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*Proceedings of the Madras Government, Public Department,
6th November 1869.*

No. 50. Read the following letter from the President of the Cannanore Municipal Commission, to the Chief Secretary to Government, Fort Saint George, dated Calicut, 19th October 1869, No. 32.

I have the honour to submit the accompanying report from the Vice-President of the Cannanore Municipality on the working of the Towns' Improvement Act in Cannanore during the year ending on the 30th April 1869, together with the usual Statements A., B., and C., showing the actual collection and expenditure.

The statement of the Auditor is also enclosed.

2. I regret the delay that has occurred in the submission of this report, which was caused by the statements having been returned for revision.

3. It will be observed from the Statement C., enclosed, that the total amount collected during the year under review was Rupees 7123-8-10. If to this is added Rupees 3891-7-0, the unexpended balance of the previous year, the funds in the hands of the Commissioners amounted to Rupees 11,014-15-10.

4. The Government are aware that the provisions of the Act are not enforced within the Karar limits, and the richest and most important part of the town is, therefore, exempted from its operation.

5. The expenditure under different heads was as follows:—

	RS.	A.	P.
1. New works.....	1,121	2	6
2. Repairs.....	688	7	0
3. Conservancy.....	1,603	7	8
4. Police for 1867-68.....	1,012	15	6
5. Establishment including miscellaneous charges	1,816	9	9
Total...	6,242	10	5

leaving an unexpended balance of Rupees 4772-5-5 on the 30th April 1869.

6. With reference to the works undertaken by the Commissioners, Government will perceive that six latrines and five dust-boxes were constructed, and the requisite staff of scavengers entertained. A new crossroad has also been opened, and certain roads have been repaired.

7. The Government contribution due to the Municipality, and the Police charges payable by it for 1868-69, were paid after the close of the year, and are not, therefore, shown in the statements under review.

8. I beg to call the attention of Government to paragraph 14 of the Vice-President's report, from which it appears that their accounts of 1867-68 already forwarded to, and passed by Government, in their Order, dated 11th September 1868, No. 1137, are not accurate. The accounts of that year have also been audited, and the correct account, together with an explanatory statement of the Auditor, is herewith submitted.

9. It will be observed from the above statements that the actual amount raised in the year 1867-68, including the State contribution paid in advance, was Rupees 6864-14-0, and not Rupees 6902-12-6.

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The amount over-credited being.....	RS.	A.	P.
The actual expenditure under different heads was Rupees 2973-7-0, and not.....	37	14	6
The amount of over-debit being	3400	6	8
The actual unexpended balance was.....	426	15	8
And not.....	3891	7	0
Deficiency in the sum brought forward to credit of accounts for 1868-69.....	3502	5	10
The Government contribution due to the Municipality was	389	1	2
And not.....	743	5	9
Excess drawn.....	850	1	8
Excess of Government contribution to be refunded was. ...	106	11	11
And not.....	1331	10	3
Amount now due to Government on this account is.....	1224	14	4
	106	11	11

10. It will be observed from the marginal statement in paragraph 15 of the Vice-President's report that the excess of Government contribution, Rupees 106-11-11, has been deducted from the Government contribution due for 1868-69.

11. The Vice-President reports that the mistake arose from careless calculation and preparation of the statements in his office, and to the accounts not having been audited before the report was submitted.

No. 51. ORDER THEREON, 6th November 1869, No. 1521.

The President of the Cannanore Municipal Commission submits, with the foregoing letter, the report and abstracts of the audited accounts of that Municipality for the year 1868-69; and he brings to notice that the accounts furnished by the Commissioners for the ten months ending the 30th April 1868, which were reviewed in G. O., dated the 11th September 1868, No. 1137, are not accurate, owing to carelessness in the preparation of the accounts, and to the accounts not having been audited prior to the submission of the report.

2. The President states that the actual sum at the disposal of the Commissioners, in 1867-68, was Rupees 6,864 14 0
The actual expenditure „ 2,973 7 0
And the actual balance „ 3891 7 0, and not Rupees 3,502-5-10.

3. In addition to a balance of Rupees 3891-7-0 the Commissioners raised, during the year 1868-69, Rupees 7123-8-10 from the sources indicated in the margin, and had at their disposal Rupees 11,014-15-10. The amount raised falls short of the estimate by Rupees 4976, as the taxes and fees imposed yielded less than was anticipated. The Government contribution was also not drawn during the year.

Rate on Houses and Buildings	RS.	A.	P.
Tax on Arts, Trades, and Professions.....	4,477	9	3
Tax on Carriages and Animals.....	286	8	0
Registration of Carts, &c.....	1,714	0	0
Fees for licensing Slaughter-houses.....	74	8	0
Fines.....	5	0	0
	535	15	7
Total...	7,123	8	10
Balance in hand from last year.....	3,891	7	0
Grand Total...	11,014	15	10

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4. The expenditure incurred, which does not include the payment made in this year on account of the Police for 1868-69, amounted to Rupees 6242-10-5, or Rupees 16,426 less than the amount which was provided for in the estimate submitted in March 1868. This is to be ascribed to a decrease under all heads,	RS.	A.	P.
1. New works and improvements.....	1,121	2	6
2. Repairs.....	688	7	0
3. Conservancy.....	1,603	7	8
4. Police.....	1,012	15	6
5. Establishment.....	1,200	8	0
6. Miscellaneous.....	616	1	9
	6,242	10	5

but the largest decrease is in the item of Police, the estimate for which was Rupees 11,634-8-11, and the actual expenditure only Rupees 1012-15-6, owing to the cost of the Police employed within the Karar limits of Sultan Ali Rajah, which were excluded from the operation of the Towns' Improvement Act, having been omitted from the cost originally charged to the Municipality.

5. The new works undertaken were six latrines, five dust-boxes, a crossroad about 400 yards in length, and two drains measuring thirty-seven and thirty-eight yards respectively; but the Government are of opinion that, with the funds at the disposal of the Municipal Commissioners, much more might have been done during the year.

6. The Return A. does not show the various items of expenditure in sufficient detail. The buildings, roads, and drains under "New Works" and "Repairs" should have been described, the number of carts and bullocks hired, the number of coolies and toties employed, and the cost under the several heads under "Miscellaneous Charges" should have been particularized.

7. It is observed from the Return referred to that not more than Rupees 2-13-2 were spent towards the payment of toties. The Government desire to be informed how it was possible, with this inadequate outlay, to keep the latrines and other places to which natives resorted, clean during the year.

8. In paragraph 9 of the Report it is shown that a sum of Rupees 168-14-0 was spent in watering the principal roads during the months of March and April, but under which head of account this item has been included does not appear from the Return A. The sum referred to, however, with Rupees 50-6-5 disbursed on account of refunds, should be debited to "Purposes other than those specified in Section 25" of the Towns' Improvement Act. Upon this being done the amount on which the Government contribution should be computed will be reduced to Rupees 6023-5-0, viz. :—

	RS.	A.	P.
Expenditure as per Return.....	6,242	10	5
Deduct—			
For purposes other than those specified in Section 25..	219	4	5
Total...	6,023	5	0

9. The State contribution on this amount is Rupees 1505-13-3, and the Accountant-General will be requested to see that the payment already made does not exceed it, and that the sum of Rupees 106-11-11, overpaid in 1867-68, has been duly refunded.

10. As the Government are not prepared at present to pass any Orders regarding the Karar limits, the Municipal Commissioners will confine their operations

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to that part of the town which is situated outside of those limits, and reduce their establishment accordingly.

(True Extract.)

Chief Secretary.

To the President of the Cannanore Municipal Commission.

- „ Accountant-General.
- „ Board of Revenue.
- „ Public Works Department.
- „ Inspector-General of Police.

No 37

Municipal Office.

Commanore 22nd January 1869

From

The Vice President

Municipal Commission
Commanore.

To

The President

Commanore Municipality
Calicut.

Sir,

Agreeably to your letter No 80 dated the 11th Instant, I have the honor to forward herewith the revised Statements of Receipts and Disbursements and to report on the working of this Municipality during the year 1868/69.

2. Before proceeding further I would remind you that my appointment as Vice President of the Municipality was made after the expiration of the year under report and that the particulars I herein enumerate are gathered chiefly from the report prepared by Mr. Logan the late Vice President, from other records of the Office, and from information obtained from some of the Commissioners.

3. You are aware that during the year the Act was only carried out within a small portion of the Military Cantonment in consequence of the suspension of the Act within Ali Rajah's Kanar limits.

4. The actual Receipts for the year 1868/69 from all sources as particularized in the Statement C amounts to Rs 7123-8-10 of which

Rs 1000

Cont. of 1869 *Quatre*

PUBLIC.

To

THE PRESIDENT OF THE CANNANORE
MUNICIPAL COMMISSION,
 Ac, *Ac,* *Ac*

Dated November, 6th.

Recd.

And.

G. O., 6th November 1869, No. 1521.

NOVEMBER.
Nos. 50-51.

Reviewing the Annual Report, &c., of the Cannanore Municipality for 1868-69.

best portion appears to have been received from Government as shown in the Margin.

Particulars.	Imputed Property	On Govt. Property	Total.
House Tax.	1330 5 11	3147 3 4	4477 9 3
Profession.	286 8	"	286 8
Carrriage & Animal Tax.	322	1422	1744
Registration of Carts.	60 8	14	74 8
Slaughter House Fee.	5	"	5
Fines.	535 18 7	"	535 18 7
	2540 5 6	4583 3 4	7123 8 6

of this amount Rs 1445-13-2 is for 1867-68.

5. The actual disbursements during the year were Rs 6242-10-5 as the Statement A shows that is Rupees 880-14-5 less than the actual receipts.

6. "New Works." Rupees 900-... were expended under this head in building six latrines and five dust boxes, a want hitherto much felt in the Cantonment. Scavangers and Carts were also employed to clean the latrines, and to remove the rubbish and refuse from the dust boxes.

7. A new cross road has been opened about 100 yards in length, at an expense of Rs 100-12-4 on the application of the inhabitants. In opening this road portions of several parambas have been taken, and trees cut down with the consent of the owners, who demanded no compensation whatever. Rupees 120-6-2 have been expended in building two drains measuring 37 & 38 yards respectively on the side of the road, as these were much needed for drainage purposes, and for the due preservation of the road.

8. "Repairs." Three roads measuring 750, 186 & 420 yards respectively were repaired, at a cost of Rs 446-14-5, and a drain at a cost of Rs 92-14-4. Several other minor repairs were made to other buildings, and roads, and on the whole, a sum of Rs 688-7-... was expended under the head of repairs.

9. "Conservancy." Under this head, an expenditure of Rs 1603-7-8 was incurred to pay for the Carts, which have been employed to remove rubbish &c deposited in the dust boxes; the hire of coolies employed to clear out drains to effect repairs on different parts of the road, and for the payment of the Overseer, and, Matstuy, the latter were employed daily in inspecting the different streets, repairing nuisances, and enforcing their removal, and, also in attending to the different works and repairs which were in progress. A sum of Rs 168-16-... was spent on watering the principal roads during the months of March & April.

10. "The Police Charges" for 1868/69 were paid only after the close of the year, hence they are not included in the statement now forwarded. The disbursement under this head in the Statements A and B is for the year 1867/68.

11. "Office Establishment." Under this head an expenditure of Rs 1200-8-... was incurred; this would appear excessive, when compared with the actual receipts and disbursements for the year. But it appears that the Establishment was entertained on the first introduction of the Municipal Act at Cannanore, when the Commissioners anticipated collection and disbursements which would amount to nearly Rs 15000 a year. But the subsequent sudden suspension of the Act in the richest and most important portion of the Municipality has greatly reduced the

Collection.

collections and disbursements. However as the Commissioners were in daily expectation of receiving the order of Government removing the suspension, they were consequently disinclined to reduce the Establishment for fear of losing experienced Agents, whose services will be required on the receipt of the Government Order which they still await. They have however lately reduced the Establishment to a certain extent by dispensing with the services of one Clerk who received Rs 40 per mensem, and by vacating the house which had been taken for an Office on Rs 25 per month. 12. The amount of Rs 565-11-4 entered under the head of Miscellaneous Charges in Statement A, includes the sum of Rs 237-14-6 which was realized by the sale of materials of an old and dilapidated, and unclaimed building, which had been demolished by the orders of the Commissioners. This was credited in their accounts under "Miscellaneous receipts" but afterwards permitted to the Cantonment Magistrate to be disposed of according to law.

13. In a letter dated 2nd June 1868 No 1762 from Mr. Ballantyne the Commissioners were informed that, as the Municipal taxes were to be levied only outside the "Harar" limits, the works also should be confined to that portion of the town. But subsequently the Government in their order allowed the Commissioners to levy tax on the Government buildings situated within the Cantonment portion.

portion of the Harar; the Commissioners then deemed it advisable to carry out certain works (viz, building latrines, removing rubbish, cleaning the drains &c.) much needed in that portion of the Municipality.

14. I have already informed you in my letter No 28 dated 6th September 1869. that according to instructions received from your predecessor, the Municipal Accounts have been audited by a competent person. On comparing the cash balance shown in the statements furnished for 1867/68 which were embodied in the Government Proceedings dated 11th September 1868 with the Treasury accounts, it appears that a sum of Rs 393-12-4 which should have been brought into the accounts for 1868/69 was inadvertently included in the accounts for 1867/68. The amount in question was for certain works done during the year 1867/68 but as it was disbursed after the close of, and before the transmission of the accounts for that year, it should not have been included in the accounts, as having been actually disbursed within the year.

15. The actual payments into, and disbursements from the Treasury between 1st May 1868, and 30th April 1869 have been shown in the accounts now submitted, and the abovementioned sum of Rs 393-12-4 shown in last year's accounts, as having been actually

actually spent thus, appears, again, as a payment in the accounts of 1868/69. The marginal statement shows the Government contribution for 1868/69, after deducting the sum from the actual expenditure of the year.

16. The amount of Rs 1224 14 4 due to Government by the Municipality on account of advance received in 1867/68 as particularized in their Proceedings dated 11th Sept^r 1868 and Order thereon No. 1137 has been lately refunded.

17. In conclusion I beg to submit that the state of this Municipality, in a sanitary point of view, has not attained that degree of improvement which might have been expected, after the Town Improvement Act had been in force for two years. It should not be understood however that this is due to a want of real ~~act~~ dilatoriness on the part of the Commissioners but solely to their having been powerless to effect improvements where such were most needed, within the very extensive portion of the Municipal Town included in the Narar limits, in consequence of the working of the Act being restricted to the small part of the town outside the Narar limits. Until such time as this restriction is withdrawn, so long will the working of the Municipal Act at Camanore be carried on with great drawbacks, and.

Actual expenditure in 1868/69 — Rs 6242.106
 Deduct Rs spent in 1868/69 taken into account in calculating Government Contribution for 1867/68 — 4126.1
 Balance — 2116.096
 Government Contribution for 1868/69 now due — Rs 1224.14.4

A
 Actual expenditure for the year ending 30th April 1869 in the Municipality of Camanore. Contd. in No. 1137.

Description		Expenditure		Total
I Works	Buildings	400	00	
	Roads	100	12 4	
	Grains	120	62	1121 26
II Repairs	Buildings	4	6	
	Roads	587	94	
	Grains	96	78	688 7 4
III Concessions	Pay of Overseer & Throwing from 1 st May 1868 to 30 th April 1869 @ Rs 40 & 10 respectively per mensem	600	00	
	Wire of Carts & bullocks	548	3 10	
	Pay of Coolies	452	68	
	Pay of Police	2	13 2	1603 7 8
IV Police	Police Charges for 1867-68 paid	1012	156	
	do do 1868-69	"	"	1012 156
V Office Establish ^t	Supervision and Management	775	00	
	3 Clerks	272	00	
	3 Tax Collectors	138	8	
	2 Const.	15	00	1200 8
	1 Office Sweeper			
	Miscellaneous Charges			
VI Office Establish ^t	Stationery, Printing Charges			
	Office rent, Book binding			
	Purchase of postage stamps Charges for	565	11 4	
	Gazette, & other Clerk in President's Office and			
	Landries	50	65	616 19
VII Office Establish ^t	Repairs			

Municipal Officer
 Camanore,
 22nd September 1869

Don g. Theodor. Thier
 Vice President

and difficulties leading to results of, a
more or less unsatisfactory character
(I have the honor to be

Sir

Your Most Obedt. Servant

— *Donq Sanders.*
Major
Vice President.

B

Abstract of Expenditure for the Municipality of
 Cornwall during the year ending 30 April 1869.

No.	Particulars	Amount	Total
1	New Works and Improvements	1121 2 6	
2	Repairs	688 7	
3	Conservancy	1603 7 8	
4	Police	1012 13 6	
5	Establishment	1200 8	
6	Miscellaneous	616 1 9	6262 10 5

Municipal Office
 Cornwall 22nd September 1869

Wm. Sturges
 Vice President

Audit Statement of Actual Receipts and Expenditure in the Municipality of Calmanore as the same stood in the municipal Cash Day Book for the Year Ending 30th April 1869.

Actual Receipts for the Year Ending 30th April 1869 in the Municipality of Calmanore.

Actual Expenditure for the Year Ending 30 April 1869 in the Municipality of Calmanore

Rate on houses and buildings	4477	9	3
Tax on Arts, trades and professions	286	8	.
Tax on Carriages and animals	1744	"	.
Registration of Carts and Vehicles without springs	74	8	.
Fees for licensing Haulage Horse Cart stands & offensive trades	5	.	.
Fines and other Miscellaneous	535	15	7
Total	7123	8	10
Balance in hand from the last Year	3891	7	"
Grand Total Rupees	11014	15	10

I Works Buildings	900	"	"
Roads	100	12	4
Drains	120	6	2
II Repairs Buildings	4	6	"
Roads	587	9	4
Drains	96	7	8
III Conservancy	1003	7	8
Pay of Overseer and masonry	600	"	"
IV Police Charges	1012	15	6
V Establish: Supervision and management	1200	8	.
Stationery Printing Charges and Officer rent	565	11	4
Miscellaneous Repaid	50	6	5
Total	6242	10	5
Balance on the 30th April 1869	4772	5	5
Grand Total Rupees	11014	15	10

n. 1. In the Cash Book, Balance on hand on the 30 April 1869 is exhibited Rupees 4772-5-5

Difference is in the Totalling the Expenditure in the month of December 1867 Rupees 12-0-0

The above receipts and Expenditure are actually agreeable to the Entries made in the Municipal Cash Day Book from 1st May 1868 to 30th April 1869; but do not agree with the receipts and expenditure with the Treasury Book and the following is the explanation corresponding with the Treasury Book for 1868/69.

Balance as per Treasury Book in favor of the Municipality Commissioners on the 1st May 1868 Rs. 4557 11-9
 Permanent advance in the hands of the Head Clerk in favor of the Municipal Commissioners on the 1st May 1868 " 9 16 4 577 10-3
 Deduct Cheques Nos. 28, 29, 30, 31 and 32 issued in April 1868, but actually disbursed in May 1868 Rs. 685-7-3

Balance Rupees 3892 3.

Collected by the Municipality from 1st May 1868 to 30 April 1869 Rs. 7123 8-10

Total Rupees 11015 11 10

Disbursed from 1st May 1868 to 30 April 1869 Rupees 6242 10-5

Balance corresponding with the Treasury Book on the 30 April 1869 Rs. 4772-1-5

Deduct over expended under the Head Contingencies more than the amount drawn from the Treasury during the Year 1868/69 Rs. 12-0-0

Balance corresponding with the Municipal Cash Day Book as shown above Rs. 4772-5-5

Cambridge
23 August 1869

Am. Standard Major
The President.

Lucas D. R. R. R.

Explanatory Statement of the Municipal Audited Accounts for the Year Ending 30th April 1868,

	As per Report for the Year 1867/68		As per Audit Statement for 1867/68		Difference		Explanation
	Rs	P	Rs	P	More Account	Less Account	
Receipts							
Rate on houses and buildings	1060	4 6	1060	4 6	"	"	
Tax on Arts, trades and professions	1342	8	1342	8	2	"	
Tax on Carriages and Animals	2200	"	2158	"	"	42	
Registration of Carts and Vehicles without Springs	142	8	142	"	"	28	
Fees for Licensing Slaughter houses, off-shoots, trades	35	"	40	"	5	"	
Fines and other Miscellaneous	46	8	46	1 6	"	6 6	
Government Contribution	2075	"	2075	"	"	"	
Total	6902	12 4	6864	14	7	48 14 6	
Expenditure							
New Works	150	"	150	"	"	"	
Repairs	783	8 8	887	1	"	96 7 8	
Contingency	566	14	396	1 4	"	170 12 8	
Establishment	987	15 3	885	15 3	"	102	
Stationery Printing Charges Office rent &c	912	"	854	5 5	"	57 4 4	
Total	3400	48	2972	7	5	428 14 6	

Of the sum of Rupees 426. 15. 8. Rupees 393. 12. 4 disbursed in May 1868, was included in the Statement then furnished, balance Rupees 33. 3. 4 was a Clerical error, and arose as follows

Amount Accounted for more in the Statement, as Collections ————— Rupees 37. 14. 6

Minus Amount more debited in the Statement ————— Rupees 33. 3. 4.

Difference Rupees 4-11-2

2nd September 1869 }

Dr J. S. Anderson Major.

Lucas D. Rozang

Actual Receipts for the year ending 30 April 1869 in the Municipality of Camanor.

Actual Receipts for the year ending 30 April 1869 in the Municipality of Camanor.

1.	Rates on houses and buildings.	4477	9	3
2.	Tax on Arts, Trades, and Professions.	286	8	.
3.	Tax on Carriages and Animals.	1744	.	.
4.	Registration of Carts and Vehicles without Spring.	74	8	.
5.	Fees for licensing slaughter houses & Offensive trades.	5	.	.
6.	Fines, and other Miscellaneous.	535	15	7
Total.		7123	8	10
Balance in hand from the last year.		3891	7	.
Grand Total.		11014	15	10

Municipal Office
Camanor.
22nd September 1869.

Dring Hander Shaid
Vice President

Audit Statement of Actual Receipts and Expenditures in the Municipality of Camanac on the same Month in the
Municipal Cash Book for the Period ending 30th April 1888.

	Government Contribution	Taxes on houses and buildings	Tax on Arts, trades and professions	Tax on Carriages and Animals	Registration, death and birth returns, marriages	Tax on dog license, licenses, houses, shops, taverns and other diverse trades	Fines and other miscel. various receipts
Collections during the Year ending 30th April 1865	2075 .. 1224 2 9	1716 8 ..	2170 .. 11 ..	40 ..	461 6		
Minus amount refunded on Account of stamps overcharged during the Year ending 30th April	" .. 163 11 3	37 1 ..	12 ..	" ..	" ..	" ..	" ..
Balance due at end of year	2075 .. 1060 11 6	1345 8 ..	2158 .. 11 ..	40 ..	461 6		

Actual receipts for the Year Ending 30th April 1868 in the Municipality of Cincinnati

Rates on houses and buildings	1060	4	6
Duties on Arts, trades and professions	131	5	8
Duties on Carriages and Animals	21	5	8
Contributions of Carrying Vehicles without springs	140		
Fees for licensing, slaughter houses, Cart-Horse, Offensive trades.	140		
Fines and other Miscellaneous	16	1	6
Total	4789	11	
Advance Government Contribution	2075		
Grand Total Duques	6864	11	

Actual Expenditure for the Year Ending 30th April 1968 in the Municipality of Cambridge.

Book Work	150	"	"
Refining Paper	687	1	"
Printing Presses & Tools	"	6	3
Pay of Clerks & Employees	247	10	8
Purchase of Supplies	145	"	"
Establishment	835	45	3
Stationery, Printing, & Office Expenses	824	5	5
Total	2973	7	"
Balance on hand April 1888	3561	7	"
Grand Total P. & M.	6534	14	"

22. 18. In the Cash Book, Balance on the 30th April 1865

Cash in two days ————— No. 232-4-6
 From an old balance ————— " 6-14-6
 Total ————— 3842.3-"

Correctly it should be Cash in

Cash in treasury	Rs. 382-4-6
Permanent advances	9-2-6
Total	391-7-0

The difference is almost equal to the total loss of the
population in the month of December 1867.

The above receipts and expenditures are actually agreeable to the entries made in the municipal cash pay book; but do not tally with the treasurer's book for the following reasons:

Polynesian Treasures. Book in favor of the Ma. 2:3456-11-9

... that Commission on the 20th of the
... German had come in the hands of the ... and ...
... of the Municipal Commission on the 20th April 1865 - } 9-14 6 4-5-10.7
... on the 30th: 138023

Vol. 1000 paper book. Put down on the 10th of April 1868. No. 3892-3.
 April 1868
 April 1868 No. 3892-3, 1868 drawn in the month of April
 1868 and debited in the Municipal Cash Book as Expenditure, but
 actually disbursed in the Treasurer's in May 1868. No. 685-7-3.
 No. 1000 corresponding with the Treasury Book on the 30 April 1868. Paper No. 457-103

Quinn Anne }
23rd August 1869 }

Long Island City, N. Y.

Lucas D. Rosario,

Mr. S. H. H. H. H.

Subs. 340/09

Public Department.

Proceedings of the Madras Government.

Read the following letter from
the Presd. Munc. Commission, Cannanore

[Here enter 19th October 1869. N^o 32.]

Order thereon 6th October 1869. N^o 15-21.

The President of the
Cannanore Municipal
Commission submits with
the foregoing letter, the
report and abstracts of the
audited accounts of that
Municipality for the year
1868-69; and he brings to
notice that the accounts
furnished by the Com-
missioners for the ten
months ending the 30th
April 1868, which were
reviewed by me dated the

11th

From
The Vice President

To the President

Cannanore Municipality

Dated 22nd September 1869

N^o 37.

Enclosure 1.

Report on the working of the
Cannanore Municipality
during the year 1868/69.

21/10

Recd 23/10/69
21/10/69

11th September 1868, No 1137,
are not accurate, owing to
carelessness in the pre-
paration of the accounts,
and to the accounts not
having been audited
prior to the submission
of the report.

2. The President
states that the actual sum
at the disposal of the Com-
missioners in 1867-68 was
Rs 6864-14-0, the actual expenditure
-- 2973-7-0, and the actual balance
-- 3891-7 and not Rs 3502-5-10.

In addition to
Nett a balance of
Rs 3891-7-0 the Commission-
ers raised during the year
1868-69 Rs 7123-8-10 from
the sources indicated in
the margin, and had at
their disposal Rs 11014-15-10.
The amount raised falls
short

	Rs a/c.
Rate on houses & buildings	6477-9-3
Tax on arts, trades, & professions	286-8-0
Tax on Carriages & animals	1744-0-0
Registration of cards & ^{houses}	74-8-0
Fees for licensing slaughter	5-0-0
Fines	895-15-7
Total	<u>7123-8-10</u>
Balance in hand from last yr.	3891-7-0
Grand total	<u>11014-15-10</u>

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for the year 1868/69 -
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 report of the Council
 Submitting the account

Rs 2310
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to Government
 The Chief Secretary
 to Government
 Bangalore

to the President
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short of the estimate by
 Rs 4976, as the taxes and
 fees imposed, yielded less
 than was anticipated. The
 Government Contribution
 was also not drawn du-
 ring the year.

4. The expenditure in:

- | | | |
|------------------------------|------------------|-------------------------------|
| 1. New works & improvements. | Rs 1121-2-6 | current, which does not |
| 2. Repairs | 688-7- | include the payment made |
| 3. Conservancy. | 1603-7-8 | in this year on account of |
| 4. Police. | 1012-15-6 | the police for 1868-69 amount |
| 5. Establishment | 1200-3- | ed to Rs 6242-10-5, or Rs |
| 6. Miscellaneous | 116-1-4 | 16,426 less than the amount |
| | <u>6242-10-5</u> | which was provided for |

in the estimate submitted
 in March 1868. This is to
 be ascribed to a decrease
 under all heads, but the
 largest decrease is in
 the item of police, the
 estimate for which was
 Rs 11,634-8-11, and the
 actual

actual expenditure ~~not~~
^{only} ~~less than~~ Rs 1012-15-6,
owing to the cost of the
police employed within
the Karar limits of Sul-
tan Ali Rajah, which
were excluded from the
operation of the Town's
Improvement Act, having
been omitted from the
cost originally charged
to the Municipality.

5. The new works
undertaken were six
latrines, five dust boxes,
a cross road about 400
yards in length, and
two drains measuring
37 and 38 yards respec-
tively; but the Govern-
ment are of opinion
that with the funds at
the disposal of the Mu-
nicipal

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Municipal Commissioners
much more might have
been done during the year.
6. The Return it does
not show the various items
of expenditure in sufficient
detail. The buildings,
roads, and drains under
"New Works" and "Repairs"
should have been described.
The number of carts and
bullocks hired, the num-
ber of coolies and toties
employed, and the cost
under the several heads
under "Miscellaneous
Charges," should have been
particularized.

7. It is observed from
the Return referred to
that not more than Rs
2-13-2, were spent toward
the

the payment of Latrines.
The Government desire to
be informed how it
was possible with this
inadequate outlay, to keep
the latrines and other places
to which natives
resorted, clean during the
year.

8. In paragraph 9 of the
Report it is shown that
a sum of Rs 168-14-0 was
spent in watering the prin-
cipal roads during the
months of March and
April, but under which
head of account this item
has been included does
not appear from the Re-
turn A. The sum re-
ferred to, however, with
Rs 50-6-5 disbursed on
account of Refunds, should
be.

be debited to purposes other
than those specified in
Section 25 of the Towns
Improvement Act. Upon
this being done the amount
on which the Government
Contribution should be
computed will be reduced
to Rs 6023-5- viz,

Expenditure as per return. ^{R.} 6242-10-0
Deduct.

For purposes other
than those specified
in Section 25. — Rs. 219-4-5

Rs. 6023-5-0

9. The State Contribution
on this amount is Rs 1505-
-13-3, and the Accountant
General will be requested
to see that the payment
already made does not
exceed it, and that the
sum of Rs 106-11-11 overpaid
in 1867-68 has been duly
refunded.

Refunded.

10. As the Government
are not prepared at present

to issue any Orders regard-

ing the Municipality,

the Municipal Commis-

sioners will confine
their operations ^{not part of} to the town ^{not} situated
outside of those
limits, and reduce their
Establishment accordingly.

06/81 to 5/11/81

01/82 to 01/83

To.

The Pres^t of the Cannanore
Municipal Comm^t

Accountant General

Board of Revenue.

Public Works Dept.

Inspr. Genl. of Police.

869 Madras.

Public

1. The Pres^t of the Common
Municipal Council.
Sec.

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