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5th November 1867.

No. 38. Read the following letter from the President of the Municipal Commission, Salem, to the Chief Secretary to Government, Fort Saint George ; dated Salem, 23rd October 1867, No. 52 :—

The Towns' Improvement Act has not yet been introduced into Salem one entire year, it has, however, been discovered that the original limits of the Municipality, as laid down in the Notification dated 20th November 1866, are far too extensive, and that the means at the disposal of the Commissioners are totally insufficient to carry out the intentions of the Act ; a direct line from the northern boundary of the Municipality to that of the south is upwards of four miles, and the same distance extends from east to west. The Commissioners have, therefore, had under their consideration the advisability of proposing to Government the curtailing the limits to such an extent as will be commensurate with funds at their disposal for sanitary purposes, &c.

2. The roads within the present limits exceed twenty-four miles, and taking the repairs for yearly maintenance at 200 Rupees a mile as an average throughout (which is a very low estimate indeed), it would require that Rupees 4,800 were at the disposal of the Commissioners. The expenses of the Police, cleaning of the town with its suburbs, are extremely heavy. The building of Toll-houses and the several other calls on the funds, compel the Commissioners to bring the subject of new boundaries to the notice of Government, with a view to their being curtailed.

3. The new boundaries that I would propose are—

North.—From the first bridge out of Shevapett on the Sooramungalum road in a direct line to the south-east corner of the Chucklers' tank, thence to Casey's bridge, and on to a pillar erected on the north side of the late Mr. G. Fischer's Indigo Factory.

East.—From the above pillar on the north of Mr. Fischer's factory to the Toll-gate on the road from Veranum to Poonamapett, thence in a direct line to the Toll-gate from Ammapett to Ponamapett, thence to the Toll-gate on the Salem and Cuddalore road.

South.—From the Cuddalore Toll-gate to a pillar south of the slaughter ground at Kitcheypalliam, thence to Aroonachellem Achary's Choultry on the Trichinopoly road, and continued on to a pillar south of the village of Goggay. From this pillar to the bridge over the Salem river near Anadanapetty.

West.—From the last mentioned bridge along the road to the first bridge leading from Shevapett to Sooramungalum.

By this alteration the Commissioners will be relieved of some ten miles of roads, and give up the petty collection in the out-lying villages which, in the aggregate, would not exceed 200 Rupees a year.

4. I entirely concur with the proposal, and would strongly press on the Government the expediency of not burdening the Municipality with more than it can well undertake. The bringing of large towns in the Mofussil under the Act is quite new, and though I advocate the scheme as one of the best that has hitherto been introduced into the country, yet I consider that it would be advisable that the suggestion above made should be attended to, and thus show the members of the township that the wish of Government is only that cleanliness and comfort should exist. I would propose that the new limits should be made known in the Gazette as soon as possible.

*Proceedings of the Madras Government, Public Department,
5th November 1867.*

No. 39. ORDER THEREON, 5th November 1867, No. 1389.

The Governor in Council approves of the proposed modification of the boundaries of the Salem Municipality. The following Notification will be published in the *Fort Saint George Gazette* :—

NOTIFICATION.

Fort Saint George, 5th November 1867.

In modification of paragraph 1 of the Notification published in the *Gazette* of the 20th November 1866, the Governor of Fort Saint George in Council resolves to extend the provisions of the 'Towns' Improvement Act, 1865, (Madras Act No. X of 1865) in the manner hereinafter set forth, and hereby declares, in accordance with the provisions of Section 4 of the said Act, that Salem, commonly known as the Town of Salem, in the District of Salem, in the Presidency of Fort Saint George, together with the several towns, villages, suburbs, and stations, and all other places situate and lying within the boundaries hereinafter specified—that is to say,

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shall be united for the purposes of the said Act, and shall be hereafter designated, for the purposes of the said Act, by the name of the "Town of Salem," and that all persons residing within the said boundaries shall be deemed to be inhabitants within the meaning of the said Act, of the said Town of Salem, as so declared to be united as aforesaid. The Governor in Council, in accordance with the provisions of Section 5 of the said Act, doth hereby extend the said Act to the said Town of Salem, as so declared to be united as aforesaid.

The above Notification will take effect from the 1st November 1867.

(By order of His Excellency the Governor in Council).

Chief Secretary.

To the President of the Municipal Commission in Salem.

„ Inspector General of Police.

Exd. T. O'Connor.

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To the President
of the
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Salem
To the Chief Secretary
to Government
Dated 23rd
Received 25th October 1867
No 52
Res 1743
Requesting to continue
the limits of the Town of
Salem.

Public Department.

PROCEEDINGS of the MADRAS GOVERNMENT

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Recd letter 23rd Oct 1887 No 82.

Order thereon 5 Nov 1887 No 1389.

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and in passing them shall leave them to their
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2 All vehicles country Carts excepted shall
after 6.30 P.M. carry lights on dark nights

3. No Carriages, Carts or other Conveyances, shall
when not actually in use be left on any public
Road.

4. Every bullock or bullocks or other animals
attached to a cart shall have a driver in im-
mediate attendance -

5. No person shall drive bullocks or buffaloes
along the streets and roads fastened together
by a Yoke, with a plough or other Agricultural
Instrument or any portion thereof trailing on
along the ground or attached to heaps of thorns
or logs of wood.

6. No person who shall prove that he has paid
a tax under sections 58 or 66. of Act X of 1865
in any Municipality shall be required to pay
a similar tax for the same period on his becoming
a resident of the Bellary Municipality

7. No Vehicles, horse or other animals for which a
tax has been paid in this Municipality shall
be liable to taxation a second time in the same
half year on changing owners.

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10. No Cattle, Goat, or other Animal shall be allowed to go about the thoroughfares and streets unattended

11. All pigs found loose within Municipal limits shall be at once destroyed.

12. Any Buffalo, pig or other Animal found feeding or resorting to a latrine shall be liable to a fine not exceeding 10 Rupees for each animal found so feeding or to have the Animal destroyed at the discretion of the Commissioners.

13. Every Cart stand, stable, Cattle stall, and sheep pen within the Municipal limits shall be drained & floored to the satisfaction of the Municipal Commissioners

14. The external walls of all houses or buildings adjacent to the public way shall be lime washed by the owner in default at their expense by the occupier when directed by the Commissioners unless specially exempted in writing by the Municipal Commissioners

15. If the lime washing be not performed as specified above by the owner or occupier of the building it shall be done by the Municipal Commissioners and the expense incurred thereby shall be recovered in the same way as arrears of rates on houses &c under section 74 of Act X of 1865

16. The lime washing shall take place annually at such time as shall be directed by the Municipal Commissioners by Notice in the District Gazette and by beat of Tom Tom and any person failing to perform the same as required within one month of such Notice shall be liable as specified above

17. Every owner of a house abutting on a public way shall be held responsible for the repair of the pandal attached to such house to the

satisfaction of the Municipal Commissioners
18. No person owning or occupying premises abutting on a public way shall commence building any wall or pial or other structure ^{abutting} on such public way without previously obtaining the sanction in writing of the Municipal Commissioners nor shall any person collect, either to build or repair a house any building material on any public road lane or thoroughfare without the written sanction of the Municipal Commissioners and such sanction shall be produced when called for by any servant of Government.

19. The owners of Conveyances shall provide proper entrances with Culverts, where necessary, to their premises from the public ways so that the side drains be not damaged by the passage of the said Conveyances.

20. Every well within the Municipal limits shall be fenced in by the owner by a wall not less than 3 feet high from the surface of the ground

21. No offensive or dangerous trade as specified in section 114 of Act X of 1865 shall be carried on except in places sanctioned by the Municipal Commissioners.

22. Every Owner and occupier of any place within the Municipal limits used for any of the purposes specified in section 114 of Act X of 1865 shall remove or cause to be removed once at least in every 24 hours and at such times as the Municipal Commissioners may approve all filth, dirt, refuse which at the time of such removal shall be in or about any such place and shall cause such filth dirt or refuse to be deposited at such places as the Municipal Commissioners shall approve.

23. No person shall bury any Corpse within the Bellary Municipality in such a manner that

- there shall be a less depth than 3 feet of earth over the body from the surface level of the ground.
24. No person shall burn any Corpse within the Municipal limits ✓
25. No grave or vault containing a Corpse shall be opened except with the sanction in writing of the Municipal Commissioners nor shall any grave be dug within 2 feet of any existing grave. *Amended on the resolution of the Municipal Council. See Law No. 14. Passed 19th Aug. 1907. Statute 26 July 1907*
26. No person shall bring, convey, or cause to be brought within the Municipal limits any Corpse or part thereof of any person dead or supposed to have died of any infectious or contagious disease.
27. No person shall dry bratties on the external walls of houses or yards adjoining any thoroughfare.
28. Every person within whose premises any Animal ~~may~~ die shall within 6 hours after the death thereof, either remove the Carcass at his own expense without cutting it or opening it, to such place as may be set apart by the Municipal Commissioners for the reception of such Carcasses or report its death to the Inspector of the Division within which such premises may be situated and in such latter case shall pay the Inspector the expense of removing the Carcass at such rate as the Municipal Commissioners may from time to time determine.
29. Any animal found dead on the streets or in any public place shall be removed by the Inspector of the Division within which it is found, and if found to be unfit for consumption they shall direct the same to be disposed of in such manner as to prevent its being slaughtered or sold to the Public.

5th November 1867.

No. 38. Read the following letter from the President of the Municipal Commission, Salem, to the Chief Secretary to Government, Fort Saint George; dated Salem, 23rd October 1867, No. 52 :—

The Towns' Improvement Act has not yet been introduced into Salem one entire year, it has, however, been discovered that the original limits of the Municipality, as laid down in the Notification dated 20th November 1866, are far too extensive, and that the means at the disposal of the Commissioners are totally insufficient to carry out the intentions of the Act; a direct line from the northern boundary of the Municipality to that of the south is upwards of four miles, and the same distance extends from east to west. The Commissioners have, therefore, had under their consideration the advisability of proposing to Government the curtailing the limits to such an extent as will be commensurate with funds at their disposal for sanitary purposes, &c.

2. The roads within the present limits exceed twenty-four miles, and taking the repairs for yearly maintenance at 200 Rupees a mile as an average throughout (which is a very low estimate indeed), it would require that Rupees 4,800 were at the disposal of the Commissioners. The expenses of the Police, cleaning of the town with its suburbs, are extremely heavy. The building of Toll-houses and the several other calls on the funds, compel the Commissioners to bring the subject of new boundaries to the notice of Government, with a view to their being curtailed.

3. The new boundaries that I would propose are—

North.—From the first bridge out of Shevapett on the Sooramungalum road in a direct line to the south-east corner of the Chucklers' tank, thence to Casey's bridge, and on to a pillar erected on the north side of the late Mr. G. Fischer's Indigo Factory.

East.—From the above pillar on the north of Mr. Fischer's factory to the Toll-gate on the road from Veranum to Poonamapett, thence in a direct line to the Toll-gate from Ammapett to Poonamapett, thence to the Toll-gate on the Salem and Cuddalore road.

South.—From the Cuddalore Toll-gate to a pillar south of the slaughter ground at Kitcheypalliam, thence to Aroonachellem Achary's Choultry on the Trichinopoly road, and continued on to a pillar south of the village of Goggay. From this pillar to the bridge over the Salem river near Anadanapetty.

West.—From the last mentioned bridge along the road to the first bridge leading from Shevapett to Sooramungalum.

By this alteration the Commissioners will be relieved of some ten miles of roads, and give up the petty collection in the out-lying villages which, in the aggregate, would not exceed 200 Rupees a year.

4. I entirely concur with the proposal, and would strongly press on the Government the expediency of not burdening the Municipality with more than it can well undertake. The bringing of large towns in the Mofussil under the Act is quite new, and though I advocate the scheme as one of the best that has hitherto been introduced into the country, yet I consider that it would be advisable that the suggestion above made should be attended to, and thus show the members of the township that the wish of Government is only that cleanliness and comfort should exist. I would propose that the new limits should be made known in the Gazette as soon as possible.

*Proceedings of the Madras Government, Public Department,
5th November 1867.*

No. 39. ORDER THEREON, 5th November 1867, No. 1389.

The Governor in Council approves of the proposed modification of the boundaries of the Salem Municipality. The following Notification will be published in the *Fort Saint George Gazette* :—

NOTIFICATION.

Fort Saint George, 5th November 1867.

In modification of paragraph 1 of the Notification published in the *Gazette* of the 20th November 1866, the Governor of Fort Saint George in Council resolves to extend the provisions of the Towns' Improvement Act, 1865, (Madras Act No. X of 1865) in the manner hereinafter set forth, and hereby declares, in accordance with the provisions of Section 4 of the said Act, that Salem, commonly known as the Town of Salem, in the District of Salem, in the Presidency of Fort Saint George, together with the several towns, villages, suburbs, and stations, and all other places situate and lying within the boundaries hereinafter specified—that is to say,

North.—From the first bridge out of Shevapett on the Sooramungalum road in a direct line to the south-east corner of the Chucklers' tank, thence to Casey's bridge, and on to a pillar erected on the north side of the late Mr. G. Fischer's Indigo Factory.

East.—From the above pillar on the north of Mr. Fischer's factory to the Toll-gate on the road from Veranum to Poonamapett, thence in a direct line to the Toll-gate from Ammapett to Poonamapett, thence to the Toll-gate on the Salem and Cuddalore road.

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West.—From the last mentioned bridge along the road to the first bridge leading from Shevapett to Sooramungalum shall be united for the purposes of the said Act, and shall be hereafter designated, for the purposes of the said Act, by the name of the "Town of Salem," and that all persons residing within the said boundaries shall be deemed to be inhabitants within the meaning of the said Act, of the said Town of Salem, as so declared to be united as aforesaid. The Governor in Council, in accordance with the provisions of Section 5 of the said Act, doth hereby extend the said Act to the said Town of Salem, as so declared to be united as aforesaid.

The above Notification will take effect from the 1st November 1867.

(By order of His Excellency the Governor in Council).

Chief Secretary.

To the President of the Municipal Commission in Salem.
,, Inspector General of Police.

Exd. T. O'Connor.

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*No President
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Municipal Commission
Salem*

*The Chief Secretary
to Government*

*Noted 23rd
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Requesting to extend
the limits of the Town of
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PROCEEDINGS of the MADRAS GOVERNMENT

Read the following letter from the
President of the Municipal Commission, Salem

Recd letter 23rd Oct 1867 No 52

Order thereon 5 Nov^r 1867 No 1389.

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of the Salem Municipality.

The following Notification
will be published in the
Fort St George Gazette.

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in Council resolves to
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extends the provisions of the
Towns Improvement Act, 1865
(Madras Act No. 8 of 1865)
in the manner hereinafter
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in accordance with the
provisions of Section 4 of the
said Act, that Salem,
commonly known as the
Town of Salem in the District
of Salem, in the Presidency
of Fort Saint George, together
with the several towns,
villages, suburbs and stations,
and all other places situate
and lying within the
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a direct line to the South
East Corner of the Chacklin
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and on to a pillar erected on
the North side of the late
Mr G. Fischer's Sugar Factory
East. From the above pillar
on the North of Mr Fischer's
factory to the toll gate on
the road from Viranum
to Bonnamapett, thence
in a direct line to the toll
gate, from Annampett
to Pennampett, thence
to the toll gate on the Salem
and Coimbatore road.

South. From the Coimbatore
toll gate to a pillar south
of the Slaughter ground
at Kitchipalliam, thence
to Annachellam village
standing on the Pichinopoly
road and continue on to
a pillar south of the village
of Giggay. From this pillar
to the Bridge over the Salem
river near Anadanapatty.

West. From the last mentioned
bridge along the road to
the first bridge leading
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for the purposes of the said
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of Section 5 of the said
Act, doth hereby extend
the said Act to the said
Town of Salem, as so declared
to be united as aforesaid.

The above notification
will take effect from the 1st
November 1867.

To the President M. Com. in Salem
Chief General of Police —
Salem

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No 1389

PROCEEDINGS OF GOVERNMENT.

Dated 5th January 1890

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