mensem.			Salary per annum.		
1	2	3			4		
		Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.
GRANT 2.—EDUCATION—*cont.*							
b. On the Salary Result System—							
N. V. School.							
Head Master for 12 months at 10 Rs per month	1	10	.	.	120	.	.
2nd - Do - for 12 months at 9 Rs per mensem	1	9	.	.	108	.	.
3rd - Do - for 12 months. 7 Rs per mensem	1	7	.	.	84	.	.
4th - Do - for 12 months 5 Rs per mensem	1	5	.	.	60	.	.
Vernacular Schools.							
Masters at Rs 7. each a month	7	49	.	.	588	.	.
Total ..					960	.	.
Deduct Fines and Stoppages ..					.	.	.
Add arrears for last year paid this year ..					.	.	.
Balance (Statement II) ..					960	.	.

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

—	Number.	Salary per mensem.			Salary per annum.		
2	2	3			4		
		Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.
GRANT 2.—EDUCATION—*cont.*							
INSPECTION—							
Inspecting Schoolmaster	1	20	.	.	240	.	.
Total ..					240	.	.
Deduct Fines and Stoppages ..					.	.	.
Add arrears for last year paid this year ..							
Balance (Statement II) ..					240	.	.
7. *b.* COMMON GYMNASTIC INSTRUCTORS	1	10	.		120	.	.
Total ..					120	.	.
Deduct Fines and Stoppages ..					.	5	4
Add arrears for last year paid this year ..					.	.	.
Balance (Statement II) ..					119	10	8
c. COMMON DRAWING MASTERS	1	15	.		180	.	.
Total ..					180	.	.
Deduct Fines and Stoppages ..					.	.	.
Add arrears for last year paid this year ..					.	.	.
Balance (Statement II) ..					180	.	.

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—	Number.	Salary per mensem.			Salary per annum.		
1	2	3			4		
		RS.	A.	P.	RS.	A.	P.
GRANT 3.—SANITATION AND MEDICAL SERVICES—							
1. HOSPITALS AND DISPENSARIES—							
2t Medical Subordinates 1st Class Hospital Asst. 2/8 Pay and Charge allowances	1	56	14	-	682	8	-
” 3rd Class Hospital Asst.	1	25	-	-	300	-	-
2" Midwife	1	12	-	-	144	-	-
Clerk							
3" Compounder	1	12	-	-	144	-	-
4 Servants at 6 Rs each	1	6	-	-	72	-	-
” at 5 Rs each	5	25	-	-	300	-	-
” at 4 Rs each	1	4	-	-	48	-	-
Purkeyas for 5 months at 7 Rs a month	1	7	-	-	35	-	-
Total ..					1725	8	-
Deduct Fines and Stoppages ..					4	13	7
Add arrears for last year paid this year ..					-	-	-
Balance (Statement II) ..					1720	10	5

—	Number.	Salary per mensem.			Salary per annum.		
1	2	3			4		
		RS.	A.	P.	RS.	A.	P.
GRANT 3.—SANITATION AND MEDICAL SERVICES—*cont.*							
3. VACCINATION—							
Vaccinators	1	15	-	-	180	-	-
Peons	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total ..					180	-	-
Deduct Fines and Stoppages ..					16	-	6
Add arrears for last year paid this year ..					-	-	-
Balance (Statement II) ..					163	15	6
4. REGISTRATION—							
Registrars	1	10	-	-	120	-	-
Peons							
Total ..					120	-	-
Deduct Fines and Stoppages ..					-	-	-
Add arrears for last year paid this year ..					-	-	-
Balance (Statement II) ..					120	-	-

—	Number.	Salary per mensem.			Salary per annum.		
1	2	3			4		
		RS.	A.	P.	RS.	A.	P.
GRANT 3.—SANITATION AND MEDICAL SERVICES—*cont.*							
5. *a.* "CONSERVANCY, ROAD-CLEANING AND ROAD-WATERING"—							
Sanitary Inspectors							
Nuisance Inspectors 1. on Rs 15 for 1 month	1	15	.	-	15	.	-
,, ..Do - Rs 20 for 11 months		20	.	.	220	.	.
,, 1. on Rs 15 for 1 month	1	15	-	-	15	-	-
~~Maistries~~ .. Do - Rs 16 for 11 months		16	.	-	176	.	.
~~Scavengers~~ ,, 1 on Rs 15 for 12 months	1	15	-	.	180	-	-
Peons ~~Sweepers~~ .. 3 on Rs 6 a month for 12 months	3	6	.	.	216	.	.
,, 7 on Rs 5 each for 1 month	7	5	.	-	35	-	-
,, 4 on Rs 5 - Do - for 11 months	4	5	.	.	220	.	.
Sweepers 13 on Rs 4 - for 12 months	13	4	.	-	624	.	-
,, 1 on Rs 3 - for 12 months	1	3	.	.	36	.	.
Scavengers - 3 on Rs 4 - for 12 months	3	4	.	.	144	.	.
,, 7 on Rs 3½ for 3 months	7	3	8	.	73	8	.
,, 6 on Rs 3½ for 9 months	6	3	8	.	189	.	.
,, 10 on Rs 3 for 1 month	10	3	.	.	30	.	.
,, 11 on Rs 3 for Do -	11	3	.	.	33	.	.
,, 14 on Rs 3 for 6 months	14	3	.	.	252	.	.
,, 13 on Rs 3 for 4 ,,	13	3	.	.	156	.	.
,, 2 on Rs 2½ for 3 ,,	2	2	8	.	15	-	.
,, 1 on Rs 2½ for 9 ,,	1	2	8	.	22	8	.
,, 1 on Rs 2 - for 3 months	1	2	.	.	6	.	.
Total ..					2658	.	-
Deduct Fines and Stoppages ..					51	13	-
Add arrears for last year paid this year ..					.	-	-
Balance (Statement II) ..					2606	3	-

—	Number.	Salary per mensem.			Salary per annum.		
1	2	3			4		
		RS.	A.	P.	RS.	A.	P.
GRANT 3.—SANITATION AND MEDICAL SERVICES—*cont.*							
b. PRIVATE SCAVENGING—							
Inspectors 1 on Rs 12 - per mensem for 12 months	1	12	-	-	144	-	-
Maistries 5 - on Rs 5 per - Do - ..	5	5	-	-	300	-	-
Scavengers 14 - on Rs 4 - for 8 months ..	14	4	-	-	448	-	-
Do - 15 on Rs 4 - for 4 months	15	4	-	-	240	-	-
Total ..					1132	-	-
Deduct Fines and Stoppages ..					1	2	7
Add arrears for last year paid this year ..					-	-	-
Balance (Statement II) ..					1130	13	5
GRANT 4.—LIGHTING AND MISCELLANEOUS MUNICIPAL PURPOSES—							
1. LIGHTING—							
Superintendent 1 on Rs 12 for 12 months	1	12	-	-	144	-	-
Masalchies 1 on Rs 5½ for 12 months	1	5	8	-	66	-	-
Do - 3 on Rs 5 - for Do -	3	5	-	-	180	-	-
Do - 5 - on Rs 4 for Do -	5	4	-	-	240	-	-
Do - 3 on Rs 4½ for Do -	3	4	8	-	162	-	-
Do - 1 on Rs 3 for Do -	1	3	-	-	36	-	-
Total ..					828	-	-
Deduct Fines and Stoppages ..					5	8	1
Add arrears for last year paid this year ..					-	-	-
Balance (Statement II) ..					822	7	11

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

—	Number.	Salary per mensem			Salary per annum		
1	2	3			4		
		RS.	A.	P.	RS.	A.	P.
GRANT 4.—LIGHTING AND MISCELLANEOUS MUNICIPAL PURPOSES—*cont.*							
2. i. MARKETS—							
Superintendents							
Servants							
Total ..							
Deduct Fines and Stoppages ..							
Add arrears for last year paid this year ..							
Balance (Statement II) ..							
ii. Slaughter-houses—							
Superintendents							
Servants							
Total ..							
Deduct Fines and Stoppages ..							
Add arrears for last year paid this year ..							
Balance (Statement II) ..							
3. CHOULTRIES—							
Servants							
Total ..							
Deduct Fines and Stoppages ..							
Add arrears for last year paid this year ..							
Balance (Statement II) ..							

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

—	Number.	Salary per mensem			Salary per annum		
1	2	3			4		
		RS.	A.	P.	RS.	A.	P.
GRANT 4.—LIGHTING AND MISCELLANEOUS MUNICIPAL PURPOSES—*cont.*							
4. TRAVELLERS' BUNGALOWS—							
Maty							
Servants							
Total ..							
Deduct Fines and Stoppages ..							
Add arrears for last year paid this year ..							
Balance (Statement II) ..							
5. AVENUES—							
Servants 2 - on Rs. 5 - for 1 - month	2	5	-	-	10	-	-
4 - on Rs. 5 - for 11 months	4	5	-	-	220	-	-
Total ..					280	-	-
Deduct Fines and Stoppages ..					20	11	2
Add arrears for last year paid this year ..					-	-	-
Balance (Statement II) ..					209	4	10
6. PUBLIC GARDEN—							
Gardeners 1 on Rs. 4½ a month for 12 months	1	4	8	-	54	-	-
Total ..					54	-	-
Deduct Fines and Stoppages ..					4	-	-
Add arrears for last year paid this year ..					-	-	-
Balance (Statement II) ..					50	-	-

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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 4.—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.—							

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

—	Number.	Salary per mensem.			Salary per annum.		
1	2	3			4		
		RS.	A.	P.	RS.	A.	P.
GRANT 5.—*a* GENERAL ESTABLISHMENT—							
i. Office—							
~~Secretary~~					—		
Manager 1 on Rs. 40 per mensem for 12 months	1	40	-	-	480	-	-
Clerks 1 on Rs. 15 Do - Do - ..	1	15	-	-	180	-	-
Shroff 1 on Rs. 12 - Do - Do -	1	12	-	-	144	-	-
"							
Accountants 1 on Rs. 25 Do - Do -	1	25	-	-	300	-	-
Peons 1 on Rs. 6-8- Do Do	1	6	8	-	78	-	-
Masalji 1 on Rs. 4-8- Do - Do -	1	4	8	-	54	-	-
Total ..					1236	-	-
Deduct Fines and Stoppages ..					33	11	10
Add arrears for last year paid this year ..					-	-	-
Balance (Statement II) ..					1202	4	2
ii. Inspection—							
Chairman's salary of carriage allowance 30 Rs. per mensem for 12 months		30	-	-	360	-	-
Total ..					360	-	-
Deduct Fines and Stoppages ..					-	-	-
Add arrears for last year paid this year ..					-	-	-
Balance (Statement II) ..					360	-	-

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

1	Number 2	Salary per mensem 3 RS.	A.	P.	Salary per annum 4 RS.	A.	P.
GRANT 5.—*a.* GENERAL ESTABLISHMENT—*cont.*							
b. Collection—							
~~Clerks~~							
Bill Collectors 4 on Rs. 10. per mensem each for 12 months	4	10			480	—	—
~~Peons~~							
Total ..					480	—	—
Deduct Fines and Stoppages ..					40	—	10
Add arrears for last year paid this year ..					—	—	—
Balance (Statement II) ..					439	15	2
c. Collection of tolls—							
Inspectors							
Gate-keepers							
Total ..							
Deduct Fines and Stoppages ..							
Add arrears for last year paid this year ..							
Balance (Statement II) ..							

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Statement III.*—*Municipality of*

Abstract of Deposits Account for the year 1898-99.

	RS.	A.	P.		RS.	A.	P.
Balance brought forward 791	791	8	7 ✓				
1. Deposits by renters	85	-	-	1. Credited to Municipal Funds ..	622	15	4
2. Deposits by contractors	568	8	-	2. Returned to renters	-	-	-
3. Deposits as security by municipal servants				3. Returned to contractors	210	-	-
4. Other deposits under the Act or Bye-laws	291	3	-	4. Returned to municipal servants ..	-	-	-
				5. Paid to other depositors	28	12	9
				862 Total ..	861	12	1
945 1736 Total Receipts ..	~~1736~~ 944	~~3~~ 11	~~7~~ ✓	874 Balance ..	874	7	6
Total, including Balance ..	1736	3	7	1736 Total ..	1736	3	7

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791-8-7
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* This statement is not intended for submission with the budgets but only with the reports. Any portion of the District Boards' share of tolls remaining unpaid at the close of the year should be shown under 4. "Other Deposits under the Act or Bye-laws," but excess payments to District Boards should be debited to Advances Recoverable in Statement II.

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80
6758

S MENT IV-A.*—*Municipality of* Srirangam. Demand, Collection and Balance Statement for the year 1898-99.

(Current.)

Particulars.	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.	1213	8	2	17	8	-	1196	-	-	723	-	-							473	-	-
2. Tax on buildings	6872	3	6	-	4	-	6871	15	6	6386	3	7	3	12	-				562	-	6
3. Tax on lands	4034	5	-	15	15	-	4018	6	-	3719	11	6							298	10	6
4. Water and drainage tax on buildings																					
5. Water and drainage tax on lands																					
6. Tax on private, menial and domestic male servants																					
7. Tool, (gross receipts)	1000	-	-				1000	-	-	1000	-	-									
8. Market rents	294	11	2				294	11	2	294	11	2									
9. Slaughter-house fees	101	10	8				101	10	8	101	10	8									
10. Rent of cart stands																					
11. Private scavenging fees	1901	4	-				1901	4	-	1890	12	-				10	8	-			
12. Tax on vehicles with springs, &c.	1532	8	-				1532	8	-	1212	8	-	3	-	-				317	-	-
13. Tax on animals	1663	8	-				1663	8	-	1348	4	-	1	-	-				314	4	-
14. Tax on carts, &c.	804	-	-				804	-	-	734	-	-	2	-	-				68	-	-
15. Warrant fees	182	2	-				182	2	-	138	6	6							43	5	6
Total	19599	12	4	33	11	-	19566	1	4	17469	2	10	10	2	-	10	8	-	2076	4	6

* Statements IV-A and IV-B should accompany budgets as well as reports.

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* Rs 4-14-0 have been added to the [illegible] the auditor in the course of inspection

STATEMENT IV-B.*—Arrears.

Particulars.	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.	599	[illegible]		427	8	.	1027	.	.	422	2	.	13	.	.	94	12	.	497	2	.	20-12-0 185-0-0 330-4-0 233-8-0	9-0-0 [illegible] [illegible] 39-8-0	[illegible] 32-0-0 [illegible] 85-0-0	94-95 95-96 96-97 97-98
2. Tax on buildings	107	3		415	15	.	523	.	.	452	.	.	..	.	.	33	1	.	37	15	.	21-2-8 74-8-0 415-13-0	2-0-0 [illegible] [illegible]	9-2-6 [illegible] 378-[illegible]	95-96 96-97 97-98
3. Tax on lands	170	15	6	438	8	6	609	8	.	491	9	6				17	12	.	100	2	6	15-10-0 137-9-6 438-8-6	13-[illegible] 25-4 61-9-6	[illegible] 112-5-6 376-1-0	95-96 96-97 97-98
4. Water and drainage tax on buildings.																									
5. Water and drainage tax on lands ..																									
6. Tax on private, menial and domestic male servants																									
7. Tools																									
8. Market rents																									
9. Slaughter-house fees																									
10. Rent of cart-stands																									
11. Private scavenging fees				5	4	.	5	4	.	5	4	.													
12. Tax on vehicles with springs, &c. ..	21	.	.	234	.	.	255	.	.	183	.	.	3	.	.				69	.	.	55-4-0 3-0-0 18-0-0 48-0-0	– – –	5-4-0 – –	97-98 95-96 96-97 97-98
13. Tax on animals	71	7	.	449	2	.	520	9	.	437	10	.	2	.	.	4	8	.	76	7	.	1-0-0 5-5-0 14-11-0 55-8-0	– – – –	– – – –	94-95 95-96 96-97 97-98
14. Tax on carts, &c.	6	.	.	94	.	.	100	.	.	80	.	.	0	.	.				20	.	.	6-0-0 14-0-0	– –	– –	96-97 97-98
15. Warrant fees	.	.	.	22	4	.	22	4	.	13	12	.	1	.	.				7	8	.	[illegible]		12	97-98
Total ..	976	1	6	2086	7	6	3062	9	.	2085	5	6	19	.	.	150	1	.	808	2	6				

* Statements IV-A and IV-B should accompany budgets as well as reports.

* Rs 194 have been added to the demand after audit notes para 8 of 97-98 in which he has suggested the issue of supplemental bills to money lenders, hotel keepers etc. under Provision 4 the rule annexed to Schedule A of Municipalities Act. These were assessed originally on the amount of estimated income.

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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 realisable by sale.		
1	2	3			4	5			6	7			8	9			10	11			12	13			14	15			16	17			18	19		
		RS.	A.	P.		RS.	A.	P.		RS.	A.	P.		RS.	A	P		RS.	A.	P		RS.	A	P		RS.	A	P		RS.	A	P.		RS.	A.	P.
1. Tax on arts, &c. ..	183	204	.	.	99	129	10	.	282	333	10	.	165	213	10	.	117	120	.	.	19	17	8	.	103	132	10		43	63	8	.	.	.	.	.
2. Tax on buildings ..	68	84	12	.	453	556	4	.	521	641	.	.	322	421	12	6	199	219	3	6	"	"	"	"	308	392	3		13	28	7	6	1	1	2	.
3. Tax on lands ..	7	35	13	6	180	624	14	.	187	660	11	6	123	438	4	.	64	222	7	6	"	"	"	"	123	438	4		"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"
4. Water and drainage tax on buildings and lands.																																				
5. Tax on vehicles with springs and palanquins.																																				
6. Tax on animals ..	82	232	8	.	366	757	8	.	448	984	.	.	338	801	8	.	110	182	8	.	2	7	8	.	302	670	8	.	29	106	8	.	5	17	.	.
7. Tax on carts, &c. ..																																				
Total ..	340	557	1	6	1098	2062	4	.	1438	2619	5	6	948	1875	2	6	490	744	3	.	21	25	.	.	836	1633	9	.	85	198	7	6	6	18	2	0

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Particulars.	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.	599	4		427	8	-	1027	.	.	422	2	.	13	.	.	94	12	.	497	2	.	20-12-0 185-0-0 388-4-0 233-8-[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	94-95 95-96 96-97 97-98
2. Tax on buildings	1079			415	13	-	523	-	.	452	-	.	..	-	.	32	1	.	37	15	.	21-2-8 74-8-3 415-13-0	7-0-0 2-8-[illegible] [illegible]	9-2-6 [illegible] 378-[illegible]	95-96 96-97 97-98
3. Tax on lands	170	15	6	438	8	6	609	8	.	491	9	6				17	12	.	100	2	6	15-10-0 137-9-6 438-8-6	13-6-[illegible] 25-4-[illegible] 61-9-6	2-[illegible] 112-5-6 376-1-[illegible]	95-96 96-97 97-98
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9. Slaughter-house fees																									
10. Rent of cart-stands																									
11. Private scavenging fees				5	4	.	5	4	.	5	4	.										5-4-0		5-4-0	97-98
12. Tax on vehicles with springs, &c. ..	21	.	.	234	.	.	255	.	.	183	.	.	3	.	.				69	.	.	3-0-0 18-0-0 48-0-0	- - -		95-96 96-97 97-98
13. Tax on animals	71	7	.	449	2	.	520	9	.	437	10	.	2	.	.	4	8	.	76	7	.	1-4-0 5-5-0 14-10-0 55-8-[illegible]	- - - -		94-95 95-96 96-97 97-98
14. Tax on carts, &c.	6	.	.	94	.	.	100	.	.	80	.	.	0	.	.				20	.	.	6-0-0 14-0-0	- -	- -	96-97 97-98
15. Warrant fees	.	.	.	22	4	.	22	4	.	13	12	.	1	.	.				7	8	.	22-4-0	7-8-0	17-12-[illegible]	97-98
Total ..	976	1	6	2086	7	6	3062	9	.	2085	5	6	19	.	.	150	1	.	808	2	6				

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T. R. [illegible]
Chairman Delegate

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

Taxes.	Warrants remaining unexecuted at the beginning of the year.				Warrants issued during the year.				Total.				Warrants executed and warrants cancelled during the year.				Warrants remaining unexecuted at the close of the year.				Cancelled warrants on which no collections were made.				Collected after issue of warrants, but before distraint.				Property distrained, but not sold.				Property sold.			
	Number.	Amount involved.			Number.	Amount involved.			Number.	Amount involved.			Number.	Amount involved.			Number.	Amount involved.			Number of cases.	Amount involved.			Number of cases.	Amount.			Number of cases.	Amount realized on distraint.			Number of cases.	Amount realized by sale.		
1	2	3			4	5			6	7			8	9			10	11			12	13			14	15			16	17			18	19		
		RS.	A.	P.		RS.	A.	P.		RS.	A.	P.		RS.	A.	P.		RS.	A.	P.		RS.	A.	P.		RS.	A.	P.		RS.	A.	P.		RS.	A.	P.
1. Tax on arts, &c. ..	183	204	.	.	99	129	10	.	282	333	10	.	165	213	10	-	117	120	.	.	19	17	8	.	103	132	10	.	48	63	8	.	.	.	.	.
2. Tax on buildings ..	68	84	12	.	463	556	4	.	521	641	.	.	322	421	12	6	199	219	3	6	..	..	..	..	308	392	3	.	13	28	7	6	1	1	2	.
3. Tax on lands ..	7	35	13	6	180	624	14	.	187	660	11	6	123	438	4	-	64	222	7	6	..	..	..	..	123	438	4	.	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
4. Water and drainage tax on buildings and lands.																																				
5. Tax on vehicles with springs and palanquins.	82	232	8	.	366	751	8	.	448	984	.	.	338	801	8	-	110	182	8	.	2	7	8	.	302	670	8	-	29	106	8	.	5	17	-	-
6. Tax on animals ..																																				
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Total ..	340	557	1	6	1098	2062	4	.	1438	2619	5	6	948	1875	2	6	490	744	3	.	21	25	.	.	836	1633	9	.	85	198	7	6	6	18	2	0

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Chairman Delegate

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STATEMENT IV-B.*—Arrears.

Particulars.	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.	599	8	-	427	8	-	1027	-	-	422	2	-	13	-	-	94	12	-	497	2	-	20-12-0 9-0-0 [illegible] 94-95 185-0-0 183-0-0 23-[illegible] 95-96 388-4-0 15[illegible] [illegible] 96-97 233-8-0 37-8-0 185-0-0 97-98
2. Tax on buildings	107	3	-	415	13	-	523*	-	-	452	-	-	-	-	-	33	1	-	37	15	-	21-2-6 2-0-0 9-2-6 95-96 74-8-6 2-[illegible] [illegible] 96-97 415-13-0 [illegible] 378-[illegible] 97-98
3. Tax on lands	170	15	6	438	8	6	609	8	-	491	9	6				17	12	-	100	2	6	15-10-0 13-[illegible] 2-0-0 95-96 137-9-6 25-4 112-5-6 96-97 438-8-6 61-9-6 376-12-0 97-98
4. Water and drainage tax on buildings.																						
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6. Tax on private, menial and domestic male servants																						
7. Tools																						
8. Market rents																						
9. Slaughter-house fees																						
10. Rent of cart-stands																						
11. Private scavenging fees				5	4	-	5	4	-	5	4	-										5-4-0 5-4-0 97-98
12. Tax on vehicles with springs, &c. ..	21	-	-	234	-	-	255	-	-	183	-	-	3	-	-				69	-	-	3-0-0 95-96 18-0-0 96-97 48-0-0 97-98
13. Tax on animals	71	7	-	449	2	-	520	9	-	437	10	-	2	-	-	4	8	-	76	7	-	1-0-0 94-95 5-5-0 95-96 14-14-0 96-97 55-8-0 97-98
14. Tax on carts, &c.	6	-	-	94	-	-	100	-	-	80	-	-	0	-	-				20	-	-	6-0-0 96-97 14-0-0 97-98
15. Warrant fees	-	-	-	22	4	-	22	4	-	13	12	-	1	-	-				7	8	-	[illegible] 7-8 [illegible] 12 97-98
Total ..	976	1	6	2086	7	6	3062	9	-	2085	5	6	19	-	-	150	1	-	808	2	6	

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S.R.B.

T. R. V[illegible]
"Chairman" Delegate

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

Taxes.	Warrants remaining unexecuted at the beginning of the year.				Warrants issued during the year.				Total.				Warrants executed and warrants cancelled during the year.				Warrants remaining unexecuted at the close of the year.				Cancelled warrants on which no collections were made.				Collected after issue of warrants, but before distraint.				Property distrained, but not sold.				Property sold.			
	Number.	Amount involved.			Number.	Amount involved.			Number.	Amount involved.			Number.	Amount involved.			Number.	Amount involved.			Number of cases	Amount involved.			Number of cases.	Amount.			Number of cases.	Amount realized on distraint.			Number of cases.	Amount realized by sale.		
1	2	3			4	5			6	7			8	9			10	11			12	13			14	15			16	17			18	19		
		RS.	A	P.		RS.	A.	P.		RS.	A.	P.		RS.	A	P		RS.	A.	P		RS.	A	P		RS.	A	P		RS.	A.	P.		RS.	A.	P.
1. Tax on arts, &c. ..	183	204	-	-	99	129	10	-	282	333	10	-	165	213	10	-	117	120	-	-	19	17	8	-	103	132	10	-	43	63	8	-	-	-	-	-
2. Tax on buildings ..	68	84	12	-	163	556	4	-	521	641	-	-	322	421	12	6	199	219	3	6	-	-	-	-	308	392	3	-	13	28	7	6	1	1	2	-
3. Tax on lands ..	7	35	13	6	180	624	14	-	187	660	11	6	123	438	4	-	64	222	7	6	-	-	-	-	123	438	4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
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5. Tax on vehicles with springs and palanquins	82	232	8	-	366	767	8	-	448	984	-	-	338	801	8	-	110	182	8	-	2	7	8	-	302	670	8	-	29	106	8	-	5	17	-	-
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Total ..	340	557	1	6	1098	2062	4	-	1438	2619	5	6	948	1875	2	6	490#	744	3	-	21*	25	-	-	831	1633	7	-	85	198	7	6	6	18	2	0

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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.
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2. Tax on buildings	107	3		415	13	·	523	·	·	452	·	·	..	·	·	33	1	·	37	15	·	21-2-6 74-8-6 415-13-0	[illegible]	[illegible]	95-96 96-97 97-98
3. Tax on lands	170	15	6	438	8	6	609	8	·	491	9	6	·	·	·	17	12	·	100	2	6	15-10-0 137-9-6 438-8-6	13-5-0 25-4-0 61-9-0	2-5-0 112-5-6 376-1-0	95-96 96-97 97-98
4. Water and drainage tax on buildings.																									
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10. Rent of cart-stands ..																									
11. Private scavenging fees ..				5	4	·	5	4	·	5	4	·										5-4-0		5-4-0	97-98
12. Tax on vehicles with springs, &c.	21	·	·	234	·	·	255	·	·	183	·	·	3	·	·				69	·	·	3-0-0 18-0-0 48-0-0	—	—	95-96 96-97 97-98
13. Tax on animals ..	71	7	·	449	2	·	520	9	·	437	10	·	2	·	·	4	8	·	76	7	·	1-0-0 5-5-0 14-10-0 55-8-0	—	—	94-95 95-96 96-97 97-98
14. Tax on carts, &c. ..	6	·	·	94	·	·	100	·	·	80	·	·	0	·	·				20	·	·	6-0-0 14-0-0	—	—	96-97 97-98
15. Warrant fees ..	·	·	·	22	4	·	22	4	·	13	12	·	1	·	·				7	8	·	[illegible]		7-12	97-98
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Chairman Delegate

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

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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. ..	183	204	·	·	99	129	10	·	282	333	10	·	165	213	10	·	117	120	·	·	19	17	8	·	103	132	10	·	43	63	8	·	·	·	·	·
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	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.
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T. J. [illegible]
Chairman Delegate

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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.			
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		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. ..	183	204	.	.	99	129	10	.	282	333	10	.	165	213	10	.	117	120	.	.	19	17	8	.	103	132	10	.	43	63	8	.	.	.	.	.
2. Tax on buildings ..	68	84	12	.	463	556	4	.	521	641	.	.	322	421	12	6	199	219	3	6	.	..	.	.	308	392	3	.	13	28	7	6	1	1	2	.
3. Tax on lands ..	7	35	13	6	180	624	14	.	187	660	11	6	123	438	4	.	64	222	7	6	.	.	.	.	123	438	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
4. Water and drainage tax on buildings and lands.																																				
5. Tax on vehicles with springs and palanquins.																																				
6. Tax on animals ..	82	232	8	.	366	757	8	.	448	984	.	.	338	801	8	.	110	182	8	.	2	7	8	.	302	670	8	.	29	106	8	.	5	17	.	.
7. Tax on carts, &c. ..																																				
Total ..	340	557	1	6	1098	2062	4	.	1438	2619	5	6	948	1875	2	6	490	744	3	.	21	25	.	.	836	1633	9	.	85	198	7	6	6	18	2	0

× Of these 21 in 13 warrants no fees had been levied in 97-98 as the provision of the act was then unknown.

* Of these 490, prosecution for the recovery of the tax had been sanctioned in 342 cases [illegible] as stated in para 9 of the report.

T. J. [illegible]
Chairman Delegate

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

Taxes.	Prosecutions instituted.				Collections before judgment.				Collections after judgment.				Prosecutions withdrawn or dismissed.				Balance.			
	Number of cases.	Amount involved.			Number of cases.	Amount collected.			Number of cases.	Amount collected.			Number of cases.	Amount involved.			Number of cases.	Amount involved		
1	2	3			4	5			6	7			8	9			10	11		
		RS.	A.	P.		RS.	A.	P.		RS.	A.	P.		RS.	A.	P.		RS.	A.	P.
1. Tax on arts, &c. ..	109	147	8	-					92	122	8	-	10	16	8	-	7	8	8	-
2. Tax on buildings ..	110	95	13	-					91	69	14	-	3	3	3	-	16	22	12	-
3. Tax on lands ..	57	172	9	6					31	90	1	6	12	52	12	6	14	29	11	6
4. Water and drainage tax on buildings and lands ..																				
5. Tax on vehicles with springs and palanquins ..	9	32	8	-					7	22	8	-	2	10	-	-	-	-	-	-
6. Tax on animals ..	45	60	-	-					42	57	8	-	1	1	-	-	2	1	8	-
7. Tax on carts and other vehicles without springs ..	4	8	-	-					3	6	-	-	-	1	-	-	1	2	-	-
Total ..	334	516	6	6					266	368	7	6	28	83	7	6	40	64	7	6

* Rs 244-0 have been added to the arrears under this head by the auditor in the course of inspection

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266 - 368-7-6
28 - 83-7-6
40 - 64-7-6
334 - 516-6-6

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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												Balance (column 3 *minus* column 7).			Share due to the District Board.			Amount paid to the District Board.			Balance, if any, due to the District Board and date on which it was paid		
					Works.			Establishment.			Contingencies.			Total														
1	2	3			4			5			6			7			8			9			10			11		
		RS.	A.	P.	RS.	A.	P.	RS.	A.	P.	RS.	A.	P.	RS.	A.	P.	RS.	A.	P.	RS.	A.	P.	RS.	A.	P.	RS.	A.	P.
											nil																	

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Final grant of Rs 1000 is received from the District Board
[illegible] in Go. No. 1207 of 26th August 1873.

STATEMENT VIII.—Loans.

Amount of loan and rate of interest.	For what purpose and terms on which obtained and year in which taken.	Date of Government sanction.	AMOUNT REPAID.			AMOUNT TRANSFERRED TO SINKING FUND.			INVESTED OUT OF THE TOTAL AMOUNT TRANSFERRED UP TO END OF 189 -9 .	
			Up to 31st March 189 .		In 189 -9 .	Up to 31st March 189 .		In 189 -9 .	In Government Securities.	In the Savings Bank.
			Number of years.	Amount.		Number of years.	Amount.			
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11
RS. A. P.				RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.		RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.

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

Name of Municipality.	Total number of houses, as per census (occupied and unoccupied).	Number of houses on the municipal register out of the number in column 2.	ASSESSED.													
			Under 8 Annas.		8 Annas to Rs. 1½.		Rs. 1½ to Rs. 5.		Rs. 5 to Rs. 15.		Rs. 15 to Rs. 30.		Rs. 30 and above.		Total.	
			Number.	Amount.	Number.	Amount.	Number.	Amount.	Number.	Amount.	Number.	Amount.	Number.	Amount.	Number.	Amount.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17
				RS. A. P.		RS. A. P.		RS. A. P.		RS. A. P.		RS. A. P.		RS. A. P.		RS. A. P.
Srirangam Municipality	4489	4141	679	264 - -	1357	1149 9 6	2011	4721 10 -	99	691 6 -	1	15 10 -	1	30 - -	4138	6872 3 6

679 ✓	264
1357 ✓	1149-9-6
2011 ✓	4721-10-0
99 ✓	691-6-
1 ✓	15-10-
1 ✓	30-
4148	6872-3-6

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T. R. [illegible]
Chairman [illegible]

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

Name of Municipality.	Class I. No.	Class I. Amount. RS. A. P.	Class II. No.	Class II. Amount. RS. A. P.	Class III. No.	Class III. Amount. RS. A. P.	Class IV. No.	Class IV. Amount. RS. A. P.	Class V. No.	Class V. Amount. RS. A. P.	Class VI. No.	Class VI. Amount. RS. A. P.	Class VII. No.	Class VII. Amount. RS. A. P.	Class VIII. No.	Class VIII. Amount. RS. A. P.	Class IX. No.	Class IX. Amount. RS. A. P.	Total. No.	Total. Amount. RS. A. P.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21
Srirangam	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	50 - -	13	50 - -	23	30 - -	131	490 - -	75	139 - -	203	1958 -	447	2138 -

50
490
139
1958
2138

Chairman Delegate

STATEMENT X.

1. Name of Municipality Srirangam

2. Population as per last census .. .. 21632.

3. Sanctioned number of Councillors { (a) Nominated .. .. 8 / (b) Elected 8

16

4. Actual number of Councillors on 31st March 1899—

(a) Ex-officio 1

(b) Nominated { Officials .. .. 2 / Non-officials .. .. 5 — 3 + 13 = 16

(c) Elected .. { Officials .. .. - / Non-officials 8

Total .. 16 ✓

(d) Europeans and Eurasians .. .. nil

(e) Natives 16

5. Total number of meetings actually held during the year .. 29

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

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

(a) Officials .. .. 1·5

(b) Non-officials .. .. 7·8

Total .. 9·3 ✓

(c) Europeans and Eurasians .. .. nil

(d) Natives .. .. 9·3

Total .. 9·3 ✓

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

9. Name and designation of persons who have held the office of Chairman during the year, with the date of appointment or election in each case .. .. M.R.Ry. K. Seshadri Iyengar Avl. Mirasdar elected on 28.1.9

T. G. [illegible]
Chairman Delegate

STATEMENT X-A.—Showing the particulars of Elections held in the Municipality of Srirangam in 1898-99.

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. First Srirangam West Ward	21632.	238	19.11.98	1	Contested 1	183.
2. Second or Srirangam East Ward		288	19.11.98	1	Contested 1	208.
3. Third or Jambugeswaram Ward		169	7.3.99	1	Contested 1	112.
4.						
5.						
6.						
7.						
8.						
9.						
10.						
Total ..	21632	695		3	3	503.

SRK T. R. [illegible]
Chairman Delegate

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 Srirangam for the year 1898-99.

Area of Municipality in square miles.	Name of Municipal markets.	Whether collection of fees, rents, &c., was leased out or managed departmentally.	Number of houses served by the private scavenging agency on the registers on 31st March 189 .	Number of public latrines on 31st March 1898	Number of latrines constructed in 1898-99	Number of latrines demolished in 1898-99	Number of latrines on 31st March 1899	Number of lamps on 31st March 1898	Number of lamps put up in 1898-99	Number of lamps removed in 1898-99	Number of lamps on 31st March 189
1	2	3	4	5		7	8	9	10	11	12
7	Vegetable markets. 1. North Utra Street 2. East Chitra Street 3. South Adayavalanjan Street Straw markets. 4. South Rayagopuram Out Side 5. West Rayagopuram Out Side 6. North Adayavalanjan Street 7. East Adayavalanjan Street 8. Two Straw markets in Jambugeswaram	Leased out for Rs. 293	1206	21 Latrines 1 Urinal	1 Latrine	3 Latrines	19 Latrines 1 Urinal	328	15	nil	343.

SRK T. R. [illegible]
Chairman Delegate

STATEMENT XII.—Showing particulars regarding the number of patients treated, &c., in the Town of Srirangam during the year 1898-99.

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 Hospital Srirangam	211	14761	14972	Susanna Ammal	84	G.O. No. 993 M. Mi D/29th June 9

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Chairman Delegate

STATEMENT XIII.—Showing the Statistics of Vaccination and of Births and Deaths registered in the Town of Srirangam during the year 1898-99.

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 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
			Medical Subordinates						
788	692	105	1 C. Thirumalasami Naidu 1st Class 2 T. S. Chandrahasam Pillay 3rd Class	10	31	10	31		
			Total ..	10	31	10	31		
					41	41			
			Municipal Vaccinators						
			1 P. Vijayaraghavalu Naidu —	430	448	430	440	63	
			2				870		
			3		878				
			Total ..	430	448	430	440	63	
			Grand Total ..	440	479	440	471	63	

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STATEMENT V-A.—Showing the Statistics of Municipal Schools in the Municipality of Mirzapur for the official year 1898-99.

STATEMENT V-A.—Showing the Statistics of Municipal Schools in the Municipality of Srinagar for the official year 1898-99.

Schools.	Number of schools.				Number on rolls on 31st March 189		Average number on the rolls monthly during the year.	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.		Grants from Provincial Funds.	Grants from Local Funds.	School fees.	Other receipts.	Total.	Teachers. Fixed salary.	Teachers. Fixed and Result 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.	
I.—Colleges																							
II.—Upper Secondary Schools and Departments.																							
(1)																							
(2)																							
(3)																							
Total ..																							
III.—Lower Secondary Schools and Departments.																							
(a) Salary System—																							
(1)																							
(2)																							
(3)																							
Total ..																							
(b) Salary-results System—																							
(1)																							
(2)																							
(3)																							
Total ..																							
Total. Colleges and Secondary Schools																							
IV.—Primary Schools and Departments. Upper Primary (a) Salary System.																							
(1) Municipal Girls School Srinagar	1	.	.	1	.	49	45	34 . .	.	27 3 6	.	61 3 6	156 . .			24 . .			7 6	230 7 6	169 4 .	3 12 2	
(2)																							
(3)																							
Total ..	1	.	.	1	.	49	45	34 . .	.	27 3 6	.	61 3 6	156 . .	.	.	24 . .	.	.	50 7 6	230 7 6	169 4 .	3 12 2	

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STATEMENT V-B.—Showing the Statistics of Aided Schools in the Municipality of Srirangam for the official year 1898-99.

Schools.	Number of Schools: At the beginning of the year.	Number of Schools: Opened during the year.	Number of Schools: Closed during the year.	Number of Schools: At the close of the year.	Number on rolls on 31st March 1899: Boys.	Number on rolls on 31st March 1899: Girls.	Number of pupils examined in fixed and result grants schools.	Number of pupils found qualified for fixed and result grants.	Full amount of fixed and result grants earned. RS. A. P.	Amount of fixed and result grants passed for payment. RS. A. P.	Amount of result grants disbursed: For current year. RS. A. P.	Amount of result grants disbursed: For previous year. RS. A. P.	Amount of result grants disbursed: Total. RS. A. P.	Amount of salary grants disbursed. RS. A. P.	Total expenditure from Municipal funds, columns 14 and 15. RS. A. P.	Remarks.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17
A. SALARY GRANT SCHOOLS.																
(a) Secondary schools—																
(1) [illegible]	1	.	.	1	48	.	.	.						120 . .	120 . .	at 8 as in the rupe
(2) [illegible] school	1	.	1 (a)		.	.	.	.								(a) Did not dr any grant hence shown closed.
(3)																
Total ..	2	-	1	1	48	.	.	.						120 . .	120 . .	
(b) Primary schools—																
(1)																
(2)																
(3)																
Total ..	2	.	1	1	48	.	.	.					.	120 . .	120 . .	
Total of Salary Grant Schools ..																

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Statement V-B.—Showing the Statistics of Aided Schools in the Municipality of Srirangam for the official year 1898-99 cont.

Schools.	Number of Schools: At the beginning of the year.	Opened during the year	Closed during the year.	At the close of the year.	Number on rolls on 31st March 189 : Boys.	Girls.	Number of pupils examined in fixed and result grants schools.	Number of pupils found qualified for fixed and result grants.	Full amount of fixed and result grants earned.			Amount of fixed and result grants passed for payment.			Amount of result 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. Fixed and Result Grants Schools, *i.e.*, Schools actually examined for fixed and result grants—									RS.	A.	P.	RS.	A.	P.	RS.	A.	P.	RS.	A.	P.	RS.	A.	P.	RS.	A.	P.	RS.	A.	P.	
(*a*) Secondary Schools..																														Rate at which grant was paid.
(1)																														
(2)																														
(3)																														
Total ..																														
(*b*) Primary Schools ..																														
1. Thiruvanaikaval	1	.	.	1	96	.	69	63	341	14	.	202	5	.	202	5	-				202	5	-				202	5	-	
2. North Chitra	1	.	.	1	96	-	87	83	484	4	-	286	10	-	286	10	-				286	10	-				286	10	-	
3. East Adavalanjan	1	-	-	1	65	-	41	36	182	1	-	107	13	-	107	13	-				107	13	-				107	13	-	
4. East Chitra	1	-	-	1	37	-	24	20	75	13	.	44	14	-	44	14	-				44	14	-				44	14	-	
5. South Rajagopuram	1	-	.	1	64	.	44	44	307	2	-	181	12	-	181	12	-				181	12	-				181	12	-	
Total ..	5	-	.	5	348	.	265	246	1391	2	-	823	6	.	823	6	.				823	6	.				823	6	.	
Lower Primary Schools.																														Number of pupils examined in Results Grants Schools and the number passed are respectively 355 & 331 whereas the figures given in Statement III are respectively 373 & 348. The difference was owing to 15 Girls in Municipal Schools presented for Provincial grant having been included in the Number.
1. North Adavalanjan	1	.	-	1	44	-	35	32	146	11	-	86	13	.	86	13	.				86	13	.				86	13	.	
2. South Adavalanjan	1	.	-	1	45	.	28	26	94	5	.	55	13	.	55	13	.				55	13	-				55	13	-	
3. South Chitra	1	-	-	1	22	11	27	27	57	7	-	34	-	-	34	-	-				34	-	-				34	-	-	
4. Teppacolam	1	-	1	.																										
Total	4	.	1	3	111	11	90	85	298	7	-	176	10	-	176	10	-				176	10	-				176	10	-	(4) did not draw any grant & hence shown as closed.
Total of Result Grants Schools	9	.	1	8	459	11	355	331	1689	9	-	1000	-	-	1000	-	-				1000	-	-				1000	-	-	
Grand Total of Aided Schools ..	11	.	2	9	507	11	355	331	1689	9	-	1000	-	-	1000	-	-				1000	-	-				1000	-	-	

Foot-note.

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

Names of Schools.	Amount of grant.	Purpose for which made.
Thiruvanaikaval Lower S. School.	5-4-.	For furniture

T. R. Vanamalai Iyer
Chairman Delegate

Extract from the Proceedings of the Municipal Council, Srirangam at the meeting held on the 30th June 1899.

Present

M.R.Ry. T.R. Vasudeva Rao Garu. Chairman delegate
" " " K. Seshadri Iyengar avl. Chairman
" " " S. Subramania Sastriar avl. Councillor.
" " " S. Srinivassalu Naidu Garu "
" " " S. Ramanujiengar avl. "
" " " M. Venkatakristna Naidu Garu "
" " " K. Appathurai Aiyar avl. "

Para 1. — Read and passed the draft administration report of this Municipality for 1898-99.

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(Signed) T.R. Vasudeva Rao
Chairman deleg

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Statement No. III giving the Srirangam Municipality

Classes of institutions.	Remarks.

Statement No. II showing the proportion of pupils of the great classes of the

.. Srirangam Municipality ~~Board~~

Classes o		Pupils under instruction.	
		Boys.	Girls.
		4	5
Europeans and Eurasian			
Native Christians			
Muhammadans		2	-
Hindus .. Brahmans		596	27
Hindus .. Non-Brahı		504	34
Hindus .. Panchama		32	-
Aborigines ..			
Others ..			
		1134	61

Note.- of remarks.
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Ed. Ret. 33 3,000—4-5-98.

Primary Schools.	
Unaided and indigenous ..	

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Percentage.		Remarks.
s.	Girls.	
	7	8
		Excepting non-Br Caste Hindus who main'd the same number all the othe classes of the Commu show an increase
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councils concerned by the 1st May.

Statement No. III giving the Srirangam Municipality

Classes of institutions.	Remarks.

Statement No. II showing the proportion of pupils of the great classes of
the Srirangam Municipality ~~Board~~

Classes of population.		Population of school age.		Pupils under instruction.	
		Boys.	Girls.	Boys.	Girls.
1		2	3	4	5
Europeans and Eurasians					
Native Christians					
Muhammadans		4	3	2	-
Hindus	Brahmans			596	27
	Non-Brahman caste Hindus	1603	1603	504	34
	Panchamas			32	-
Aborigines					
Others					
Total		1607	1606	1134	61

Note.—1. *No comments should be made except as notes entered in the column of remarks.*

2. *In the column of remarks the figures of the previous year should be briefly compared.*

3. *This statement should be submitted in time to reach the Presidents of local boards or the Chairmen of*

Ed. Ret. 33 3,000—4-5-98.

Primary Schools.	Aided from public funds	
	Unaided and indigenous	

Ed. Ret. 34 3,000—5-98.

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Statement No. III giving the Srirangam Municipality

Classes of institutions.		Remarks.
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Colleges	Government	
	Local or municipal	
	Aided from public funds	
	Unaided and indigenous	
Secondary Schools.	Government	ary Schools:—
		satisfactory while head achers are qualified under ional rules.
	Local or municipal	Schools
	Aided from public funds	is also gratifying while number of unqualified
		was reduced from 14 whom 5 apprenticed
	Unaided and Indigenous	ded & indigenous schools.
Technical.		
Primary Schools.	Government	ion for training of teachers not been utilized
	Local or municipal	
	Aided from public funds	
	Unaided and indigenous	

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Statement No. II showing the proportion of pupils of the great classes of the Srirangam Municipality ~~Board~~

Classes of population.	Population of school age.		Pupils under instruction.	
	Boys.	Girls.	Boys.	Girls.
1	2	3	4	5
d Eurasians				
Hindus				

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1603 1603 596 27
1607 1606 574 34
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councils concerned by the 1st May.

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Statement No. II showing the proportion of pupils of the great classes of the

the Srirangam Municipality ~~Board~~

Classes of population. 1	Population of school age. Boys. 2	Population of school age. Girls. 3	Pupils under instruction. Boys. 4	Pupils under instruction. Girls. 5
Europeans and Eurasians				
Native Christians				
Muhammadans	4	3	2	-
Hindus .. Brahmans			526	27
Hindus .. Non-Brahman caste Hindus ..	1603	1603	574	34
Hindus .. Panchamas			32	-
Aborigines				
Others				
Total	1607	1606	1134	61

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Statement No. III giving the Srirangam Municipality—

Classes of institutions. 1	Remarks. 8
Colleges .. Government	
Colleges .. Local or municipal	
Colleges .. Aided from public funds ..	
Colleges .. Unaided and indigenous ..	ory Schools:—
Secondary Schools. Government	Satisfactory. While the achers are qualified under ional rules.
Secondary Schools. Local or municipal	Schools
Secondary Schools. Aided from public funds ..	is also gratifying. While number of unqualified
Secondary Schools. Unaided and Indigenous ..	was reduced from 14 whom 5 apprenticed
Technical.	ded & indigenous Schools.
Primary Schools. Government	ion for training of teachers not been utilized
Primary Schools. Local or municipal	
Primary Schools. Aided from public funds ..	
Primary Schools. Unaided and indigenous ..	

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Srirangam Municipality for 98-9

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1	26	40	
	38	45	
5	41	44	
1	23	28	
8	143	205	
1899. ONAL SUBJECTS.			
7	17	40	
9	24	255	
4	109	115	

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

Standard.	1898. COMPULSORY SUBJECTS ONLY.				1899 COMPUL	
	Number of pupils presented.	Number of pupils passed.	Merit.	Ordinary.	Number of pupils presented.	Nu of p pass
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
Seventh standard (or Lower Secondary Examination)						
Sixth standard						
Fifth do.						
Fourth do. (or Primary Examination) ..	74	58	.	58	67	6
Third standard	66	57	21	36	68	6
Second do.	75	66	26	40	90	8
First do.	83	77	28	49	89	8
Infant do.	71	63	37	26	59	5
Total	369	321	112	209	373	34
Name of subject.*	1898. OPTIONAL SUBJECTS.					O
Kindergarten	126	126	-	126	69	5
Drill	236	236	-	236	320	2
Second Language (English)	266	191	95	96	255	2

Srirangam Municipality for 98-99

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V. Statement showing the work done by the Inspecting Schoolmaster, Srirangam Taluq for 98-99.

Name	Range	No. of Schools Visited			No. of Schools Examined			No. of Pupils Examined	No. of new Schools		No. of days spent on		No. of days spent on circuit	No. of miles travelled	No. of villages visited	Remarks
		Board	Aided	Unaided	Board	Aided	Unaided		Started	Brought under inspection	Examining Schools	Other work				
R. Srinivasachari - Acting	Srirangam Municipality	12	10	7	12	10	7	11254	-	-	253	37	-	-	-	Work fair, but conduct unsatisfactory. His transfer has been recommended

Asst. Inspector [illegible]

Chairman
Municipal
Srirangam.

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SRIRANGAM.

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F. Of the Srirangam
Municipality for 98-99
Forwarding.

Educational Department.

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THE ASSISTANT INSPECTOR OF SCHOOLS,
Tanjore-Trichinopoly Division.

To

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Municipal Council,
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EXPENDITURE.

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Educational Department.

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for the official year 1898-99.

Expenditure: Teachers: Results stipends.	Expenditure: Teachers: 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.
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.	

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Statem . V-A.—Showing the Statistics of Municipal Schools in the Municipality of Sivaganga for the official year 1898-99.

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1/6/99

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he Statistics of Aided Schools in the Municipality of Sivaganga for the official year 1898-99—*Cont.*

	Number of Schools.				Number on rolls on 31st March 189		Number of pupils examined in results grants schools.	Number of pupils found qualified for results grants.	Full amount of results grants earned.	Amount of results grants passed for payments.	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.			
	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17
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ls...	11	-	2	9	507	11	355	331	1689 9 -	1000 - -	1000 - -		1000 - -	120 - -	1120 - -	

Foot-note.

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

Names of Schools.	Amount of grant.	Purpose for which made.
[illegible] L.S	5-4-.	for furniture

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…g the Statistics of Aided Schools in the Municipality of Srirangam for the official year 1898-99 Cont.

	Number of Schools.				Number on rolls on 31st March 189 .																									
	At the beginning of the year.	Opened during the year.	Closed during the year.	At the close of the year.	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 payments.			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.
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									RS.	A.	P.	RS.	A.	P.	RS.	A.	P.	RS.	A.	P.	RS	A.	P.	RS.	A.	P.	RS	A.	P.	
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…Ne Chitra	1	-	-	1	96	-	87	83	484	4	-	286	10	-	286	10	-				286	10	-				286	10	-	
…t Adayavalanjan	1	-	-	1	55	-	41	36	182	1	-	107	13	-	107	13	-				107	13	-				107	13	-	
…t Chitra	1	-	-	1	37	-	24	20	75	13	-	44	14	-	44	14	-				44	14	-				44	14	-	
…th Rajagopuram	1	-	-	1	64	-	44	44	307	2	-	181	12	-	181	12	-				181	12	-				181	12	-	
Total …	5	-	-	5	348	-	265	246	1391	2	-	823	6	-	823	6	-				823	6	-				823	6	-	

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…ement 17 are respectively
… was owing to girls in
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Srirangam

umber possessing either general nor professional qualifications but who are qualified by length of service on 1st April 1895.	Number entirely unqualified.
6	7

…ng teachers during the year under report had been utilized.

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…98-99.

				Net cost to Municipality	Average net cost per pupil in each class of Municipal Schools	Remarks
6	169	4	-	3	12	2
6	~~185~~	~~4~~	.	4	1	~~10~~

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Assistant Inspector of Girls' Schools,
Fifth Range.

3. 5 - 1899

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…n the municipal Girls School for 1898-99.

Colleges	Government	
	Board or Municipal	
	Aided from Provincial …	
	Aided from Local or M…	
	Unaided and Indigenou…	
Secondary Schools	Government	
	Board or Municipal	
	Aided from Provincial …	
	Aided from Local or M…	
	Unaided and Indigeno…	
Primary Schools	Government	
	~~Board or~~ Municipal	
	Aided from Provincial …	
	Aided from Local or M…	
	Unaided and Indigen…	
Training Schools	Government	
	Board or Municipal	
	Aided from Provinc…	
	Aided from Local …	
	Unaided and Indi…	
Sessional Schools	Government	
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	Board or M…	
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Note.—1. Where an institution is aided from …
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Statement No. II showing the proportion of pupils of the great classes of the

the __________ ~~Municipality~~, Board

Classes of population.	Population of school age.		Pupils under instruction.	
	Boys.	Girls.	Boys.	Girls.
1	2	3	4	5
Europeans and Eurasians				
Native Christians				
Muhammadans				
Hindus .. Brahmans				31
Hindus .. Non-Brahman caste Hindus ..				18.
Hindus .. Panchamas				
Others				

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Primary Schools.	Government			
	~~Local or~~ municipal .. .. .. Male.	2.	1	
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	Aided from public funds			
	Unaided and indigenous			

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Statement No. III giving particulars as to the qualificatio

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			
Secondary Schools.	Government			
	Local or municipal			
	Aided from public funds			
	Unaided and indigenous			
Primary Schools.	Government			
	~~Local or~~ municipal .. .. Male.	2	1	
	F.	-	-	-
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	Unaided and indigenous			

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Statement No. IV relating to the results of the Grant Examinations in Srirang

Standard.	1897.-98 COMPULSORY SUBJECTS ONLY.				COMPULSO	
	Number of pupils presented for the Standard.	Number passed.	Merit.	Ordinary.	Number of pupils presented for the Standard.	Nu pass
VII. Standard or Lower Secondary Examination.						
VI. Standard						
V. Do.						
IV. Do. including Primary School Examination.						
III. Standard	3	..	..	..	2	
II. Do.	3	..	..		8	
I. Do.	11	10	1	9	7	
Infant Do.	6	5	1	4	10	
Total	23	15	2	13	27	

Name of Subject.*	1897.-98 OPTIONAL SUBJECTS.				OPTI
Needlework	..	..	..	..	9

Statement V & Showing the Statistics of

Institutions	Number of Schools: At the beginning of the year	Number of Schools: Opened during the year	Number of Schools: Closed during the year	Number of Schools: At the close of the year	No on Rolls on 31st March: Boys	No on Rolls on 31st March: Girls	Average number on the rolls monthly during the year	Receipts: Grants from Provincial funds	Receipts: Grants from Local Funds	Receipts: School fees	Receipts: Other receipts
								Rs a p		Rs a p	Rs
Upper Primary Schools	~~nil~~	2/1	nil	1							
~~Lower~~ Upper Primary. Salary System											
Municipal Girls School Srirangam				X 1/	-	49	45	34-0-0		27.3.6	61-
Lower primary.	1	-	1	nil							

	No presented	No passed
Infant Standard	10	9
I	7	3
II	8	5
III	2	1
	27	18

Board Statements Nos 1/10 & VA of the Municipal Girls School Srirangam under the management of the Municipal council, Srirangam for 1898-99.

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