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Municipal Commission office
 Cocanada 19th February 1888

From James Fraser Esq
 President of the Municipal Commission
 Cocanada
 To The Honorable R S Ellis. C.B
 Chief Secretary to Government
 Fort Smith George
 Sir

I have the honor to state that
~~the only road passing through the~~
 Municipality of Cocanada is that
 which runs from Samulcottah along the
 canal bank to Cocanada, thro' the
 town by the main street, and out of
 it towards Amulapur.

2. At present from the closing of the
 canal from Samulcottah to this point
 for repairs, the heavy traffic from
 this road, which is gravelled but
 not metalled, is very heavy, and the
 road is consequently terribly cut up

~~by~~ *by*

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 Mr. Ellis
 The Honorable
 Chief Secretary
 to Government
 Fort Smith George
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 Cocanada
 Mr. Fraser
 President of the
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as to be unfitted and even dangerous
for use by the carriages of tax-paying
residents

3. I think it but fair that as
this is a road passing thro' and not
solely within Municipal limits the
cost of keeping it in good repair
should devolve on the local funds viz
the Road Cfs - This course has
I believe, been followed in Ootacamund
and other localities - I hope therefore,
that the Government will authorize
me in my capacity of Collector of the
Godavery District to debit the repairs
within Municipal limits, and which
are now urgently needed, to the Local
funds

I have the honor to be

Yours most ob^l servant

J. Fraser

President of the Municipal
Commission.

exd.
L Venkatakrishnaiah
Clerk

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Proceedings of the Madras Government, Public Department,
4th March 1868.

No. 29. Read the following letter from the President of the Municipal Commission, Cocanada, to the Chief Secretary to Government, Fort Saint George, dated Cocanada, 19th February 1868, No. 80.

I have the honor to state that the only road passing through the Municipality of Cocanada is that which runs from Samulcottah along the canal bank to Cocanada, through the town by the main street, and out of it towards Amlapur.

2. At present from the closing of the canal from Samulcottah to this port for repairs the bandy traffic on this road, which is gravelled but not metalled, is very heavy, and the road is consequently terribly cut up within Municipal limits, so much so as to be unfitted and even dangerous for use by the carriages of tax-paying residents.

3. I think it but fair that as this is a road passing through, and not solely within, Municipal limits, the cost of keeping it in good repair should devolve on the Local Funds, viz., the Road Cess. This course has, I believe, been followed in Ootacamund and other localities. I hope, therefore, that the Government will authorize me, in my capacity of Collector of the Godavery District, to debit the repairs within Municipal limits, and which are now urgently needed, to the Local Funds.

No. 30. ORDER THEREON, 4th March 1868, No. 288.

The Government have ruled in their Order in the Revenue Department, No. 576, of the 8th March 1867, that the amount of Road Cess levied on lands within Municipal limits should be credited to the Municipalities.

2. This order was passed with direct reference to the previous ruling that all roads not Imperial, lying within Municipal limits, should be repaired by the Municipal Commissioners.

3. The Government are unable, therefore, to accede to the request of the President of the Cocanada Municipality for a wider application of the Road Cess Fund to the repair of roads within Municipal limits than was sanctioned under the Order of the 8th March last.

(True Extract).

Chief Secretary.

To the President of the Municipal Commissions
in the Godavery District.

Ed. J. Talloch.

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PROCEEDINGS of the MADRAS GOVERNMENT.

Read the following letter

from the
President of the Municipal
Commission, Coimbatore.
(Extracting from the 12.8.87)

Order thereon 4 March 1887 No. 288.

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lying within Municipal
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by

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by the Municipal Com-
-missioners.

3 ~~This being the case,~~
the Government are unable
~~to~~ accede to the request
of the President of the
Municipal Commission.

for a wider ~~extension of~~

the Road Ceps Fund to the

repair of roads within Mun:

limits than was sanctioned

under the order of the

21st March last.

~~Yours faithfully,~~

~~W. B. B. B.~~

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To the President of the Municipal Commission
Cantonment
Amul P. S. B. B.

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