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STATEMENT I.—Revenues and Receipts of the Municipal Fund of the Town of Dindigul during the official year 1894-95.

—	Actuals 1894-95. Details of Minor Heads.	Totals of Major Heads.	Budget Estimate for 1894-95.	Revised Estimate for 1894-95.	Actuals, 1893-94. (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		9098 12 7	8,230 - -	9,100 - -	6663 14 10
b. Endowments					
c. Water-tax Fund					
2. MUNICIPAL RATES AND TAXES—					
a. Tax on arts, &c. (section 53) ..					
b. Tax on buildings (section 63) ..	5789 4 5		6750 - -	6520 - -	6561 6 3
c. Tax on lands (section 63) ..	183 11 -		330 - -	380 - -	109 5 -
d. Water-tax on buildings and lands (section 75)					
e. Tax on vehicles with springs and palanquins (section 77) ..	361 8 -		250 - -	400 - -	276 - -
f. Tax on animals (section 77) ..	1341 8 -		1000 - -	1,300 - -	1107 12 -
g. Tax on carts and other vehicles without springs (section 85) ..	776 - -		720 - -	800 - -	713 - -
h. Tolls (section 91)—					
Gross receipts 2600 2,176-12-8					
Less Local Fund share ..	6403 3 4		6430 - -	6,400 - -	6454 9 11
i. Penalties on account of—					
i. Tax on arts					
ii. Tax on buildings ..					
iii. Tax on lands					
iv. Water-tax on buildings and lands					
v. Tax on vehicles, &c. ..					
vi. Tax on animals					
vii. Tax on carts, &c. ..					
viii. Evasion of tolls		15055 2 9			
3. REALIZATIONS UNDER SPECIAL ACTS—					
a. Pounds					
b. Ferry rents					
c. Fees under Act II of 1888 ..	50 - -	50 - -	30 - -	50 - -	20 - -
Carried forward ..		15105 2 9	15510 - -	15850 - -	15242 - 4

STATEMENT I.—Revenues and Receipts of the Municipal Fund of the To[illegible] of Dindigul during the official year 1894-95—con[cluded]

1	Details of Minor Heads.	Totals of Major Heads.	Budget Estimate for 1894-95.	Revised Estimate for 1894-95.
	2	3	4	5
	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.
Brought forward ..		24770 4 3	24,370 - -	25,687 - -
7. EXTRAORDINARY AND DEBT—				
a. Sale-proceeds of Government securities and withdrawals from Savings Bank.				
b. Loans—				
i. From Government ..				
ii. In the market from private individuals				
c. Realizations of Sinking fund for repayment of loans.				
d. Advances—				
i. Permanent				
ii. Others	30 - -			
Total Receipts ..		30 - -	- - -	30 - -
Grand Total ..		25,000 14 3	24,370 - -	25,717 - -

1	Details of Minor Heads.	Totals of Major Heads.	Budget Estimate for 1894-95.	Revised Estimate for 1894-95.
	2	3	4	5
	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.
Brought forward ..		34,099 10 10	34,640 - -	36,990 - -
7. EXTRAORDINARY AND DEBT—				
a. Sale-proceeds of Government securities and withdrawals from Savings Bank.				
b. Loans—				
i. From Government ..				
ii. In the market from private individuals				
c. Realizations of Sinking fund for repayment of loans.				
d. Advances—				
i. Permanent ..				
ii. Others				
Total Receipts ..		34,099 10 10	34,640 - -	36,990 - -
Grand Total ..		59,099 10 10	59,010 - -	62,707 - -

NOTE TO STATEMENT I.

1. Tax on arts, &c., is levied on ~~the first~~ all classes.
2. Tax on buildings is levied at 7½ per cent. and tax on lands at 7½ per cent. of rent value. ~~per cent.~~ annas one for every 80 square yards.
3. Water-tax on buildings and lands is levied ~~at~~ ~~per cent.~~ the maximum rates.
4. Tax on vehicles and animals is levied at ~ the maximum rates.
5. Tax on carts, &c., is levied at Rs. 2 per cart per annum.
6. Tolls are levied at 3/4 the maximum rates.
7. License-fees are levied at the rates sanctioned in G.O.s No. 1078, Mun: 14-12-92; No. 14232, Mun: 7-12-92; No. 7847, Mun: 8-12-92; No. 4771, 7-7-91, and the land tax registers in the official year 1894-95.
8. The house-tax registers were last revised in the official year 1893-94 and the land tax registers in the official year 1894-95.
9. Total extent of land assessed is 8,35 acres. and 25 cents.
10. The mode of estimating the annual rental of houses and lands is as follows:—

	Rs.	A.	P.
Houses:— On dimensions and materials used, viz:			
Every 100 Sq feet of two storied pucka terraced buildings	7	-	-
" 100 " " Single do	6	-	-
" 100 " " two storied tiled building without storey	3	-	-
" 100 " " common tiled building with mateked storey	1	8	-
" 100 " " thatched building with reed mats	1	2	-
" 100 " " terraced buildings such. do	5	-	-

A few bungalows are assessed at estimated annual rental without reference to the assessments.

Lands:— Dry Lands— Three times the Government assessment.
Wet & garden Lands— Double do
Vacant house-sites— are assessed one anna for every 80 sq. yards.

STATEMENT I.—Revenues and Receipts of the Municipal Fund of the Town of Dindigul during the official year 1894-95.

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)	Local Funds.	Provincial Funds.	Total Receipts (Columns 8 and 9).	Appropriation from Capital Funds (Column 10 *minus* Column 11)	Invested.	Current Charges.	Total (Statement II-A).	Allotted for Public Works (Statement II-A).	Total Charges (Column 15 *plus* Column 16).	Closing Balance (Column 10 *minus* Column 16).	REMARKS.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8		9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18
	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	

Statement I.—Revenues and Receipts of the Municipal Fund of the Town of Dindigul during the official year 1894-95—*cont.*

—	Actuals 1894-95. Details of Minor Heads.	Actuals 1894-95. Totals of Major Heads.	Budget Estimate for 1894-95.	Revised Estimate for 1894-95.	Actuals, 1893-94, (audited figures.)
1	2	3	4	5	6

	RS.	A.	P.	RS.	A.	P.	RS.	A	P	RS.	A.	P.	RS.	A	P.
Brought forward ..				15,105	2	9	15,510	-	-	15,550	-	-	15,242	-	4
4. Revenue derived from Municipal property and powers apart from taxation—															
a. i. Rent of lands	382	10	-				430	-	-	400	-	-	416	12	6
ii. Rent of buildings ..															
iii. Avenue receipts	74	9	6				100	-	-	100	-	-	88	3	-
iv. Fees from Travellers' Bungalows	94	8	-	551	11	6	180	-	-	100	-	-	134	8	-
b. i. Sale-proceeds of lands and buildings	7	-	1				100	-	-	220	-	-	76	1	7
ii. Produce of lands, gardens, &c.	25	1	11				30	-	-	30	-	-	25	11	1
iii. Sale-proceeds of old materials, empty oil cans, packing cases, &c.	11	15	9	44	1	9	30	-	-	20			20	13	9
c. Conservancy receipts—															
Sale-proceeds of night-soil, street refuse, &c.	86	-	-	86	-	-	50	-	-	90	-	-	54	-	-
d. i. Fees from educational institutions	1,808	10	9				2,100	-	-	1920	-	-	1925	8	6
ii. Other revenue from educational institutions ..	-	-	-	1,808	10	9	-	-	-	-	-	-	11	10	-
e. i. Sale-proceeds and composition fees of medicines ..	1	2	-				-	-	-	10	-	-	-	-	-
ii. Other Hospital receipts ..				1	2	-									
f. i. Income from markets ..	4,283	11	4				4,850	-	-	4,290	-	-	4909	3	7
ii. ,, slaughter-houses.	552	8	7	4,836	3	11	740	-	-	660	-	-	738	-	8
g. Other fees															
i. Distraint fees	16	5	-				40	-	-	40	-	-	11	12	-
ii. License fees	422	12	8				500	-	-	500	-	-	522	-	-
iii. Cartstand fees	-	-	-												
iv. Other fees	-	8	-												
h. Fines under Municipal and other Acts	139	-	6	439	9	8	100	-	-	120	-	-	27	15	-
i. Interest on investments—															
i. General, including choultries															
ii. Educational															
iii. Medical															
j. Premium on loans															
Carried forward ..				23011	10	10	24,760	-	-	24,250	-	-	24,204	4	-

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Statement I.—Revenues and Receipts of the Muncipal Fund of the Town of Dindigul during the official year 1894-96—*cont.*

—	Actuals 1894-95. Details of Minor Heads	Actuals 1894-95. Totals of Major Heads.	Budget Estimate for 1894-95.	Revised Estimate for 1894-95.	Actuals 1893-94, (audited figures.)
1	2	3	4	5	6

	RS.	A.	P.	RS.	A.	P.	RS.	A.	P	RS.	A.	P.	RS.	A.	P.
Brought forward ..				23011	10	10	24,760	-	-	24,250	-	-	24,204	4	-
5. Grants and contributions—															
a. From Government—															
i. Education—															
Normal stipends ..	61	11	-							60	-	-	98	8	1
Buildings	-	-	-							40	-	-	-	-	-
Municipal Schools ..	865	6	7				660	-	-	910	-	-	438	-	-
Other purposes	48	-	-				50	-	-	100	-	-	-	-	-
ii. Medical	109	11		965	-	7									
iii. Other purposes—															
Communications ..															
Water-supply	267	11	-	267	11	-	130	-	-	270	-	-	-	-	-
Drainage															
Sanitation															
Other purposes ..				132	11	7									
b. From Local Boards—															
i. Education															
ii. Medical	438	11	10	438	4	10	470	-	-	870	-	-	-	-	-
iii. Other purposes															
c. Other grants and contributions—															
i. Education															
ii. Medical															
iii. Other purposes															
6. Miscellaneous—															
a. Recoveries on account of services rendered to private individuals—															
i. Private scavenging ..	282	10	-				300	-	-	300	-	-	337	10	-
ii. Other purposes	3	-	-	285	10	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
b. Other items—															
i. Fishery rents	2	-	-				-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
ii. Refunds of Expenditure of previous year	-	-	-				-	-	-	60	-	-	7	15	11
iii. Fee for numbering carts, &c.	-	2	-				-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
iv. Other items	-	-	-	2	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	15	9
Carried forward ..				24970	14	3	26370	-	-	26,860	-	-	25087	5	9

Statement II.—Expenditure from the Municipal Fund of the Town of Dindigul for the official year 1894-95.

—	Actuals 1894-95. Details of Minor Heads.	Actuals 1894-95. Totals of Major Heads.	Budget Estimate for 1894-95	Revised Estimate for 1894-95	Actuals, 1893-94 (audited figures.)
1	2	3	4	5	6
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
GRANT I—(*Public Works*)—					
1. New Works—					
a. Communications	280 1 7		290 - -	290 - -	199 5 4 ✓
b. Buildings	948 5 9		700 - -	960 - -	265 6 4 ✓
c. Drainage	399 12 3		400 - -	400 - -	302½ 14 11 ✓
d. Water-supply	100 ½ 8		100 - -	- - -	361 8 5 ✓
e. Miscellaneous ..	- - -	1,728 6 3	- - -	- - -	- - -
2. Repairs—					
a. Communications	2,138 6 8		2,820 - -	3,300 - -	2,443 7 - ✓
b. Buildings	714 8 4		890 - -	780 - -	333 14 11 ✓
c. Drainage—					
i. Repairs to works ..	608 11 2		700 - -	700 - -	749 - ½ ✓
ii Establishment for flushing drains, &c.	785 5 11		770 - -	760 - -	691 10 3 ✓
d. Water-supply—	758	1367			
i. Repairs to works, machinery, &c.	570 2 1		510 - -	590 - -	608 13 9 ✓
ii. Establishment	260 6 2		260 - -	260 - -	259 5 3 ✓
iii. Contingencies	6 14 8	6,057 7 -	30 - -	10 - -	18 2 4 ✓
3. Establishment	737 5 -	737 5 -	790 - -	740 - -	623 7 3 ✓
4. Tools and Plant and other stores.	49 7 ½	49 7 ½	60 - -	60 - -	28 2 6 ✓
5. Contributions—					
a. To Local Boards for works ..					
b. To Provincial Funds for scrutiny of estimates, &c.					
c. To others for public works ..					
Total, Grant I ...		8,572 7 10	8,320 - -	8,950 - -	6,835 2 6 ✓
GRANT II—(*Education.*)—					
1. Training Schools—					
a. Contributions to Local Boards ..					
b. Stipends to Normal students ..	2 7 9 ✓	2 7 9	- - -	- - -	182 3 10 ✓
2 Municipal Schools—					
i. On Salary System—					
a. Establishment	2,838 6 2 ✓		3,230 - -	2,840 - -	2,767 8 - ✓
b. Contingencies	100 - -	2,938 6 2	110 - -	100 - -	99 3 3 ✓
Carried forward ..		2,940 13 11	3,340 - -	2,940 - -	3,048 15 1

Statement II.—Expenditure from the Municipal Fund of the Town of Dindigul for the official year 1894-95—*cont.*

—	Actuals 1894-95. Details of Minor Heads.	Actuals 1894-95. Totals of Major Heads.	Budget Estimate for 1894-95	Revised Estimate for 1894-95	Actuals, 1893-94 (audited figures.)
1	2	3	4	5	6
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Brought forward ..		2,940 13 11	3,340 - -	2,940 - -	3,048 15 1
GRANT II—(*Education*)—cont.					
ii. On Salary-Results System—					
a. Fixed Payments	577 10 7 ✓		580 - -	580 - -	490 6 2 ✓
b. Results Grants	130 10 6		130 - -	80 - -	70 6 9 ✓
c. Contingencies	113 10 -	821 15 1	110 - -	120 - -	130 1 2 ✓
3. Salary Grants					
4. Results Grants	1,555 2 -	1,555 2 -	1,560 - -	1,600 - -	1,600 - - ✓
5. Combined Grants—					
a. Fixed Payments					
b. Results Grants					
6. Inspection—					
a. Contributions to Local Boards ..					
b. Municipal Inspectors—					
i. Establishment	240 - - ✓		240 - -	240 - -	240 - - ✓
ii. Contingencies	20 2 5	260 2 5	20 - -	20 - -	19 12 3 ✓
7. Miscellaneous—					
a. Building, furniture, &c., grants ..					
b. Common gymnasium—					
i. Establishment	144 - - ✓		140 - -	140 - -	144 - - ✓
ii. Contingencies	10 - -		10 - -	10 - -	27 9 8 ✓
c. Other items	9 1 -	162 1 -	- - -	10 - -	12 14 - ✓
Total, Grant II ..		5,741 2 5	6,130 - -	5,740 - -	5,784 1 1 ✓
GRANT III—(*Sanitation and Medical Services.*)					
1. Hospitals and Dispensaries—					
a. Establishment	1,208 - - ✓		1,210 - -	1,410 - -	600 11 1 ✓
b. Medicines and Supplies	79 2 9		370 - -	690 - -	170 - - ✓
c. Diet of Patients					
d. Sundries and Contingencies ..	98 10 -		90 - -	90 - -	31 12 7 ✓
e. Contributions to Local Boards ..		1,385 12 9			
&c., &, &c. ..					
Carried forward ..		1,385 12 9	1,670 - -	2,190 - -	802 7 8 ✓

Statement II.—Expenditure from the Municipal Fund of the Town of Dindigul for the official year 1894-95—*cont.*

—	Actuals 1894-95. Details of Minor Heads.	Actuals 1894-95. Totals of Major Heads.	Budget Estimate for 1894-95.	Revised Estimate for 1894-95.	Actuals, 1893-94 (audited figures.)
1	2	3	4	5	6
	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.
Brought forward ..		1,385 12 9	1,670 . .	2,190 . .	802 7 8
GRANT III—*Sanitation and Medical Services*—cont.					
2. *a.* CONTRIBUTIONS TO PROVINCIAL FUNDS FOR—					
i. Medical College ..	130 . .		40 . .	40 . .	37 . . ✓
ii. Sanitary Inspection ..	152 . .		80 . .	140 . .	. . .
iii. Medical Reserve staff ..	13 . .		20 . .	20 . .	13 . . ✓
iv. Cutlers' Establishment ..	. . .	295 . .	10 . .	10 . .	1 . . ✓
b. CONTRIBUTIONS TO LOCAL BOARDS, &c., FOR—					
i. Medical Schools ..					
ii. Reserve staff					
&c., &c., &c. ..					
c. OTHER CONTRIBUTIONS					
3. VACCINATION—					
a. Establishment	294 10 8 ✓		280 . .	290 . .	336 . . ✓
b. Contingencies	186 10 7	481 5 3	200 . .	200 . .	198 4 1 ✓
c. Contributions to Local Boards ..					
4. REGISTRATION OF BIRTHS AND DEATHS—					
a. Establishment	178 8 10 ✓		180 . .	180 . .	180 . . ✓
b. Contingencies	15 9 .	194 1 10	10 . .	20 . .	3 5 . ✓
5. CONSERVANCY, ROAD CLEANING AND ROAD WATERING—			6,020 . .	5,740	5259 10
a. i. Establishment	2291 13 11 ✓		2320 . .	2,290 . .	2,265 4 . ✓
ii. Other charges such as purchase or hire of carts, dry earth, purchase and maintenance or hire of bullocks, &c. ..	2911 12 .		3150 . .	2950 . .	2537 12 4 ✓
b. Private scavenging—					
i. Establishment	243 4 . ✓		250 . .	240 . .	231 7 5 ✓
ii. Contingencies, such as cost of scavenging carts, &c. ..	8 7 .		10 . .	10 . .	. . .
c. Cholera charges	. . .		50 . .	. . .	. . .
d. Contingencies	138 12 2		240 . .	250 . .	225 2 3 ✓
&c., &c., &c. ..	15	5,594 4 1			
Total, Grant III ..		7,950 7 11	8510 . .	8830 . .	6,830 10 9

Statement II.—Expenditure from the Municipal Fund of the Town of Dindigul for the official year 1894-95—*cont.*

	Actuals 1894-95. Details of Minor Heads.	Actuals 1894-95. Totals of Major Heads.	Budget Estimate for 1894-95.	Revised Estimate for 1894-95.	Actuals, 1893-94 (audited figures.)
1	2	3	4	5	6
	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.
GRANT IV—(*Lighting and Miscellaneous Municipal purposes*)—					
1. LIGHTING—					
a. Establishment	1251 10 9	1251 10 9	1160 . .	1250 . .	1081 12 4 ✓
b. Contingencies					
2. i. MARKETS—					
a. Establishment	48 . . ✓		50 . .	50 . .	47 14 . ✓
b. Contingencies	33 5 9	81 5 9	50 . .	40 . .	30 10 4 ✓
ii. SLAUGHTER-HOUSES—					
a. Establishment					
b. Contingencies					
3. CHOULTRIES—					
a. Establishment					
b. Contingencies					
c. Feeding Travellers					
4. TRAVELLERS' BUNGALOWS—					
a. Establishment	138 . . ✓		140 . .	140 . .	137 . . ✓
b. Contingencies	28 3 9	166 3 9	30 . .	30 . .	11 15 10 ✓
5. AVENUES—					
a. Establishment	57 12 2 ✓		60 . .	60 . .	59 5 5 ✓
b. Contingencies	10 . .	67 12 2	10 . .	10 . .	. . .
6. PUBLIC GARDEN—					
a. Establishment					
b. Purchase of seeds, repair of well, purchase of bullocks, &c. ..	1 14 .	1 14 .	20 . .	10 . .	13 7 8 ✓
7. SURVEY OF LAND					
8. FIRE—					
a. Establishment					
b. Purchase of fire-engine, buckets, repairs, &c.					
9. OTHER CHARGES—					
i. Work done for private individuals other than private scavenging					
Carried forward ..		1,568 14 5	1520 . .	1590 . .	1382 1 7 ✓

Statement II.—Expenditure from the Municipal Fund of the Town of Dindigul for the official year 1894-95—*cont.*

	Actuals 1894-95. Details of Minor Heads.	Actuals 1894-95. Totals of Major Heads.	Budget Estimate for 1894-95.	Revised Estimate for 1894-95.	Actuals, 1893-94 (audited figures.)
1	2	3	4	5	6
	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.
Brought forward ..		1,568 14 5	1,520 - -	1,590 - -	1,382 1 7
GRANT IV—(*Lighting and Miscellaneous Municipal purposes*)—cont.					
9. OTHER CHARGES—*cont.*					
ii. Rewards for destruction of wild animals and snakes ..	16 8 -		20 - -	20 - -	14 6 - ✓
iii. Printing	350 - 11		350 - -	350 - -	306 6 8 ✓
iv. Compensation for lands ..	32 3 -		- - -	- - -	- - -
v. Other items	173 15 5	572 11 4	180 - - ✓	180 - -	31 - 70 ✓
Total, Grant IV ..		2,141 9 9	2,070 - -	2,140 - -	1733 14 1 ✓
GRANT V—					
a. General Establishment—					
i. Office Establishment ..	1175 11 10 ✓		1180 - -	1180 - -	1128 - - ✓
ii. Inspection					
b Collection of Municipal Taxes—					
i. Establishment	325 1 11 ✓		370 - -	330 - -	297 3 9 ✓
ii. Purchase of account books, paper, money-boxes, repair to out-posts, &c. ..	52 11 5		70 - -	70 - -	70 2 11 ✓
c. Collection of Tolls—					
i. Establishment					
ii. Contingencies	9 10 -		- - -	10 - -	- - -
d. Office contingencies other than (*b*) (ii)	249 2 3		250 - -	250 - -	244 7 11 ✓
e. Contributions for Central office and Audit establishments ..	100 - -	1,912 5 5	100 - -	100 - -	142 - - ✓
Total, Grant V ..		1,912 5 5	1,970 - -	1,940 - -	1881 14 7 ✓
REPAYMENT OF DEBT—					
a. Instalments paid during the year.					
b. Invested on account of Sinking Fund (Value of securities purchased)					
c. Charges of investment ..					
INTEREST—					
a. On account of last year ..					
b. ,, of current year ..					

Statement II.—Expenditure from the Municipal Fund of the Town of Dindigul for the official year 1894-95—*cont.*

	Actuals 1894-95. Details of Minor Heads.	Actuals 1894-95. Totals of Major Heads.	Budget Estimate for 1894-95.	Revised Estimate for 1894-95.	Actuals, 1893-94 (audited figures.)
1	2	3	4	5	6
	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.
Advances recoverable—					
a. Permanent					
b. Others					
Refunds of other than current collections ..	1 4 -	1 4 -	- - -	- - -	30 - - ✓
Discount					
Pensions and gratuities					
Investments—					
a. In Government securities for purposes other than Sinking Fund					
b. In Savings Bank					
Total Expenditure ..		26,319 7 4	27,000 - -	27,600 - -	23,145 10 11
Balances—					
a. Municipal Fund		7,780 3 6	7,600 - -	8,290 - -	9,098 12 7
b. Endowments					
c. Water-tax Fund					
Grand Total ..		34,099 10 10	34,600 - -	35,890 - -	32,244 7 6 ✓

NOTE TO STATEMENT II.

Position of the Municipality of Dindigul *on 31st March 1895.*

Liabilities	RS.			Assets	RS.		
Liabilities—				Municipal Balance.. { Cash	7,780	3	6
Balance of Loans	-	-	-	{ Securities			
Deposits to be adjusted	5570	5	5	Deposit Balance .. { Cash	55	-	-
Other Liabilities (in detail)				{ Securities	70	5	5
Allowance due to female apothecary from 1st July 1894	200	-	-	Sinking Fund of loans		-	-
Cost of medicines supplied to the women & Children's Hospital	575	-	-	Funded Capital of endowed institutions, Hospitals, &c.		-	-
Do Do to the Dr Chester Dispensary	150	-	-	Value of Premises, &c.	13,350	8	11
Contribution due to cutcherry establishment for 1894-95.	1	-	-	Do. of Tools and plant	25,395	-	-
Vaccination contingent charges for February 1895	13	12	3	Do. of Live stock	721	13	3
				Do. of Furniture	-	-	-
				Arrears of taxes, &c.	1,999	9	6
				Other assets (in detail)	1,940	1	6
				Building grant on account of High School	35	3	-
				Salary grant on account of the common Systematic Instruction	20	-	-
				District Board contribution on account of the women & children's hospital	300	-	-
				Refunds of expenditure on account of the plantain	148	2	3
				Claims— Total ..	30,559	13	6
				Advances Recoverable— Permanent advance			
				Advances for works, &c.	55	-	-
				Total ..	55	-	-
Total ..	7,910	1	8	Grand Total	43,965	6	5

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

Part I.—New Works.

No.	Project.	Amount of estimate.	Past expenditure.			Expenditure in 1894-95.			Remarks.
1	2	3	4			5			6
		Rs.	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.	
(a)	Communications								
1	Compensation paid for land taken up for opening a new lane at Nakahaikapaty.	-				57	8	-	
2.	Do Do in Reunion Line Street.	-	88	7	-	39	1	-	
3.	Tunnel Constructed over the drain in Mooniyappuram	150	-	-	-	136	11	10	
4.	Do to the east of Kallazundu Road	60	-	-	-	46	5	2	
	Maistry allowance	-				-	7	7	
	Total ..	210	88	7	-	280	1	7	✓
(b)	Buildings								
1	Balance paid for a tiled shed constructed at the Weekly Market place	500	140	11	1	280	12	10	
2.	Another new tiled shed (cart stand) erected at do	516				469	7	9	
3.	Corrugated iron latrine Constructed in South Street	102				97	7	1	
4.	Do at Poochiemunkanpatty	102				96	4	8	
5.	Maistry Allowance	-				4	5	5	
	Total ..	1,220	140	11	1	948	6	9	✓

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

Part I.—New Works—*cont.*

Number.	Project.	Amount of estimate.	Past expenditure.			Expenditure 1894-96.			Remarks.
1	2	3	4			5			6
		Rs.	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.	
(c)	Drainage								
1	Construction of U Shaped								
1	drain in Buffalomans St	200				131	10	4	
2.	Do U drain in Chettiaru Street	142				129	8	6	
3.	Do U drain in Lick measer's lane	80				76	15	8	
4.	Do U drain in Ramadier lane	60				57	1	3	
5.	Maistry allowance	-				5	8	6	
	Total ..	482	-	-	-	399	12	3	✓
(d)	Water-supply								
1	Constructing Sidewall to the new well on the road leading to the Railway Station	102				91	5	3	
2.	Petty works	-				6	4		
3.	Maistry allowance	-				2	9	5	
	Total ..	102	-	-	-	100	2	8	✓

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							Total mileage of roads, streets, lanes, &c., in the town. M. 22. Fr. 38. 40
1	Balance paid for repairing the Railway Station Road last year	1,200	-	-	271	6	6	
2.	Do do Main Road.	500	-	-	104	6	4	Metalled or Gravelled } 16-6-79. Unmetalled.
3	Repairing the Talay cutchery Road in Monnelypuram	259	-	-	250	9	7	Unmetalled. 5-10-81.
4.	Do road from the Trichy toll-gate, to the Railway Station Road past Municipal court	500	-	-	434	15	2	
5.	Do Nattam Road	200	-	-	160	9	4	
6.	Gravelling the South car Street.	200	-	-	184	7	4	Total mileage under maintenance. 16-6-79.
7.	Repairing the west car Street	200	-	-	169	4	2	
8.	Do the canal Road	150	-	-	136	7	6	Metalled or Gravelled } 16-6-79. Unmetalled.
9.	Do American Mission Church Road.	114	-	-	99	2	10	Unmetalled. Nil.
10.	Do the Central Road	300	-	-	273	-	1	
11	Do the tunnel at the junction of Baker's Lane	12	-	-	11	5	1	
12.	Do Maracayar's Lane at Belamore	100	-	-	69	.	.	
13.	Do the tunnel at the junction of Gopalasamudram	102	-	-	95	3	4	
14.	Do Muniappan Lane in Pension line Street	100	-	-	96	10	2	
15.	Do Village Munsif's Lane	36	-	-	28	5	11	
16.	Do the Side drain of the Main Street.	20	-	-	16	10	-	
17.	Covering the tunnel at the junction of the Temple Street	6			5	14	8	
18.	Repairing the tunnel at the junction of the Buffaloman's Street	114	-	-	99	9	6	
19.	Do the Pulney Road	170	-	-	151	3	6	
20.	Maintenance Material Supplies on the Market Road	30	-	-	21	8	8	
21.	» Melapuddy Road	25	-	-	19	14	6	
22.	» Nabalnaikanpuddy Road	40	6	-	37	2	1	
23.	» Weekly Market Road	25	-	-	22	9	5	
24.	» Nallagundu Road	35	12	-	29	8	3	
25.	» Madura Road	38	10	-	32	11	3	
26.	» Trichinopoly Road	40	-	-	36	9	2	
27.	» Main Road	34	-	-	31	10	11	
28.	» Pension line Road	33	-	-	29	6	1	
29.	» Railway Station Road	36	-	-	28	3	3	
30.	Sundry Repairs to Roads and Streets.	-	-	-	62	8	9	
31.	Maistry Allowance	-	-	-	26	5	9	
	Total ..	4,620	12	-	3,138	6	8	

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							
1	Repairing the High School							
1	Shed	100	-	-	93	14	3	✓
2	Partition walls to erected within the High School building.	110	-	-	105	9	1	✓
3.	Whitewashing the High School Building.	-	-	-	4	11	10	✓
4.	Repairing the Compound walls of the Common Gymnasium	44	-	-	34	13	8	✓
5.	Repairing the Rosque Lane Bayan Shed (Thatched)	17	-	-	14	8	8	
6.	Do the Cutcherie at Monnelypuram	26	8	-	25	-	5	
7.	Do the daily market building	250	-	-	201	12	4	
8.	Do the tiled Shed No: 7 at the Weekly market place	68	-	-	58	3	2	
9.	Extending do No. 5 at Do	132	-	-	127	6	8	
10.	Repairing the Travellers Bungalow	50	-	-	24	8	5	✓
11.	Do the Cutcherie at Nabalnaikanpatty	23	8	-	21	8	6	✓
12.	Maistry allowance	-	-	-	2	7	4	
	Total ..	821	-	-	714	8	4	✓

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	Repairing U shaped drain							
	in the mechanic Street	150	-	-	136	14	7	
2.	Do U drain in Bha-							
	zier's lane	46	-	-	34	15	11	
3.	Do U drain in Bakir							
	lane	100	-	-	94	5	3	
4.	Do V drain in Brahmin							
	backyard lane	150	-	-	147	11	9	
5.	Do U drain in Kolan-							
	dauelan lane	80	-	-	76	15	5	
6.	Do Do in Post office lane	120	-	-	110	11	5	
7.	Maistry allowance	-	-	-	7	-	10	
	Total ..	646	-	-	608	11	2	
(d)	Water-supply							
1.	Repairing the Frost tanks							
2.	Levelling the ground to the	150	-	-	146	2	7	
	east of Do—							
3.	Relinchding the side walls	25			15	6	6	
4.	Deepening the well South of				18	10	1	
	Nellupatty—							
5.	Repairing the well in Silk	80	-	-	67	4	8	
	mchant's lane at Nalachanthanpuy.							
6.	Deepening the well on the	102	-	-	101	7	2	
	Railway Station Road.							
7.	Do the well in the back of	118	-	-	66	9	8	
	Gopalasamudram and							
	Devarajan wells							
8.	Do pump at the public well	100	-	-	61	1	9	
9.	Cleaning silt from the Frost tanks	-	-	-	11	-	-	
10.	Do Varaicolum tanks	-	-	-	15	14	10	
11.	Do Gopalasamudram tank	-	-	-	20	-	-	
12.	Do from the well in the Maidan	-	-	-	11	14	7	
13.	Do Do in Seduy Street	-	-	-	3	8	-	
14.	Do Do Silvai Thannai lane,	15	-	-	13	7	6	
	Nellupatty.							
15.	Do Do Pagodatic coil street	6	-	-	6	-	-	
16	Do Do in Gopalasamudram	6	-	-	5	15	-	
	& Devarajan wells.	79	-	-	8	3	2	
17	Maistry Allowance	-	-	-	5	10	9	
	Total ..	681	-	-	570	2	1	

Statement II-B.—Details of Municipal Establishments.

—	Number.	Salary per mensem.			Salary per annum.		
1	2	3			4		
		Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.
GRANT I.—2. *c.* Drainage—							
Overseers							
Drain cleaners .. .. .. @Rs 5.	13	65	-	-	775	-	-
Total ..	13	65	-	-	775	-	-
Deduct Fines and Stoppages ..					16	10	1
Add arrears for last year paid this year ..							
Balance (Statement II) ..					758	5	11
d. Water works—							
Overseers							
Watchmen .. .. @Rs 3 ..	2	6	-	-	72	-	-
Do (night)	1	4	-	-	48	-	-
Pumping coolies @ Rs 6.	2	12	-	-	144	-	-
Total ..	5	22	-	-	264	-	-
Deduct Fines and Stoppages ..					3	9	10
Add arrears for last year paid this year ..							
Balance (Statement II) ..					260	6	2
3. General—							
Overseers	1	25	-	-	300	-	-
Maistries	1	Percentage			1½ o/o.		
Peon	1	5	-	-	60	-	-
Mile coolies @ Rs 4½	6	27	-	-	297	11	-
Chittals @ Rs 2½	4	10	-	-	105	6	1
Total ..	13	67	-	-	763	1	1
Deduct Fines and Stoppages ..					25	11	8
Add arrears for last year paid this year ..							
Balance (Statement II) ..					737	5	5

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

—	Number.	Salary per mensem.			Salary per annum.		
1	2	3			4		
GRANT II.—EDUCATION—		RS.	A.	P.	RS.	A.	P.
1. TRAINING SCHOOLS—							
Pupils receiving scholarships	1	1	-	-	2	7	9
Total ..	1	1	-	-	2	7	9
Deduct Fines and Stoppages ..							
Add arrears for last year paid this year ..							
Balance (Statement II) ..					2	7	9
2. MUNICIPAL SCHOOLS—							
a. On the Salary System—							
Head Master	1	80	. .		960	. .	
1st Assistant Master	1	40	. .		480	. .	
2nd " "	1	30	. .		360	. .	
3rd "	1	30	. .		360	. .	
4th "	1	20	. .		240	. .	
5th "	1	14	. .		168	. .	
Sanskrit Pandit	1	14	. .		168	. .	
Peon	1	5	. .		60	. .	
Sweeper	1	2	. .		24	. .	
Watchman	1	2	. .		24	. .	
Total ..	10	237	. .		2,844	. .	
Deduct Fines and Stoppages ..							
Add arrears for last year paid this year ..					5	9	10
Balance (Statement II) ..					2,838	6	2

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

—	Number.	Salary per mensem.			Salary per annum.		
1	2	3			4		
GRANT II.—EDUCATION—*cont.*		RS.	A.	P.	RS.	A.	P.
b. On the Salary Result System—							
Mohamedan S. P. School—							
Headmaster	1	12	-	-	144	-	-
1st Assistant Master.	1	9	-	-	108	-	-
2nd do	1	5	-	-	60	-	-
Hindustani teacher.	1	7	-	-	84	-	-
Peon	1	3	-	-	36	-	-
Panchama. S. P. School—							
Headmaster	1	8	-	-	96	-	-
1st Assistant Master	1	4	-	-	48	-	-
Total ..	7	48	-	-	576	-	-
Deduct Fines and Stoppages ..							
Add arrears for last year paid this year ..					3	13	5
Balance (Statement II) ..					5	8	-
					577	10	7

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

—	Number.	Salary per mensem.			Salary per annum.		
1	2	3			4		
		RS.	A.	P.	RS.	A.	P.
GRANT II.—Education—*cont.*							
6. Inspection—							
Inspecting schoolmaster	1	√ 20			√ 240		
Total ..	1	√ 20			√ 240		
Deduct Fines and Stoppages ..					-	-	-
Add arrears for last year paid this year ..							
Balance (Statement II) ..					240		
7. Gymnastic Instructors	1	12			√ 144		
Total ..	1	12			√ 144		
Deduct Fines and Stoppages ..							
Add arrears for last year paid this year ..							
Balance (Statement II) ..					144		

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

—	Number.	Salary per mensem.			Salary per annum.		
1	2	3			4		
		RS.	A.	P.	RS.	A.	P.
GRANT III.—Sanitation and Medical Services—							
1. Hospitals and Dispensaries—							
Medical Subordinates	Contribution	37	14	8	√ 465		
~~Midwife~~ Female apothecary ..	1	50			√ 550		
~~Midwife~~ Female Assistant ..	1	7			√ 77		
Clerk							
Compounder	1	7			√ 84		
Servants	1	3	8		√ 42		
"							
"							
Total ..	4	105	6	8	1,208		
Deduct Fines and Stoppages ..					-	-	-
Add arrears for last year paid this year ..							
Balance (Statement II) ..					1,208		

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

—	Number.	Salary per mensem.			Salary per annum.		
1	2	3			4		
		RS.	A.	P.	RS.	A.	P.
GRANT III.—SANITATION AND MEDICAL SERVICES—*cont.*							
3. VACCINATION—							
Vaccinators	1	18	.	.	216	.	.
Do. (stabling)	1	10	.	.	10	.	.
Peons	1	5	.	.	10	.	.
Calf Watchman	1	5	.	.	60	.	.
Total ..	4	38	.	.	296	.	.
Deduct Fines and Stoppages ..					1	5	4
Add arrears for last year paid this year ..							
Balance (Statement II) ..					294	10	8
4. REGISTRATION—							
Registrars	1	15	.	.	180	.	.
Peons							
Total ..	1	15	.	.	180	.	.
Deduct Fines and Stoppages ..					1	7	2
Add arrears for last year paid this year ..							
Balance (Statement II) ..					178	8	10

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

—	Number.	Salary per mensem.			Salary per annum.		
1	2	3			4		
		RS.	A.	P.	RS.	A.	P.
GRANT III.—SANITATION AND MEDICAL SERVICES—*cont.*							
5. *a.* "CONSERVANCY, ROAD-CLEANING AND ROAD-WATERING."—							
Nuisance Inspectors .. @Rs 20 ..	2	40	.	.	480	.	.
" Maistries @Rs 7½	2	15	.	.	180	.	.
" Do	1	6	.	.	72	.	.
Maistries .. .. @Rs 5 ..	3	15	.	.	180	.	.
Scavengers .. .. @Rs 3 ..	10	30	.	.	354	12	10
~~Sweepers~~ Do .. .. @Rs 2 ..	8	16	.	.	192	.	.
Sweepers @Rs 4½	16	72	.	.	864	.	.
Total ..	42	194	.	.	2322	12	10
Deduct Fines and Stoppages ..					30	4	11
Add arrears for last year paid this year ..							
Balance (Statement II) ..					2291	13	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 III.—Sanitation and Medical Services—*cont.*							
b. Private Scavenging—							
Inspectors							
Maistries							
Scavengers .. .. Rs 4	6	24	-	-	245	14	11
Total ..	6	24	-	-	245	14	11
Deduct Fines and Stoppages ..					2	10	11
Add arrears for last year paid this year ..							
Balance (Statement II) ..					243	4	-
GRANT IV.—Lighting and Miscellaneous Municipal Purposes—							
1. Lighting—							
Superintendents							
Masalchies							
Total ..							
Deduct Fines and Stoppages ..							
Add arrears for last year paid this year ..							
Balance (Statement II) ..							

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

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

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Nil

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

—	Number.	Salary per mensem.			Salary per annum.		
1	2	3			4		
		RS.	A.	P.	RS.	A.	P.
GRANT IV.—Lighting and Miscellaneous Municipal Purposes—*cont.*							
4. Travellers' Bungalows—							
Maty	1	7	.	✓	84	.	.
Servants	1	3	8	✓	42	.	.
✓ Cancy	1	1	.	✓	12	.	.
Total ..	3	11	8		138	.	.
Deduct Fines and Stoppages ..							
Add arrears for last year paid this year ..							
Balance (Statement II) ..					138	.	.
5. Avenues—							
Servants .. .. .. ✓ No 2 2.	2	5	.	✓	60	.	.
Total ..	2	5	.		60	.	.
Deduct Fines and Stoppages ..							
Add arrears for last year paid this year ..					2	3	10
Balance (Statement II) ..							
6. Public Garden—							
Gardeners					57	12	2 ✓
Leaveoth							
Total ..							
Deduct Fines and Stoppages ..							
Add arrears for last year paid this year ..							
Balance (Statement II) ..							

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

—	Number.	Salary per mensem.			Salary per annum.		
1	2	3			4		
		RS.	A.	P.	RS.	A.	P.
GRANT IV.—Lighting and Miscellaneous Municipal Purposes—*cont.*							
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 V.—*a.* General Establishment—							
i. Office—							
Manager	1	50	.	.	✓ 600	.	.
Clerks . . (Acting) ..	1	20	.	.	✓ 20	.	.
Sheriff	1	20	.	.	240	.	.
Temporary Record keeper ..	1	15	.	.	45	.	.
Accountants	1	10	.	.	✓ 120	.	.
Peons	1	8	.	.	✓ 96	.	.
Peon	1	6	.	.	✓ 72	.	.
Total ..	7	129	.	.	1193	.	.
Deduct Fines and Stoppages ..					17	4	2
Add arrears for last year paid this year ..					1175	11	10 ✓
Balance (Statement II) ..							
ii. Inspection—							
Chairman's salary or carriage allowance ..							
Total ..							
Deduct Fines and Stoppages ..							
Add arrears for last year paid this year ..							
Balance (Statement II) ..							

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

—	Number.	Salary per mensem.			Salary per annum.		
1	2	3			4		
		RS.	A.	P.	RS.	A.	P.
GRANT V.—*a.* General Establishment—*cont.*							
b. Collection—							
Clerks							
Bill Collectors .. .. @Rs 10	3	30	.	.	✓ 352	9	3
Peons .. .. .. @Rs 4	3	12	.	.	✓ 6	13	6
Total ..	6	42	.	.	✓ 357	6	9
Deduct Fines and Stoppages ..					36	7	4
Add arrears for last year paid this year ..					2	2	6
Balance (Statement II) ..					325	1	11 ✓
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* Dundigal

Abstract of Deposits Account for the year 1894-95.

	Rs.	A.	P.		Rs.	A.	P.
Balance brought forward ..	4,636	4	11				
1. Deposits by appellants	-	-	-	1. Credited to Municipal Funds ..	8,695	3	-
2. Deposits by renters	4,085	8	-	2. Returned to appellants	-	-	-
3. Deposits by contractors	575	4	-	3. Returned to renters	-	-	-
4. Deposits as security by municipal servants	-	-	-	4. Returned to contractors	456	-	-
5. Deposited for the execution of work for which private parties are liable..	-	-	-	5. Returned to municipal servants ..	-	-	-
6. Other deposits under the Act or bye-laws	486	2	-	6. Returned to parties	2	10	6
				7. Paid to claimants	-	-	-
Total, Receipts ..	5086	14	-	Balance ..	5570	5	5
Total, including balance ..	9723	2	11	Total ..	9723	2	11
				Total ..	41522	13	6

STATEMENT IV-A.—*Municipality of* Dindigal

Demand, Collection and Balance Statement for the year 1894-95.

Current.

Tax.	Demand as originally assessed by the Chairman.			Remitted by the Council on appeal.			Demand as finally settled (column 2 *minus* column 3).			Collected.			Remitted on account of vacant houses, &c.			Written off as irrecoverable.			Balance (column 4 *minus* columns 5, 6 and 7).		
	1			2			3			4			5			6			7			8		
	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.
1. Tax on arts, &c.																							
2. Tax on buildings	5746	13	-				5746	13	-	4673	5	6				152	-	-	9	5	-	1046	13	6
3. Tax on lands	335	2	6				335	2	6	102	1	6										233	11	-
4. Water-tax on buildings and lands ..																								
5. Tolls (gross receipts)	9,600	-	-				9,600	-	-	9,600	-	-												
6. Market rents	4,270	-	-				4,270	-	-	(a) 4,270	-	-												
7. Slaughter-house fees	550	-	-				550	-	-	(b) 550	-	-												
8. Rent of cart-stands																								
9. Private scavenging fees	281	11	-				281	11	-	281	11	-												
10. Other sources	393	4	-				393	4	-	(c) 376	12	-										16	4	-
Total ..	21177	5	6				21177	5	6	19857	14	-	152	-	-				9	5	-	1296	12	6

(a) Under Act 8 of 1892 ... 4,270

(b) " " ... 550

(c) " " ... 376 12

Statement IV-B.—Arrears.

—	Balance of old demand.	Arrears of previous year.	Total demand.	Collected.	Remitted.	Written off.	Balance (column 4 *minus* columns 5, 6 and 7).	Years to which the balance relates.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9

	RS.	A.	P.	RS.	A.	P.	RS.	A.	P.	RS.	A.	P.	RS.	A.	P.	RS.	A.	P.	RS.	A.	P.	A.	B.	C.	&c.
1. Tax on arts, &c.																									
2. Tax on buildings	69	9	3	1428	11	6	1498	4	9	1309	14	11	-	10	-	31	8	10	156	3	-	1822-93-4			
3. Tax on lands	1	5	-	136	11	6	138	-	6	81	9	6	-	-	-	1	5	-	65	2	-	-	93-4		
4. Water-tax on buildings and lands ..																									
5. Tolls																									
6. Market rents	22	-	-	-	-	-	22	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	22	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
7. Slaughter-house fees																									
8. Rent of cart-stands																									
9. Private scavenging fees	-	-	-	-	15	-	-	15	-	-	15	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
10. Rent of Land &c.	6	8	-	5	-	-	11	8	-	5	12	-	-	-	-	4	-	-	1	12	-	92-3	93-4		
11. Licence Fees.	18	-	-	37	-	-	55	-	-	17	-	-	-	-	-	38	-	-	-	-	-	-	-		
Total ..	117	6	3	1608	6	-	1725	12	3	1415	3	5	-	10	-	96	13	10	213	1	-				

* Less by annas 10 than last year's figure owing to error in addition

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

Taxes.	Warrants remaining unexecuted at the beginning of the year.		Warrants issued during the year		Total.		Warrants executed and warrants cancelled during the year.		Warrants remaining unexecuted at the close of the year.		Cancelled warrants on which no collections were made.		Collected after issue of warrants, but before distraint.		Property distrained, but not sold.		Property sold.	
	Number.	Amount involved.	Number.	Amount involved.	Number.	Amount involved.	Number.	Amount involved.	Number.	Amount involved.	Number of cases.	Amount involved.	Number of cases.	Amount.	Number of cases.	Amount realized on distraint.	Number of cases.	Amount realized by sale.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19

		RS.	A.	P.	RS.	A.	P.	RS.	A.	P.	RS.	A.	P.	RS.	A.	P.	RS.	A.	P.	RS.	A.	P.	RS.	A.	P.	RS.	A.	P.
1. Tax on arts, &c. ..																												
2. Tax on buildings ..	1302	1467	9	9	1362	1007	12	6	2664	2475	6	3	1752	1817	3	9	912	658	2	6	31	33	13	4	1685	1726	3	-
3. Tax on lands ..	152	138	-	6	-	-	-	-	152	138	-	6	76	82	14	6	76	55	2	-	1	1	5	-	73	79	9	6
4. Water-tax on buildings and lands.																												
5. Tax on vehicles with springs and palanquins ..	35	117	-	-	16	60	-	-	51	177	-	-	17	66	-	-	34	111	-	-	-	-	-	-	17	66	-	-
6. Tax on animals ..	738	438	12	-	174	132	4	-	912	571	-	-	684	396	12	-	278	174	4	-	142	80	12	-	479	307	-	-
Tax on carts, &c. ..																												
Total ..	2227	2161	6	3	1552	1200	-	6	3779	3361	6	9	2479	2362	14	3	1300	998	86	-	174	115	14	4	2254	2178	12	6

	RS.	A.	P.	RS.	A.	P.	RS.	A.	P.
1. Tax on arts, &c. ..									
2. Tax on buildings ..	43	40	-	6	8	28	2	11	
3. Tax on lands ..									
4. Water-tax on buildings and lands.									
5. Tax on vehicles with springs and palanquins ..									
6. Tax on animals ..									
Tax on carts, &c. ..									
Total ..									

2178 12 6
20 - -
98 - 11
2296 12 5

† The difference of Rs 4-4-6 between this and the amount given in the last year's statement is due to an error in addition in which certain wrong items were included.

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

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

Statement V-A.—Showing the Statistics of Municipal Schools in the Municipality of Dindigul for the official year 1894-95.

STATEMENT V-A.—Showing the Statistics of Municipal Schools in the Municipality of Dundee for the official year 1894-95.

Schools.	Number of schools: At the beginning of the year.	Number of schools: Opened during the year.	Number of schools: Closed in the year.	Number of schools: At the close of the year.	Number on rolls on 31st March 1895: Boys.	Number on rolls on 31st March 1895: Girls.	Average attendance throughout the year.	Receipts: Grants from Provincial Funds.	Receipts: Grants from Local Funds.	Receipts: School fees.	Receipts: Other receipts.	Receipts: Total.	Expenditure: Masters: Fixed salary (masters, clerks and servants).	Expenditure: Masters: Results grant.	Expenditure: Masters: School fees.	Expenditure: Contingencies and miscellaneous.	Expenditure: Total.	Net cost to Municipality.	Average net cost per pupil in each class of municipal schools.	Remarks.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21
I.—Colleges								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.	
II.—Upper Secondary Schools and Departments																				
(1) Municipal H. S.	1	-	-	1	24	-	23	855 5 7	- - -	848 12 6	- - -	1704 2 1	1942 13 5	- - -	- - -	33 5 4	1976 2 9	272 - 8	11 12 3	
(2) High School H. S.	1	-	-	1	53	-	44	- - -	- - -	* 897 16 -	- - -	897 16 -	895 8 7	- - -	- - -	66 10 8	962 3 5	65 1 11	1 7 8	
Total ..	2	-	-	2	77	-	67	855 5 7	- - -	* 1745 14 -	- - -	2601 3 7	2838 6 2	- - -	- - -	100 - -	2938 6 2	337 2 7	5 - 6	
Total of Colleges and Upper Secondary Schools and Departments ..																				
III.—Lower Secondary Schools and Departments																				
(a) Salary System—																				
(1)																				
(2)																				
(3)																				
Total ..																				
(b) Salary-results System—																				
(1)																				
(2)																				
(3)																				
Total ..																				
Total, Colleges and Secondary Schools.																				
IV.—Primary Schools and Departments																				
(a) Salary System—																				
(1)																				
(2)																				
(3)																				
Total ..																				

Nil

Nil

Nil

* These figures are by the 1-14—less than those furnished by the Asst. Inspector of Schools, & Dr. owing to the collection of that amount by the Headmaster on the 29th March 1895. Collected Rs 93-14-3

Rs 1,2 (6) Rs paid into the High School Fund Rs 93-14-3
Some fees collected by Head Master not accounted for
(Completion of Statement)
Total High School Fund collected - - 105-9-1
Whole amount being the High School Fund - 4-11-10
Balance - - 4-11-10
Rs 204-3-2

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Statement V-A.—Showing the Statistics of Municipal Schools in the Municipality of Dindigul for the official year 1894-95—*cont.*

Schools.	Number of schools.				Number on rolls on 31st March 189 .			Receipts.					Expenditure.						Net cost to Municipality.	Average net cost per pupil in each class of municipal schools.	Remarks.
	At the beginning of the year.	Opened during the year.	Closed in the year.	At the close of the year	Boys.	Girls.	Average attendance throughout the year.	Grants from Provincial Funds.	Grants from Local Funds.	School fees.	Other receipts.	Total.	Masters. Fixed salary (masters, clerks and servants).	Masters. Results grant.	Masters. School fees.	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
(*b*) Salary-results System—								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.	
(1)																					
(2)																					
(3)																					
Municipal Mohammedan Salary Results School	1	-	-	1	95	-	70	- - -	- - -	62 12 9	- - -	62 12 9	43 6 3	10 0 10	6 - -	80 6 6	617 4 10	554 8 1	7 14 9		
Panchama Salary Results School C	1	-	-	1	72	-	35	- - -	- - -	- - -	- - -	- - -	14 1 6 9	30 - -	- - -	33 3 6	204 10 3	204 10 3	5 13 6		
Total ..	2	-	-	2	167	-	105	- - -	- - -	62 12 9	- - -	62 12 9	57 7 10	130 10 6	- - -	113 10 0	821 15 1	759 2 4	7 3 8		
Total, Primary Schools ..	2	-	-	2	167	-	105	- - -	- - -	62 12 9	- - -	62 12 9	57 7 10	130 10 6	- - -	113 10 0	821 15 1	759 2 4	7 3 8		
Grand Total of all Schools and Colleges																					

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Foot-note to Statement V-A.

Number of Students from Municipal Schools and Colleges who appeared for and passed the several Examinations during the year.

Examinations.	Number of Pupils examined.	Number of Pupils passed.
First in Arts	0	0
Matriculation ..	6	2
Upper Secondary ..	0	0
Lower Secondary ..	7	2
Primary School ..	4	2
Infant Standard ..	17	14
First Standard ..	26	26
Second Standard ..	18	17
Third Standard ..	9	8
Fourth Standard ..	0	0
	74	67

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STATEMENT V-B.—Showing the Statistics of Aided Schools in the Municipality of Dindigul for the official year 1894-95.

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 1895: Boys.	Girls.	Number of pupils examined.	Number of pupils found qualified for grants.	Full amount of grant earned	Amount of such grant payable.	Amount disbursed: For current year.	For previous year.	Total.	Paid as salaries to masters.	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
									Rs. A. P.		Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	
GRANT-IN-AID.																
A. Result Grant (*i.e.*, Schools actually examined for results grants)—																Rate at which grants were paid.
(*a*) Secondary																
American Mission Lower Secondary School	1	-	-	1	94	-	35	23	241 4 -	- - -	241 4 -	- - -	241 4 -	- - -	241 4 -	
Total ..	1	-	-	1	94	-	35	23	241 4 -	- - -	241 4 -	- - -	241 4 -	- - -	241 4 -	
(*b*) Primary																
1. American Mission School	1	-	-	1	131	-	74	68	302 14 -	- - -	302 14 -	- - -	302 14 -	- - -	302 14 -	
2. Temple School	1	-	-	1	110	-	81	71	258 15 -	- - -	204 - -	- - -	204 - -	- - -	204 - -	
3. Union School	1	-	-	1	114	-	61	52	264 5 -	- - -	264 5 -	- - -	264 5 -	- - -	264 5 -	
4. Roman Catholic School	1	-	-	1	113	-	46	45	189 6 -	- - -	189 6 -	- - -	189 6 -	- - -	189 6 -	
5. Lutheran Mission School	1	-	-	1	57	-	36	31	75 1 -	- - -	75 1 -	- - -	75 1 -	- - -	75 1 -	
6. South Street School	1	-	-	1	29	-	22	16	47 - -	- - -	47 - -	- - -	47 - -	- - -	47 - -	
7. Béhanane School	1	-	-	1	52	-	30	23	47 5 -	- - -	47 5 -	- - -	47 5 -	- - -	47 5 -	
8. Rajakalpully School	1	-	-	1	86	5	33	33	125 11 -	- - -	125 11 -	- - -	125 11 -	- - -	125 11 -	
9. Mission Boys' School	-	1	-	1	25	-	13	10	15 4 -	- - -	15 4 -	- - -	15 4 -	- - -	15 4 -	
10. Dindigul night School	-	1	-	1	52	-	14	14	43 - -	- - -	43 - -	- - -	43 - -	- - -	43 - -	
11. Nakalmaikarapatty School	1	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	- - -	- - -	- - -	- - -	- - -	- - -	- - -	
Total ..	9	2	1	10	769	5	410	363	1,368 13 -	- - -	1,313 14 -	- - -	1,313 14 -	- - -	1,313 14 -	
Grand Total ..	10	2	1	11	863	5	445	386	1,610 1 -	- - -	1,555 2 -	- - -	1,555 2 -	- - -	1,555 2 -	

Maximum Rate

Statement V-B.—Showing the Statistics of Aided Schools in the Municipality of Dindigul for the official year 1894-95—*cont.*

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 1895: Boys.	Number on rolls on 31st March 1895: Girls.	Number of pupils examined.	Number of pupils found qualified for grants.	Full amount of grant earned.	Amount of such grant payable.	Amount disbursed: For current year.	Amount disbursed: For previous year.	Amount disbursed: Total.	Paid as salaries to masters.	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. Combined Grant Schools—									Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	
(*a*) Secondary									Nil							
Total ..																
(*b*) Primary																
									Nil							
Total ..																
Grand Total ..																
C. Salary Grant Schools—																
(*a*) Secondary									Nil							
Total ..																
(*b*) Primary ..									Nil							
Total ..																
Grand Total ..																

STATEMENT VI-A.—Showing the Budget Grants with subsequent Additions and Deductions for the Town of Dindigul for the year 1894-95.

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

Items of expenditure.	Original budget grant as sanctioned by Government.	Subsequent additions.	Subsequent deductions.	Total grant.	Authority for the additions and deductions shown in columns 3 and 4
1	2	3	4	5	6
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	
Entries as per Statement II wherever there is alteration					
Grant I, 1(a).	200 ..	90 ..	...	290 ..	Resolutions Nos: 4 dated 23-7-94 & 7 dated 13-8-94.
2(b).	750 ..	140 ..	...	890 ..	" Nos: 12 dated 8-10-94 & 11 (b) dated 2-11-94
2(b)i.	350 ..	160 ..	...	510 ..	" Nos: 8(b) dated 10-9-94 & 27 dated 11-2-95.
4.	40 ..	20 ..	...	60 ..	" No: 9(b) dated 26-11-94.
Grant II, 2 ii (a).	120 ..	...	10 ..	110 ..	" No 1(b) dated 30-3-95.
4.	1,600 ..	...	40 ..	1,560 ..	
2 ii (b)	80 ..	50 ..	...	130 ..	G.O. 6-5-95. No: 777 Rev. Inv:
Grant III, 1(a).	1,130 ..	80 ..	...	1,210 ..	G.O. 6-9-94, No: 1220 Rev. Inv:
1(d).	70 ..	20 ..	...	90 ..	Resolution Nos: 2(b) dated 13-8-94
5(d)	250 ..	...	10 ..	240 ..	
5(b)(i).	240 ..	10 ..	...	250 ..	G.O. 12-2-95, No: 218 Rev. Inv:
Carried over.	4,830 ..	570 ..	60 ..	5,340 ..	

Statement VI-A.—Showing the Budget Grants with subsequent Additions and Deductions for the Town of Dinajpur for the year 1894-95—*continued.*

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

Items of expenditure.	Original budget grant as sanctioned by Government.			Subsequent additions.			Subsequent deductions.			Total grant.			Authority for the additions and deductions shown in columns 3 and 4.
1	2			3			4			5			6
	RS.	A.	P.	RS.	A.	P.	RS.	A.	P.	RS.	A.	P.	
Brought forward	4,830	..		570	..		60	..		5,340	..		
Grant II, 11(b).	1,150	..		10	..	✓	..	..		1,160	..		✓ Resolution No: 9 10-12-94.
9 (d)	100	..		80	..	✓	..	..		180	..	✓	" No 8 (2) 25-6-94
Grant II, (a) (i)	1,130	..		50	..	✓	..	..		1,180	..		✓ G. O, 15-6-94 No: 755 M. Rev:
(b) (ii)	80	..		..	..		10	..	✓	70	..	✓	
(b) (i)	360	..		10	..	✓	..	..		370	..		✓ G. O, 4-3-95, No: 346 M. Rev:
Total.	7,650	..		720	..		70	..		8,300	..		
Balance	8,250	..		..	..		650	..		7,600	..		

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Statement VII.—Tolls.

Number of toll-gates.	Whether collection of tolls is leased out or managed departmentally.	Amount of collections.			Expenditure on: Works.			Establishment.			Contingencies.			Total.			Balance (column 3 *minus* column 7.)			Share due to the District Board.			Amount paid to the District Board.			Balance, if any, due to the District Board and date on which it was paid.		
1	2	3			4			5			6			7			8			9			10			11		
		RS.	A.	P.	RS.	A.	P.	RS.	A.	P.	RS.	A.	P.	RS.	A.	P.	RS.	A.	P.	RS.	A.	P.	RS.	A.	P.	RS.	A.	P.
6	Leased out.	9,600	..		..	..		..	..		9	10		9	10		9,590	6		3,196	12	8	2,196	12	8	nil		

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Statement VIII.—Loans.

ount of nd rate terest.	For what purpose and terms on which obtained and year in which taken.	Date of Government sanction.	Amount paid.			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.			
	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11
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.

Municipality.	Total Number of houses, as per census (occupied and unoccupied).	Number of houses on the municipal register out of the number in col. 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.
Municipality	4094	3559	420	142 12 -	1150	1040 3 -	897	2276 - -	141	1061 9 -	11	216 2 -	11	990 - -	2630	5746 10 -

142 12
1 50
897
141
11
11
2630
2276 - -
1061 9 -
216 2 -
990 - -
5746 10 -

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 paid.			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.
					Nil					

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

Name of Municipality.	Total Number of houses, as per census (occupied and unoccupied).	Number of houses on the municipal register out of the number in col. 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.
Indigub Municipality	4094	3559	420	142 12 -	1150	1040 3 -	897	2256 - -	141	1061 9 -	11	216 2 -	11	990 - -	2630	5746 10 -

142 12
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2256 - -
1061 9 -
216 2 -
990 - -
5746 10 -

1150
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Statement IX-A.—Showing the Incidence of the Tax on Arts.

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

Statement X.

1. Name of Municipality .. .. Dindigul
2. Population as per last census 20,203
3. Sanctioned number of Councillors { (a) Nominated .. .. 3 ; (b) Elected 9
4. Actual number of Councillors on 31st March 1895—
   - (a) Ex-officio 1
   - (b) Nominated { Officials .. .. - ; Non-officials 2
   - (c) Elected .. { Officials .. .. - ; Non-officials 9

   Total 12

   - (d) Europeans and Eurasians 3
   - (e) Natives 9
5. Total number of meetings actually held during the year 36
6. Number of meetings adjourned for want of a quorum .. .. Nil
7. Average attendance at each meeting *actually* held—
   - (a) Officials .. .. 1·33
   - (b) Non-officials 6

   Total .. 7

   - (c) Europeans and Eurasians 2
   - (d) Natives 5

   Total .. 7

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 .. ..

Leslie C. Miller esquire, Ag Sub. Collector of Madura was (elected) Chairman of the Municipal Council till 22nd April 1894 when Mr J. A. Cumming, Asst Collector took charge and officiated as Chairman till the 8th February 1895 when Mr Miller resumed charge and acted till the 5th March 1895 when M.R.Ry. T. Rajagopaul Nagadu garu assumed charge (elected 28-1-95. Gazetted 5-3-95) and continues the Chairman of the Dindigul Municipality

Statement X-A.—Showing the particulars of elections held in the Municipality of Dindigul in 1894-95.

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. North Street ward.		63	-	-	-	-
2. Agraharam ward		106	19-10-94	1	yes. 1	65
3. Bazaar Street ward (North)	20,203	82	do	1	do	-
4. Bazaar Street ward (South)		110	22-10-94	1	do	-
5. Vékambore ward		68	do	1	do	-
6. Nakalvaikaupatty Ward		61	25-7-94	1	yes. 1	45
7.						
8.						
9.						
10.						
Total ..	20,203	490	—	5	Contested 2	107

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 Dindigul for the year 1894-95.

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 1895.	Number of public latrines on 31st March 1894.	Number of latrines constructed in 1894-95.	Number of latrines demolished in 1894-95.	Number of latrines on 31st March 1895.	Number of lamps on 31st March 1894.	Number of lamps put up in 1894-95.	Number of lamps removed in 1894-95.	Number of lamps on 31st March 1895.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
3.	1. Meddy Market	Annual Contract	201	18	2	1	19	169	-	-	169.
	2. Ridy Market										
	3. Beef Market										
	4. Morgue Cum Bazaar.										

STATEMENT XII.—Showing particulars regarding the number of patients treated, &c., in the Town of Dindigul during the year 1894-95.

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
Women and Children's Hospital, Dindigul	-	10,235	10,235	Nil	3 (attended by the Apothecary)	
Dindigul Dispensary. American Mission	257	9,466	9,723	1. Sella Ammal 2. Annamalai Ammal.	78.	

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STATEMENT XIII.—Showing the Statistics of Vaccination and of Births and Deaths registered in the Town of Dindigul during the year 1894-95.

Number of births registered.	Number of deaths registered.	Number of prosecutions instituted for failure to register births or deaths.	Name of Medical subordinates and vaccinators performing vaccine operations.	Number of operations performed.		Number of successful operations.		Number of operations with animal lymph.	Number of successful operations with animal lymph.	Number of prosecutions instituted for failure to have children vaccinated.	Remarks.
				Below one year of age.	Above one year of age.	Below one year of age.	Above one year of age.				
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
			Medical Subordinates								
			1								
			2								
			3			Nil					
939	458	Nil	**Total** ..								
			Municipal Vaccinators								
			1 M. Soobramania Ayan	676	293	670	280	969	950	145	
			2								
			3								
			Total ..	676	293	670	280	969	950	145	
			Grand Total ..	676	293	670	280	969	950	145.	

Municipal Office
31st May 1895
Dindigul

J. Thyagaraja Mudaliar
Vice-Chairman.

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MUNICIPAL DEPARTMENT

1895.

ENCLOSURE No. 1

In a letter

FROM

The Chairman,

Municipal Council

Dindigul.

Madura District

No. 70

Dated 31st May: 1895.

Annual Statement of the Dindigul Municipality for the official year 1894-95.

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Statement No. 1 for 1894-95.

			Remarks.
Colleges ...	...	Government ...	
		Board or Municipal	
		Aided from Provincial Fund	
		Aided from Local or Munic	
		Unaided and Indigenous	
Secondary Schools	...	Government ...	
		~~Board or~~ Municipal	
		Aided from Provincial Fun	
		Aided from ~~Local or~~ Munic	
		Unided and Indigenous	
Primary Schools	...	Government ...	
		~~Board or~~ Municipal	
		Aided from Provincial Fun	
		Aided from ~~Local or~~ Munic	
		Unaided and Indigenous	
Training Schools	...	Government ...	
		Board or Municipal	
		Aided from Provincial Fun	
		Aided from Local or Munic	
		Unaided and Indigenous	
Sessional Schools	...	Government ...	
		Board or Municipal	
		Aided from Provincial Fun	
		Aided from Local or Munic	
		Unaided and Indigenous	
Industrial Schools	...	Government ...	
		Board or Municipal	
		Aided from Provincial Fun	
		Aided from Local or Munic	
		Unaided and Indigenous	

Note—1 *Where an institution is aided from* [illegible] *a larger grant from Provincial or Local (or Municipal) Funds*
2. *No comments should be made except*
3. *This statement should be submitted i*

(Initialled) H.

(Illegible)

Chairman
31-5-95

Statement No. 1 relating to General Statistics in Dindigul Municipality for 1894-95.

		1894.			1895.			Remarks.
		Number of Schools.	Number of pupils on 31st March.		Number of Schools.	Number of pupils on 31st March.		
			Boys.	Girls.		Boys.	Girls.	
Colleges	Government							
	Board or Municipal							
	Aided from Provincial Funds							
	Aided from Local or Municipal Funds							
	Unaided and Indigenous							
Secondary Schools	Government							
	~~Board or~~ Municipal	1	84	-	1	77	-	
	Aided from Provincial Funds							
	Aided from ~~Local or~~ Municipal Funds.	1	78	-	1	94	-	
	Unided and Indigenous							
Primary Schools	Government							
	~~Board or~~ Municipal	2	148	-	2	167	-	
	Aided from Provincial Funds							
	Aided from ~~Local or~~ Municipal Funds.	9	140	12	10	169	5	
	Unaided and Indigenous	13	399	14	11	367	25	
Training Schools	Government							
	Board or Municipal							
	Aided from Provincial Funds							
	Aided from Local or Municipal Funds.							
	Unaided and Indigenous							
Sessional Schools	Government							
	Board or Municipal							
	Aided from Provincial Funds							
	Aided from Local or Municipal Funds.							
	Unaided and Indigenous							
Industrial Schools	Government							
	Board or Municipal							
	Aided from Provincial Funds							
	Aided from Local or Municipal Funds.							
	Unaided and Indigenous							

The figures shown against Secondary Schools are Anglo Vernacular etc.
Municipal and aided Schools, Lower Secondary Grade.
Municipal Primary Schools are Upper Primary schools.
The Unaided Schools are of Anglo Vernacular Grade.
There is a Night School in the Municipality.
One Sanskrit School for two pandits.

Note—1. *Where an institution is aided from Provincial or Local (or Municipal) Funds, it should be shown aga*nst *Provincial or Local (or Municipal) according as it has received a larger grant from Provincial or Local (or Municipal) Funds*
2. *No comments should be made except as notes entered in the column of remarks.*
3. *This statement should be submitted in time to reach the Presidents of Local Boards or the Chairman of Municipal Councils concerned before the 1st May.*

(Initialled) K.

(Secretary)

Chairman

31-5-95

Statement No. III. giving particulars of Municipality for 1894-

Classes of Institutions.		
Government		
Unaided and Indigenous ...		

Note.—1. *In the Column of remarks it should be t.*
2. *No comments should be made except as*
3. *This statement should be submitted i*

(Initials)

STATEMENT NO. II SHOWING THE PROPORTION OF PUPILS OF THE GREAT CLASSES OF THE POPULATION UNDER INSTRUCTION TO CHILDREN OF SCHOOL GOING AGE IN Dindigul Municipality for 189

Classes of Population.	Population of school-going age.		Pupils under instruction.		Percentage.		Remarks.
	Boys.	Girls.	Boys.	Girls.	Boys.	Girls.	
Europeans and Eurasians	-	-	1	-	-	-	
Native Christians	249	265	106	-	42.5	-	
Mohamedans	174	164	254	25	145.9	15.2	
Hindus — Brahmans	-	-	152	-			
Hindus — Non-Brahman Caste Hindus	1,081	1,127	782	-	102.9	- 4.	
Hindus — Paraiyas and Kindred Classes... ...	-	-	179	5			
Others							

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(Initials)

Gnanaruthnagara Press Dindigul—7—94.

ing Staff employed in Dindigul municipality for 1894-9

mber with General Education ertificates.	Unpassed Teachers.	
1	1	No fixed Mess a Revenue of Rs 100 certificates teachers
1	1	and in receipt of Rs 100 Teachers passing Secondary Education
		certificate. The Municipality Contributed two provision
4		for training in Science of Rs 150 each
		The Municipality Schools are under
		Local Committee.
11	3	
2	8	

(illegible) K.

g teachers during the year under report had been carried ou

of Municipal Councils concerned before the 1st May.

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Classes of Population.

Statement No. III. giving particulars as to the qualifications of teach

Classes of Institutions.		Number of Teachers employed.	Number possessing Trained Teachers' Certificates.	Number possessing Untrained Teachers' Certificates.	N C
Colleges	Government				
	Board or Municipal				
	Aided from Provincial Funds				
	Aided from Local or Municipal Funds				
	Unaided and Indigenous				
Secondary Schools.	Government				
	~~Board or~~ Municipal	7	3	2	
	Aided from Provincial Funds				
	Aided from ~~Local or~~ Municipal Funds	6	2	2	
	Unaided and Indigenous				
Primary Schools.	Government				
	~~Board or~~ Municipal	6	2		
	Aided from Provincial Funds				
	Aided from ~~Local or~~ Municipal Funds	28	8	6	
	Unaided and Indigenous	11	1	-	

Note.—1. *In the Column of remarks it should be noted whether the provision made in the budget for trai*
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L. R. School

Statement No. IV Relating to the Results of the Grant Examinations in Dividpur Collegiate School for 1894-95

Standard.	1893-94 Compulsory Subjects only. Number of pupils presented for the Standard.	Number passed.	Merit.	Ordinary.	1894-95. Compulsory Subjects only. Number of pupils presented for the Standard.	Number passed.	Merit.	Ordinary.	Remarks.
VII. Standard or Lower Secondary Examination.									
VI. Standard									
V. Do.									
IV. Do. including Primary School Examination.	5	3	2	1	4	2	1	1	
III. Standard	4	4	4	.	9	8	5	3	
II. Do.	9	8	4	4	18	17	7	10	
I. Do.	12	11	11	.	26	26	13	13	
Infant Do.	10	10	10	-	17	14	10	4	

Name of subject.*	1893-94 Optional Subjects.				1894-95. Optional Subjects.			
English	16	13	11	2	13	12	6	6
					30	25	25	-
2nd Vernacular Hindustani	2	1	1	-	9	9	5	4
Geography	15	8	.	8	9	9	6	3.
Hygiene	5	1	1	.	52	1	-	51
Gymnastics	16	16	.	16	19	19	-	19
Action Songs.	-	-	-	-				

*Particulars should be given in the Remarks column of the Optional Subjects taken up by the pupils.

Result to Schools.

Statement No. IV Relating to the Results of the Grant Examination in Dindigul Municipality

Standard.	1893-94 Compulsory Subjects only. Number of pupils presented for the Standard.	Number passed.	Merit.	Ordinary.	Compulsory Subjects only. Number of pupils presented for the Standard.	Number passed.	Merit.	Ordinary.	Remarks
VII. Standard or Lower Secondary Examination.	6	2	-	2	5	3	..	3	
VI. Standard	12	4	-	4	11	11	.	11	
V. Do.	19	11	2	9	19	9	.	9	
IV. Do. including Primary School Examination.	71	52	24	28	58	41	5	36	
III. Standard	68	56	37	19	80	75	17	58	
II. Do.	97	79	55	24	101	92	27	65	
I. Do.	90	80	62	18	111	103	34	69	
Infant Do.	70	62	60	2	60	52	23	29	
					445	386			

Name of subject.*	1893-94. Optional Subjects.				1894-95. Optional Subjects.				
English	225	135	68	67	251	141	39	102	
2nd Language - Tamil	6	2	2	-	-	-	-	-	
Geography	142	65	19	46	117	57	2	55	
Hygiene	133	92	52	40	94	33	6	27	
History	98	24	7	17	41	7	-	7	
Mathematics	18	3	1	2	5	2	-	2	
Gymnastics					293	263	125	138	
Kindergarten								1	

The number in Optional Subjects exceeds the number in Compulsory Subjects as some pupils take more than one Optional subject.

In the Elementary Grade the examination in Gymnastics is compulsory.

In Kindergarten Grade there is no Optional subject.

MUNICIPAL DEPARTMENT

1895.

ENCLOSURE No. 2

In a letter

FROM

The Chairman,

Municipal Council

Dindigul.

Madura District

No. 70

Dated 31st May: 1895

Copies of the Educational statements Nos I to IV submitted by the Assistant Inspector of schools, 7th Div. for 1894-95.

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Statement No. 3

			Remarks.
Colleges ...	Government ...		
	Board or Municipal		
	Aided from Provincial F		
	Aided from Local or Mu		
	Unaided and Indigenous		
Secondary Schools ...	Government ...		
	Board or Municipal		
	Aided from Provincial		
	Aided from Local or Mu		
	Unided and Indigenous		
Primary Schools ...	Government ...		
	Board or Municipal		
	Aided from Provincial I		
	Aided from Local or M		
	Unaided and Indigenou		
Training Schools ...	Government ...		
	Board or Municipal		
	Aided from Provincial I		
	Aided from Local or Mu		
	Unaided and Indigenous		
Sessional Schools ...	Government ...		
	Board or Municipal		
	Aided from Provincial I		
	Aided from Local or Mu		
	Unaided and Indigenous		
Industrial Schools ...	Government ...		
	Board or Municipal		
	Aided from Provincial I		
	Aided from Local or Mu		
	Unaided and Indigenou		

Note—1 *Where an institution is aided fro* *d a larger grant from Provincial or Local (or Municipal) Funds*
2. *No comments should be made exce*
3. *This statement should be submitte*

ed J. Patterson.
Asst. Inspector of Schools
4th Range.

J Vaiyapuri
Chairman
31-5-95

Statement No. 1 relating to General Statistics in the

		1894		
		Number of Schools.	Number of pupils on 31st March.	
			Boys.	Girls.
Colleges	Government			
	Board or Municipal			
	Aided from Provincial Funds ...			
	Aided from Local or Municipal Funds			
	Unaided and Indigenous			
Secondary Schools ...	Government			
	Board or Municipal			
	Aided from Provincial Funds ...			
	Aided from Local or Municipal Funds.			
	Unided and Indigenous			
Primary Schools ...	Government		1	102
	Board or Municipal			
	Aided from Provincial Funds ...			
	Aided from Local or Municipal Funds.			
	Unaided and Indigenous			
Training Schools ...	Government			
	Board or Municipal			
	Aided from Provincial Funds ...			
	Aided from Local or Municipal Funds.			
	Unaided and Indigenous			
Sessional Schools ...	Government			
	Board or Municipal			
	Aided from Provincial Funds ...			
	Aided from Local or Municipal Funds.			
	Unaided and Indigenous			
Industrial Schools ...	Government			
	Board or Municipal			
	Aided from Provincial Funds ...			
	Aided from Local or Municipal Funds.			
	Unaided and Indigenous			

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ing Staff employed in the Bridgetb Municipality

Number with General Education Certificates.	Unpassed Teachers.	Remarks.

Signed J Patterson
Sub-Asst Inspector of Dist Schools
4th Range.
(Inspector)

31-5-95 R Robertson Chairman

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g teachers during the year under report had been carried out.

of Municipal Councils concerned before the 1st May.

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Statement No. III. giving partic

Classes of Institutions.	
Government ...	
Board or Municipal ...	

STATEMENT NO. II SHOWING THE PROPORTION OF PUPILS OF THE GRE
INSTRUCTION TO CHILDREN OF SCHOOL GOING AGE IN the

Classes of Population.	Population of school-going age.		Pupils under instruction.	
	Boys.	Girls.	Boys.	Girls.
Europeans and Eurasians				
Native Christians			-	6
Mohamedans				-
Hindus — Brahmans				58
Hindus — Non-Brahman Caste Hindus			-	54
Hindus — Paraiyas and Kindred Classes... ...				-
Others				
		1526	-	118

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 Cha*

Gnanaruthnagara Press Dindigul —7—94.

T CLASSES OF THE POPULATION UNDER
in dept 6 Municipality for 1894

Percentage.		Remarks.
Boys.	Girls.	
	7.7	6.6 for 1893-94.

(Signed) J. Patterson
Sub-Asstt. Inspr. of

an of Municipal Councils concerned before the 1st May.

(Countersigned) J. Wyne
31-5-94 The Chairm

Note.—1. *In the Column of remarks it sho*
2. *No comments should be made exc*
3. *This statement should be submi*

r the Chairm

Statement No. III. giving particulars as to the qualifications of teac

Classes of Institutions.		Number of Teachers employed.	Number possessing Trained Teachers' Certificates.	Number possessing Untrained Teachers' Certificates.	1895. Number of Schools.	1895. Number of pupils on 31st March. Boys.	1895. Number of pupils on 31st March. Girls.	Remarks.
Colleges	Government							
	Board or Municipal							
	Aided from Provincial Funds							
	Aided from Local or Municipal Funds ...							
	Unaided and Indigenous							
Secondary Schools.	Government							
	Board or Municipal							
	Aided from Provincial Funds							
	Aided from Local or Municipal Funds ...							
	Unaided and Indigenous							
Primary Schools.	Government	2	2					
	Board or Municipal							
	Aided from Provincial Funds							
	Aided from Local or Municipal Funds ...							
	Unaided and Indigenous							

Dindigul Municipality

1895.

Number of pupils on 31st March.

Number of Schools: 1

Boys: —

Girls: 118

Remarks.

Signed J. Patterson.
Asst. Inspector of Girls' Schools,
4th Range.

Note.—1. *In the Column of remarks it should be noted whether the provision made in the budget for tr*

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Municipal Councils concerned before the 1st May.

d a larger grant from Provincial or Local (or Municipal) Funds

(Dindigul)

Chairman
31-5-95

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Statement No. IV Relating to the Results of the Grant Examinatio

Standard.	1894 Compulsory Subjects only. Number of pupils presented for the Standard.	Number passed.	Merit.	Ordinary.	1895 Compulsory Subjects only. Number of pupils presented for the Standard.	Number passed.	Merit.	Ordinary.	Remarks.
VII. Standard or Lower Secondary Examination.									
VI. Standard									
V. Do.									
IV. Do. including Primary School Examination.									
III. Standard	3	2	-	2	5	1	-	1	Fair.
II. Do.	10	8	2	6	9	3	-	3	Fair
I. Do.	15	9	3	6	12	7	1	6	V. Fair
Infant Do.	25	9	8	1	22	8	-	8	Fair

Name of subject.*	1894 Optional Subjects.				1895 Optional Subjects.				
Object lessons	53	25	"	25	43	12	"	12	Fair
Occupations	50	40	15	25	43	34	"	34	Fair
Action Songs.	25	25	"	25	22	22	22	"	Good
Drill	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	
Needlework.	28	20	7	13	26	16	4	12	Fair
Geography	13	3	8	"	15	"	"	1	Poor
Hygiene	3	3	3	-	6	"	"	3	Fair.

*Particulars relating to optional subjects need not be shown by

Note.—1. This statement should be submitted in three parts when necessary, one for salary-result s
2. In the last column should be entered the remarks of the Inspecting Officer bearing direc
3. No comments should be made except as notes entered in the column of remarks.
4. This statement should be submitted in time to reach the Presidents of Local Boards or

s in Dividjnb Municipality

Signed J. Patterson
Sub-Inspector of Pri. Schools
(Incharge) A. Range

Magnificent
31-5-95 Schoolmaster

ds.
s, one for combined schools, and one for pure results schools.
the result.
hairmen of Municipal Councils concerned before the 1st May.

MUNICIPAL DEPARTMENT

1895.

ENCLOSURE **No.** 3

In a letter

FROM

The Chairman,

Municipal Council

Dindigul.

Madura District

No. 70

Dated 31st May: 1895

Copies of the Educational statements Nos II & IV submitted by the Inspectress of Girls' Schools, Southern circle for 1894-95

Extract from the Proceedings of the Dindigul Municipal Council passed at a Special Meeting held May 31st 1895. at 4.30. P.M.

Present:—

M. R. Ry. T. Rajagopaul Nayadu garu Chairman

J. W. Short Esquire. Councillor

M. R. Ry. S. S. Mohamed Ibrahim Saheb Avl. . . . do.

" S. P. Seethee Naik Avl. . . do.

" M. Arockiam Pillai Avl. . . do.

" M. N. Soolian Chettiar Avl. . . do.

" K. Ananthanarayana Iyer Avl. . do.

Read draft administration report and the annual Statement of the Dindigul Municipality for

for the official year 1894-95

prepared by the Chairman —

with all the enclosures.

The draft Report as amended

by the Council is passed.

/Signed/ T. Rajagopaul

Chairman

(True extract)

T. Rajagopaul.

Chairman

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MUNICIPAL DEPARTMENT

1895.

ENCLOSURE No. 6

In a letter

FROM

The Chairman,
Municipal Council
Dindigul.

Madura District

No. 70

Dated 31st May 1895

Copy of the Council's Resolution No: 1/31-5-95

Dindigul, Municipal Office
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Local & Municipal Dept.
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From,

M. R. Ry T. Rajagopaul Nayudu Garu
Chairman, Municipal Council,
Dindigul.

To,

The Chief Secretary
to Government
Fort St George.

(Through the Sub-Collector and Collector of Madura.)

Sir,

I have the honor to submit the report for the year 1894-95, on the administration of the Dindigul Municipality together with the following enclosures:

VI. Annual statements.

(2). Copies of the Educational statements Nos I to IV submitted by the Assistant Inspector of Schools, 7th Division.

(3). Copies of do do by the Inspectress of girls' schools, Southern circle.

(4). Copy of Dr Chester's report on the Pindigul dispensary.

(5). Copy of Dr Reeves' report on the women and childrens hospital, Pindigul dated 5th May 1895.

(6). Copy of the Council's Resolution No: 1/31-5-95

I. Constitution of the Council.

2- The strength of the Comcil is 12. On the 31st March 1895, all the members were on the Council. Of the said 12, three were Europeans and nine were natives; of the former, two were appointed by the Government and the other was ex-officio Councillor i.e, the Divisional Officer, and the latter were all elected. The sub-collector was the ex-officio official on the Council.

3- The office of Chairman was held by Mr Miller, the Sub-Collector (duly elected) till the 22nd of April 1894, when Mr Cumming succeeded him and held it ex-officio till the 8th February 1895, when Mr Miller resumed charge and officiated till the 5th March 1895, when I assumed charge as chairman-elect and continue to be as such.

4- During the year under review 5 Seats one in each of the 2nd, 3rd, 4th, 5th and 6th wards fell vacant and elections were held within the year for filling up the same. A contested election for the 6th ward was held on the 25th July 1894; elections for the 2nd and 3rd wards were conducted on the

the seat for the former alone
(4) was disputed; and those for the
4th and 5th wards were held
(5) on the 22nd idem. As there were
no rival candidates for these
wards, the seats were filled
up undisputed. The total number
of electors in all the 6 wards
(amounted to 490 against 520
last year. Statement IX. A
furnishes all these particulars.

5- The number of meetings
actually held is 36 (20 ordi-
nary and 16 Special) and
exceeds that of the previous
year by 3. No meeting was
adjourned for want of a
quorum; the average attendance
at each meeting was the same
as last year ie, 7. The Sub-Collector
attended in all 12 meetings.

II. Receipts.

6- Including the opening
balance of Rs 9,098-12-7,
the total receipts of the Municipality amounted to Rs 34,099-10-3 against Rs 35,990, the revised estimate and Rs 32,244-7-6, the actuals of the previous year. The decrease below the estimate is chiefly due to the non-realization of a larger amount expected from house and land tax, sale of lands, and the non-recovery within the year of the contribution from the Madura District Board on account of the women's hospital; and the increase over the actuals of the preceding year is attributed to the larger amount of opening balance. The causes of these differences are explained below Seriatim.

A- Receipts from taxation-

7- Statement I, Tax on buildings

	R. a. p.
Actuals of 1893-94 -	6,581-6-3
Revised Estimate for 1894-95 -	6,520-0-0.
Actuals of 1894-95 -	5989-4-5.

larger amount of arrears than those of the year under report — hence the difference. The short collections as compared with the estimate are due to the inefficiency of the bill collectors who were replaced by more competent men towards the close of the year under report. I had to make some special temporary arrangements for the better collection of this tax and thus recovered Rs 1,586-3-0 from the 23rd of February last when I was appointed Chairman-delegate. Of the total current demand of Rs 5,746-10-4, as per statement IV-A, Rs 4,679-5-6 have been collected; Rs 15-2-0 remitted; Rs 9-5-0 written off as irrecoverable and a balance of Rs 1,042-13-6 was left at the close of the year. Of

the arrear demand of Rs 1,098-
which is less than the addit
figures by annas 10 owing
mistake in addition, Rs 1,309-
have been collected; Annas
remitted; Rs 31-8-10 written
off as irrecoverable and Rs
156-3-0 remained uncollec

The mode of estimating the
annual rental of buildings
for purposes of assessment is
given in detail in the note to
Statement I - The house tax
registers were last revised
in the year 1892-93.

Actuals of 1893-94 — Rs 109-5-0.

Revised estimate for 1894-95 — 380-0-0.

Actuals of 1894-95 — 183-11-0.

8. Tax on lands — All the vacant house sites in the town have been measured and assessed for the 2nd half of the year under report at one anna for every 80 square yards, — the rate fixed by the Council in its Resolution

No 3
12-11-94

which fetched a sum of Rs 115-6-6. In the case of cultivated lands the usual method of calculating annual rental upon a multiple of the Government Kist was adopted which yielded ₹ 220-6-0— thus the total demand under this head aggregated Rs 335-12-6 of which, Rs 102-1-6 have been realized and the balance remained uncollected at the end of the year. Of the arrear demand of Rs 138-0-6, ₹ 81-9-6 were collected; ₹1-5-0 written off and ₹ 55-2-0 were left as balance. The collections fell short of the estimate by ₹ 196-5-0 owing to the late date at which the vacant house sites were brought to assessment and to the

of experience of the new bill-collector who took some days for finding out the land-owners. The total extent of assessed land is 835 acres and 25 cents. The registers of cultivable lands are being revised up the current year as they were last revised in 1889-90.

	Rs
Actuals of 1893-94	276-0-0
Revised Estimate for 1894-95	400-0-0
Actuals of 1894-95	361-8-0

9. Tax on Vehicles — The increase over the actuals of the previous year is due to increase in the number of vehicles liable to be taxed and the outstanding arrears still remain to be realized effected the falling off under estimate.

	Rs
Actuals of 1893-94	1,107-12-0
Revised Estimate for 1894-95	1,300-0-0
Actuals of 1894-95	1,341-8-0

10. Tax on Animals — Prompt collection especially in the latter part of the year under this head both under arrear and current demand

enhanced the receipts over the estimate and the actuals of the previous year.

11. Tax on carts — The levy for the first time of tax on the dust and night soil carts belonging to the contractors enhanced the receipts over last year; but a decrease in the total number of carts reduced the tax somewhat below the estimate owing to the removal of a few carts by the owners to the adjacent gardens and fields.

Actuals of 1893-94 —	Rs. 713-0-0
Revised Estimate for 1894-95 —	800-0-0
Actuals of 1894-95 —	776-0-0

12. Coercive Processes — Coercion was resorted to during the year under review in the case of the tax on buildings, vehicles and animals. 1,552 warrants for the realization of Rs 1,200-0-6

against 4,034 for Rs 4,334-5-6 in 1893-94 were issued - including 2,227 old warrants covering a sum of Rs 2,161-6-3 that remained unexecuted at the end of the previous year the total number of warrants was 3,779 involving an aggregate sum of Rs 3,361-6-9. 174 of this number were cancelled by remissions granted by the Council for Rs 115-14-4. and 2,305 warrants were executed within the year effecting a recovery of Rs 2,246-15-11 of which, 43 cases by Rs 40-0-6 were cases in which property was distrained but not sold; and in 8 cases the distrained property was sold for Rs 28-2-11; 1,300 warrants for Rs 998-8-6 remained unexecuted at the end of the year. Appendix

to statement IV. A and IV. B

furnishes these particulars in detail. No prosecution was instituted for the recovery of any tax during 1894-95.

13- Tolls — The farm was leased out as usual for Rs 9,600-0-0 against Rs 9,650-0-0 in 1893-94. A sample toll board was made at a cost of Rs 9-10-0. Deducting this Sum from the total receipts, one-third of the remainder viz: Rs 3,196-12-8 was contributed to the Madura District Board - No expenditure was incurred on the repair or construction of toll gates, printing tickets, &c - The number of toll gates remained the Same

	Rs	P
Actuals of 1893-94 —	6,454	9-1
Revised Estimate for 1894-95 -	6,400	-0
Actuals of 1894-95 -	6,403	3-4

as last year viz: 6.

14- Incidence of taxation — average incidence per hea of the population including and excluding tolls is ann 11-11 and annas 6-10 again annas 12-1 and annas 6- respectively in the previous year.

B- Miscellaneous Receipts

15- Realization under Specia

Acts — Licenses issued unde Act II of 1888 alone fetche the sum noted in the margin

	Rs	P
Actuals of 1893-94-	20	-0
Revised Estimate for 1894-95.	50	-0
Actuals of 1894-95.	50	-0

16- Revenue derived from

	Rs	P
Actuals of 1893-94-	639	7-6.
Revised Estimate for 1894-95-	600	-0
Actuals of 1894-95.	551	11-6.

Municipal property Rs (4) (a) —

Diminished receipts from rent of lands avenues and the Travellers' Bungalow effected the difference as per margin.

The demand under rent of lands

both arrear and current amounted to Rs 404-12-0 of which, Rs 382-8-0 were realized, annas four remitted, Rs 4 written off as irrecoverable and Rs 18 remained uncollected.

17. (4) (4) — Some Lands were sold last year which augmented the receipts of that year. The Council's claim to certain lands at Bégambur's has been disputed in G.O, 26th April 1895, No 702 In. Insc. These lands were proposed to be sold to certain individuals who have already deposited the sale amount with the Council pending Sanction of Government - The matter is now pending before the Council and the consequent non-adjustment

Actuals of 1893-94 — Rs 122-10-5
Revised Estimate for 1894-95 — 270-0-0
Actuals of 1894-95 — 44-14-

of the above deposits accounts for the falling off of the [illegible] estimate.

Actuals of 1893-94 — Rs 54-0-0
Revised Estimate for 1894-95 — 90-0-0
Actuals of 1894-95 — 86-0-0

18. (4) (c) — Due publicity and the agricultural and other classes of people was given about the sale of sweepage which yielded Rs 86-0-0 against Rs 54 in the preceding year.

Actuals of 1893-94 — Rs 1,937-2-6
Revised Estimate for 1894-95 — 1,920-0-0
Actuals of 1894-95 — 1,808-10-9

19. (4) (d) — These figures represent fees collected from the Municipal High and the Muhammadan Salary Results schools - Rs 1745-14 from the former and Rs 62-12-9 from the latter were collected against Rs 1,869-14-0 and Rs 55-10-6 respectively in the year previous. The decrease in the former is due to a slight falling off in the strength of the High School. This is chiefly due to the existence

of High schools and Colleges of established reputation in the cities of Madura and Trichinopoly which are within a distance of two or three hours run by railway from this town.

20. 4 (c) — Medicines sold at the women and Children's hospital fetched Rs 1—2—0 during the year under review.

		Rs As P
Actuals of 1893-94 —		Nil
Revised Estimate for 1894-95 —		10—0—0
Actuals of 1894-95 —		1—2—0

21. (1) (f) — Want of brisk competition owing probably to the loss sustained by the previous years renters, at the sale of the four markets and two slaughter houses shown in Statement XI

		Rs As P
Actuals of 1893-94 —		5,647-4-3
Revised Estimate for 1894-95 —		4,850—0—0
Actuals of 1894-95 —		4,826-3-11

decrease below the actual income of last year. The current demand as per Statement IV-A was fully recovered and the arrear demand of Rs 22—0—0 shown in statement IV, B had to be written off on account of the proved paupers of the defaulter. The markets and the slaughter houses are, as usual, being supervised by the ward Councillors. There was no change in the rate of fees collected at the weekly market which ranged from 1 pie to 1 anna, nor was there any alteration in the rate collected at the slaughter houses. It was one anna for a sheep or goat and four annas for a bullock slaughtered. The net income from markets after deducting the charges incurred under Grant I, (b)

to Rs 3,050-2-2 against Rs 4,392-7-9 and that from the slaughter houses to Rs 552-8-7 against Rs 699-4-2 in 1893-94.

22. (4). (g) — No fixed demand was raised under this head during the year under review. Non-realization of the full amount due for 1894-95 of which almost Rs 116 still remain to be recovered besides the sum of Rs 31 collected during the current year, diminished the receipts far below the estimate and the actuals of 1893-94. Prosecutions under Section 189 of the Municipal Act were instituted in 47 against 13 cases last year of which, 5 were disposed of within the year and the rest pending. The Special Magistrate

Actuals of 1893-94 — Rs 533-12-0
Revised Estimate for 1894-95 — 540-0-0
Actuals of 1894-95 — 439-9-8

speedy disposal of the cases. Payment of license fees in advance will invariably be insisted upon as directed by Government.

Actuals of 1893-94 — Rs 27-15-0
Revised Estimate for 1894-95 — 120-0-0
Actuals of 1894-95 — 139-0-6

23. (4) (h) — The increase in both cases is conspicuous and exhibits more vigilance especially on the part of the Police in prosecuting cases for committal of nuisances.

Actuals of 1893-94 — Rs 536-8-1
Revised Estimate for 1894-95 — 1110-0-0
Actuals of 1894-95 — 965-0-7

24. (5). (a) — Arrear grant on account of the High school recovered during the year under review increased the amount of grants over the actuals of the previous year, while the non-recovery of the building grant, for which an application has been submitted in the current year owing to the late date at which the

work was completed, over estimate in Salary grants for 1894-95 and the non-realization within the year of a portion of grant on account of the gymnastic Instructor contribute to the decrease from the estimate.

25. 5.(a)(iii) — The contribution due for 1893-94 was not received within the year and the figures as per margin represent two years' grants. This is realized from a Chuttram endowment for water supply purposes.

Actuals of 1893-94 — [illegible]
Revised Estimate for 1894-95 — 270-0-0
Actuals of 1894-95 — 267-1-0

26.(5)(b)(ii) — Non-recovery within the year of the contribution due by the Madura District Board on account of the women & children's hospital caused the decrease noted. The actual receipts are the contributions received from the Dindigul Taluq Board on account of the same hospital

Actuals of 1893-94. — [illegible]
Revised Estimate for 1894-95 — 870-0-0
Actuals of 1894-95 — 438-11-10

Actuals of 1893-94 — 337-10-0
Revised Estimate for 1894-95 — 300-0-0
Actuals of 1894-95 — 285-10-0

27.(b).(a) — The number of private houses Scavenged by the Municipal agency increased from 1636 on the last day of the year but the fees collected fell from Rs 337-10-0 to 285-10-0. This is apparently due to a decrease on an average of 32 in the number of houses Scavenged in each of the 1st three quarters as compared with the corresponding quarters of 1893-94. The increase noted above was effected in the last quarter of the year under report. The private Scavenging system is unpopular and the unpopularity is no doubt due to inefficient supervision on the part of the Sanitary Inspectors especially in the 1st Division over this branch of their work. They have been sufficiently reprimanded and some improvement has been effected in this direction

in the current year. The arrear and current demand under this head has been fully realized - 79 notices against 20 in the preceding year were issued for keeping the filthy and insanitary premises clean. No prosecutions were instituted on this account during the year under review.

28. (a) (b) — The proposed recovery from Syed Mohamed, Normal student of the stipends he received from the Municipality consequent on his refusal to serve the Council for the stipulated period was not effected within the year as was expected which accounts for the difference between the actuals and the estimate for the year under review - Steps are being taken to effect-

Actuals of 1893-94 — 493-2-11

Revised Estimate for 1894-95 — 30-0-0

Actuals of 1894-95 — 30-0-0

Actuals of 1893-94 — 8-15-8

Revised Estimate for 1894-95 — 60-0-0

Actuals of 1894-95 — 2-2-0

the recovery in the current year.

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29. (7) (d) — Details of the Advances for 1893-94 are given in para 28 of the last year's report. The figure for 1894-95 is comprised of the following items.

Advances recovered from Pleader Mr Whitley — Rs 15-0-0

Do from Committee Bibby Muthu Naik & Co — Rs 10-0-0

Do from a painter - Rs 5-0-0

III — Expenditure.

30 — The charges of the Municipality aggregated to 26,319-7-4 against Rs 27,600, the estimate for the year and Rs 23,145-10-11, the actuals of the previous year. The short expenditure as compared

with the estimate is due to certain allotments under Grants I + III not having been spent fully and the increase over the actuals of last year is due chiefly to larger outlay under Grants I, III + IV. These differences are fully explained below

31. Grant I, Public works — Rs Nayanks —

	Rs	a	p
Actuals for 1893-94	1129	3	0
Revised Estimate for 1894-95	1750	0	0
Actuals for 1894-95	1728	6	3

The decrease from the estimate is small and relates to savings in the estimates and the increase over the actual expenditure of 1893-94 is due principally to a larger amount spent on new tiled sheds at the weekly market place which includes arrear payment made for work done during the last year. Compensation amounting to Rs 96-9-0 for lands taken up for opening lanes at Nagulnaikenpatty and Sowrimuthie

Street was paid to the parties concerned through the Collector's department; a tunnel over a odai in Mounsey Param and another to the east of the Bazaar gundu road were constructed for Rs 183-1-0. A sum of Rs 750 including arrear payment alluded to above was spent in the construction of 2 new tiled sheds at the weekly market place; two new corrugated iron latrines were erected in the South Street in the place of the one demolished and a Poochinaikenpatty at a cost of Rs 193-11-9. V + U shaped drains were provided for the buffaloemen's Street, the dhoby part of the Chettiar Street, silk weavers' and Kannadiar lanes for Rs 394-3-9. Rs 97-9-3 were spent for erecting side walls to the new well sunk on the road leading to the Railway station with petty works. A sum of

of Rs 12-14-11 was paid under this head to the Mistry employed under the Municipal overseer in the shape of an allowance at 1½ per cent of the working estimates.

32. (2) Repairs (including 3. Establishments + 4. Tools, &c) – Larger outlay especially under repair of communications and buildings and under (3) Establishments swelled the expenditure over that of the last year and the non-utilization of the allotments in full under the first two heads alluded to above and under repair to Drainage works diminished the charges below the estimate to the extent of Rs 355-12-5. The estimate for repair of communications was Rs 3,300 of which, Rs 3,138-6-8 were spent and the balance remained

Actuals for 1893-94 — 5755-15-5
Revised Estimate for 1894-95 — 7,200-0-0
Actuals for 1894-95 — 6844-3-7

remained as savings which were effected in inviting tenders or estimates for the repairs. This outlay plus the amount spent under Grant I, 1(a) bears 53.4 percent to the revenue from tolls, the prescribed limit being 50 percent. Statement II-4 Part II. (a) from which the Several roads, streets and lanes repaired by the Council will be seen, shows that the total mileage of roads remained the same as last year viz: 22 miles and 40 yards of which, 16 miles, 6 furlongs and 79 yards were metalled or gravelled which are maintained by the Council, and the rest are mere earth roads. The condition of the roads and streets is

generally very good except a few lanes which require metalling or gravelling. Under buildings Rs 239-0-10 were spent in improving the High school buildings and the Common Gymnasium. Rs 426-15-3 for improving the Market buildings; Rs 24-8-5 for repairing the Travellers' Bungalow; Rs 21-8-6 for repairing the latrine at Nagulnaikenpatty and Rs 2-7-4 were paid for maistry allowance. Drains of different shape in the West car street and the Brazier's, Baker's, Brahmin backyard, Kolandai Velan's and the Post Office lanes were mended at a cost of Rs 608-11-2. The establishment charges under this head amounted to Rs 758-5-11. Scarcity of water was so keenly felt in the latter part of the year under report that several tanks and wells had to be cleaned and deepened and

and some repaired which entailed an expenditure of Rs 570-2-1 in addition to the charges incurred on account of establishment and contingencies amounting to Rs 267-4-10. Under 3+4 a sum of Rs 786-12-7 against an estimate of Rs 800— has been spent.

	Rs—a—p
Actuals for 1893-94	5,784-1-1
Revised Estimate for 1894-95	5,740-0-0
Actuals for 1894-95	5,741-2-5

33. Grant II, Education — The difference in both cases as per margin is immaterial. Rs 2-7-9 were paid for a portion of the stipends to a normal student who was paid from Provincial Funds. No student was trained from Municipal funds during the year under report. The charges of the High school establishment and contingencies amounted to Rs 2,938-6-2 against an estimate of Rs 2,940 and 2,866-11-3, the actuals of the previous year. After deducting school-fees and Government grants, the net cost to the council on this account

was Rs 337-2-7 excluding the
cost incurred in repairing
the High School buildings which
amounted to Rs 204-3-2 - Of
the 6 students who were sent
up for the matriculation
and 7 for the Lower Secondary
examinations, 2 in the former
and 2 in the latter passed
against 10-1 and 8-8 respectively
in 1893-94. The results of
the matriculation examination
may be said to be fair but
the same cannot be said
in regard to the Lower
Secondary examination - The
falling off in attendance
and the consequent reduction
in the fee income with the
unfavourable result in the
Lower Secondary examination
show a state of things which,
I am sorry to observe, is not
very Satisfactory. The Council
in its Resolution No: 8
23-7-94

resolved to maintain this
institution permanently -
the teachers concerned do
not work up with greater
care and zeal to make the
institution attractive, the
permanent continuance
thereof will be considered at
the time of the Budget. In-
crease in the strength (167
against 148) of the Muham-
madan and Panchama Salary
Result Schools, which cost
the Council Rs 759-2-4 against
Rs 635-3-7 in 1893-94, is
noted with satisfaction. The
excess expenditure is due to
the employment of the Hindu-
tani teacher throughout the
year and to the larger
amount paid for Result-
stipends. 2 out of 4 who
appeared for the Primary

was Rs 337—

school examination, 14 out of 17
in the Infant standard, 26
out of the same number in
the 1st standard, 17 out of 18
in the 2nd, and 8 out of 9
in the 3rd standards passed—
a result creditable to the
teachers and the Inspecting-
schoolmaster concerned. Results
grants at the maximum
rate amounting to Rs 1,555-2—
against an estimate of Rs 1,600
and the actuals of the same
amount last year were paid
to 11 aided schools against
the same number in 1893-94,
but the number of these schools
was increased by 1 over that
on the 31st March 1895, by 1 over that
of the corresponding date of last
year. Of the total amount
spent for Results grants,

Lower Secondary school
Rs 1,313—14— to [illegible]
The strength of the [illegible]
schools rose from 818 to 86
The number of unaided a
indigenous schools fell
13 to 11 with a decline in
strength from 399 to 367, i
367.
the preceding year. It is
noted with regret that
there are still 13 unpassed
teachers employed in the
several municipal aided
and indigenous schools. As
to the remarks of the Assistant
Inspector in the last column
of statement No: III, I have to
invite his attention to para 5(2)
of G.O, dated 23rd February 1893,
No 247 In from which, it will
be seen that the Government
struck out the provision made
under this head to [illegible]

in consideration of the very high percentage devoted to Education. The training of teachers should therefore be met from the Provincial Funds and it would be better if steps are taken for training some of the unpassed teachers during the current year. Under Inspection a sum of Rs 260-2-5 has been spent against an estimate of Rs 260 and the actuals of Rs 259-12-3 in the preceding year. The estimate under Miscellaneous was Rs 160 and the actual expenditure Rs 163-1-0 against Rs 184-7-8 in 1893-94. Larger outlay under contingencies during 1893-94 increased the charges of that year. The strength of the Government Girls' School was 118 against 102 last year.

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There were also under instruction 5 against 14 girls in the aided and 25 against 14 in the unaided schools — thus the total number of girls under instruction in the recognised schools was 123 against 114 in 1893-94. The total charge on education bear 28 per cent against 26.9 in the previous year to the receipts from taxation, marketo and rents.

Actuals of 1893-94 — 802-7-8
Revised Estimate for 1894-95 — 2,190-0-0
Actuals of 1894-95 — 1,385-12-9

34- Grant III, Sanitation. (1) Hospitals and Dispensaries — The charge on account of the women's hospital for the full year account for the increase over last year. Non-payment of the allowance of Rs 25 per mensem to the female apothecary which is pending before Government (Vide letter No: 41 dated 2nd May 1895) and the non-utilization of the allotment in

full for medicines and
supplies owing to the non-receipt
within the year of the demands
therefor diminished the charges
below the estimate by Rs 804-3-3.
From the female apothecary's
report herewith submitted
it will be seen that a total
number of 10,235 cases were
treated of which, 4,194 were
women and 6,041 children.
Want of a suitable building
of course causes inconvenience
to the efficient working of the
hospital, but the Council will
see to this shortly. The accom-
panying report of Dr. Chester
to whom a contribution of Rs
455 for establishment was,
as usual, paid furnishes the
necessary statistics in regard
to the Mission dispensary

his control. The figures given
in his report do not tally 198
with those entered in statement
No XII as the former relate
to the calendar year. Fever
and dysentery appear to have
been the prevailing disease.
A few sporadic cases of cholera
appeared during the latter
part of the year under report.
The health of the town was
generally good. No woman
was sent up for medical
training from Dindigul
during 1894-95. ✕

Actuals of 1893-94 — 51-0-0
Revised Estimate for 1894-95 — 210-0-0
Actuals of 1894-95 — 295-0-0

35. 2 (a) Contribution to Provincial
Funds— Payment of contri-
bution on account of the
Sanitary Inspection for two
years swelled the charges
over last year. More than

treble the amount estimated
for has been paid on account
of the contribution due to
the medical college which
contributes to the increase
beyond the estimate - The
Council is not aware of the
data upon which these con-
tributions are calculated.

36. (3). Vaccination - Vaccination
is, by the Comm's' resolution No. 6 / 7-7-90,
placed under the control of
Dr Chester, the medical offic
in charge of the American
Mission Dispensary in this
town. Discontinuance during
the year under review of the
vaccination peon Reduced

Actuals of 1893-94 - 534-4-1
Revised Estimate for 1894-95 - 490-0-0
Actuals of 1894-95 - 481-5-3

the charges below the actu
of last year. The decrease
under estimate is small
and is due to the non-
recoupment within the
year of the contingent charg
incurred during February
1895. Continued ill-health
of the permanent 1st class
Vaccinator lessened the
number of operations per-
formed which amounts
969 against 1,015 in the pre-
vious year. Of these, 676
against 645 were infants
under 1 year of age, and
293 against 370 were adults
above that ages 670 infants
and 280 adults were Succes-
fully vaccinated against
638 and 343 respectively
in the preceding year

The total number of Births registered during the year was 939 and the number of children successfully vaccinated was 670 which bears a percentage of 71.35. 670 out of 676 children and 280 out of 290 adults vaccinated during 1894-95 proved successful. Animal lymph (calf to arm) was invariably used in all the cases operated on. The cost of each successful case was annas 8-1 against annas 8-9 in the previous year. 145 prosecutions against none last year were instituted to have the children vaccinated. The said medical officer alludes to the generally good work done by the permanent vaccinator but unfortunately his ill-health retarded him from showing an advance in his work over last year. This man having been granted sick leave of

vaccinator under the recommendation of the District medical and sanitary officer of Madura has been appointed from the 18th April 1895. No operations were performed by the medical subordinates during the year under report.

Actuals of 1893-94	Rs.	183-5-0
Revised Estimate for 1894-95		200-0-0
Actuals of 1894-95		194-1-10.

37. (4). Vital statistics — The small increase over last year is due to excess expenditure under contingencies and the small decrease under estimate calls for no remark. Of the total number of Births registered, 516 against 428 last year were males and 423 against 428 were females. Under deaths, 233 against 261 males and 225 against 243 females were registered - Ten cases of death from cholera, none from small-pox, Seventy-four from fever and 374 from other causes against 68, 436 and 339 respectively in the year preceding - Owing

to the omission in print of Comma after the figure 1 and before the figure 36 they read as 136 in para 36 of the last year's report. Almost 46.5 and 22.7 per mille of the popu. lation were recorded in Births and Deaths respectively against 42.3 and 24.9 in 1893-94. No prose. cutions were instituted for failure to register Births and Deaths.

38.(5) — Conservancy — A compa. ratively larger outlay under (a)(ii) enhanced the charges over last year and the non-utilization of the allotments in full under (a)(i) and (d) effected a decrease of Rs 145-11-11 under estimate. Under (a)(iii) Savings were effected in fines and retrenchments made from the contractors' bills. The provision under (d) was not fully appropriated as the Council thought it was not advisable to spend a larger amount on removing prickly pear. Particulars of the conservancy establishment maintained during the

Actuals of 1893-94 - Rs. 5,259-10-0

Revised Estimate for 1894-95 - 5,740-0-0

Actuals of 1894-95 - 5,594-4-1

year are given in detail in statement II-B. from which it will be seen that there has been an increase in the number of Scavengers for public and private latrines by one in each. There were in all 18 latrines in use during 1894-95 of which, 17 are mud wall enclosures and one built of corrugated iron. Of the 18 latrines, 4 were for males and 14 for females. During the year under review, the latrine in South street was substituted by an iron structure. One more corrugated iron latrine was constructed at Poochinaikenpatty which was opened for use in the current year. There were during 1894-95, 14 dust carts, 5 night soil carts and 6 sewage hand carts. The number of rubbish and night-soil depôts remained the same as last year. The one whose acquisition was pending before the Collector has not been as yet acquired. As regards burial grounds, the Committee alluded

to in the last years report(para 37) selected a most suitable site far away from habitations for the muhammadan burial ground at present used in the heart of the town and the matter of its acquisition is now pending before the Collector. The burial ground on the Trichinopoly road used by Pariahs has been closed on the 15th February 1895 after providing a more convenient site in its stead. Greater attention will be paid in the current year to the further extension of the private Scavenging System - The Council will in the current year adopt, as far as funds permit, most of the suggestions of the Sanitary Commissioner contained in his inspection notes printed in G.O, 27th November 1894. No 1816 M.

Actuals of 1893-94 - 1,081-12-4

Revised Estimate for 1894-95 } 1,250-0-0

Actuals of 1894-95 } 1,251-10-9

39. Grant IV, VI. Lighting - In continuing to manage the lighting by contract system, the expenditure increased above the actuals of 1893-94 owing to want of competition at the sale. The description and the number of lamps remained stationary viz: 67 cast iron posts, 24 iron wall-brackets and 78 stone posts. This affords almost 10 lamps for every mile of road maintained by the Council. The lighting is supervised, as usual, by the Sanitary Inspectors and the ward councillors.

Actuals of 1893-94 - 652-1-9

Revised Estimate for 1894-95 - 890-0-0

Actuals of 1894-95 - 889-15-0

40. (2), (4), (5) (6) & (9) - Excess outlay on printing, compensation paid for land taken up for the burial ground for Pariahs and the

amount spent for boundary stones and bar charges contributed to the increase over last year. The charges on account of the Travellers' Bungalow including its repair amounted to Rs 190-12-2 against an income of Rs 94-8-0 from that source. Additional furniture has been provided in the year under report.

41. Grant V - Supervision and management — The appointment of a temporary record clerk and additional peons to bill-collectors with contingencies under (c) (i) increased the expenditure over that of 1893-94 though partly counterbalanced by excess charges under (4) (ii) + (c) in the previous year. The slight

Actual of 1893-94 - Rs 1,881-14-7

Revised Estimate for 1894-95 - 1,940-0-0

Actual of 1894-95 - 1,912-5-5

Actual of 1893-94 - Rs 9,098-12-7

Revised Estimate for 1894-95 - 8,390-0-0

Actual of 1894-95 - 7,780-3-6

slight decrease under estimate is due to fresh and savings under almost all items especially under (b), (ii).

42. No advances were outstanding except the permanent advance with the Head clerk, the Headmaster of the High school and the medical officer. A sum of Rs 1-4-0 was refunded on account of collections made in the previous year.

IV. Closing Balance.

43. Owing to the falling off of Rs 1,890-5-2 in the total receipts of the Municipality, the closing balance is Rs 609-12-6 less than the estimate, though partially counterbalanced by savings under Grants I, III & V.

General remarks — During the latter part of the year under review, prior to my assuming charge of the office of Chairman, I was the delegate of Messrs Cumming and Miller, the then Chairmen and I am glad to state that a good deal of the out-door work is supervised by Ward Councillors with much interest and zeal.

I have the honorable,
Sir,
your most obt Servant

J Thyagoperul.
Chairman

Report of the working of the Dindigul Dispensary for 1894.

These were treated at the Dindigul Dispensary and Hospital, in the year under review, 24,567 cases, which represents the number of prescriptions written.

Of this total number, 10,585 were new cases, or patients coming for the first time.

Of these new cases, 6,837 were males and 4,748 females.

Of Europeans, there were 82 patients; of Eurasians, 60; of Native Christians, 3,587; of Mohammedans, 1,936; and of Hindus, 6,821.

These were treated at the Hospital or at their own houses, 252 In-patients. The patients came from 721 different Villages. During a portion of the year under

previous, there were a large number of cases of Fevers and Dysentery. Just at the close of the year, a few cases of cholera appeared in the Town of Dundrum, and some of the adjoining villages, which were promptly treated.

The opening of a Special Dispensary in the Town for the treatment of women and children, under the charge of a Female Apothecary, has not diminished the number of our female patients, our returns showing an increase of the total number over the previous year.

Compulsory Vaccination continues in force, in the Town of Dundrum, calves being used exclusively for the purpose. The Vaccinator, in charge, has, to the best of his ability, done good and faithful work. But he has been sick, off and on, during the year, and has been quite unable to do justice to his work.

(Signed) Edward Chesters. M.D.
Medical Officer. Dundrum Dispensary.

(True copy).

J. Wynne
Chairman
31—5—95

MUNICIPAL DEPARTMENT

1895.

ENCLOSURE No. 4

In a letter

FROM

The Chairman,

Municipal Council

Dindigul.

Madura District

No. 70

Dated 31st May 1895

Copy of Dr. Chester's report on the Dindigul Dispensary for 1894.

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Public Health. Health of the Town in general by good. Cholera has ... way of a sporadic form and the cases that proved fatal were less than the previous year. Typhus and Fevers were rather common among the women and children who attended the dispensary, being due probably to impunity of water and changes in the weathers.

2. Vital Statistics.

Births. Males 609. Females 425. Total 934

Deaths Males 233. Females 222. Total 465.

* Not accurate

3. Sanitation. The main roads and streets are well kept and clean; some of the lanes are filthy and contain open cattles side a great deal of putrid and faecal matter; the drains running along them, and into which house drain

drains empty there contents are seldom
free from stagnant sewage.
There are one or two dust bins
situated between and quite close
to dwelling houses, and these are
heaped up and surrounded by
refuse matter of all kinds, which
when being removed pollutes the
atmosphere and renders it disagreeable
for the people around.
There is a great scarcity for water.
The water in mostly all the wells
is low and dirty. People mostly
resort to the tanks on the roads and
to the public fountains, the water
from both these sources be-
ing used for Dindigal
1894.
(h) Vaccination - Vacci
is compulsory. The work
of a 1st class Municipa
18 Aug 95

under the American Marathi Mission.

5 (a). A small pucka building with
one hall, in which preaching and
compounding are carried on.
Two small low dark rooms used
as store rooms; and a courtyard
in which dressings are done in the
open.

(b). Building is in good order, does not
need repairs.

(c). Furniture in good order.

(d). Women . . 4,194.
Children . 6,041.
Total . 10,235.

(e). Nil.

(f). Major operations . 23.
Of the Cataract operations . 293 all cured.
on either Eye each has sufficient and
and forceps.
along the
no midwifery cases conducted.

(v. From 15th October/94 to 31st March/95

I visited 36 patients at their own houses, who would not attend the dispensary.

(vi) General remarks - The building as dispensary does not afford much accommodation & unable us to get on better in work. The hall used both for prescribing and compounding is also crammed with furniture; the rooms are too small to allow of any other use but as store rooms, and dressings have to be done in the open regardless of sun and rain.

[Signed] M. Higgins
Apothecary
3-4-95.
(Typed)

Gl. No 2947.

Forwarded to the Chairman, Municipal Comit, Madura with the remark that the present buildings which I inspected last year is not large enough.

[Signed] F. C. Reeve
Surgeon
D.C. Hd. Qrs. & Sanitary
Officer

Madura
5-5-95

(Typed)

J. Higginbotham.

31-5-95 Chairman

MUNICIPAL DEPARTMENT

1895.

ENCLOSURE **No.** 5

In a letter

FROM

The Chairman,

Municipal Council

Dindigul.

Madura District

No. 70

Dated 31st May 1895

Copy of Dr Reeves' report on the women & children's hospital, Dindigal for 1894-95

5/31/May95

Municipal Department

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E.C. No 2550 pl
16-6-95

Current No. 2643 of 1895
Date 20-6-95

From
Chairman, Municipal Council
Dindigul.

Current No. 2250 pl of 1895
Date 16-6-95

To
The Chief Secretary
to Government
Fort St George
(Through the Sub. collector &
collector of Madura)

Dated 31st May
Despd 4th June } 1895
Received

Enclosures ... 6

Submitting the administration report of the Dindigul Municipality for the official year 1894-95.

Submitted.

2. Para 32. The main roads and streets are in good order.

J. H. Batten
ag. sub. Collector

Camp Periakulam
13.6.95

Endorsement on current No 2643/95

Submitted.

2. As regards the acquisition of sites for a rubbish and night soil depôt and a burial ground, referred to in paragraph 38 of the report, the matter will receive early attention in this office.

W. Ward
acting Collector

Madura Collector's office.
Camp. Kodaikanal
Dated 27th June 1895

1895. Department

Local & Municipal Dept.
CURRENT No. 2098 M

The Collector of
Madurai

Endorsement No 2643 of 1895
Jail
Enclosures 6.
dated 21st June 1895
Received 25 JUN 95

No.

Subject

Submitting the administration Report of the Dindigal Municipality for the official year 1894—95.

7 October 1611

7TH JULY 1895, No. M., LOCAL AND MUNICIPAL.

GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.

LOCAL AND MUNICIPAL DEPARTMENT.

READ—the following paper :—

From M.R.Ry. T. RAJAGOPAUL NAYUDU Garu, Chairman, Municipal Council (through the Sub-Collector and Collector of Madura), to the Chief Secretary to Government, dated Dindigul, 31st May 1895, No. 70.

I have the honour to submit the report for the year 1894–95 on the administration of the Dindigul Municipality together with the following enclosures :—

(1) Annual statements.

(2) Copies of the educational statements Nos. I to IV submitted by the Assistant Inspector of Schools, 7th Division.

(3) Copies of the educational statements Nos. I to IV submitted by the Inspectress of Girls' Schools, Southern Circle.

(4) Copy of Dr. Chester's report on the Dindigul dispensary.

(5) Copy of Dr. Reeves' report on the Women and Children's hospital, Dindigul, dated 5th May 1895.

(6) Copy of the council's resolution, No. 1, dated 31st May 1895.

I.—CONSTITUTION OF THE COUNCIL.

2. The strength of the council is twelve. On the 31st March 1895 all the members were on the council. Of the said twelve, three were Europeans and nine Natives ; of the former, two were appointed by the Government and the other was *ex-officio* councillor, *i.e.*, the Divisional officer ; and the latter were all elected. The Sub-Collector was the only official on the council.

3. The office of chairman was held by Mr. Miller, the Sub-Collector (duly elected) till the 22nd of April 1894, when Mr. Cumming succeeded him and held it *ex-officio* till the 8th February 1895, when Mr. Miller resumed charge and officiated till the 5th March 1895, when I assumed charge as chairman elect and continue to be as such.

4. During the year under review five seats—one in each of the 2nd, 3rd, 4th, 5th and 6th wards—fell vacant and elections were held within the year for filling up the same. A contested election for the 6th ward was held on the 25th July 1894 ; elections for the 2nd and 3rd wards were conducted on the 19th October 1894, at which the seat for the former alone was disputed ; and those for the 4th and 5th wards were held on the 22nd idem. As there were no rival candidates for these wards, the seats were filled up undisputed. The total number of electors in all the six wards amounted to 490 against 520 last year. Statement X-A furnishes all these particulars.

5. The number of meetings actually held is 36 (twenty ordinary and sixteen special) and exceeds that of the previous year by three. No meeting was adjourned for want of a quorum ; the average attendance at each meeting was the same as last year, *i.e.*, seven. The Sub-Collector attended in all twelve meetings.

II.—RECEIPTS.

6. Including the opening balance of Rs. 9,098–12–7, the total receipts of the municipality amounted to Rs. 34,099–10–10 against Rs. 35,990, the revised estimate and Rs. 32,244–7–6, the actuals of the previous year. The decrease below the estimate is chiefly due to the non-realization of a larger amount expected from house and land-tax, sale of lands and the non-recovery within the year of the contribution

from the Madura District Board on account of the women's hospital; and the increase over the actuals of the preceding year is attributed to the larger amount of opening balance. The causes of these differences are explained below *seriatim*.

A.—Receipts from Taxation.

7. *Statement I, Tax on Buildings.*—The figures for 1893–94 include larger amount of arrears than those of the year under report; hence the difference. The short collections as compared with the estimate are due to the inefficiency of the bill-collectors who were replaced by more competent men towards the close of the year under report. I had to make some special temporary arrangements for the better collection of this tax and thus recovered Rs. 1,586–3–0 from the 23rd of February last when I was appointed chairman-delegate. Of the total current demand of Rs. 5,746–10–0 as per statement IV-A, Rs. 4,679–5–6 have been collected, Rs. 15–2–0 remitted, Rs. 9–5–0 written off as irrecoverable and a balance of Rs. 1,042–13–6 was left at the close of the year. Of the arrear demand of Rs. 1,498–4–9, which is less than the audited figures by As. 10 owing to a mistake in addition, Rs. 1,309–14–11 have been collected, As. 10 remitted, Rs. 31–8–10 written off as irrecoverable and Rs. 156–3–0 remained uncollected. The mode of estimating the annual rental of buildings for purposes of assessment is given in detail in the note to statement I. The house-tax registers were last revised in the year 1892–93.

	Rs.	A.	P.
Actuals of 1893–94	6,561	6	3
Revised estimate for 1894–95 ..	6,520	0	0
Actuals of 1894–95	5,989	4	5

8. *Tax on Lands.*—All the vacant house-sites in the town have been measured and assessed for the 2nd-half of the year under report at one anna for every eighty square yards, the rate fixed by the council in its Resolution No. 3, dated 12th November 1894, which fetched a sum of Rs. 115–6–6. In the case of cultivated lands the usual method of calculating annual rental upon a multiple of the Government kist was adopted which yielded Rs. 220–6–0, thus the total demand under this head aggregated Rs. 335–12–6, of which Rs. 102–1–6 have been realized and the balance remained uncollected at the end of the year. Of the arrear demand of Rs. 138–0–6, Rs. 81–9–6 were collected, Rs. 1–5–0 written off and Rs. 55–2–0 were left as balance. The collections fell short of the estimate by Rs. 196–5–0 owing to the late date at which the vacant house-sites were brought to assessment and to the want of experience of the new bill-collector who took some days for finding out the landowners. The total extent of assessed land is 835 acres and 25 cents. The registers of cultivable lands are being revised in the current year as they were last revised in 1889–90.

	Rs.	A.	P.
Actuals of 1893–94	109	5	0
Revised estimate for 1894–95 ..	380	0	0
Actuals of 1894–95	183	11	0

9. *Tax on Vehicles.*—The increase over the actuals of the previous year is due to increase in the number of vehicles liable to be taxed, and the outstanding arrears still remain to be realized effected the falling off under estimate.

	Rs.	A.	P.
Actuals of 1893–94	276	0	0
Revised estimate for 1894–95 ..	400	0	0
Actuals of 1894–95	361	8	0

10. *Tax on Animals*—Prompt collection especially in the latter part of the year under this head both under arrear and current demand enhanced the receipts over the estimate and the actuals of the previous year.

	Rs.	A.	P.
Actuals of 1893–94	1,107	12	0
Revised estimate for 1894–95 ..	1,300	0	0
Actuals of 1894–95	1,341	8	0

11. *Tax on Carts.*—The levy for the first time of tax on the dust and night-soil carts belonging to the contractors enhanced the receipts over last year; but a decrease in the total number of carts reduced the tax somewhat below the estimate owing to the removal of a few carts by the owners to the adjacent gardens and fields.

	Rs.	A.	P.
Actuals of 1893–94	713	0	0
Revised estimate for 1894–95 ..	800	0	0
Actuals of 1894–95	776	0	0

12. *Coercive Processes.*—Coercion was resorted to during the year under review in the case of the tax on buildings, vehicles and animals. One thousand five hundred and fifty-two warrants for the realization of Rs. 1,200–0–6 against 4,034 for Rs. 4,334–5–6 in 1893–94 were issued. Including 2,227 old warrants covering a sum of Rs. 2,161–6–3 that remained unexecuted at the end of the previous year, the total number of warrants was 3,779 involving an aggregate sum of Rs. 3,361–6–9. One hundred and seventy-four of this number were cancelled by remissions granted by the council for Rs. 115–14–4 and 2,305 warrants were executed within the year effecting a recovery of Rs. 2,246–15–11, of which 43 covered by Rs. 40–0–6 were cases in which property was distrained but not sold; and in eight cases the distrained property was sold for Rs. 28–2–11; 1,300 warrants for Rs. 998–8–6 remained unexecuted at the end of the year. Appendix-A to statements IV-A and IV-B furnishes these particulars in detail. No prosecution was instituted for the recovery of any tax during 1894–95.

13. *Tolls.*—The farm was leased out as usual for Rs. 9,600 against Rupees 9,650 in 1893–94. A sample toll board was made at a cost of Rs. 9–10–0. Deducting this sum from the total receipts, one-third of the remainder, viz., Rupees 3,196–12–8, was contributed to the Madura District Board. No expenditure was incurred on the repair or construction of toll-gates, printing tickets, &c. The number of toll-gates remained the same as last year, viz., 6.

	Rs.	A.	P.
Actuals of 1893–94	6,454	9	1
Revised estimate for 1894–95 ..	6,400	0	0
Actuals of 1894–95	6,403	3	4

14. *Incidence of Taxation.*—The average incidence per head of the population including and excluding tolls is As. 11–11 and As. 6–10 against As. 12–1 and As. 6–11 respectively in the previous year.

B.—Miscellaneous Receipts.

15. *Realization under Special Acts.*—Licenses issued under Act II of 1888 alone fetched the sum noted in the margin.

	Rs.	A.	P.
Actuals of 1893–94	20	0	0
Revised estimate for 1894–95 ..	50	0	0
Actuals of 1894–95	50	0	0

16. (4) (*a*) *Revenue derived from Municipal Property.*—Diminished receipts from rent of lands, avenues and the travellers' bungalow effected the difference as per margin. The demand under rent of lands, both arrear and current, amounted to Rs. 404–12–0; of which Rs. 382–8–0 were realized, As. 4 remitted, Rs. 4 written off as irrecoverable and Rs. 18 remained uncollected.

	Rs.	A.	P.
Actuals of 1893–94	639	7	6
Revised estimate for 1894–95 ..	600	0	0
Actuals of 1894–95	551	11	6

17. (4) (*b*)—Some lands were sold last year which augmented the receipts of that year. The council's claim to certain lands at Begambur has been disputed in G.O., dated 26th April 1895, No. 702 M., Mis. These lands were proposed to be sold to certain individuals who have already deposited the sale amount with the council pending sanction of Government. The matter is now pending before the council, and the consequent non-adjustment of the above deposits accounts for the falling off below the estimate.

	Rs.	A.	P.
Actuals of 1893–94	122	10	5
Revised estimate for 1894–95 ..	270	0	0
Actuals of 1894–95	44	1	9

18. (4) (*c*).—Due publicity among the agricultural and other classes of people was given about the sale of sweepings which yielded Rs. 86 against Rs. 54 in the preceding year.

	Rs.	A.	P.
Actuals of 1893–94	54	0	0
Revised estimate for 1894–95 ..	90	0	0
Actuals of 1894–95	86	0	0

19. (4) (*d*).—These figures represent fees collected from the Municipal High and the Muhammadan Salary Result schools. Rs. 1,745-14-0 from the former and Rs. 62-12-9 from the latter were collected against Rs. 1,869-14-0 and Rs. 55-10-6, respectively, in the year previous. The decrease in the former is due to a slight falling off in the strength of the high school. This is chiefly due to the existence of high schools and colleges of established reputation in the cities of Madura and Trichinopoly which are within a distance of two or three hours run by railway from this town.

	Rs.	A.	P.
Actuals of 1893–94	1,937	2	6
Revised estimate for 1894–95 ..	1,920	0	0
Actuals of 1894–95	1,808	10	9

20. (4) (*e*).—Medicines sold at the women and children's hospital fetched Rs. 1-2-0 during the year under review.

	Rs.	A.	P.
Actuals of 1893–94	*Nil.*		
Revised estimate for 1894–95 ..	10	0	0
Actuals of 1894–95	1	2	0

21. (4) (*f*) Want of brisk competition owing probably to the loss sustained by the previous year's renters at the sale of the four markets and two slaughter-houses shown in statement XI caused considerable decrease below the actual income of last year. The current demand as per statement IV-A was fully recovered and the arrear demand of Rs. 22 shown in statement IV-B had to be written off on account of the proved pauperism of the defaulter. The markets and the slaughter-houses are, as usual, being supervised by the ward councillors. There was no change in the rate of fees collected at the weekly market, which ranged from one pie to one anna, nor was there any alteration in the rate collected at the slaughter-houses. It was one anna for a sheep or goat and four annas for a bullock slaughtered. The net income from markets after deducting the charges incurred under Grant I, 1 (*b*) and 2 (*b*) and Grant IV 2 (1) amounted to Rs. 3,050-2-2 against Rs. 4,392-7-9, and that from the slaughter-houses to Rs. 552-8-7 against Rs. 699-4-2 in 1893–94.

	Rs.	A.	P.
Actuals of 1893–94	5,647	4	3
Revised estimate for 1894–95 ..	4,850	0	0
Actuals of 1894–95	4,836	3	11

22. (4) (*g*).—No fixed demand was raised under this head during the year under review. Non-realization of the full amount due for 1894–95, of which almost Rs. 116 still remain to be recovered, besides the sum of Rs. 31 collected during the current year, diminished the receipts far below the estimate and the actuals of 1893–94. Prosecutions under section 189 of the Municipal Act were instituted in 47 against thirteen cases last year, of which five were disposed of within the year and the rest pending. The special magistrates have been addressed for a speedy disposal of the same. Payment of license fees in advance will invariably be insisted upon as directed by Government.

	Rs.	A.	P.
Actuals of 1893–94	533	12	0
Revised estimate for 1894–95 ..	540	0	0
Actuals of 1894–95	439	9	8

23. (4) (*h*).—The increase in both cases is conspicuous and exhibits more vigilance, especially on the part of the Police, in prosecuting cases for committal of nuisances.

	Rs.	A.	P.
Actuals of 1893–94	27	15	0
Revised estimate for 1894–95 ..	120	0	0
Actuals of 1894–95	139	0	6

24. (5) (*a*).—Arrear grants on account of the High school recovered during the year under review increased the amount of grants over the actuals of the previous year; while the non-recovery of the building grant, for which an application has been submitted in the current year owing to the late date at which the work was completed, over estimate in salary grants for 1894–95 and the non-realization within the year of a portion of grant on account of the gymnastic instructor contribute to the decrease from the estimate.

	Rs.	A.	P.
Actuals of 1893–94	536	8	1
Revised estimate for 1894–95 ..	1,110	0	0
Actuals of 1894–95	965	0	7

25. (5) (*a*) (*iii*).—The contribution due for 1893–94 was not received within the year and the figures as per margin represent two years' grants. This is realized from a chattram endowment for water-supply purposes.

	Rs.	A.	P.
Actuals of 1893–94	*Nil.*		
Revised estimate for 1894–95 ..	270	0	0
Actuals of 1894–95	267	11	0

26. (5) (*b*) (*ii*).—Non-recovery within the year of the contribution due by the Madura District Board on account of the women and children's hospital caused the decrease noted. The actual receipts are the contributions recovered from the Dindigul Taluk Board on account of the same hospital.

	Rs.	A.	P.
Actuals of 1893–94	*Nil.*		
Revised estimate for 1894–95 ..	870	0	0
Actuals of 1894–95	438	11	10

27. (6) (*a*)—The number of private houses scavenged by the Municipal agency increased from 163 to 201 on the last day of the year, but the fees collected fell from Rs. 337-10-0 to Rs. 285-10-0. This is apparently due to a decrease on an average of 32 in the number of houses scavenged in each of the first three quarters as compared with the corresponding quarters of 1893–94. The increase noted above was effected in the last quarter of the year under report. The private scavenging system is unpopular and the unpopularity is no doubt due to inefficient supervision on the part of the sanitary inspectors, especially in the first division, over this branch of their work. They have been sufficiently reprimanded and some improvement has been effected in this direction in the current year. The arrear and current demand under this head has been fully realized. Seventy-nine notices against 20 in the preceding year were issued for keeping the filthy and insanitary premises clean. No prosecutions were instituted on this account during the year under review.

	Rs.	A.	P.
Actuals of 1893–94	337	10	0
Revised estimate for 1894–95 ..	300	0	0
Actuals of 1894–95	285	10	0

28. (6) (*b*).—The proposed recovery from Syed Mohamed, Normal student, of the stipends he received from the municipality consequent on his refusal to serve the council for the stipulated period was not effected within the year as was expected, which accounts for the difference between the actuals and the estimate for the year under review. Steps are being taken to effect the recovery in the current year.

	Rs.	A.	P.
Actuals of 1893–94	8	15	8
Revised estimate for 1894–95 ..	60	0	0
Actuals of 1894–95	2	2	0

29. (7) (*d*).—Details of the advances for 1893–94 are given in paragraph 28 of the last year's report. The figure for 1894–95 is comprised of the following items:—

		Rs.	A.	P.
Advances recovered from pleader Mr. Hickey		15	0	0
Do.	from Councillor M.R.Ry. Muthu Naick Avargal	10	0	0
Do.	from a painter	5	0	0

III.—Expenditure.

30. The charges of the municipality aggregated Rs. 26,319-7-4 against Rupees 27,600, the estimate for the year and Rs. 23,145-10-11, the actuals of the previous year. The short expenditure as compared with the estimate is due to certain allotments under Grants I and III not having been spent fully, and the increase over the actuals of last year is due chiefly to larger outlay under Grants I, III and IV. These differences are fully explained below.

31. *Grant I, Public Works*—(1) *New Works.*—The decrease from the estimate is small and relates to savings in the estimates; and the increase over the actual expenditure of 1893–94 is due principally to a larger amount spent on new tiled sheds at the weekly market place which includes arrear payment made for work done during the last year Compensation amounting to Rs. 96–9–0 for lands taken up for opening lanes at Nagulnaikenpatty and Pension Line street was paid to the parties concerned through the Revenue departments; a tunnel over the odai in Mounseypuram and another to the east of the Batlagundu road were constructed for Rs. 183–1–0. A sum of Rs. 750–4–7 including arrear payment alluded to above was spent in the construction of two new tiled sheds at the weekly market place; two new corrugated iron latrines were erected in the south street in the place of the one demolished and at Poochinaikenpatty at a cost of Rs. 193–11–9; and V + U shaped drains were provided for the buffaloemen's street, the other part of the chattram street, silk weavers' and Kannadiers' lanes for Rupees 394–3–9. Rs. 97–9–3 were spent for erecting side walls to the new well sunk on the road leading to the railway station with petty works. A sum of Rs. 12–14–11 was paid under this head to the maistry employed under the municipal overseer in the shape of an allowance at 1½ per cent. of the working estimates.

	Rs.	A.	P.
Actuals of 1893–94	1,129	3	0
Revised estimate for 1894–95 ..	1,750	0	0
Actuals of 1894–95	1,728	6	3

32. (2) *Repairs* (*including* (3) *Establishments and* (4) *Tools, &c.*).—Larger outlay especially under repair of communications and buildings and under (3) establishments swelled the expenditure over that of the last year; and the non-utilization of the allotments in full under the first two heads alluded to above and under repair to drainage works diminished the charges below the estimate to the extent of Rs. 355–12–5. The estimate for repair of communications was Rs. 3,300, of which Rs. 3,138–6–8 were spent, and the balance remained as savings which were effected in inviting tenders on estimates for the repairs. This outlay *plus* the amount spent under Grant I, (1) (*a*) bears 53·4 per cent. to the revenue from tolls, the prescribed limit being 50 per cent. Statement II-A, Part II (*a*), from which the several roads, streets and lanes repaired by the council will be seen, shows that the total mileage of roads remained the same as last year, viz., 22 miles and 40 yards, of which sixteen miles, six furlongs and 79 yards were metalled or gravelled which are maintained by the council, and the rest are mere earth roads. The condition of the roads and streets is generally very good, except a few lanes which require metalling or gravelling. Under buildings Rs. 239–0–10 were spent in improving the high school buildings and the common gymnasium; Rs. 426–15–3 for improving the market buildings; Rs. 24–8–5 for repairing the travellers' bungalow; Rs. 21–8–6 for repairing the latrine at Nagulvaikenpatty and Rs. 2–7–4 were paid for maistry allowance. Drains of different shape in the west car street and the Brazier's, Baker's, Brahmin backyard, Kolandai Velan's and the Post office lanes were mended at a cost of Rs. 608–11–2. The establishment charges under this head amounted to Rs. 758–5–11. Scarcity of water was so keenly felt in the latter part of the year under report, that several tanks and wells had to be cleaned and deepened, and some repaired, which entailed an expenditure of Rs. 570–2–1 in addition to the charges incurred on account of establishment and contingencies amounting to Rupees 267–4–10. Under (3) and (4) a sum of Rs. 786–12–7 against an estimate of Rs. 800 has been spent.

	Rs.	A.	P.
Actuals of 1893–94	5,755	15	5
Revised estimate for 1894–95 ..	7,200	0	0
Actuals of 1894–95	6,844	3	7

33. *Grant II, Education.*—The difference in both cases as per margin is immaterial. Rs. 2–7–9 were paid for a portion of the stipends to a normal student who was paid from Provincial funds. No student was trained from Municipal funds during the year under report. The charges of the High school establishment and contingencies amounted to Rs. 2,938–6–2

	Rs.	A.	P.
Actuals of 1893–94	5,784	1	1
Revised estimate for 1894–95 ..	5,740	0	0
Actuals of 1894–95	5,741	2	5

against an estimate of Rs. 2,940 and Rs. 2,866–11–3, the actuals of the previous year. After deducting school-fees and Government grants, the net cost to the council on this account was Rs. 337–2–7 excluding the cost incurred in repairing the High school buildings, which amounted to Rs. 204–3–2. Of the six students who were sent up for the Matriculation and seven for the Lower Secondary examinations, two in the former and two in the latter passed against 10—1 and 8—8 respectively in 1893–94. The results of the Matriculation examination may be said to be fair, but the same cannot be said in regard to the Lower Secondary examination. The falling off in attendance and the consequent reduction in the fee income with the unfavourable result in the Lower Secondary examination show a state of things which, I am sorry to observe, is not very satisfactory. The council in its resolution No. 8, dated 23rd July 1894, resolved to maintain this institution permanently. If the teachers concerned do not work up with greater care and zeal to make the institution attractive, the permanent continuance thereof will be considered at the time of the budget. Increase in the strength (166 against 148) of the Muhammadan and Panchama Salary Results schools, which cost the council Rs. 759–2–4 against Rs. 635–3–7 in 1893–94, is noted with satisfaction. The excess expenditure is due to the employment of the Hindustani teacher throughout the year and to the larger amount paid for results stipends. Two out of four who appeared for the Primary School examination, fourteen out of seventeen in the infant standard, 26 out of the same number in the first standard, seventeen out of eighteen in the second and eight out of nine in the third standards passed—a result creditable to the teachers and the Inspecting schoolmaster concerned. Results grants at the maximum rate amounting to Rs. 1,555–2–0 against an estimate of Rs. 1,600 and the actuals of the same amount last year were paid to eleven aided schools against the same number in 1893–94; but the number of these schools on the 31st March 1895 was increased by one over that on the corresponding date of last year. Of the total amount spent for results grants, Rs. 241–4–0 were paid for a Lower Secondary school and Rs. 1,313–14–0 to Primary schools. The strength of the aided schools rose from 818 to 863. The number of unaided and indigenous schools fell from 13 to 11 with a decline in strength from 399 in the preceding year to 367. It is noted with regret that there are still thirteen unpassed teachers employed in the several municipal aided and indigenous schools. As to the remarks of the Assistant Inspector in the last column of statement No. III, I have to invite his attention to paragraph 5 (2) of G.O., dated 23rd February 1893, No. 247 M., from which it will be seen that the Government struck out the provision made under this head for 1893–94 in consideration of the very high percentage devoted to education. The training of teachers should therefore be met from the Provincial funds, and it would be better if steps are taken for training some of the unpassed teachers during the current year. Under inspection a sum of Rs. 260–2–5 has been spent against an estimate of Rs. 260 and the actuals of Rs. 259–12–3 in the preceding year. The estimate under miscellaneous was Rs. 160 and the actual expenditure (Rs. 163–1–0) against Rs. 184–7–8 in 1893–94. Larger outlay under contingencies during 1893–94 increased the charges of that year. The strength of the Government Girls' school was 118 against 102 last year. There were also under instruction five against twelve girls in the aided and 25 against fourteen in the unaided schools: thus the total number of girls under instruction in the recognized schools was 123 against 114 in 1893–94. The total charges on education bear 28 per cent. against 26·9 in the previous year to the receipts from taxation, markets and rents.

34. *Grant III, Sanitation*—(1) *Hospitals and Dispensaries.*—The charges on account of the women's hospital for the full year account for the increase over last year. Non-payment of the allowance of Rs. 25 per mensem to the female apothecary which is pending before Government (*vide* letter No. 41, dated 2nd May 1895), and the non-utilization of the allotment in full for medicines and supplies owing to the non receipt within the year of the demands therefor diminished the charges below the estimate by Rs. 804–3–3. From the female apothecary's report herewith submitted it will be seen that a total number of 10,235 cases were treated, of which 4,194 were

	Rs.	A.	P.
Actuals of 1893–94	802	7	8
Revised estimate for 1894–95 ..	2,190	0	0
Actuals of 1894–95	1,385	12	9

women and 6,041 children. Want of a suitable building of course causes inconvenience to the efficient working of the hospital, but the council will see to this shortly. The accompanying report of Dr. Chester, to whom a contribution of Rs. 455 for establishment was, as usual, paid, furnishes the necessary statistics in regard to the Mission dispensary under his control. The figures given in his report do not tally with those entered in statement No. XII, as the former relate to the calendar year. Fever and dysentery appear to have been the prevailing disease. A few sporadic cases of cholera appeared during the latter part of the year under report. The health of the town was generally good. No woman was sent up for medical training from Dindigul during 1894–95.

35. (2) (*a*) *Contribution to Provincial Funds.*—Payment of contribution on account of the sanitary inspection for two years swelled the charges over last year. More than treble the amount estimated for has been paid on account of the contribution due to the Medical College which contributes to the increase beyond the estimate. The council is not aware of the data upon which these contributions are calculated.

	Rs.
Actuals of 1893–94	51
Revised estimate for 1894–95	210
Actuals of 1894–95	295

36. (3) *Vaccination.*—Vaccination is by the council's resolution No. 6, dated 7th July 1890, placed under the control of Dr. Chester, the Medical officer in charge of the American Mission dispensary in this town. Discontinuance during the year under review of the vaccination peon reduced the charges below the actuals of last year. The decrease under estimate is small and is due to the non-recoupment within the year of the contingent charges incurred during February 1895. Continued ill-health of the permanent 1st-class vaccinator lessened the number of operations performed, which amounts to 969 against 1,015 in the previous year. Of these, 676 against 645 were infants under one year of age and 293 against 370 were adults above that age. Six hundred and seventy infants and 280 adults were successfully vaccinated against 638 and 343, respectively, in the preceding year. The total number of births registered during the year was 939 and the number of children successfully vaccinated was 670, which bears a percentage of 71·35. Six hundred and seventy out of 676 children and 280 out of 290 adults vaccinated during 1894–95 proved successful. Animal lymph (calf to arm) was invariably used in all the cases operated on. The cost of each successful case was As. 8–1 against As. 8–9 in the previous year. One hundred and forty-five prosecutions against none last year were instituted to have the children vaccinated. The said Medical officer alludes to the generally good work done by the permanent vaccinator, but unfortunately his ill-health retarded him from showing an advance in his work over last year. This man having been granted sick leave of absence on half pay, a 2nd-class vaccinator under the recommendation of the District Medical and Sanitary officer of Madura has been appointed from the 16th April 1895. No operations were performed by the Medical subordinates during the year under report.

	Rs.	A.	P.
Actuals of 1893 94	534	4	1
Revised estimate for 1894–95 ..	490	0	0
Actuals of 1894–95	481	5	3

37. (4). *Vital Statistics.*—The small increase over last year is due to excess expenditure under contingencies, and the small decrease under estimate calls for no remark. Of the total number of births registered, 516 against 428 last year were males and 423 against 428 were females. Under deaths 233 against 261 males and 225 against 243 females were registered. Ten cases of deaths from cholera, none from small-pox, 74 from fever and 374 from other causes occurred against 68,136 and 339 respectively in the year preceding. Owing to the omission in print of comma after the figure 1 and before the figure 36, they read as 136 in paragraph 36 of the last year's report. Almost 46·5 and 22·7 per mille of the population were recorded in births and deaths, respectively, against 42·3 and 24·9 in 1893–94. No prosecutions were instituted for failure to register births and deaths.

	Rs.	A.	P.
Actuals of 1893–94	183	5	0
Revised estimate for 1894–95 ..	200	0	0
Actuals of 1894–95	194	1	10

38. (5)—*Conservancy.*—A comparatively larger outlay under (*a*) (*ii*) enhanced the charges over last year, and the non-utilization of the allotments in full under (*a*) (*ii*) and (*d*) effected a decrease of Rs. 145–11–11 under estimate. Under (*a*) (*ii*) savings were effected in fines and retrenchments made from the contractors' bills. The provision under (*d*) was not fully appropriated, as the council thought it was not advisable to spend a larger amount on removing prickly-pear. Particulars of the conservancy establishment maintained during the year are given in detail in statement II-B, from which it will be seen that there has been an increase in the number of scavengers for public and private latrines by one in each. There were in all eighteen latrines in use during 1894–95, of which seventeen are mud wall enclosures and one built of corrugated iron. Of the eighteen latrines, four were for males and fourteen for females. During the year under review, the latrine in south street was substituted by an iron structure. One more corrugated iron latrine was constructed at Poochinaikenpatty which was opened for use in the current year. There were during 1894–95, fourteen dust-carts, five night-soil carts and six sewage hand-carts. The number of rubbish and night-soil depôts remained the same as last year. The one whose acquisition was pending before the Collector has not been as yet acquired. As regards burial-grounds, the committee alluded to in the last year's report (paragraph 37) selected a most suitable site far away from habitations for the Muhammadan burial-ground at present used in the heart of the town and the matter of its acquisition is now pending before the Collector. The burial-ground on the Trichinopoly road used by Pariahs has been closed on the 15th February 1895 after providing a more convenient site in its stead. Greater attention will be paid in the current year to the further extension of the private scavenging system. The council will in the current year adopt, as far as funds permit, most of the suggestions of the Sanitary Commissioner contained in his inspection notes printed in G.O., dated 27th November 1894, No. 1816-M.

	Rs.	A.	P.
Actuals of 1893–94 ..	5,259	10	0
Revised estimate for 1894–95	5,740	0	0
Actuals of 1894–95 ..	5,594	4	1

39. *Grant IV*—(1) (*Lighting*).—In continuing to manage the lighting by contract system, the expenditure increased above the actuals of 1893–94 owing to want of competition at the sale. The description and the number of lamps remained stationary, viz., 67 cast iron posts, 24 iron wall-brackets and 78 stone posts. This affords almost ten lamps for every mile of road maintained by the council. The lighting is supervised as usual by the Sanitary Inspectors and the ward councillors.

	Rs.	A.	P.
Actuals of 1893–94 ..	1,081	12	4
Revised estimate for 1894–95	1,250	0	0
Actuals of 1894–95 ..	1,251	10	9

40. (2), (4), (5), (6) and (9)—Excess outlay on printing, compensation paid for land taken up for the burial-ground for Pariahs and the amount spent for boundary stones and law charges contributed to the increase over last year. The charges on account of the travellers' bungalow including its repair amounted to Rs. 190–12–2 against an income of Rs. 94–8–0 from that source. Additional furniture has been provided in the year under report.

	Rs.	A.	P.
Actuals of 1893–94	652	1	9
Revised estimate for 1894–95	890	0	0
Actuals of 1894–95	889	15	0

41. *Grant V, Supervision and Management.*—The appointment of a temporary record clerk and additional peons to bill-Collectors with contingencies under (*c*) (*ii*) increased the expenditure over that of 1893–94, though partly counterbalanced by excess charges under (6) (*ii*) and (*e*) in the previous year. The slight decrease under estimate is due to fines and savings under almost all items, especially under (*b*) (*ii*).

	Rs.	A.	P.
Actuals of 1893–94	1,881	14	7
Revised estimate for 1894–95	1940	0	0
Actuals of 1894–95	1,912	5	5

42. No advances were outstanding except the permanent advance with the Head-clerk, the Headmaster of the High school and the Medical officer. A sum of Rs. 1–4–0 was refunded on account of collections made in the previous year.

IV.—Closing Balance.

43. Owing to the falling off of Rs. 1,890-5-2 in the total receipts of the municipality, the closing balance is Rs. 609-12-6 less than the estimate, though partially counterbalanced by savings under Grants I, III and V.

	Rs.	A	P.
Actuals of 1893–94	9,098	12	7
Revised estimate for 1894–95	8,390	0	0
Actuals of 1894–95	7,780	3	6

General Remarks.—During the latter part of the year under review prior to my assuming charge of the office of chairman, I was the delegate of Messrs. Cumming and Miller, the then Chairmen, and I am glad to state that a good deal of the out-door work is supervised by ward councillors with much interest and zeal.

Enclosures.

Report of the working of the Dindigul dispensary for 1894.

There were treated at the Dindigul dispensary and hospital in the year under review 24,567 cases, which represents the number of prescriptions written.

Of this total number, 10,585 were new cases or patients coming for the first time.

Of these new cases, 5,837 were males and 4,348 females.

Of Europeans, there were 85 patients; of Eurasians 60; of Native Christians 3,587; of Muhammadans 1,035 and of Hindus 5,821.

There were treated at the hospital or at their own houses 252 in-patients. The patients came from 721 different villages. During a portion of the year under review there were a large number of cases of fever and dysentery. Just at the close of the year a few cases of cholera appeared in the town of Dindigul and some of the adjoining villages, which were promptly treated.

The opening of a special dispensary in the town for the treatment of women and children under the charge of a female apothecary has not diminished the number of our female patients, our returns showing an increase of the total number over the previous year.

Compulsory vaccination continues in force in the Town of Dindigul, calves being used exclusively for the purpose. The vaccinator in charge has, to the best of his ability, done good and faithful work. But he has been sick off and on during the year and has been quite unable to do justice to his work.

(Signed) E. CHESTER, M.D.,
Medical Officer.

Public Health.—Health of the town is generally good. Cholera last year was of a sporadic form and the cases that proved fatal were less than the previous year. Dysentery and fever were rather common among the women and children who attended the dispensary, being due probably to impurity of water and changes in the weather.

2. *Vital Statistics*—

	Births.		Deaths.	
Males	509	Males	233	
Females	425	Females	222	
Total ..	*934	Total ..	*455	

* Not accurate.

3. *Sanitation.*—The main roads and streets are well kept and clean; some of the lanes are filthy and contain on either side a great deal of rubbish and fœcal matter; the drains running along them and into which house drains empty their contents are seldom free from stagnant sewage.

There are one or two dust-bins situated between and quite close to dwelling houses; and these are heaped up and surrounded by refuse matter of all kinds, which when being removed pollutes the atmosphere and renders it disagreeable for the people around.

There is a great scarcity for water. The water in mostly all the wells is low and dirty. People mostly resort to the tank on the rock and to the Jubilee fountain, the water from both these sources being good.

4. *Vaccination.*—Vaccination is compulsory. The work is done by a 1st-class municipal vaccinator under the American Mission dispensary.

5. (*a*) A small rented building with one hall, in which prescribing and compounding are carried on. Two small low dark rooms used as store rooms; and a courtyard in which dressings are done in the open.

(*b*) Building is in good order, does not need repairs.

(*c*) Furniture in good order.

(*d*) Women— 4,194 } 10,235
Children— 6,041 }

(*e*) *Nil.*

(*f*) Major operations, 23.
Minor operations, 293, all cured.

(*g*) Establishment both sufficient and efficient.

(*h*) There is no midwife under me. Three cases conducted.

(*i*) From 15th October 1894 to 31st March 1895, I visited 36 patients at their own houses who would not attend the dispensary.

(*j*) *General Remarks.*—The building as dispensary does not afford much accommodation to enable us to get on better in work. The hall used both for prescribing and compounding is also crammed with furniture; the rooms are too small to allow of any other use but as store-rooms, and dressings have to be done in the open regardless of sun and rain.

(Signed) M. HIGGINS,
Apothecary.

3rd April 1895.

No. 2947-Gl.

Forwarded to the Chairman, Municipal Council, Dindigul, with the remark that the present building which I inspected last year is not large enough.

(Signed) F. C. REEVES, Surgeon-Major,
District Medical and Sanitary Officer.

Madura,
5th May 1895.

No. 2550-Gl.

Submitted.

2. *Paragraph* 32.—The main roads and streets are in good order.

(Signed) J. K. BATTEN,
Ag. Sub-Collector.

Camp Periyakulam,
13*th June* 1895.

Current No. 2643-Gl.

Submitted.

2. As regards the acquisition of sites for a rubbish and night-soil depôt and a burial-ground referred to in paragraph 38 of the report, the matter will receive early attention in this office.

(Signed) T. D. WILL,
Ag. Collector.

Camp Kodaikanal,
27*th June* 1895.

M., Local and Municipal.

ORDER—dated September 1895, N[o]. digul Municipality for 1894–95 are com-
The receipts and charges of the D[igul] estimates for the year and the actuals of
pared below with the budget and revis[ed] 1893–94 :—

	Actuals, 1893–94.	Budget estimate, 1894–95.	Revised estimate, 1894–95.	Actuals, 1894–95.
	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.
Receipts.				
Balance brought forward	6,664	8,230	9,100	9,099
Tax on Buildings and Lands	6,671	7,080	6,900	6,173
„ on Vehicles and Animals	1,384	1,250	1,700	1,703
„ on Carts	713	720	800	776
Tolls	6,455	6,430	6,400	6,403
Realizations under Special Acts	20	30	50	50
Rent of Lands, Buildings, &c., and Sale-proceeds of Lands, &c. ..	762	870	870	596
Conservancy Receipts	54	50	90	86
Fees and Revenue from Educational Institutions	1,937	2,100	1,920	1,809
„ „ from Medical Institutions	..	..	10	1
Income from Markets and Slaughter-houses	5,647	5,590	4,850	4,836
License Fees	522	500	500	423
Other Fees	12	40	40	16
Fines under Municipal and other Acts	28	100	120	139
Grants and Contributions from Government	536	840	1,380	1,233
„ „ from Local Boards	..	470	870	439
Recoveries for Services to Private Individuals	338	300	300	286
Miscellaneous	9	..	60	2
Advances Recovered	493	..	30	30
Total ..	32,245	34,600	35,990	34,100
Charges.				
GRANT I—				
New Works—				
Communications	199	290	290	280
Buildings	265	700	960	948
Drainage	303	400	400	400
Water-supply	362	100	100	100
Repairs—				
Communications	2,444	2,820	3,300	3,139
Buildings	334	890	780	715
Drainage	1,441	1,470	1,460	1,367
Water-supply	886	800	860	837
Establishment	623	790	740	737
Tools and Plant and other Stores	28	60	60	50
Total ..	6,885	8,320	8,950	8,573
GRANT II—				
Training Schools	182	..	..	3
Municipal Schools—				
On the Salary System	2,867	3,340	2,940	2,938
„ Salary-result System	691	820	780	822
Result Grants	1,600	1,560	1,600	1,555
Inspection	260	260	260	260
Miscellaneous	184	150	160	163
Total ..	5,784	6,130	5,740	5,741
GRANT III—				
Hospitals and Dispensaries	803	1,670	2,190	1,356
Contributions	51	150	210	295
Vaccination	534	480	490	482
Registration of Births and Deaths	183	190	200	194
Conservancy, Road-cleaning and Road-watering	5,260	6,620	5,740	5,594
Total ..	6,831	8,510	8,830	7,951
GRANT IV—				
Lighting	1,082	1,160	1,250	1,252
Markets and Slaughter-houses	79	100	90	81
Travellers' Bungalows	149	170	170	166
Avenues	59	70	70	68
Public Garden, Survey of Land, Fire and other charges ..	365	570	560	575
Total ..	1,734	2,070	2,140	2,142
GRANT V—				
Supervision and Management	1,882	1,970	1,940	1,912
Advances Recoverable	30	..	..	.. 1
Refunds	..	..	..	7,780
Balance	9,099	7,600	8,390	
Total ..	32,245	34,600	35,990	34,100

2. Thirty-six meetings were held by th unicipal council against thirty-three in the previous year. The average attenda of the non-official members declined slightly, but was still fair, and the Reven Divisional Officer, ~~who was~~ the only official member of the council, was present at hird of the ~~total number of~~ meetings ~~held.~~ Five seats were filled by election du g the year, and of these two were contested, 64·1 per cent. of the voters concer attending the poll.

3. *Receipts*—(1) The net current dem of the tax on buildings exhibited an increase of Rs. 222 and owing to the fact th acant house-sites were taxed for the first time during the year under review, of the tax on lands rose from Rs. 220 to Rs. 336. The revision of the regi rs of cultivable lands which is stated to be in progress should be proceeded wit as rapidly as possible and the result reported to Government.

(2) The current collections under the on buildings improved slightly but were still indifferent, while the current and a ar realizations under the tax on lands for reasons explained in paragraph 8 of the airman's report showed a decline and were decidedly poor. The number of wanta issued during the year for the collection of the ~~several~~ taxes was only about 38 pe ent. of the figure of the previous year, but the number which remained unexecuted a he end of the year was unduly large. The Government trusts that greater attention ill be paid to the prompt realization of the taxes in future. The arrear collectio under the tax on houses, though not so good as in the previous year, were still fair

(3) There was an increase in the receip s from the taxes on vehicles, animals and carts, which is explained in paragraphs 10 and 11 of the Chairman's report. The income from the sale of sweepings rose from Rs. 54 to Rs. 86, but this source of revenue is, in the opinion of Government, capable of still further development and the matter should continue to receive the council's attention. The receipts from markets and slaughter-houses declined considerably, owing, it is stated, to want of competition at the sale of the farms. The advance under the head of fines, which is attributed to greater energy on the part of the police in checking nuisances, is satisfactory.

(4) The private scavenging system did not make any appreciable progress during the year under review. The number of houses served by municipal agency rose from 163 to 201, but the receipts from this source declined by Rs. 125 and more than 92 per cent. of the houses assessed to the tax on buildings still remained outside the system. There was an increase in the number of notices issued to the owners of insanitary premises, but as in the previous year not a single prosecution was instituted for failure to comply with the sanitary provisions of the law. With reference to this and to paragraph 27 of the Chairman's letter, it will be observed that the object to be kept in view is, not so much that the service should be popular among the inhabitants, but that those of them who do not join it should be prevented from endangering the public health by keeping their premises in an unclean condition. The Government trusts that the council will spare no efforts in the current year to extend the system throughout the town.

4. *Expenditure*—(1) *Public Works.*—With the exception of two new tiled sheds in the weekly market on which a sum of Rs. 750 was spent, no new work of any importance was undertaken during the year. The outlay on communications amounted to Rs. 3,418, or 53·4 per cent. of the net municipal income from tolls, and the main roads and streets are reported by the Revenue Divisional Officer to have been in good order.

(2) The Chairman is requested to report whether the approval of the Sanitary Engineer has been obtained to the plans and estimates for the drains referred to in paragraph 31 of the report and to quote the authority under which a maistry was employed under the municipal overseer and an allowance of one and a half per cent. on the working estimates was paid to him.

(2) *Education.*—The net expe
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funds is no reason at all why the muni
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entirely withholding the grants payabl
G.O., dated 1st October 1894, No. 1356

(3) *Medical Relief.*—The total n
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which was opened in September 1893,
in the previous year. The two midwiv
between them only 78 cases of labour ag
to exact better work from them in the cu
ing portion of paragraph 35 of the Chai
G.O., dated 22nd February 1887, No. 22
and April 1887, No. 641 L.

(4) *Vaccination and Vital Statisti*
nated during the year fell from 1,024 to
improved and was good. Infantile vac
satisfactory it should keep pace with th
operation continued to be very high and
in the previous year, the poor results und
the municipal vaccinator. Now that a ne
hoped that there will be an improvement

The registration of births appears
deaths was evidently incomplete. The e
the fact that the council again neglected
register births or deaths. No improveme
sions of the Act are rigidly enforced, and t
in the current year.

(5) *Sanitation.*—On conservancy a
allotment and 22·4 per cent. of the curre
of the Chairman's report it appears that so
of the town, and the Government trusts that the municipal council will not fail to
fulfil its promise to carry out in the current year, as far as funds permit, the various
suggestions made by the Sanitary Commissioner in his inspection notes recorded in
G.O., dated 27th November 1894, No. 1816 M. Applications for the acquisition of
the lands required for a rubbish and night-soil depôt and a burial-ground, referred to
in paragraph 38 of the Chairman's report and paragraph 2 of the Collector's endorse-
ment, will be awaited.

re under Grant II was Rs. 2,97?, or 19·7
f this, a sum of Rs. 2,394 was devoted to
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the attendance at these schools showed a
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ools, however, appear to have done well at
cipal council also aided one secondary and
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from the results of the grant examinations
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hammadan schools continued to improve.
fully utilized and the total number of boys
ed schools rose from 69·8 to 73·6 per cent.
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s of the Chairman in paragraph 33 of his
but it is observed that the fact that the
s of teachers under training from Provincial
l council should not compel the untrained
ols to qualify themselves by reducing or
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ber of persons who attended the American
and in the women and children's hospital,
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nan's report, his attention will be drawn to
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man has been appointed in his place, it is
this branch of the administration.

to have received fair attention, but that of
planation of this is probably to be found in
to institute any prosecutions for failure to
t can be expected unless the penal provi-
e council should attend to these instructions

um of Rs. 5,594, or 92·9 per cent. of the
receipts, was spent. From paragraph 38
ne attention is being paid to the sanitation

5. *General Remarks.*—The year closed with a balance of Rs. 7,780, or 31·1 per cent. of the current receipts. The greater portion of this sum is, however, reserved for expenditure on the water-supply scheme.

The administration of the municipality during the year under review was again, on the whole, fair. The Government is glad to note the testimony borne by the Chairman to the interest taken by the ward councillors in the management of the affairs of the town.

(True Extract.)

for Chief Secretary.

To the Chairman, Municipal Council, Dindigul.
" Collector of Madura.
" President, District Board, Madura.
" Accountant-General.
" Director of Public Instruction.
" Surgeon-General.
" Sanitary Commissioner.
" Sanitary Engineer.
Editors' Table.

GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.

LOCAL AND MUNICIPAL DEPARTMENT.

Read—the following paper :—

From M.R.Ry. T. RAJAGOPALA NAYUDU Garu, Chairman, Municipal Council, Dindigul (through the Sub-Collector and Collector of Madura), to the Chief Secretary to Government, dated Dindigul, 31st May 1895, No. 70.

I have the honour to submit the report for the year 1894–95 on the administration of the Dindigul Municipality together with the following enclosures :—

(1) Annual statements.

(2) Copies of the educational statements Nos. I to IV submitted by the Assistant Inspector of Schools, 7th Division.

(3) Copies of the educational statements Nos. I to IV submitted by the Inspectress of Girls' Schools, Southern Circle.

(4) Copy of Dr. Chester's report on the Dindigul dispensary.

(5) Copy of Dr. Reeves' report on the Women and Children's hospital, Dindigul, dated 5th May 1895.

(6) Copy of the council's resolution, No. 1, dated 31st May 1895.

I.—Constitution of the Council.

2. The strength of the council is twelve. On the 31st March 1895 all the members were on the council. Of the said twelve, three were Europeans and nine Natives; of the former, two were appointed by the Government and the other was *ex-officio* councillor, *i.e.*, the Divisional officer; and the latter were all elected. The Sub-Collector was the only official on the council.

3. The office of chairman was held by Mr. Miller, the Sub-Collector (duly elected) till the 22nd of April 1894, when Mr. Cumming succeeded him and held it *ex-officio* till the 8th February 1895, when Mr. Miller resumed charge and officiated till the 5th March 1895, when I assumed charge as chairman elect and continue to be as such.

4. During the year under review five seats—one in each of the 2nd, 3rd, 4th, 5th and 6th wards—fell vacant and elections were held within the year for filling up the same. A contested election for the 6th ward was held on the 25th July 1894; elections for the 2nd and 3rd wards were conducted on the 19th October 1894, at which the seat for the former alone was disputed; and those for the 4th and 5th wards were held on the 22nd idem. As there were no rival candidates for these wards, the seats were filled up undisputed. The total number of electors in all the six wards amounted to 490 against 520 last year. Statement X-A furnishes all these particulars.

5. The number of meetings actually held is 36 (twenty ordinary and sixteen special) and exceeds that of the previous year by three. No meeting was adjourned for want of a quorum; the average attendance at each meeting was the same as last year, *i.e.*, seven. The Sub-Collector attended in all twelve meetings.

II.—Receipts.

6. Including the opening balance of Rs. 9,098–12–7, the total receipts of the municipality amounted to Rs. 34,099–10–10 against Rs. 35,990, the revised estimate and Rs. 32,244–7–6, the actuals of the previous year. The decrease below the estimate is chiefly due to the non-realization of a larger amount expected from house and land-tax, sale of lands and the non-recovery within the year of the contribution

from the Madura District Board on account of the women's hospital; and the increase over the actuals of the preceding year is attributed to the larger amount of opening balance. The causes of these differences are explained below *seriatim*.

A.—Receipts from Taxation.

7. *Statement I, Tax on Buildings.*—The figures for 1893–94 include larger amount of arrears than those of the year under report; hence the difference. The short collections as compared with the estimate are due to the inefficiency of the bill-collectors who were replaced by more competent men towards the close of the year under report. I had to make some special temporary arrangements for the better collection of this tax and thus recovered Rs. 1,586–3–0 from the 23rd of February last when I was appointed chairman-delegate. Of the total current demand of Rs. 5,746–10–0 as per statement IV-A, Rs. 4,679–5–6 have been collected, Rs. 15–2–0 remitted, Rs. 9–5–0 written off as irrecoverable and a balance of Rs. 1,042–13–6 was left at the close of the year. Of the arrear demand of Rs. 1,498–4–9, which is less than the audited figure by As. 10 owing to a mistake in addition, Rs. 1,309–14–11 have been collected, As. 10 remitted, Rs. 31–8–10 written off as irrecoverable and Rs. 156–3–0 remained uncollected. The mode of estimating the annual rental of buildings for purposes of assessment is given in detail in the note to statement I. The house-tax registers were last revised in the year 1892–93.

	Rs.	A.	P.
Actuals of 1893–94	6,561	6	3
Revised estimate for 1894–95 ..	6,520	0	0
Actuals of 1894–95	5,989	4	5

8. *Tax on Lands.*—All the vacant house-sites in the town have been measured and assessed for the 2nd-half of the year under report at one anna for every eighty square yards, the rate fixed by the council in its Resolution No. 3, dated 12th November 1894, which fetched a sum of Rs. 115–6–6. In the case of cultivated lands the usual method of calculating annual rental upon a multiple of the Government kist was adopted which yielded Rs. 220–6–0, thus the total demand under this head aggregated Rs. 335–12–6, of which Rs. 102–1–6 have been realized and the balance remained uncollected at the end of the year. Of the arrear demand of Rs. 138–0–6, Rs. 81–9–6 were collected, Rs. 1–5–0 written off and Rs. 55–2–0 were left as balance. The collections fell short of the estimate by Rs. 196–5–0 owing to the late date at which the vacant house-sites were brought to assessment and to the want of experience of the new bill-collector who took some days for finding out the landowners. The total extent of assessed land is 835 acres and 25 cents. The registers of cultivable lands are being revised in the current year as they were last revised in 1889–90.

	Rs.	A.	P.
Actuals of 1893–94	109	5	0
Revised estimate for 1894–95 ..	380	0	0
Actuals of 1894–95	183	11	0

9. *Tax on Vehicles.*—The increase over the actuals of the previous year is due to increase in the number of vehicles liable to be taxed, and the outstanding arrears still remaining to be realized effected the falling off under estimate.

	Rs.	A.	P.
Actuals of 1893–94	276	0	0
Revised estimate for 1894–95 ..	400	0	0
Actuals of 1894–95	361	8	0

10. *Tax on Animals.*—Prompt collection especially in the latter part of the year under this head both under arrear and current demand enhanced the receipts over the estimate and the actuals of the previous year.

	Rs.	A.	P.
Actuals of 1893–94	1,107	12	0
Revised estimate for 1894–95 ..	1,300	0	0
Actuals of 1894–95	1,341	8	0

11. *Tax on Carts.*—The levy for the first time of tax on the dust and night-soil carts belonging to the contractors enhanced the receipts over last year; but a decrease in the total number of carts reduced the tax somewhat below the estimate owing to the removal of a few carts by the owners to the adjacent gardens and fields.

	Rs.	A.	P.
Actuals of 1893–94	713	0	0
Revised estimate for 1894–95 ..	800	0	0
Actuals of 1894–95	776	0	0

12. *Coercive Processes.*—Coercion was resorted to during the year under review in the case of the tax on buildings, vehicles and animals. One thousand five hundred and fifty-two warrants for the realization of Rs. 1,200–0–6 against 4,034 for Rs. 4,334–5–6 in 1893–94 were issued. Including 2,227 old warrants covering a sum of Rs. 2,161–6–3 that remained unexecuted at the end of the previous year, the total number of warrants was 3,779 involving an aggregate sum of Rs. 3,361–6–9. One hundred and seventy-four of this number were cancelled by remissions granted by the council for Rs. 115–14–4 and 2,305 warrants were executed within the year effecting a recovery of Rs. 2,246–15–11, of which 43 covered by Rs. 40–0–6 were cases in which property was distrained but not sold; and in eight cases the distrained property was sold for Rs. 28–2–11; 1,300 warrants for Rs. 998–8–6 remained unexecuted at the end of the year. Appendix-A to statements IV-A and IV-B furnishes these particulars in detail. No prosecution was instituted for the recovery of any tax during 1894–95.

13. *Tolls.*—The farm was leased out as usual for Rs. 9,600 against Rupees 9,650 in 1893–94. A sample toll board was made at a cost of Rs. 9–10–0. Deducting this sum from the total receipts, one-third of the remainder, viz., Rupees 3,196–12–8, was contributed to the Madura District Board. No expenditure was incurred on the repair or construction of toll-gates, printing tickets, &c. The number of toll-gates remained the same as last year, viz., 6.

	Rs.	A.	P.
Actuals of 1893–94	6,454	9	1
Revised estimate for 1894–95 ..	6,400	0	0
Actuals of 1894–95	6,403	3	4

14. *Incidence of Taxation.*—The average incidence per head of the population including and excluding tolls is As. 11–11 and As. 6–10 against As. 12–1 and As. 6–11 respectively in the previous year.

B.—Miscellaneous Receipts.

15. *Realizations under Special Acts.*—Licenses issued under Act II of 1888 alone fetched the sum noted in the margin.

	Rs.	A.	P.
Actuals of 1893–94	20	0	0
Revised estimate for 1894–95 ..	50	0	0
Actuals of 1894–95	50	0	0

16. (4) (*a*) *Revenue derived from Municipal Property.*—Diminished receipts from rent of lands, avenues and the travellers' bungalow effected the difference as per margin. The demand under rent of lands, both arrear and current, amounted to Rs. 404–12–0 of which Rs. 382–8–0 were realized, As. 4 remitted, Rs. 4 written off as irrecoverable and Rs. 18 remained uncollected.

	Rs.	A.	P.
Actuals of 1893–94	639	7	6
Revised estimate for 1894–95 ..	600	0	0
Actuals of 1894–95	551	11	6

17. (4) (*b*)—Some lands were sold last year which augmented the receipts of that year. The council's claim to certain lands at Begambur has been disputed in G.O., No. 702 M., Mis., dated 26th April 1895. These lands were proposed to be sold to certain individuals who have already deposited the sale amount with the council pending sanction of Government. The matter is now pending before the council, and the consequent non-adjustment of the above deposits accounts for the falling off below the estimate.

	Rs.	A.	P.
Actuals of 1893–94	122	10	5
Revised estimate for 1894–95 ..	270	0	0
Actuals of 1894–95	44	1	9

18. (4) (*c*).—Due publicity among the agricultural and other classes of people was given about the sale of sweepings which yielded Rs. 86 against Rs. 54 in the preceding year.

	Rs.	A.	P.
Actuals of 1893–94	54	0	0
Revised estimate for 1894–95 ..	90	0	0
Actuals of 1894–95	86	0	0

19. (4) (*d*).—These figures represent fees collected from the Municipal High and the Muhammadan Salary Result schools. Rs. 1,745–14–0 from the former and Rs. 62–12–9 from the latter were collected against Rs. 1,869–14–0 and Rs. 55–10–6, respectively, in the year previous. The decrease in the former is due to a slight falling off in the strength of the high school. This is chiefly due to the existence of high schools and colleges of established reputation in the cities of Madura and Trichinopoly which are within a distance of two or three hours run by railway from this town.

	Rs.	A.	P.
Actuals of 1893–94	1,937	2	6
Revised estimate for 1894–95 ..	1,920	0	0
Actuals of 1894–95	1,808	10	9

20. (4) (*e*).—Medicines sold at the women and children's hospital fetched Rs. 1–2–0 during the year under review.

	Rs.	A.	P.
Actuals of 1893–94	*Nil.*		
Revised estimate for 1894–95 ..	10	0	0
Actuals of 1894–95	1	2	0

21. (4) (*f*) Want of brisk competition owing probably to the loss sustained by the previous year's renters at the sale of the four markets and two slaughter-houses shown in statement XI caused considerable decrease below the actual income of last year. The current demand as per statement IV-A was fully recovered and the arrear demand of Rs. 22 shown in statement IV-B had to be written off on account of the proved pauperism of the defaulter. The markets and the slaughter-houses are, as usual, being supervised by the ward councillors. There was no change in the rate of fees collected at the weekly market, which ranged from one pie to one anna, nor was there any alteration in the rate collected at the slaughter-houses. It was one anna for a sheep or goat and four annas for a bullock slaughtered. The net income from markets after deducting the charges incurred under Grant I, 1 (*b*) and 2 (*b*) and Grant IV 2 (1) amounted to Rs. 3,050–2–2 against Rs. 4,392–7–9, and that from the slaughter-houses to Rs. 552–8–7 against Rs. 699–4–2 in 1893–94.

	Rs.	A.	P.
Actuals of 1893–94	5,647	4	3
Revised estimate for 1894–95 ..	4,850	0	0
Actuals of 1894–95	4,836	3	11

22. (4) (*g*).—No fixed demand was raised under this head during the year under review. Non-realization of the full amount due for 1894–95, of which almost Rs. 116 still remain to be recovered, besides the sum of Rs. 31 collected during the current year, diminished the receipts far below the estimate and the actuals of 1893–94. Prosecutions under section 189 of the Municipal Act were instituted in 47 against thirteen cases last year, of which five were disposed of within the year and the rest pending. The special magistrates have been addressed for a speedy disposal of the same. Payment of license fees in advance will invariably be insisted upon as directed by Government.

	Rs.	A.	P.
Actuals of 1893–94	533	12	0
Revised estimate for 1894–95 ..	540	0	0
Actuals of 1894–95	439	9	8

23. (4) (*h*).—The increase in both cases is conspicuous and exhibits more vigilance, especially on the part of the Police, in prosecuting cases for committal of nuisances.

	Rs.	A.	P.
Actuals of 1893–94	27	15	0
Revised estimate for 1894–95 ..	120	0	0
Actuals of 1894–95	139	0	6

24. (5) (*a*).—Arrear grants on account of the High school recovered during the year under review increased the amount of grants over the actuals of the previous year; while the non-recovery of the building grant, for which an application has been submitted in the current year owing to the late date at which the work was completed, over estimate in salary grants for 1894–95 and the non-realization within the year of a portion of grant on account of the gymnastic instructor contribute to the decrease from the estimate.

	Rs.	A.	P.
Actuals of 1893–94	536	8	1
Revised estimate for 1894–95 ..	1,110	0	0
Actuals of 1894–95	965	0	7

25. (5) (*a*) (*iii*).—The contribution due for 1893–94 was not received within the year and the figures as per margin represent two years' grants. This is realized from a chattram endowment for water-supply purposes.

	Rs.	A.	P.
Actuals of 1893–94	*Nil.*		
Revised estimate for 1894–95 ..	270	0	0
Actuals of 1894–95	267	11	0

26. (5) (*b*) (*ii*).—Non-recovery within the year of the contribution due by the Madura District Board on account of the women and children's hospital caused the decrease noted. The actual receipts are the contributions recovered from the Dindigul Taluk Board on account of the same hospital.

	Rs.	A.	P.
Actuals of 1893–94	*Nil.*		
Revised estimate for 1894–95 ..	870	0	0
Actuals of 1894–95	438	11	10

27. (6) (*a*)—The number of private houses scavenged by the Municipal agency increased from 163 to 201 on the last day of the year, but the fees collected fell from Rs. 337–10–0 to Rs. 285–10–0. This is apparently due to a decrease on an average of 32 in the number of houses scavenged in each of the first three quarters as compared with the corresponding quarters of 1893–94. The increase noted above was effected in the last quarter of the year under report. The private scavenging system is unpopular and the unpopularity is no doubt due to inefficient supervision on the part of the sanitary inspectors, especially in the first division, over this branch of their work. They have been sufficiently reprimanded and some improvement has been effected in this direction in the current year. The arrear and current demand under this head has been fully realized. Seventy-nine notices against 20 in the preceding year were issued for keeping the filthy and insanitary premises clean. No prosecutions were instituted on this account during the year under review.

	Rs.	A.	P.
Actuals of 1893–94	337	10	0
Revised estimate for 1894–95 ..	300	0	0
Actuals of 1894–95	285	10	0

28. (6) (*b*).—The proposed recovery from Saiyid Muhammad, Normal student, of the stipends he received from the municipality consequent on his refusal to serve the council for the stipulated period was not effected within the year as was expected, which accounts for the difference between the actuals and the estimate for the year under review. Steps are being taken to effect the recovery in the current year.

	Rs.	A.	P.
Actuals of 1893–94	8	15	8
Revised estimate for 1894–95 ..	60	0	0
Actuals of 1894–95	2	2	0

29. (7) (*d*).—Details of the advances for 1893–94 are given in paragraph 28 of the last year's report. The figure for 1894–95 is comprised of the following items:—

		Rs.	A.	P.
Advances recovered from pleader Mr. Hickey		15	0	0
Do.	from Councillor M.R.Ry. Muthu Naick Avargal	10	0	0
Do.	from a painter	5	0	0

III.—Expenditure.

30. The charges of the municipality aggregated Rs. 26,319–7–4 against Rupees 27,600, the estimate for the year and Rs. 23,145–10–11, the actuals of the previous year. The short expenditure as compared with the estimate is due to certain allotments under Grants I and III not having been spent fully, and the increase over the actuals of last year is due chiefly to larger outlay under Grants I, III and IV. These differences are fully explained below.

31. *Grant I, Public Works*—(1) *New Works.*—The decrease from the estimate is small and relates to savings in the estimates; and the increase over the actual expenditure of 1893–94 is due principally to a larger amount spent on new tiled sheds at the weekly market place which includes arrear payment made for work done during the last year. Compensation amounting to Rs. 96–9–0 for lands taken up for opening lanes at Nagulnaikenpatty and Pension Line street was paid to the parties concerned through the Revenue department; a tunnel over the odai in Mounseypuram and another to the east of the Batlagundu road were constructed for Rs. 183–1–0. A sum of Rs. 750–4–7 including arrear payment alluded to above was spent in the construction of two new tiled sheds at the weekly market place; two new corrugated iron latrines were erected in the south street in the place of the one demolished and at Poochinaikenpatty at a cost of Rs. 193–11–9; and V and ⊔ shaped drains were provided for the buffaloemen's street, the other part of the chattram street, silk weavers' and Kannadiers' lanes for Rupees 394–3–9. Rs. 97–9–3 were spent for erecting side walls to the new well sunk on the road leading to the railway station with petty works. A sum of Rs. 12–14–11 was paid under this head to the maistry employed under the municipal overseer in the shape of an allowance at 1½ per cent. of the working estimates.

	Rs.	A.	P.
Actuals of 1893–94	1,129	3	0
Revised estimate for 1894–95 ..	1,750	0	0
Actuals of 1894–95	1,728	6	3

32. (2) *Repairs* (*including* (3) *Establishments and* (4) *Tools, &c.*).—Larger outlay especially under repair of communications and buildings and under (3) establishments swelled the expenditure over that of the last year; and the non-utilization of the allotments in full under the first two heads alluded to above and under repair to drainage works diminished the charges below the estimate to the extent of Rs. 355–12–5. The estimate for repair of communications was Rs. 3,300, of which Rs. 3,138–6–8 were spent, and the balance remained as savings which were effected in inviting tenders on estimates for the repairs. This outlay *plus* the amount spent under Grant I, (1)(*a*) bears 53·4 per cent. to the revenue from tolls, the prescribed limit being 50 per cent. Statement II-A, Part II (*a*), from which the several roads, streets and lanes repaired by the council will be seen, shows that the total mileage of roads remained the same as last year, viz., 22 miles and 40 yards, of which sixteen miles, six furlongs and 79 yards were metalled or gravelled which are maintained by the council, and the rest are mere earth roads. The condition of the roads and streets is generally very good, except a few lanes which require metalling or gravelling. Under buildings Rs. 239–0–10 were spent in improving the high school buildings and the common gymnasium; Rs. 426–15–3 for improving the market buildings; Rs. 24–8–5 for repairing the travellers' bungalow; Rs. 21–8–6 for repairing the latrine at Nagulnayakanpatti and Rs. 2–7–4 were paid for maistry allowance. Drains of different shape in the west car street and the Brazier's, Baker's, Brahmin backyard, Kolandai Velan's and the Post office lanes were mended at a cost of Rs. 608–11–2. The establishment charges under this head amounted to Rs. 758–5–11. Scarcity of water was so keenly felt in the latter part of the year under report, that several tanks and wells had to be cleaned and deepened, and some repaired, which entailed an expenditure of Rs. 570–2–1 in addition to the charges incurred on account of establishment and contingencies amounting to Rupees 267–4–10. Under (3) and (4) a sum of Rs. 786–12–7 against an estimate of Rs. 800 has been spent.

	Rs.	A.	P.
Actuals of 1893–94	5,755	15	5
Revised estimate for 1894–95 ..	7,200	0	0
Actuals of 1894–95	6,844	3	7

33. *Grant II, Education.*—The difference in both cases as per margin is immaterial. Rs. 2–7–9 were paid for a portion of the stipends to a normal student who was paid from Provincial funds. No student was trained from Municipal funds during the year under report. The charges of the High school establishment and contingencies amounted to Rs. 2,938–6–2

	Rs	A.	P.
Actuals of 1893–94	5,784	1	1
Revised estimate for 1894–95 ..	5,740	0	0
Actuals of 1894–95	5,741	2	5

against an estimate of Rs. 2,940 and Rs. 2,866–11–3, the actuals of the previous year. After deducting school-fees and Government grants, the net cost to the council on this account was Rs. 337–2–7 excluding the cost incurred in repairing the High school buildings, which amounted to Rs. 204–3–2. Of the six students who were sent up for the Matriculation and seven for the Lower Secondary examinations, two in the former and two in the latter passed against 10—1 and 8—8 respectively in 1893–94. The results of the Matriculation Examination may be said to be fair, but the same cannot be said in regard to the Lower Secondary examination. The falling off in attendance and the consequent reduction in the fee income with the unfavourable result in the Lower Secondary examination show a state of things which, I am sorry to observe, is not very satisfactory. The council in its resolution No. 8, dated 23rd July 1894, resolved to maintain this institution permanently. If the teachers concerned do not work up with greater care and zeal to make the institution attractive, the permanent continuance thereof will be considered at the time of the budget. Increase in the strength (167 against 148) of the Muhammadan and Panchama Salary Result schools, which cost the council Rs. 759–2–4 against Rs. 635–3–7 in 1893–94, is noted with satisfaction. The excess expenditure is due to the employment of the Hindustani teacher throughout the year and to the larger amount paid for results stipends. Two out of four who appeared for the Primary School examination, fourteen out of seventeen in the infant standard, 26 out of the same number in the first standard, seventeen out of eighteen in the second and eight out of nine in the third standards passed—a result creditable to the teachers and the Inspecting schoolmaster concerned. Result grants at the maximum rate amounting to Rs. 1,555–2–0 against an estimate of Rs. 1,600 and the actuals of the same amount last year were paid to eleven aided schools against the same number in 1893–94; but the number of these schools on the 31st March 1895 was increased by one over that on the corresponding date of last year. Of the total amount spent for result grants, Rs. 241–4–0 were paid for a Lower Secondary school and Rs. 1,313–14–0 to Primary schools. The strength of the aided schools rose from 818 to 863. The number of unaided and indigenous schools fell from 13 to 11 with a decline in strength from 399 in the preceding year to 367. It is noted with regret that there are still thirteen unpassed teachers employed in the several municipal aided and indigenous schools. As to the remarks of the Assistant Inspector in the last column of statement No. III, I have to invite his attention to paragraph 5 (2) of G.O., No. 247 M., dated 23rd February 1893, from which it will be seen that the Government struck out the provision made under this head for 1893–94 in consideration of the very high percentage devoted to education. The training of teachers should therefore be met from the Provincial funds, and it would be better if steps are taken for training some of the unpassed teachers during the current year. Under inspection a sum of Rs. 260–2–5 has been spent against an estimate of Rs. 260 and the actuals of Rs. 259–12–3 in the preceding year. The estimate under miscellaneous was Rs. 160 and the actual expenditure (Rs. 163–1–0) against Rs. 184–7–8 in 1893–94. Larger outlay under contingencies during 1893–94 increased the charges of that year. The strength of the Government Girls' school was 118 against 102 last year. There were also under instruction five against twelve girls in the aided and 25 against fourteen in the unaided schools: thus the total number of girls under instruction in the recognized schools was 123 against 114 in 1893–94. The total charges on education bear 28 per cent. against 26·9 in the previous year to the receipts from taxation, markets and rents.

34. *Grant III, Sanitation*—(1) *Hospitals and Dispensaries.*—The charges on account of the women's hospital for the full year account for the increase over last year. Non-payment of the allowance of Rs. 25 per mensem to the female apothecary which is pending before Government (*vide* letter No. 41, dated 2nd May 1895), and the non-utilization of the allotment in full for medicines and supplies owing to the non-receipt within the year of the demands therefor diminished the charges below the estimate by Rs. 804–3–3. From the female apothecary's report herewith submitted it will be seen that a total number of 10,235 cases were treated, of which 4,194 were

	Rs.	A.	P.
Actuals of 1893–94	802	7	8
Revised estimate for 1894–95 ..	2,190	0	0
Actuals of 1894–95	1,385	12	9

women and 6,041 children. Want of a suitable building of course causes inconvenience to the efficient working of the hospital, but the council will see to this shortly. The accompanying report of Dr. Chester, to whom a contribution of Rs. 455 for establishment was, as usual, paid, furnishes the necessary statistics in regard to the Mission dispensary under his control. The figures given in his report do not tally with those entered in statement No. XII, as the former relate to the calendar year. Fever and dysentery appear to have been the prevailing disease. A few sporadic cases of cholera appeared during the latter part of the year under report. The health of the town was generally good. No woman was sent up for medical training from Dindigul during 1894–95.

35. (2) (*a*) *Contribution to Provincial Funds.*—Payment of contribution on account of the sanitary inspection for two years swelled the charges over last year. More than treble the amount estimated for has been paid on account of the contribution due to the Medical College which contributes to the increase beyond the estimate. The council is not aware of the data upon which these contributions are calculated.

	Rs.
Actuals of 1893–94	51
Revised estimate for 1894–95	210
Actuals of 1894–95	295

36. (3) *Vaccination.*—Vaccination is by the council's resolution No. 6, dated 7th July 1890, placed under the control of Dr. Chester, the Medical officer in charge of the American Mission dispensary in this town. Discontinuance during the year under review of the vaccination peon reduced the charges below the actuals of last year. The decrease under estimate is small and is due to the non-recoupment within the year of the contingent charges incurred during February 1895. Continued ill-health of the permanent 1st-class vaccinator lessened the number of operations performed, which amounts to 969 against 1,015 in the previous year. Of these, 676 against 645 were infants under one year of age and 293 against 370 were adults above that age. Six hundred and seventy infants and 280 adults were successfully vaccinated against 638 and 343, respectively, in the preceding year. The total number of births registered during the year was 939 and the number of children successfully vaccinated was 670, which bears a percentage of 71·35. Six hundred and seventy out of 676 children and 280 out of 293 adults vaccinated during 1894–95 proved successful. Animal lymph (calf to arm) was invariably used in all the cases operated on. The cost of each successful case was As. 8–1 against As. 8–9 in the previous year. One hundred and forty-five prosecutions against none last year were instituted to have the children vaccinated. The said Medical officer alludes to the generally good work done by the permanent vaccinator, but unfortunately his ill-health retarded him from showing an advance in his work over last year. This man having been granted sick leave of absence on half pay, a 2nd-class vaccinator under the recommendation of the District Medical and Sanitary officer of Madura has been appointed from the 16th April 1895. No operations were performed by the Medical subordinates during the year under report.

	Rs.	A.	P.
Actuals of 1893-94	534	4	1
Revised estimate for 1894–95 ..	490	0	0
Actuals of 1894–95	481	5	3

37. (4). *Vital Statistics.*—The small increase over last year is due to excess expenditure under contingencies, and the small decrease under estimate calls for no remark. Of the total number of births registered, 516 against 428 last year were males and 423 against 428 were females. Under deaths 233 against 261 males and 225 against 243 females were registered. Ten cases of deaths from cholera, none from small-pox, 74 from fever and 374 from other causes occurred against 68, 1, 36 and 339 respectively in the year preceding. Owing to the omission in print of comma after the figure 1 and before the figure 36, they read as 136 in paragraph 36 of the last year's report. Almost 46·5 and 22·7 per mille of the population were recorded in births and deaths, respectively, against 42·3 and 24·9 in 1893–94. No prosecutions were instituted for failure to register births and deaths.

	Rs.	A.	P.
Actuals of 1893–94	183	5	0
Revised estimate for 1894–95	200	0	0
Actuals of 1894–95	194	1	10

(5)—*Conservancy.*—A comparatively larger outlay under (*a*) (*ii*) enhanced the charges over last year, and the non-utilization of the allotments in full under (*a*) (*ii*) and (*d*) effected a decrease of Rs. 145–11–11 under estimate. Under (*a*) (*ii*) savings were effected in fines and retrenchments made from the contractors' bills. The provision under (*d*) was not fully appropriated, as the council thought it was not advisable to spend a larger amount on removing prickly-pear. Particulars of the conservancy establishment maintained during the year are given in detail in statement II-B, from which it will be seen that there has been an increase in the number of scavengers for public and private latrines by one in each. There were in all eighteen latrines in use during 1894–95, of which seventeen are mud wall enclosures and one built of corrugated iron. Of the eighteen latrines, four were for males and fourteen for females. During the year under review, the latrine in south street was substituted by an iron structure. One more corrugated iron latrine was constructed at Puchinayakanpatti which was opened for use in the current year. There were during 1894–95, fourteen dust-carts, five night-soil carts and six sewage hand-carts. The number of rubbish and night-soil depôts remained the same as last year. The one whose acquisition was pending before the Collector has not been as yet acquired. As regards burial-grounds, the committee alluded to in the last year's report (paragraph 37) selected a most suitable site far away from habitations for the Muhammadan burial-ground at present used in the heart of the town and the matter of its acquisition is now pending before the Collector. The burial-ground on the Trichinopoly road used by Paraiyas has been closed on the 15th February 1895 after providing a more convenient site in its stead. Greater attention will be paid in the current year to the further extension of the private scavenging system. The council will in the current year adopt, as far as funds permit, most of the suggestions of the Sanitary Commissioner contained in his inspection notes printed in G.O., No. 1816 M., dated 27th November 1894.

	Rs.	A.	P.
Actuals of 1893–94 ..	5,259	10	0
Revised estimate for 1894–95	5,740	0	0
Actuals of 1894–95 ..	5,594	4	1

39. *Grant IV*—(1) (*Lighting*).—In continuing to manage lighting by the contract system, the expenditure increased above the actuals of 1893–94 owing to want of competition at the sale. The description and the number of lamps remained stationary, viz., 67 cast iron posts, 24 iron wall-brackets and 78 stone posts. This affords almost ten lamps for every mile of road maintained by the council. The lighting is supervised as usual by the Sanitary Inspectors and the ward councillors.

	Rs.	A.	P.
Actuals of 1893–94 ..	1,081	12	4
Revised estimate for 1894–95	1,250	0	0
Actuals of 1894–95 ..	1,251	10	9

40. (2), (4), (5), (6) and (9)—Excess outlay on printing, compensation paid for land taken up for the burial-ground for Paraiyas and the amount spent for boundary stones and law charges contributed to the increase over last year. The charges on account of the travellers' bungalow including its repair amounted to Rs. 190–12–2 against an income of Rs. 94–8–0 from that source. Additional furniture has been provided in the year under report.

	Rs.	A.	P.
Actuals of 1893–94	652	1	9
Revised estimate for 1894–95	890	0	0
Actuals of 1894–95	889	15	0

41. *Grant V, Supervision and Management.*—The appointment of a temporary record clerk and additional peons to Bill-Collectors with contingencies under (*c*) (*ii*) increased the expenditure over that of 1893–94, though partly counterbalanced by excess charges under (6) (*ii*) and (*e*) in the previous year. The slight decrease under estimate is due to fines and savings under almost all items, especially under (*b*) (*ii*).

	Rs.	A.	P.
Actuals of 1893–94	1,881	14	7
Revised estimate for 1894–95	1940	0	0
Actuals of 1894–95	1,912	5	5

42. No advances were outstanding except the permanent advance with the Head-clerk, the Headmaster of the High school and the Medical officer. A sum of Rs. 1–4–0 was refunded on account of collections made in the previous year.

IV.—Closing Balance.

43. Owing to the falling off of Rs. 1,890-5-2 in the total receipts of the municipality, the closing balance is Rs. 609-12-6 less than the estimate, though partially counterbalanced by savings under Grants I, III and V.

	Rs.	A	P.
Actuals of 1893–94	9,098	12	7
Revised estimate for 1894–95	8,390	0	0
Actuals of 1894–95	7,780	3	6

General Remarks.—During the latter part of the year under review prior to my assuming charge of the office of chairman, I was the delegate of Messrs. Cumming and Miller, the then Chairmen, and I am glad to state that a good deal of the out-door work is supervised by ward councillors with much interest and zeal.

Enclosures.

Report of the working of the Dindigul dispensary for 1894.

There were treated at the Dindigul dispensary and hospital in the year under review 24,567 cases, which represents the number of prescriptions written.

Of this total number, 10,585 were new cases or patients coming for the first time.

Of these new cases, 5,837 were males and 4,348 females.

Of Europeans, there were 85 patients; of Eurasians 60; of Native Christians 3,587; of Muhammadans 1,035 and of Hindus 5,821.

There were treated at the hospital or at their own houses 252 in-patients. The patients came from 721 different villages. During a portion of the year under review there was a large number of cases of fever and dysentery. Just at the close of the year a few cases of cholera appeared in the town of Dindigul and some of the adjoining villages, which were promptly treated.

The opening of a special dispensary in the town for the treatment of women and children under the charge of a female apothecary has not diminished the number of our female patients, our returns showing an increase of the total number over the previous year.

Compulsory vaccination continues in force in the Town of Dindigul, calves being used exclusively for the purpose. The vaccinator in charge has, to the best of his ability, done good and faithful work. But he has been sick off and on during the year and has been quite unable to do justice to his work.

(Signed) E. CHESTER, M.D.,
Medical Officer.

Public Health.—Health of the town is generally good. Cholera last year was of a sporadic form and the cases that proved fatal were less than the previous year. Dysentery and fever were rather common among the women and children who attended the dispensary, being due probably to impurity of water and changes in the weather.

2. *Vital Statistics*—

	Births.		Deaths.*	
Males	509	Males	233	
Females	425	Females	222	
Total ..	*934	Total ..	*455	

* Not accurate.

3. *Sanitation.*—The main roads and streets are well kept and clean; some of the lanes are filthy and contain on either side a great deal of rubbish and fœcal matter; the drains running along them and into which house drains empty their contents are seldom free from stagnant sewage.

There are one or two dust-bins situated between and quite close to dwelling houses; and these are heaped up and surrounded by refuse matter of all kinds, which when being removed pollutes the atmosphere and renders it disagreeable for the people around.

There is a great scarcity for water. The water in mostly all the wells is low and dirty. People mostly resort to the tank on the rock and to the Jubilee fountain, the water from both these sources being good.

4. *Vaccination.*—Vaccination is compulsory. The work is done by a 1st-class municipal vaccinator under the American Mission dispensary.

5. (*a*) A small rented building with one hall, in which prescribing and compounding are carried on. Two small low dark rooms used as store rooms; and a courtyard in which dressings are done in the open.

(*b*) Building is in good order, does not need repairs.
(*c*) Furniture in good order.
(*d*) Women —4,194 } 10,235
Children—6,041 }
(*e*) *Nil.*
(*f*) Major operations, 23.
Minor operations, 293, all cured.
(*g*) Establishment both sufficient and efficient.
(*h*) There is no midwife under me. Three cases conducted.
(*i*) From 15th October 1894 to 31st March 1895, I visited 36 patients at their own houses who would not attend the dispensary.
(*j*) *General Remarks.*—The building as dispensary does not afford much accommodation to enable us to get on better in work. The hall used both for prescribing and compounding is also crammed with furniture; the rooms are too small to allow of any other use but as store-rooms, and dressings have to be done in the open regardless of sun and rain.

(Signed) M. HIGGINS,
Apothecary.

3rd April 1895.

No. 2947-Gl.

Forwarded to the Chairman, Municipal Council, Dindigul, with the remark that the present building which I inspected last year is not large enough.

(Signed) F. C. REEVES, Surgeon-Major,
District Medical and Sanitary Officer.

Madura,
5th May 1895.

No. 2550-Gl.

Submitted.

2. *Paragraph* 32.—The main roads and streets are in good order.

(Signed) J. K. BATTEN,
Ag. Sub-Collector.

Camp Periyakulam,
13th June 1895.

Current No. 2643-Gl.

Submitted.

2. As regards the acquisition of sites for a rubbish and night-soil depôt and a burial-ground referred to in paragraph 38 of the report, the matter will receive early attention in this office.

(Signed) J. TWIGG,
Ag. Collector.

Camp Kodaikanal,
27th June 1895.

Order—No. 1611 M., Local and Municipal, dated 7th October 1895.

The receipts and charges of the Dindigul Municipality for 1894–95 are compared below with the budget and revised estimates for the year and the actuals of 1893–94:—

—	Actuals, 1893–94.	Budget estimate, 1894–95.	Revised estimate, 1894–95.	Actuals, 1894–95.
Receipts.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
Balance brought forward	6,664	8,230	9,100	9,099
Tax on Buildings and Lands	6,671	7,080	6,900	6,173
„ on Vehicles and Animals	1,384	1,250	1,700	1,703
„ on Carts	713	720	800	776
Tolls	6,455	6,430	6,400	6,403
Realizations under Special Acts	20	30	50	50
Rent of Lands, Buildings, &c., and Sale-proceeds of Lands, &c.	762	870	870	596
Conservancy Receipts	54	50	90	86
Fees and Revenue from Educational Institutions	1,937	2,100	1,920	1,809
„ „ from Medical Institutions	..	..	10	1
Income from Markets and Slaughter-houses	5,647	5,590	4,850	4,836
License Fees	522	500	500	423
Other Fees	12	40	40	16
Fines under Municipal and other Acts	28	100	120	139
Grants and Contributions from Government	536	840	1,380	1,233
„ „ from Local Boards	..	470	870	439
Recoveries for Services to Private Individuals	338	300	300	286
Miscellaneous	9	..	60	2
Advances Recovered	493	..	30	30
Total	32,245	34,600	35,990	34,100
Charges.				
Grant I—				
New Works—				
Communications	199	290	290	280
Buildings	265	700	960	948
Drainage	303	400	400	400
Water-supply	362	100	100	100
Repairs—				
Communications	2,444	2,820	3,300	3,139
Buildings	334	890	780	715
Drainage	1,441	1,470	1,460	1,367
Water-supply	886	800	860	837
Establishment	623	790	740	737
Tools and Plant and other Stores	28	60	60	50
Total	6,885	8,320	8,950	8,573
Grant II—				
Training Schools	182	..	..	3
Municipal Schools—				
On the Salary System	2,867	3,340	2,940	2,938
„ Salary-result System	691	820	780	822
Result Grants	1,600	1,560	1,600	1,555
Inspection	260	260	260	260
Miscellaneous	184	150	160	163
Total	5,784	6,130	5,740	5,741
Grant III—				
Hospitals and Dispensaries	803	1,670	2,190	1,386
Contributions	51	150	210	295
Vaccination	534	480	490	482
Registration of Births and Deaths	183	190	200	194
Conservancy, Road-cleaning and Road-watering	5,260	6,020	5,740	5,594
Total	6,831	8,510	8,830	7,951
Grant IV—				
Lighting	1,082	1,160	1,250	1,252
Markets and Slaughter-houses	79	100	90	81
Travellers' Bungalows	149	170	170	166
Avenues	59	70	70	68
Public Garden, Survey of Land, Fire and other charges	365	570	560	575
Total	1,734	2,070	2,140	2,142
Grant V—				
Supervision and Management	1,882	1,970	1,940	1,912
Advances Recoverable	30	..	..	..
Refunds	..	..	..	1
Balance	9,099	7,600	8,390	7,780
Total	32,245	34,600	35,990	34,100

2. Thirty-six meetings were held by the municipal council against thirty-three in the previous year. The average attendance of the non-official members declined slightly, but was still fair, and the Revenue Divisional Officer, the only official member of the council, was present at a third of the meetings. Five seats were filled by election during the year, and of these two were contested, 64·1 per cent. of the voters concerned attending the poll.

3. *Receipts.*—(1) The net current demand of the tax on buildings exhibited an increase of Rs. 222 and owing to the fact that vacant house-sites were taxed for the first time during the year under review, that of the tax on lands rose from Rs. 220 to Rs. 336. The revision of the registers of cultivable lands which is stated to be in progress should be proceeded with as rapidly as possible and the result reported to Government.

(2) The current collections under the tax on buildings improved slightly but were still indifferent, while for reasons explained in paragraph 8 of the Chairman's report, the current and arrear realizations under the tax on lands showed a decline and were decidedly poor. The number of warrants issued during the year for the collection of the taxes was only about 38 per cent. of the figure of the previous year, but the number which remained unexecuted at the end of the year was unduly large. The Government trusts that greater attention will be paid to the prompt realization of the taxes in future. The arrear collections under the tax on houses, though not so good as in the previous year, were still fair.

(3) There was an increase in the receipts from the taxes on vehicles, animals and carts, which is explained in paragraphs 9, 10 and 11 of the Chairman's report. The income from the sale of sweepings rose from Rs. 54 to Rs. 86, but this source of revenue is, in the opinion of Government, capable of still further development and the matter should continue to receive the council's attention. The receipts from markets and slaughter-houses declined considerably, owing, it is stated, to want of competition at the sale of the farms. The advance under the head of fines, which is attributed to greater energy on the part of the police in checking nuisances, is satisfactory.

(4) The private scavenging system did not make any appreciable progress during the year under review. The number of houses served by municipal agency rose from 163 to 201, but the actual receipts from this source declined by Rs. 125, while more than 92 per cent. of the houses assessed to the tax on buildings still remained outside the system. There was an increase in the number of notices issued to the owners of insanitary premises, but, as in the previous year, not a single prosecution was instituted for failure to comply with the sanitary provisions of the law. With reference to this fact and to paragraph 27 of the Chairman's letter, it will be observed that the object to be kept in view is, not so much that the service should be popular among the inhabitants, but that those of them who do not join it should be prevented from endangering the public health by keeping their premises in an unclean condition. The Government trusts that the council will spare no efforts in the current year to extend the system throughout the town, as well as to enforce the law.

4. *Expenditure*—(1) *Public Works.*—With the exception of two new tiled sheds in the weekly market on which a sum of Rs. 750 was spent, no new work of any importance was undertaken during the year. The outlay on communications amounted to Rs. 3,418, or 53·4 per cent. of the net municipal income from tolls, and the main roads and streets are reported by the Revenue Divisional Officer to have been in good order. The Chairman is requested to report whether the approval of the Sanitary Engineer has been obtained to the plans and estimates for the drains referred to in paragraph 31 of the report and to quote the authority under which a maistry was employed under the municipal overseer and an allowance of one and a half per cent. on the working estimates was paid to him.

(2) *Education.*—The net expenditure under Grant II was Rs. 2,972, or 19·7 per cent. of the receipts from taxation. Of this, a sum of Rs. 2,394 was devoted to primary and the remainder to secondary education. The municipal council continued

to maintain a secondary school on the salary system and two primary schools on the salary-result system. Taken together the attendance at these schools showed a slight improvement; but the results of the Matriculation and Lower Secondary examinations were very poor. The primary schools, however, appear to have done well at the departmental examinations. The municipal council also aided one secondary and ten primary schools (against nine in 1893–94) with result grants. The attendance at these showed a slight advance, and judging from the results of the grant examinations they appear to have worked well on the whole. The Government is glad to note that the attendance at the Panchama and Muhammadan schools continued to improve. The allotment for result grants was almost fully utilized and the total number of boys under instruction in the municipal and aided schools rose from 69·8 to 73·6 per cent. of the male population of school-going age. The attention of the Director of Public Instruction will be drawn to the remarks of the Chairman in paragraph 33 of his report regarding the training of teachers, but it is observed that the fact that the Director has undertaken to pay the stipends of teachers under training from Provincial funds is no reason why the municipal council should not follow the instructions in paragraph 4 (2) of G.O., No. 1355 M., dated 1st October 1894, and reduce or withhold the grants payable to those teachers in the aided schools who continue to be untrained and unpassed.

(3) *Medical Relief.*—The total number of persons who attended the American Mission hospital rose from 9,227 to 9,723, and in the women and children's hospital, which was opened in September 1893, 10,235 patients were treated against 5,338 in the previous year. The two midwives attached to the mission hospital attended between them only 78 cases of labour against 94 in 1893–94. Steps should be taken to exact better work from them in the current year. With reference to the concluding portion of paragraph 35 of the Chairman's report, his attention will be drawn to G.O., No. 225, Financial, dated 21st February 1887, communicated with G.O., No. 641 L., dated 2nd April 1887.

(4) *Vaccination and Vital Statistics.*—The reported number of persons vaccinated during the year fell from 1,024 to 969, but the quality of the work improved and was good. Infantile vaccination showed a slight advance; but to be satisfactory it should keep pace with the birth-rate. The cost of each successful operation continued to be very high and should be reduced in the current year. As in the previous year, the poor results under this head are attributed to the illness of the municipal vaccinator. Now that another man has been appointed in his place, it is hoped that there will be an improvement in this branch of the administration.

The registration of births appears to have received fair attention, but that of deaths was evidently incomplete. The explanation of this is probably to be found in the fact that the council again neglected to institute any prosecutions for failure to register births or deaths. No improvement can be expected unless the penal provisions of the Act are rigidly enforced, and the council should attend to these instructions in the current year.

(5) *Sanitation.*—On conservancy a sum of Rs. 5,594, or 92·9 per cent. of the allotment and 22·4 per cent. of the current receipts, was spent. From paragraph 38 of the Chairman's report it appears that some attention is being paid to the sanitation of the town, and the Government trusts that the municipal council will not fail to fulfil its promise to carry out in the current year, as far as funds permit, the various suggestions made by the Sanitary Commissioner in his inspection notes recorded in G.O., No. 1816 M., dated 27th November 1894. Applications for the acquisition of the lands required for a rubbish and night-soil depôt and a burial-ground, referred to in paragraph 38 of the Chairman's report and paragraph 2 of the Collector's endorsement, will be awaited.

5. *General Remarks.*—The year closed with a balance of Rs. 7,780, or 31·1 per cent. of the current receipts. The greater portion of this sum is, however, reserved for expenditure on the water-supply scheme.

The administration of the municipality during the year under review was again, on the whole, fair. The Government is glad to note the testimony borne by the Chairman to the interest taken by the ward councillors in the management of the affairs of the town.

(True Extract.)

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