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SUBJECT.

Submitting proceedings
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DIAMOND JUBILEE.

23 JUL 1897

Proceedings of a Meeting of the Committee of the Ootacamund Diamond Jubilee held at the Municipal Office on Monday the 12th July 1897 at 4 p. m.

PRESENT.—Dadabhai Eduljee, Esq., Sithic Bin Meanjee Sait Sahib, George Hammett, Esq., C. I. E.

I Read notice convening the meeting, dated 11th July 1897.

II Read the following Account of receipts and disbursements amounting to Rs. 970-2-9 and Rs. 877-1-8, respectively, showing a balance of Rs. 93-1-1.

RECEIPTS.			DISBURSEMENTS.					
	RS.	A. P.		RS.	A. P.	RS.	A. P.	
(1) Amount of subscriptions received	668	0 0	Fireworks—			23	0 0	
(2) Sale proceeds of articles realized	52	2 9	Bon fires on five Hills—					
(3) Grant-in-aid by the Government for Bonfires	250	0 0	Tar—two barrels	60	0 0			
			Kerosine oil (ten tins)	26	4 0			
			For collecting 15 cartloads of wood and as many cartloads of brushwood on each hill	100	0 0			
			Labor for carriage of tar, oil, etc.	5	12 0			
			Contingencies	2	4 0			
				194	4 0			
			Illumination of Public Offices—					
			Japanese lanterns and candles	64	4 0			
						258	0 0	
			Illuminations at Charing Cross and other places in the town including the erection of an arch and four beacons at Charing Cross—					
			Lanterns	24	0 0			
			800 tin burners	100	0 0			
			Kerosine oil	60	0 0			
			Lamp oil	21	2 0			
			Cotton seed	15	0 0			
			Cocount oil	8	9 6			
			Chatties	10	4 0			
			Thread, wick, etc.	8	0 0			
			Candles	11	13 0			
			Cair rope, twine, drum, etc.	25	4 0			
			Cloth, paper, bamboos, etc.	24	13 0			
			Labor including food and rewards	66	3 0			
			Printing and other contingencies	18	10 0			
						394	0 6	
			Feeding the Poor—					
			Cocounts	20	12 0			
			Rice	87	10 0			
			Mutton	41	3 2			
			Potatoes	20	0 0			
			Money	32	0 0			
						201	9 2	
			Total Rupees			877	1 8	
			Cash in hand			93	1 1	
			Total Rupees			970	2 9	
TOTAL RUPEES	970	2 9						

III Read Government Order, Public Works Department, No. 539 D., dated the 15th June 1897 giving a grant-in-aid of the bon fires of Rs. 250.

Read also Government Order, Public Department, No. 773, dated 19th June 1897.

Resolved that of the expenditure, viz., Rs. 877-1-8, Rs. 247-13-0 be debited towards the five bon-fires and the illuminations at the Government Offices at Stone House and Mount Stuart and the Collector's Office. The balance (Rs. 2-3-0) of the sum of Rs. 250 granted by the Government will be refunded.

Eliminating these items from the account the actual receipts amount to Rs. 720-2-9 and the expenditure to Rs. 629-4-8 leaving a balance of Rs. 90-14-1, which amount the Committee resolves to appropriate towards the purchase of cumblies to be distributed, in the presence of members of the Committee, to old and infirm people most in need of warm clothing at the present season.

Of the expenditure incurred, about 2,000 poor people of all castes were provided with rice, mutton, cocoanut, potatoes and money from $\frac{1}{2}$ to 1 anna each on the 21st June 1897, in the presence of the members of the Committee, viz., Messrs. P. Maruthachella Mudaliar, Dadabhai Eduljee, A. R. Hajee Fakir Mahomed Sait Sahib, Sithic Bin Meanjee Sait Sahib, C. Rajagopal Naidu Garu, Mooni Oochanna, Mahomed Boran Sahib, and P. Armugam Mudaliar.

IV The Committee resolve to record their cordial thanks to all the members of the Committee, and also to all those who rendered assistance in carry-out the various arrangements in connection with the bon-fires and illuminations in the town.

V The Committee resolve in conclusion to nominate Messrs. Dadabhai Eduljee and Sithic Bin Meanjee Sait Sahib to be the members for the purchase and distribution of the cumblies.

GEO. HAMNETT,

Chairman,

Diamond Jubilee Committee.

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The Hon. Mr. J. F. Price