

Local & Munl. (1899) Department.

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G.O., No. 607 M.

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[Despatch Abstract.]

Budget Estimate Reducing the — from
Rs 3800 to Rs 3000 under private scavenging
fee of the Guntur Municipality for 1899-1900.

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From

The Chairman,
Municipal Council,
Quintan

No. 1894

Order

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In the Circumstances stated,
by the Chairman, the Estimate under
Private Scavenging fees will be reduced
from Rs 3800 to Rs 3000, while that
under Grant S. Supervision & manage-
ment, will be raised from Rs 3,750
to Rs 3,770. The closing balance will
then be Rs 1210.

Dated 27th March 1899

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SUBJECT.

Submitting ^{remarks} with report, copies of
resolutions of the Municipal Council
passed at a meeting held on 11-3-99
on the Budget of the Quintan Municipality
for 1898-1899.
Reviewed by the Government in 4 Oct 2014.
dated 15th February 1899

To
The Chairman, M.C. Quintan
thru the Colls of Quintan
2/5/99

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Extract from the proceedings of the Municipal Council
 Quinter at a meeting held on the 14th March 1899

Present

M.P.Ry. P. Venkatakiishnayya Nayudu gann B.A.
 Chairman

A. P. Hernandez Esquire

Rev. R. B. Whit

" A. M. Sundarasiva Aiyar Avargal B.A.

" G. Krishnamma gann

" T. Gummacham gann

" L. Lakshmanma gann

" A. Setti Balamukundoss gann

Soudagar Mahammed Ibrahim sahib

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Read G.O. No 201 M dated 15th February 1899 reviewing
 the Quinter Municipal Budget for 1899-1900.

The revised Budget for the current year & the Budget for
 the next year are recorded & the following are specially noted

(1) Regarding the suggestion of the collector pointed out
 in para 2.

Recorded with the remarks that the Council is arranging
 for a cheaper set of buildings.

(2) Reduction of Tax on Arts from Rs 5000 to Rs 4000.

Recorded

(3) Regarding the suggestion of the Sub-collector noted
 in para 3, i.e. enhancement of the house tax rate

This question will receive the attention of the Council at the time of preparing the next Budget.

(4) Raising the allotment under private scavenging fees from Rs 3000 to Rs 3800.

The Council will take steps to collect the amount proposed by the Government most willingly if it were possible; but from past experience & from the present collections, it is not possible to make good so large an amount as budgeted by the Government.

(5) Raising the provision under plague charges from Rs 2000 to Rs 5200.

Recorded

(6) Regarding the provision of Rs 3750 under Grants "Supervision and Management" which appears not to include the increments to the pay of the Manager & the Accountant already sanctioned:

The Chairman is requested to address the Government for the details of the Budget figure Rs 3750 under Grants "Supervision & Management" as it appears that the increments already sanctioned by the Government in G.O. No 302 dated 20th February 1896 do not seem to have been included therein.

(7) Regarding the question of the entertainment of a Second Revenue Ministry.

Recorded for future consideration

(Signed) P. Venkatakrishnaiah
(True Extract)

P. Venkatakrishnaiah
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Municipal Office, Coimbatore

Dated 27th March 1899.

Despatched 31st March 1899



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Chairman, Municipal Council, Coimbatore

N. No 1251

28-4-99

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The Secretary to Government, Local and Municipal Department, Madras.

To Chairman Sir,
The Collector
Kistna

I have the honor to submit herewith copies of resolutions of the Municipal Council passed at a meeting held on the 11th Instant on the Budget of this Municipality revised by the Government in G.O. No 201 M. dated 15th February 1899; and in doing so, I beg to submit that resolutions Nos 3, 4, 6 & 7 call for special remarks.

2. Referring to resolution no 3, I beg to submit that the Council is of opinion that as the houses were only re-measured during the current year, resulting in an increase of more than Rs 2500 under the house-tax receipts it would be a hardship to the house holders if the rate of taxation to houses is enhanced immediately after this revision, and the Council therefore has resolved to undertake

this

just recently unless it be that private scavenging system be made as compulsory as Vaccination is. If it be voluntary as it is, it is not possible, nay prejudicial to the system so far developed amidst many difficulties.

5. The Government was pleased to remark in the administration report of this municipality embodied in G.O. to 1337 M. dated 27th July 1898 that the system "is capable of considerable expansion seeing that it is now adopted by only about 25 per cent of the number of houses assessed to the tax on buildings"; but I most respectfully beg to submit that such is not really the case. The number of tiled houses in this town according to the revision in the current year are 4867 from which if the godowns &c which have no privies attached to them and the small houses without sufficient yards for the location of latrines — and there are many such in the town — be excluded, the number of houses that may be taken to own latrines may be estimated at about 1500. I may add here that the measuring clerks who were directed to note houses containing privies while taking measurements during the current year furnished information to the same purport. Out of these 1500 privies, about 1170 or 78 per cent are already under the municipal agency; and as regards the rest, the house-holders are either averse to place them under municipal

municipal agency or have arrangements of their own for cleansing them so that it is not possible to bring them under municipal management unless the Government make the private scavenging system compulsory in municipalities.

6. I further beg to add that out of population of 23359 according to the last census, a little over one-third are Mussalman who are all with rare exceptions extremely poor and are so ^{indigent} ~~indigenous~~ as not to have privies of their own: these therefore resort to the public latrines. The same excepting in the case of a small minority may be said of the Eudras who are numerically as strong as the Muhammedans. It is the Brahmins and the Visya Community with a few exceptions who have latrines of their own and who have been availing themselves of the municipal agency for their cleansing. These have just recently been asked to pay enhanced rates, and if they are further compelled to pay more, it may be said that the popularity gained for the system may be lost.

7. In these circumstances, I request you to be pleased to solicit the Government not to insist upon the amount (R. 3800) being collected, though it may not for this reason be supposed that the Council will relax its endeavours to further the system.

8 As regards resolution No 6 of the Council, I beg to submit that the Government was pleased to sanction an annual increment of a rupee each to the salaries of the Manager and the Accountant till they reach the maximum of Rs 50 and Rs 30 respectively (Vide L.O. No 302-M. dated 20th February 1896). Accordingly a sum of Rs 20 should have been budgeted towards these increments, but as it is not known whether this is provided for in the estimate under Grant V "Supervision and Management", the Council desires for the details thereof being furnished, for in case of omission, it may be made good. It may be added in this connection that fresh sanction is not required when increments are once sanctioned as notified in the official memorandum No 560 dated 8th August 1890.

10. Lastly, the Council adheres to its resolution regarding the necessity for maintaining two Revenue Ministries although facts and figures do not warrant such a course. It has however resolved to consider this matter at the time of forming the next Budget.

I have the honor to be,
Sir,

Neuhart's Bay,
Chairman, Me.

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Collector

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