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Proceedings of the Madras Government, Public Department,
12th August 1869.

No. 79. Read the following letter from the Vice-President of the Chicacole Municipal Commission, to the President of the Ganjam Municipalities; dated Chicacole, 25th June 1869, No. 10.

I have the honour to submit the following annual report of the Chicacole Municipality for the year ending 30th April 1869:—

1. The different sources from which revenue has been derived during the year will be seen from statement C. The tax on houses is the only item of receipts which calls for any remark. Rupees 463-4-0 have been remitted to householders who were unable to pay the tax owing to poverty or other causes, and in consequence of some of the houses having been left untenanted; and the amount has, after close scrutiny, been written off as irrecoverable under the sanction of the Commissioners. The actual collections under this head have, therefore, been reduced to Rupees 2627-8-0.

2. Under the head "Charges" which statement B. embraces, you will observe that the whole amount collected, including three out of the four instalments of Government contribution, has been expended within the year minus Rupees 3-8-5, which has been brought forward to the present year's account. Rupees 1043-11-9, the amount of the fourth instalment of Government contribution, (since drawn,) represents the Reserve Fund of which mention was made in my letter of the 16th October 1868.

3. The following new works for the benefit of the town have been carried out:—

(a). At the suggestion of the Range Officer, Department Public Works, a stone groyne has been thrown out into the bed of the Nangulia river at a suitable place indicated by him, to prevent encroachment of the river on the town, at a cost of Rupees 600.

(b). Masonry steps have been constructed at two different places on the river side, for the convenience of the towns-people who go for water, at a cost of Rupees 514-5-10.

(c). Three blocks of tiled shops and a thatched shed have been built in the market at a cost of Rupees 1013-6-3, and a latrine also has been erected in the office compound for Rupees 50. A contribution of Rupees 148-11-10 has been paid towards the completion of a choultry constructed by private subscription for the accommodation of people putting up in the bandy-stand at the market.

(d). Masonry open drains in V shape on either side of the principal road running through the town have been commenced. 653½ running yards work has been completed, costing Rupees 708-6-8. This includes the new culverts which had to be constructed wherever cross roads met.

(e). A piece of inam land has been purchased for the purpose of enlarging a tank for drinking purposes within the Municipal limits for Rupees 150.

4. The expenditure under repairs has been chiefly on the roads, as shown in statement A. There has been a very marked improvement in the town in this respect. Not only the main roads but the minor streets and lanes have been well gravelled and drained, and are now being kept in good repair. These statements, A., B., and C., have already been forwarded to the Treasury Deputy Collector together with other accounts for audit.

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5. With reference to the Proceedings of Government, dated 12th April 1869, paragraph 3, I beg to state that the filth and sweepings of the town are now being satisfactorily removed by the sweepers themselves. The system of having the filth removed by cavery loads has been found to answer here pretty well, and this accounts for no provision having been made for carts. Attention will now, however, be paid to the Government order.

(True Extract).

CHETTERPRDE,
21st July 1869.

(Signed) G. ELLIS,
President, Ganjam Municipalities.
To the Chief Secretary to Government, with reference to G. O., 11th July 1867, No. 820.

ENCLOSURES 2—Returns of Receipts and Disbursements.

No. 80.

ORDER THEREON, 12th August 1869, No. 1130.

		RS.	A.	P.	
Rates on Houses and Buildings.....	2,627	8	0		
Tolls.....	5,850	0	0		
Tax on Animals and Carriages.....	389	4	0		
Registration of Carts and Vehicles without springs.....	274	0	0		
Market fees.....	256	0	0		
Rent of tiled shops.....	490	2	8		
Miscellaneous receipts.....	155	14	11		
Total...	10,042	13	7		
Government contribution for the third and fourth quarters for the year 1867-68 in arrears.	839	0	0		
Government contribution, &c.....	2,396	12	8		
Balance in hand from last year.....	375	0	0		
Grand Total...	13,853	10	3		

estimated and actual receipts is Rupees 993-14-3.

		RS.	A.	P.	
New works and improvements.....	1,571	8	4		
Repairs.....	2,356	1	3		
Conservancy.....	1,874	1	9		
Police.....	4,131	12	11		
Establishment.....	1,803	3	4		
Total...	12,236	11	7		
For purposes other than those specified in Section 25.....	1,613	6	3		
Balance remaining on 30th April 1869.....	3	8	5		
Grand Total...	13,853	10	3		

thatched shed in the market. The cost of all these has been included under the head of purposes specified in Section 25, but their inclusion is not correct. The necessary adjustment will now be made by transferring the cost of the groynes Rupees 600, and the shops and shed in the market Rupees 1013-6-3, to purposes other than those specified in the Section adverted to, which will reduce the expenditure properly chargeable to Section 25 to Rupees 12,236-11-7, and the State contribution from Rupees 3440-8-5 to Rupees 3059-2-11. The Commissioners having already received Rupees 3440-8-5, will be required to refund the difference (Rupees 381-5-6) between that amount and Rupees 3059-2-11.

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3. They will also be requested to prepare the return A. in future in greater detail, so as to show clearly in it what "Buildings" and "Roads" are included under "New Works" and "Repairs" respectively. The "Miscellaneous charges" should also be particularized.

4. The Government learn with satisfaction that the expenditure incurred on roads has effected a marked improvement in the town.

(True Extract).

Chief Secretary.

To the President of the Chicacole Municipal Commission.
" Inspector General of Police.
" Accountant General.
" Board of Revenue.
" Public Works Department.

Exd. A. S. Rodgers.

A

Detail of new Works and improvements carried out by the Municipal Commissioners for the Town of Chicago during the year ending 30 April 1869.

Description		Amount of Estimate			Expenditure in 1868-69		
1. Works—	Buildings	2476	7	11			
	Roads	"	"	"			
	Drains & Tunnels	708	6	8	3184	14	7
2. Repairs—	Buildings	225	6	2			
	Roads	2588	12	6			
	Drains & Tunnels	41	14	7	2856	1	3
Nature of charges.		Amount			Expenditure in 1868-69		
3. Conservancy	3 Inspectors	379	.	.			
	30 Sweepers	1452	10	6			
	2 Scavengers	42	7	3	1874	1	9
4. Police *					4131	12	11

Particulars		Salary			Total
		Per Month		Per Annum	
S. Establishment	Manager			650	
	Office—Assistant Clerk			230	
	Iron			64	944
	Superintendent Maistry and				
	ence and Assistant Maistry			294	153
	Manager: 3 Bill Collectors			183	154
	ment—1 Vaccinator			144	145
	Miscellaneous Stationery, Bill Collectors				
	charges—Commission, Printing charges &c.			236	49
				236	49
				1303	34

Chicago 12 June 1869. For 13 months

Audited and found correct,
R. H. Jones.

V. H. President

AUGUST.
Nos. 79-80.

THE CHICAGO BOARD OF TRADE
 110 N. LAKE STREET
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Abstract of charges under all heads incurred by the Municipal Commissioners for the Town of Chicago during the year ending 30th April 1869.

	Expenditure	
	Amount	Total
1. New works and improvements ...	3184 14 7	
2. Repairs ...	2856 1 3	
3. Conservancy ...	1874 1 9	13853 11 7
4. Police ...	4131 12 11	11 6
5. Establishment ...	1803 3 4	13850 1 10
Balance remaining on 30 th April 1869	" " "	3 8 5
	Rupees.	13853 10 3

Receipts for the year ending 30th April 1869.

1. Rates on houses and buildings ...	2627 8 "	
2. Tolls ...	5850 " "	
3. Tax on Animals & Carriages ...	389 4 "	
4. Registration of Carts & Vehicles without spurs ...	274 " "	
5. Market fees ...	256 " "	
6. Rent of Tiled Shops ...	490 2 8	
7. Miscellaneous receipts ...	155 14 11	10042 13 7
Government contribution for the 3 rd & 4 th quarters for the year 1867-68 in arrears ..	" "	*839 " "
Government contribution at 25 per cent on the amount raised & expended.	3440 8 5	10881 13 7
Less drawn - 4 th quarter ..	1043 11 9	*2396 12 8
Balance in hand from last year ..	" "	575 " "
	Rupees.	13853 10 3

Chicago, Audited and found correct.
12th June 1869. A. H. Lyons.

Vice President

Rupees. 13,853-10-3

Enclosure 1

In the annual Report from the President of Chicago to the City & County to Govt. dated Chicago June 21st July 1869.

Audited
Statement & Reported
in G. O. 11th July 1869
No 820-

Chicago 1869/1870

The rate on houses and buildings realized Rs 709-4- and the rent from tiled shops Rs. 359-13-4 less than the estimate. The net decrease between the estimated and actual receipts is Rupees 993-14-3.

2. The expenditure which amounts to Rs 13,850-1-10, exceeds the estimate by Rupees 684-7-2. This is due to the outlay on New Works, and Repairs having cost more than was anticipated. Amongst New Works are included, a Stone Groyne thrown out in the bed of the river Mangulia; masonry steps at two points on the river bank for the convenience of the inhabitants who obtain water; three blocks of tiled shops, and a thatched shed in the market. The cost of all these has been

1. New works & improvements	1571-8-4
2. Repairs	2856-1-3
3. Conservancy	1874-1-9
4. Police	4131-12-11
5. Establishment	1803-3-4
	<u>11246-11-7</u>
For purposes other than those specified in Sec. 28.	1613-6-3
Balance remaining on 30 April 1879.	3-8-5
	<u>Rupees 13853-10-3</u>

been included under the head of purposes specified in Section 28, but their inclusion is not correct. The necessary adjustment will now be made by transferring the cost of the groyne Rs. 600, and the shops and shed in the market Rs 1013-6-3 to purposes other than those specified in the section adverted to, which will reduce the expenditure properly chargeable to Section 28, to Rs 12,236-11-7, and the State contribution from Rs 3,440-8-5 to Rs 3,059-2-11. The Commissioners having already received Rs 3,440-8-5, will be required to refund the difference [Rs 381-5-6] between that amount, and Rs 3059-2-11.

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To.
The President of the Chicacole
Municipal Commission
--- ~~Depy. Secy.~~
--- Accountant General.
--- Board of Revenue
--- Public Works Department.

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Sect. of 1869 Madras.

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The Presd. Chicacole
Mund. Commn.
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Reviewing the annual
report, &c., of the Chica-
cole Municipality
for 1868-69.