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Public DEPARTMENT.

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11th June 1869.

No. 57. Read the following letter from the President of the Municipal Commission, Mangalore, to the Chief Secretary to Government, Fort Saint George; dated Manjeshwar, 26th May 1869, No. 5.

With reference to G. O., dated 23rd March 1869, No. 372, I have the honour to submit, herewith, a revised budget of the Municipality of Mangalore for 1869-70.

2. The allotments for maintenance of fire-engines and avenue plants have been transferred as directed to the head of "Purposes other than those specified in Section 25 of the Act," and the amount of expenditure actually incurred on account of accommodation for fire-engines out of the allotment for the police station, will be duly shown in the return of expenditure.

3. Provision has also been made for continuing the sweepers with hand-carts throughout the year for removing the contents of dust-bins, &c.; but with regard to the maintenance of toties during the rainy season, I am desired by the Municipal Commissioners to represent that the privies of houses, situated in the crowded parts of the town, are generally located over nullahs opening into the river, and that from these, as well as from the backyards of houses, all offensive matter is, during the monsoon, speedily washed out to sea by the torrents made by the excessively heavy rain that falls on this coast at that season. The Commissioners are, therefore, unanimously of opinion that the maintenance of such an establishment during that season would, in this Municipality, be not only a waste of funds, but that it could not well be utilized even if maintained. The original allotment for it has not, therefore, been raised on this account.

4. With the excess in the actual balance at the end of the past year, the Commissioners propose to open a short and much-needed communication between the Palmir and Helimatta roads, to construct a small tank for watering cattle, washing, &c., near the Thricheshwar tank, which has been set aside for drinking purposes, to clear the whole of the debt including interest due on account of the fire-engines, and also to make further provision for separate burial grounds in unobjectionable localities for Protestants, Roman Catholics, and Sudras residing in the town, a burning ground for the upper classes of Hindoos having been secured during the last year at a cost of Rupees 500.

5. It has also been found necessary to provide for an unexecuted well gate, and for the completion of the repairs of a tank to the extent of the unexpended balance out of its allotment in past year's budget, as well as to make some slight alterations in a few other items.

6. It will be observed that the full amount expected to be realized from the sale of avenue fruits, clippings, and trees removed as being injurious to private property, is proposed to be expended on the plantation and maintenance of new ones. By steadily pursuing this course, year after year, the Commissioners trust in time to have all the most frequented roads thoroughly shaded by avenues.

Proceedings of the Madras Government, Public Department.

11th June 1889.

No. 58. **ORDRE ENSEIGN, 11th June 1889, No. 788.**

The revised estimates of the Mangalore Municipality for the year 1889-90, submitted with the foregoing letter, show

Rate on Houses and Buildings	Rs. 1,100	0	0
Rate on Acre, Yards, and Plantations	Rs. 1,100	0	0
Tolls	Rs. 100	0	0
Rate on Cattle and Animals	Rs. 100	0	0
Registration of Cattle	Rs. 100	0	0
Fees for Licensing, Licensing, and	Rs. 100	0	0
Registration of Cattle	Rs. 100	0	0
Government Contributions	Rs. 1,100	0	0
Balance from the last year	Rs. 1,100	0	0
Total	Rs. 2,500	0	0

that the Commissioners expect to have at their disposal a sum of Rupees 25,405-8-7, or Rupees 2,852-3-7 in excess of the amount originally estimated for. This excess is due chiefly to a sum of Rupees 2500 outstanding, and which it is expected will be recovered during this year.

2. The new works (a) and repairs (b) proposed to be undertaken are estimated to cost Rupees 8925; Conservancy, Rupees 3700-8-0; Police, Rupees 6180-6-1; Establishment, Rupees 2905-8-0; and for purposes other than those specified in Section 23, Rupees 3191, amounting together to Rupees 25,405-8-1.

3. The President states that provision has been made under the head of "Conservancy" for the employment of sweepers throughout the year; but with regard to toties he represents that the "privies of houses, situated in the crowded parts of the town, are generally located over nullahs opening in the river, and that from these, as well as from the backyards of houses, all offensive matter is, during the monsoon, speedily washed out to sea," and that the Commissioners are, therefore, unanimously of opinion that the maintenance of an establishment of toties, during the rainy season, would be not only a waste of funds, but that the establishment could not be utilized even if maintained.

4. It appears from this that there are no public latrines in the town of Mangalore, and that the excreta accumulated in all these houses, which are not situated in the manner described by the President, are deposited in their respective compounds in sinks or pits of some description, at the risk of serious injury of the public health.

5. The Government resolve to forward a copy of these Proceedings to the Sanitary Commissioner, with a view to his communicating with the President of the Mangalore Municipality on this subject. When Dr. Ranking is in possession of the necessary information, he is requested to report to Government as to the conservancy arrangements, if any, which should, in his opinion, be substituted for the present imperfect system.

6. The revised estimates are approved and sanctioned.

(True Extract)

Atg. Secy to Govt

To the President of the Municipal Commission Mangalore.

- Accountant General.
- Public Works Department.
- Board of Revenue.
- Sanitary Commissioner.

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**THE PRESIDENT OF THE
MUNICIPAL COMMISSIONS.**

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For the year 1958.

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G. O. 1134, June 1958, A. S. 1958.

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Specifying the number of the Municipal Municipality for 1958-59.

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South India. Legislative Office,
in regard to Bangalore in India
got to the 25th May 1889.

From

H. L. Thomas Esquire
President of the Municipal Commission
Bangalore

To

M. J. Ellis Esquire
Chief Secretary to Government
Bombay

Sir,

With reference to G.O. dated 23rd March
1889, I have the honor to submit herewith
a revised Budget of the Municipality of Bangalore
for 1889-90.

1. The allotments for maintenance of fire en-
gines and revenue plants have been transferred
as directed to the head of 'Expenses other than
those specified in Section 25 of the Act' and the
amount of expenditure actually incurred in ac-
count of accommodation for fire engines out of
the allotment for the illumination, will be
duly shown in the return of expenditure.

2. Provision has also been made for con-
tinuing the sweepers with hand carts through-
out the year for removing the rubbish of dustbins,
but with regard to the maintenance of streets
during the rainy season, I am directed by the
Municipal Commissioners to represent that the
houses of houses situated in the crowded parts
of the town are generally located near the stream
empty into the river, & that from these as well as
from the backyards of houses, all offensive mat-
ter, during the monsoon, is directly washed out to
sea by the currents made by the considerable heavy
rain that falls on the town at that season. The
streets are therefore, in consequence of this, in

Yours

6. With the view to the actual balance at the end of the past year, the Commission proposed also a short and direct communication between the Taline and Melnitsa roads, to construct a small land for watering cattle, a washing place near the Hershlabau land which has been set aside for drinking purposes, to clear the whole of the debt including interest due on account of the Fire Insurance, and also to make further provision for important forest grounds in undesignated localities for timber.

'5. It has also been found necessary to provide for an unassisted toll gate and for the redemption of the returns of a bond to the extent of the unassisted balance out of \$500,000. must in some years be kept as much as to make it a short attention here in a few other items.

year after year the Commissioners have endeavored to have all the most important roads thoroughly shaded by avenues.

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Balance of the various estimates for new works & improvements pro-
posed to be carried out by the Municipal Committee over
the term of a Magistrate during the years 1874-1877 for
the purposes specified in Section 25 of Act No. 1 of 1868 (as amended)

	Description	Amount	Total
I Works	Buildings		
	Police Station stands with accommodation for fire engines	3000	
	6 inches latrines	900	
	81 Best kind of latrine & chamber @ Rs 5 each	252	
	Small washing tank near the Hospital		
	Small washing tank	300	
	A well connection by engine 1000	50	
	Totals	4752	
	Revenues & communication between Police Station & Bahadur Nagar 13 feet long	500	
	Drainage		
Opening & facing	300		
	Totals Works.	5302	
II Repairs	Description	Amount	Total
	Buildings		
	Completion of the repairs of Hotel Indus	200	
	Roads		
	26 miles	2500	
	Drainage		
	Covering drains again	70	
	Totals	2770	
	Purchased repairs of		
	Totals II Repaired	3572	

Abstract of charges under all heads to be incurred by Municipal Commissioners for the Town of Bangalore during the year ending 30th April 1879.

	Estimated expenditure	
	Amount	Total
1. Salaries	5300 ..	
2. Expenses	8575 ..	
3. Contingencies	4700 ..	
4. Repairs	6380 ..	
5. Establishment	2211 6 1	
6. For purposes other than those specified in Section 20.		
Watering, fencing & planting of trees	488 ..	
Maintenance of works & equipment	250 ..	
Cost of staff & interest thereon	156 ..	
Provision for improvement of burial ground	236 ..	
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Municipal Commissioners
for the Town of Bangalore
26th May 1879

Mr. Thomas
President

26/5/79

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Arthur
President

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2. The new works and repairs proposed to be undertaken are estimated to cost Rs. 3825. Conservancy, Rs. 3700.5; Police, Rs. 650.6-1; reestablishment, Rs. 250.8; and for, improve the, than those specified in Section 25. Rs. 339.44. Amounting together to Rs. 25,408.34.

3. The President stated that provision has been made under the head of Conservancy for the employment of sweepers throughout the year, but, with regard to latrines &c.

He specified that the provision for houses situated on the crowded parts of the town are generally situated on the walls opening on the river, and that from these as well as from the backyards

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backyard of houses all offensive matter is during the monsoon speedily washed out to the sea, and that the Commissioners are unanimously of opinion that the maintenance of an establishment of latrines during the monsoon season would be, not only a waste of funds, but that the establishment could not be utilized even if maintained.

4. It appears from this that there are no public latrines in the town of Bangalore, and that the excreta are accumulated in all these houses, which are not utilized in the manner described by the President, are deposited in their respective compounds in sinks & pits, some of which

It is proposed to construct all latrines on public grounds and to utilize the same for the purpose of irrigation.

It is also proposed to construct a public latrine on the river bank, and to utilize the same for the purpose of irrigation.

At the risk of
dissemination, to the serious
injury of the public
health.

5. The Government
resolve to forward a
copy of these Proceedings
to the Military Commis-
sioner, with a view to his
passing the same on to
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authorities for their
consideration.

6. The revised
estimates are approved
and sanctioned.

W.L.

communicating with
the President of the Mangalore
Municipality on this
subject. When Mr. Shankar
is in possession of the
necessary information
he is requested to report
to you as to the necessary
arrangements
if any. He should in his opinion
be authorized for the
purpose to inspect the

P.L.C.

To the President Municipal Commission
Mangalore.
- Accountant General
- Public Works Department
- Board of Revenue
- Military Commission

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