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• MUNICIPAL COUNCIL NOTICES.

Minutes of Proceedings of a Meeting of the Municipal Council of Galle held at the Municipal Office on June 2, 1894, at 3 p.m.

Present:—The Chairman; Hon. P. D. Anthonisz, C.M.G.; A. Murray, Esq.; W. Abeyesundera, Esq.; C. P. Hayley, Esq.; C. L. M. Abdul Carim, Esq.; and N. Dias Abeysinhe, Esq.

1. Read and confirmed Minutes of last Meeting.

2. The Chairman's Administration Report for 1893 was laid before the Council in terms of section 115 of the Municipal Councils Ordinance, having been previously circulated among the Members of the Council.

Resolved,—That the report, with its annexures, be submitted to His Excellency the Governor in Executive Council.

3. Read a letter from the Hon. the Colonial Secretary on the subject of the acquisition of land for widening Middle street, Fort, with a letter from the Hon. Dr. Anthonisz and connected papers.

Resolved,—That the matter be placed in the hands of the Chairman with a view to negotiation with the owners of the houses in question.

4. Submitted letter from the Hon. the Colonial Secretary transmitting an extract from the Administration Report of the Principal Civil Medical Officer containing the remarks of Dr. Dias on the sanitary condition of the Galle Municipality, with request for opinion as to whether such remarks are fit for publication, and the reply of the Chairman.

Resolved,—That as Dr. Dias is absent on duty the matter lie over until he shall have an opportunity of attending Council.

5. The question of the levy of tax on jinrickshas kept for private use was brought up for consideration when it was resolved that the matter lie over for the present.

6. Submitted copy of Auditor's report to Government of accounts for 1893.

Resolved,—That the Governor in Executive Council be requested to nominate, in terms of section 116 of the Municipal Councils Ordinance, an Auditor for the current year, and that the name of Mr. H. F. Jansz be suggested, who audits the Provincial Road Committee's accounts, as a fit person for the work.

7. Submitted accounts for April, and Report of Progress of Work for April.

Resolved,—That they be circulated among the Members of the Council.

Confirmed:
R. W. IYERS,
Chairman

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Progress Report of Work done brought up to May 31, 1894.

Description of Work.	Amount of Vote.		Expenditure in May.		Expenditure up to May 31, 1894.		Balance.	
	Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.
Permanent repair of roads	8,000	0	627	0	3,597	00a	4,403	0
General upkeep of roads	3,000	0	384	18	1,265	22b	1,734	78
General upkeep of bridges	1,500	0	273	20	1,310	33c	189	67
Carts, building new	335	0	—	—	300	0d	35	0
Carts, repair of old	400	0	—	—	126	0e	274	0
Repair of Municipal buildings	500	0	—	—	195	78f	304	22
Improving drainage, Fort	4,000	0	700	0	1,496	95g	2,503	5
Whitewashing markets	150	0	7	0	53	50	96	50
Watering streets	120	0	—	—	50	0	70	0
Clearing canals and reclaiming swamps	2,000	0	81	97	792	36h	1,207	64
Minor works	2,760	0	348	42	577	42j	2,182	58
Clearing rampart wall	250	0	9	0	87	0	163	0
Victoria park and planting trees in town	814	0	73	35	397	4	416	96
Wind mill	150	0	0	50	66	50	83	50
Improving markets	800	0	—	—	42	5k	757	95
Improving Municipal Office	300	0	138	0	299	97l	0	3
Improving sea bathing-place.	300	0	—	—	144	90m	155	10

(a) Metalled 129 lines and gravelled 170 lines of road.

(b) Repaired superficially 796 squares of road, trimmed sides 166 lines, and cleared side drains 253 lines.

(c) Purchased timber for supporting the Bope iron bridge and 100 planks for bridges; repaired Miliduwa bridge, Attoya bridge, Hirimbure cross road bridge, Hume road bridge, and Kepu-ela foot-bridge.

(d) Built two scavenging carts and a smallpox cart.

(e) Repaired two scavenging carts, 5 water carts, 2 iron hand carts.

(f) Repaired slaughter-house, sea bathing-place, Talbot town wells, and cattle-pound shed.

(g) Building a sewer in Pedlar street, clearing side drains.

(h) Embanking Parana-ela and making a road on the reclaimed ground, used 1,500 coconut stakes, cleared Kepu-ela.

(j) Built a cart shed at Cotton Garden and a betel shed at Havelock place.

(k) Fort market repaired and improved.

(l) Supplied iron grating to arches over doors and windows, bolts to doors, a screen across the room, railings to outer varandah.

(m) Repaired sea bathing-place near Eolus Bastion.

ROAD COMMITTEE NOTICES.

I HEREBY give notice in terms of "The Branch Roads Ordinance, 1874," of my intention to hold a general meeting of the proprietors or resident managers interested in the Nitre Cave road extension within the districts of Rangalla, Nitre Cave, &c., for the purpose of electing a Local Committee to perform the duties imposed upon such Committee by the said Ordinance.

The meeting will be held at the Rangalla dispensary at Ferndale estate at 2 o'clock P.M. on August 6, 1894.

C. R. CUMBERLAND,
Provincial Road Committee's Office, for Chairman.
Kandy, July 9, 1894.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Governor, with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council, having agreed to grant the under-mentioned sum for the maintenance of the under-mentioned road for 1894, the Provincial Road Committee, acting under the provisions of "The Branch Roads Ordinance, 1874," have assessed the proportion due by each estate in the district interested in the repair of the said road, as follows:—

KNUCKLES ROAD (between Madulkele and Bambraella.)

Government moiety ... Rs. 969-0
Private contribution ... " 969-0

Proprietors or Agents. Estates. Acreage. Amount.
Rs. c.

1st and 2nd section, 2 miles.

Acreage, 6,243—Moiety of cost, Rs. 239-36—
Rate, '0383c.—Total rate, '0383c.

A. C. Bonner	... Baddagama	107	...	4	10
Whittall & Co.	... Old Tunisgalla	366	...	14	2
Do.	... Florence	151	...	5	79
D. D. Black	... Allieaddie	154	...	5	91

Proprietors or Agents.	Estates.	Acreage.	Amount.
			Rs. c.
1st to 3rd section, 3 miles.			
Acreage, 5,465—Moiety of cost, Rs. 119-68—			
Rate, '0219c.—Total rate, '0602c.			

A. P. L. Muttu Carpen	...		
Chetty	... Hulugangawatta	22	1 33
H. W. Hornby	... New Tunisgala	200	12 6

1st to 4th section, 4 miles.
Acreage, 5,243—Moiety of cost, Rs. 119-68.
Rate, '0228c.—Total rate, '0830.

M. R. P. L. Perianen	...		
Chetty	... Wawakanatte-watta	22	1 84
C. B. Pyper	... Allacolla	302	25 8

J. L. Dewar (C. B. Pyper)	... Overdale	195	16 21
F. C. Woods (A. C. Bonner)	{ Kandaketia ... } { Gowaragalla ... }	391	32 48

1st to 5th section, 5 miles.
Acreage, 4,333—Moiety of cost, Rs. 119-68—
Rate, '0276c.—Total rate, '1106c.

Mackwood & Co.	... Hagalla	97	10 74
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1st to 6th section, 7½ miles
Acreage, 4,236—Moiety of cost, Rs. 329-18.
Rate, '0777c.—Total rate, '1883c.

Thomas Dickson	... Middleton	115	21 67
Do.	... Fettes	84	15 84
Do.	... Lebanon	434	81 76
Do.	... Leangalla	225	42 40
	{ Goomera ... }	461	86 75
T. C. Owen	{ New Goomera ... }	261	49 18
Charles Strachan & Co.	... Kituloya	583	109 83
Do.	... Gangamulla	267	50 30

Proprietors or Agents.	Estates.	Acreage.	Amount.
			Rs. c.
G. E. Bewley	... Bambraella	... 306	... 57 65
Do.	... Moragahaella	... 398	... 74 98
Do.	... Dawatakelle	... 225	... 42 40
Mackwood & Co.	... Meddakelle	... 393	... 74 75
T. Dickson, junior	... Battagalla	... 402	... 75 73
Maari Kangany	... M. Kangany's land	... 50	... 9 43
Neri Mohamadu	... Hunugalla	... 32	... 6 5
			927 58

Which sums the proprietors, managers, or agents of the several estates are hereby required to pay into the Colonial Treasury, Colombo, on or before August 7, 1894.

	Rs. c.	Rs. c.
N.B.—Private contribution	...	969 0
Deduct unexpended balance, 1893	... 0 57	
Bank interest	... 40 85	
		41 42
		927 58

Provincial Road Committee, C. R. CUMBERLAND,
Kandy, July 11, 1894. for Chairman.

It is hereby notified that the following gentlemen have been elected to serve as Members of the Local Committee for the district of Ambegamuwa interested in the Norton-Carolina road under "The Branch Roads Ordinance, 1874" :—

Messrs. D. Kerr, N. W. Davies, A. J. A. Dickson, R. A. Galton, and H. Parfy.

C. B. CUMBERLAND,
for Chairman.

Provincial Road Committee,
Kandy, July 3 (12), 1894.

NOTICE is hereby given that a meeting of the Maskeliya Local Road Committee will be held at 2 P.M. on Friday, August 3, 1894, at Maskeliya Club, Bloomfield, in accordance with the provisions of the "Branch Roads Ordinance, 1874," to collect and record evidence and to report as to whether Hapugastenna estate should be included for upkeep and construction of the Brownlow-Luccombe road.

C. E. WELLDON,
Chairman, Local Road Committee.