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MUNICIPAL COUNCIL NOTICES.

MUNICIPALITY OF COLOMBO.

Minutes of Proceedings of a General Meeting of the Municipal Council of Colombo held at the Municipal Office on Friday, March 15, 1901.

The Council met this day at 3 P.M., pursuant to notice dated March 9, 1901.

Present:—Mr. F. H. Price, Chairman; Dr. J. L. Vanderstraaten; Mr. A. de A. Seneviratne; Major L. F. Knollys, C.M.G.; Mr. Chas. Perera; Mr. P. Coomaraswamy; Mr. Chas. P. Dias; Mr. R. H. Morgan; Mr. Arthur Alvis; Mr. James Peiris; Mr. H. A. Jayewardene; Dr. Solomon Fernando; and Mr. M. L. M. Zainudeen.

The Minutes of February 15 and March 12, 1901, having been printed, and copies thereof having been sent to each Member of the Council, were taken as read.

Resolved—That the Minutes of February 15 and March 12, 1901, be confirmed.

1. Pursuant to notice Mr. R. H. Morgan asked if the attention of the Chairman had been called to the judgment of the Additional District Judge of Colombo, in the case *Ameresekere vs. the Municipal Council*, and the strictures passed therein on actions of the Council through its officers, and moved that a Committee be appointed to inquire into and report upon the alleged irregularities, and what officers (if any) are responsible therefor.

By leave of Council the question and motion were postponed.

2. Pursuant to notice Mr. R. H. Morgan presented a petition from certain inhabitants of Kollupitiya, residing half way between the second and third mileposts on the Kollupitiya road, praying that licenses be granted to sell fish at Nos. 80 and 176, Kollupitiya road, as heretofore, and moved that it be read and considered.

The petition having been considered, Mr. R. H. Morgan moved—That licenses at Nos. 80 and 176, Kollupitiya road, be allowed.

Mr. P. Coomaraswamy seconded.—Carried unanimously.

3. Pursuant to notice Mr. P. Coomaraswamy moved—That the petition of Meedin Mastan and Mana Wappa Saibo be read and considered, and that orders may be passed thereon.

The petition having been taken as read, Mr. P. Coomaraswamy moved—That an additional stall at the Gintupitiya mutton market for the sale of offal be placed at the disposal of the petitioners on the terms previously authorized for the existing offal stall.

Dr. J. L. Vanderstraaten seconded.—Carried unanimously.

4. Supplemental Budget No. 2 of 1901 was laid before the Council, having been previously printed and circulated.

Mr. C. Perera moved—That the Supplemental Budget No. 2 of 1901 be sanctioned.

Mr. R. H. Morgan seconded.—Carried unanimously.

5. The following recommendations of the Standing Committee of March 5, 1901, were laid before the Council:—

March 5, 1901.

(8) Letter from Dr. J. L. Vanderstraeten suggesting the desirability of keeping in the Town Hall photographs connected with the Proclamation of our Gracious King and the Memorial Service at Galle Face.

Resolved that Council be asked to sanction a vote of Rs. 270 : Rs. 250 for a large permanent carbon enlargement of Colonial Secretary reading the Proclamation and Rs. 20 for a small one of the ceremony.

(9) Letter No. 489 of February 25, 1901, from the Director of Public Works, suggesting the laying of 3-in. main to Cemetery road, cost Rs. 1,200.

Agreed that it be recommended to Council (the leaden pipe to be returned).

(11) Letter No. 114 of February 21, 1901, from Superintendent of Works, with reference to the estimate for improvement and drainage of Sea street.

That the vote for Rs. 18,930 be brought before Council.

(35) Memorandum dated February 23, 1901, by Chairman, suggesting the appointment of an assistant to the Edinburgh market-keeper and dog pound keeper on a salary of Rs. 15 per mensem.

Recommend the appointment to Council of the assistant, and the salary of Rs. 15 per mensem be provided in Supplemental Budget No. 2, and direct the market-keeper to obtain what assistance he requires from the constables on duty, and to report them if they are not active.

Mr. R. H. Morgan moved—That items Nos. 8, 9, and 35 of the recommendations contained in the foregoing Minutes of the Standing Committee be adopted.

Mr. P. Coomaraswamy seconded.—Carried unanimously.

Mr. P. Coomaraswamy moved—With reference to item eleven of the recommendation of the Standing Committee contained in the foregoing Minutes of the Standing Committee that the vote of Rs. 18,930 be sanctioned.

Mr. H. A. Jayewardene seconded.—Carried unanimously.

6. A report dated February 26, 1901, of the Special Committee re-appointed on January 18, 1901, to inquire into and report on the matter of widening and extending Colpetty lane and the lane on the northern side of Wellawatta police station, was laid before the Council, having been previously printed and circulated.

Mr. R. H. Morgan moved—That the consideration of the report be deferred.

Mr. P. Coomaraswamy seconded.—Carried unanimously.

7. A report dated March 4, 1901, of the Special Committee re-appointed on January 18, 1901, to report upon the present system of removing nightsoil, to ascertain how far it can be more economically and efficiently worked, and what reductions, if any, can be made in the charge for conservancy and clearing of cesspits, was laid before the Council, having been previously printed and circulated.

Dr. J. L. Vanderstraeten moved—That the report be adopted.

Mr. H. A. Jayewardene seconded.—Carried unanimously.

8. A letter No. 15/03313 of March 1, 1901, from the Colonial Secretary, intimating that the Governor has been pleased to approve of the proposed new limits of the town of Colombo, and letter No. 17/03313 of March 7, 1901, from the Colonial Secretary, inviting attention to paragraph 2 of his letter No. 78 of September 19, 1900, inquiring whether the Council is prepared to take over and keep in good order the gravelled roads when Government have converted the reservations for roads about Havelock Park into roads, were laid before the Council.

Dr. Solomon Fernando moved—That the Council is prepared to take over and keep in good order the gravelled roads when Government have converted the reservations into roads about Havelock Park.

Mr. James Peiris seconded.—Carried unanimously.

9. The Auditor-General's further remarks on query No. 183 for May of 1900, with regard to the rebate allowed for water supplied for domestic purposes, were laid before the Council.

Resolved—That the Council approves of the rebate proposed by the Director of Public Works in his letter No. 3,144 of December 1, 1899.

10. An application from Mr. H. L. Amerasekera, a clerk in the Municipal Court, for extension of his leave till the end of March, 1901, was laid before the Council.

Mr. A. de A. Seneviratne moved—That the application be allowed.

Major L. F. Knollys seconded.—Carried unanimously.

11. A Statement of Receipts and Disbursements from January 1 to February 28, 1901, and Progress Report of Work done for February, 1901, were laid on the table.

12. Auditor-General's remarks on the accounts for September and October, 1900, were laid on the table.

13. City Analyst's report on the town water for February, 1900, was laid on the table, having been previously printed and circulated.

14. Reports of Inspectors on licensed carriages, and on shops used for the sale of kerosine, poisons, and gun powder for March, 1901, were laid on the table.

The following documents were laid on the table:—

Return of Committees of Municipal Council for 1901.

Proceedings of Committees.

Diaries of Superintendent of Works and Assistant Municipal Engineer.

Volunteer Band Programme for March, 1901.

Return of Average daily supply and consumption of Water for February, 1901.

F. H. PRICE,
Chairman, Municipal Council,
and Mayor of Colombo.

Confirmed on April 17, 1901:

A. S. PAGDEN,
Acting Chairman, Municipal Council,
and Mayor of Colombo.

**Statement of Receipts and Disbursements on account of the Municipal Fund from
January 1 to March 31, 1901.**

REVENUE.	Estimated Revenue for 1901.		Receipts to Mar. 31, 1901.		EXPENDITURE.	Estimated Expenditure for 1901.		Disbursements to Mar. 31, 1901.	
	Rs.	o.	Rs.	o.		Rs.	o.	Rs.	o.
Commutation under Road Ordinance ...	83,000	0	45,374	0	ESTABLISHMENTS.				
Tax on vehicles and animals (under section 128 of Ord. No. 7 of 1887) ...	20,000	0	7,345	50	<i>Salaries.</i>				
Do. costs ...	—	—	26	7	Salaries, fixed ...	60,567	0	13,953	39
Dog tax ...	3,000	0	1,541	28	Pensions ...	6,111	10	1,359	85
Do. costs ...	—	—	7	35	Audit of accounts ...	1,952	0	785	0
					<i>Contingencies.</i>				
<i>Licenses.</i>					Office contingencies ...	708	0	177	0
Carriages for hire ...	17,000	0	15,095	50	Allowances ...	6,720	0	1,669	68
Passenger hackeries ...	1,500	0	636	50	Stationery ...	2,500	0	1,301	76
Cart and coach—issued by Government Agent ...	6,250	0	—	—	Furniture ...	350	0	81	0
Boat—issued by Government Agent ...	100	0	—	—	Inspectors' uniform ...	560	0	—	—
Boat—issued by Master Attendant ...	3,500	0	—	—	<i>Commutation under Road Ordinance.</i>				
Gun—issued by Government Agent ...	150	0	—	—	Commission, &c....	8,000	0	—	—
To sell intoxicating liquors—issued by Government Agent ...	15,057	50	—	—	Refunds ...	100	0	7	20
Butchers ...	200	0	—	—					
Coal depôts, tanneries, &c. ...	700	0	716	0	LICENSES AND TAXES.				
To slaughter cattle, sheep, and pigs (special) ...	120	0	30	75	<i>Dog Tax.</i>				
To sell meat (special) ...	220	0	100	0	Commission, &c. ...	100	0	—	—
To sell fish (special) ...	275	0	250	0	For capture and destruction of dogs and for dog collars ...	1,200	0	235	28
Opium ...	11,000	0	—	—	Refunds ...	15	0	—	—
Petroleum ...	1,360	0	678	50	<i>Vehicles and Animals Tax.</i>				
Guides ...	200	0	42	0	Commission, &c....	200	0	92	38
Poison ...	28	0	—	—	Tin plates and painting ...	350	0	—	—
Auctioneers and brokers ...	3,500	0	2,740	0	Refunds ...	30	0	—	—
Stamp duty on advocates, proctors, and notaries' certificates and articles of clerkship ...	4,000	0	—	—	<i>Carriage Licenses.</i>				
Stamp duty on licenses on arrack taverns (cross entry) ...	10,500	0	—	—	Tin plates and painting ...	200	0	97	50
					Badges and fare tables ...	900	0	487	50
<i>Judicial Fines.</i>					<i>Hackery Licenses.</i>				
By Municipal Magistrate ...	21,000	0	5,685	26	Tin plates ...	80	0	12	0
By Police Magistrate ...	75	0	6	0	Badges and fare tables ...	410	0	60	0
<i>Tolls.</i>					MARKETS.				
Victoria bridge, Grandpass ...	85,000	0	14,166	70	<i>Establishments and Lighting.</i>				
Bambalapitiya ...	48,000	0	8,000	0	Edinburgh market, keeper's salary ...	360	0	73	55
Mutwal ferry ...	1,800	0	300	0	Do. coolies' wages (4) ...	480	0	120	0
Lock-gate ...	1,000	0	158	40	Do. lighting ...	1,300	0	175	30
					St. John's market, overseer's salary ...	120	0	24	52
<i>Markets.</i>					Do. coolies' wages ...	240	0	30	0
Edinburgh, fruit and vegetable ...	3,378	0	1,108	37	Do. lighting ...	500	0	75	50
Edinburgh, meat ...	5,000	0	1,387	50	Do. vegetable trays ...	215	0	—	—
Edinburgh, meat, lighting charges paid by stall-holders ...	600	0	50	20	Kollupitiya market, cooly's wages ...	120	0	30	0
St. John's fish market ...	540	0	126	0	Do. lighting ...	12	0	—	—
St. John's aboutiques, fruit and vegetable market ...	1,248	0	291	0	Dean's road market, keeper's salary ...	360	0	90	0
St. John's fish market ...	3,000	0	783	0	Do. coolies' wages ...	540	0	135	0
Dean's road market ...	5,100	0	1,422	34	Do. lighting ...	828	0	92	50
Dean's road market—lighting charges paid by stall-holders (cross entry) ...	1,100	0	167	50	Do. lighting—recoverable from stall-holders (cross entry) ...	1,100	0	—	—
Grandpass market ...	5,400	0	1,410	0	Gintupitiya street market, lighting ...	170	0	15	50
Kollupitiya market ...	500	0	180	0	Do. cooly's wages...	120	0	30	0
Mohammedan meat market, Dhobies' pond ...	720	0	180	0	Slave Island market, keeper's salary ...	480	0	120	0
Gintupitiya street market ...	1,680	0	440	0	Do. lighting ...	264	0	27	75
Gintupitiya street market—lighting charges paid by stall-holders ...	168	0	44	0	Mohammedan meat market, cooly's wages ...	120	0	30	0
Slave Island market ...	4,200	0	860	0	Bambalapitiya market, cooly's wages ...	120	0	30	0
Bambalapitiya market ...	1,000	0	183	0	Kollupitiya and Bambalapitiya markets, keeper's salary ...	240	0	60	0
					Bambalapitiya market, lighting ...	360	0	44	0
					Fish blocks for markets ...	150	0	1	88
					Cost of tools and equipment ...	150	0	—	—
					White tiling one meat stall, Slave Island market ...	200	0	—	—
					Iron brackets, Dean's road market ...	1,067	0	—	—
					Edinburgh market, assistant market-keeper, ten months at Rs. 15 per month ...	150	0	8	22
					Slave Island market, cooly's wages ...	120	0	30	0

REVENUE.	Estimated Revenue for 1901.		Receipts to Mar. 31, 1901.		EXPENDITURE.	Estimated Expenditure for 1901.		Disbursements to Mar. 31, 1901.	
	Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.		Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.
<i>Slaughter Houses.</i>									
Dematagoda, slaughtering fees ...	14,500	0	4,048	10	Fish cutting blocks for St. John's market ...	430	0	—	—
Do. feeding fees ...	15,150	0	4,452	2	Water service to Mohammedan meat market ...	75	0	—	—
Do. sale of blood ...	180	0	100	0	<i>Upkeep and Repairs.</i>				
Do. sale of manure ...	100	0	76	50	Repair of markets upon sub-estimates ...	3,000	0	—	—
Madampitiya, slaughtering fees ...	2,500	0	832	95	SLAUGHTER HOUSES.				
Do. feeding fees ...	2,500	0	833	67	<i>Establishment, Lighting, &c.</i>				
Do. rent of trees and grass ...	250	0	64	0	Dematagoda, superintendent's salary ...	1,000	0	249	99
<i>Health Department.</i>									
Recoveries from householders for conserving latrines ...	124,000	0	30,704	25	Do. superintendent's rickshaw allowance ...	180	0	45	0
Recoveries from householders for buckets sold ...	500	0	28	0	Do. salary of assistant and clerk ...	600	0	150	0
Recoveries from householders for disinfectants, &c. ...	1,500	0	217	3	Do. lighting ...	1,200	0	167	50
<i>Miscellaneous.</i>									
Trunk road (cross entry) ...	30,000	0	30,000	0	Do. coolies' wages ...	1,080	0	270	0
Tramway mileage ...	4,833	32	4,833	32	Do. oil, carbolic acid, &c. ...	150	0	2	12
Rent of grass lands and other property ...	3,500	0	951	75	Madampitiya, salary of keeper ...	360	0	90	0
Racquet court fees ...	100	0	11	0	Do. keeper's rickshaw allowance ...	180	0	45	0
Galle Face, grazing fees ...	600	0	184	89	Do. coolies' wages ...	240	0	60	0
Victoria park, grazing fees ...	800	0	145	0	Do. oil, carbolic acid, &c. ...	100	0	—	—
Campbell's park, grazing fees ...	125	0	57	0	Gutters and down pipes, Madampitiya slaughter-house ...	142	0	—	—
Price recreation ground, grazing fees ...	100	0	56	89	Repairing cooly lines, Madampitiya slaughter-house ...	119	0	—	—
Fees for testing and stamping weights and measures ...	250	0	37	76	<i>Upkeep and Repairs.</i>				
Fees from tennis court, Victoria park ...	50	0	9	50	Quarterly whitewashing ...	800	0	—	—
Interest ...	5,000	0	4	66	<i>Feeding Charges, &c.</i>				
Miscellaneous ...	—	—	1,093	70	Dematagoda, feeding charges ...	3,720	0	508	16
Sale of stores ...	—	—	63	72	Madampitiya, feeding charges ...	180	0	21	59
Mulct ...	—	—	—	—	Tools, &c., for slaughter-houses ...	250	0	—	—
Town Hall fees ...	—	—	—	—	TOLL HOUSES AND OTHER BUILDINGS.				
Overplus at sales ...	—	—	—	—	<i>Upkeep and Repairs.</i>				
Sale of tender and specification forms ...	3,500	0	2	25	Repairs to toll-houses upon sub-estimates ...	600	0	—	—
Sale of scavenging rubbish ...	—	—	—	—	Repairs to—	—	—	—	—
Deposits made by tenderers ...	—	—	—	—	St. John's boutiques ...	—	—	—	—
Sale of timber ...	—	—	—	—	Guides' shelter ...	—	—	—	—
Sale of disinfectants, &c. ...	—	—	—	—	Gas testing room ...	—	—	—	—
General cemeteries account ...	4,000	0	968	50	Printing office ...	1,000	0	—	—
Lease of land opposite bridge-of-boats ...	360	0	75	0	Municipal store ...	—	—	—	—
Rent of land, Layard's Broadway ...	240	0	92	0	Workshop ...	—	—	—	—
Rent of superintendent's quarters, bridge-of-boats ...	700	0	195	0	Flushing tank ...	—	—	—	—
Rent of dynamite magazine ...	50	0	—	—	ROADS, BRIDGES, AND CULVERTS.				
Fees from the Hon. the Treasurer for testing kerosine oil ...	750	0	—	—	<i>Establishment.</i>				
Payment by Government Agent for clearing Crown lands in the Fort during 1901 (cross entry) ...	114	0	114	0	Salaries of overseers ...	6,360	0	950	0
Advances of previous year adjusted Slaughter-house, Dematagoda, cost of gas for stove ...	—	—	42	60	Salaries of head overseers ...	2,712	0	678	0
Tools, &c., for slaughter-houses ...	—	—	2	0	Pay of watcher and coolies ...	496	50	95	0
No 169/900—T. R. to Matakuliya ...	—	—	76	0	<i>Upkeep.</i>				
Carried forward ...	593,920	93	197,229	65	General upkeep of roads ...	12,600	0	2,109	32
					Lighting heaps ...	2,000	0	215	71
					Upkeep of metal roads upon sub-estimates ...	70,448	91	9,721	24
					Upkeep of gravel roads upon sub-estimates ...	34,769	2	4,710	6
					Upkeep of lanes upon sub-estimates ...	1,247	39	—	—
					Upkeep of footways upon sub-estimates ...	500	0	—	—
					Trunk roads (cross entry) ...	30,000	0	5,379	14
					Purchase of tools for roads ...	2,000	0	1	40
					Purchase of tools for other works ...	500	0	—	—
					Repair of tools for roads ...	700	0	113	40
					Repair of tools for other works ...	500	0	12	52
					Repairs to steam rollers ...	600	0	260	82
					Repairs to Dean's road paved footways ...	1,104	0	53	75

* Not in Budget.

REVENUE.	Estimated Revenue for 1901.		Receipts to Mar. 31, 1901.		EXPENDITURE.	Estimated Expenditure for 1901.		Disbursements to Mar. 31, 1901.	
	Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.		Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.
Brought forward	593,920	93	197,229	65					
					DRAINS.				
					<i>New Works.</i>				
					Drainage, Gasworks street ...	7,750	0	667	52
					Drain and footway opposite National Bank ...	917	0	9	0
					Drain, Ambalama road ...	440	0	85	68
					Building a discharging drain near the junction of Cemetery road and Nagalagam street ...	120	0	—	—
					Drain from Uplands latrine ...	94	60	—	—
					<i>Upkeep and Repairs.</i>				
					Conservancy of sewers and drains	3,500	0	117	36
					Repairing built drains, Silversmith street ...	700	0	—	—
					Repair of sewer drains, Mosque lane, Mutwal ...	363	0	—	—
					Repairing drains upon sub-estimates ...	5,000	0	—	—
					LAKE AND CANALS.				
					<i>Upkeep.</i>				
					Conservancy of lake ...	3,000	0	235	23
					Dredging St. Sebastian canal ...	2,500	0	155	88
					Dredging lake ...	6,000	0	491	14
					PARKS.				
					<i>Upkeep.</i>				
					Upkeep of Victoria park ...	5,330	0	769	40
					Do. Racquet court ...	1,287	0	123	45
					Do. Jubilee fountain ...	120	0	—	—
					Do. Gordon garden ...	1,255	0	101	74
					Do. Galle Face esplanade ...	500	0	39	1
					Do. Campbell's park ...	1,300	0	167	61
					Do. Price recreation ground ...	320	0	55	89
					<i>New Works.</i>				
					Filling Price recreation ground ...	4,500	0	—	—
					CEMETERIES.				
					<i>Establishment, &c.</i>				
					General cemetery, Kanatta, salary of keeper ...	800	0	200	6
					House allowance of keeper ...	360	0	90	0
					General cemetery, Kanatta, salary of sexton ...	600	0	150	0
					General cemetery, Kanatta, wages of eight coolies at Rs. 11.25 each ...	1,080	0	270	0
					General cemetery, Madampitiya, salary of keeper ...	600	0	150	0
					General cemetery, Madampitiya, wages of two coolies at Rs. 11.25 each ...	270	0	67	50
					Contingencies ...	300	0	—	—
					Repairs to cemetery-keeper's quarters, Madampitiya ...	330	0	—	—
					FIRE BRIGADE.				
					<i>Upkeep and Repairs.</i>				
					Repairs to fire stations, &c. ...	500	0	—	—
					Pay of firemen, coolies, &c. ...	2,163	0	464	0
					HEALTH DEPARTMENT.				
					Salaries, wages, and allowances ...	68,500	0	13,224	21
					Purchase of disinfectants ...	8,000	0	894	58
					Purchase of tools ...	500	0	—	—
					Purchase of stationery, &c. ...	500	0	229	81
					Repairs and maintenance of depôt buildings ...	1,146	0	—	—
					Refunds ...	500	0	11	0
					Hire of bulls ...	46,500	0	7,552	33
					Construction of carts ...	4,000	0	—	—
					Repair of carts ...	1,000	0	796	2
					Miscellaneous ...	4,000	0	1,170	61
					Petty expenses ...	1,000	0	—	—
					Maintenance of roads at depôt ...	1,000	0	299	75
Carried forward...	593,920	93	197,229	65					

REVENUE.	Estimated Revenue for 1901. Rs. c.	Receipts to Mar. 31, 1901. Rs. c.	EXPENDITURE.	Estimated Expenditure for 1901. Rs. c.	Disbursements to Mar. 31, 1901. Rs. c.
Brought forward	... 593,920 93	197,229 65			
SANITARY ACCOUNT.					
Maintenance and repair of camps	1,000 0	50 3			
Prevention of infectious diseases	4,000 0	1,092 51			
Expenses of disinfection	... 1,500 0	72 0			
Cost of disinfectants	... 500 0	—			
Repairs to ambulance carts	... 230 0	—			
SCAVENGING.					
Scavenging	... 40,000 0	6,187 70			
LATRINES.					
For repair of latrines upon sub-estimates	... 630 0	—			
Quarterly whitewashing	... 700 0	—			
PRINTING DEPARTMENT.					
Salary of printers	... 1,360 20	340 5			
Advertisements	... 800 0	136 91			
MISCELLANEOUS ACCOUNT.					
<i>Secretary's Department.</i>					
Library	... 500 0	68 54			
Expenses by Government Agent on cart and boat licenses	... 200 0	—			
Contribution to Law Library	... 500 0	500 0			
Costs in legal proceedings	... 500 0	75 50			
Rent of site, Grandpass latrine	... 10 0	—			
Guides' coats	... 60 0	—			
Contribution to Volunteer band	... 4,000 0	—			
Refund of fines	... 200 0	60 0			
Refund of value of guides' badges	... 21 0	—			
Expenses of bookbinding	... 200 0	95 50			
Subscription to newspapers	... 106 0	96 0			
Cost of peons' belts	... 35 0	33 0			
Refund of guides' license fees	... 12 0	—			
Refund of value of grazing tickets	... 10 0	—			
Refund of rents	... 60 0	—			
Cost of grazing tickets	... 200 0	—			
Postage	... 100 0	80 0			
Subscription to telephone exchange	... 125 0	125 0			
Fees for testing kerosine oil	... 500 0	84 0			
Miscellaneous	... 1,200 0	174 29			
Assistant supervisor for month of January	... 25 0	25 0			
Moiety of gratuity to Mr. R. A. Brohier, Assistant Auditor-General	... 197 93	197 93			
Cuttilan & Company's claim against the Council and costs	... 4,843 61	4,843 61			
Proctor's costs in case Cuttilan & Company	... 655 50	655 50			
Cost of bronze tree tablet for jubilee memorial tree, Gordon gardens	... 65 0	63 1			
Salary of assistant supervisor, Vehicles and Animals Tax Department, February to April, at Rs. 25	... 75 0	—			
Cost of transfer of land at Alut-mawata for road deviation	... 235 25	—			
Refund of security	... 3,195 1	580 0			
MISCELLANEOUS.					
<i>Works Department.</i>					
Watering streets	... 5,500 0	859 70			
Urgent repairs and works	... 3,500 0	438 18			
Upkeep of carriage stands	... 150 0	25 60			
Surveys and tracings	... 1,000 0	146 21			
Painting garden seats at Bandstand, Korteboam street	... 25 0	—			
Painting Church street enclosure and carriage stand	... 240 0	—			
Constructing six hand carts	... 510 0	133 62			
Cost of clearing Crown lands in the Fort for 1901 (cross entry)	... 114 0	46 40			
Setting back boundary wall, Malay street	... 1,350 0	—			
Laying gas pipes and fitting lamp at guides' shelter	... 133 62	—			
	<u>593,920 93</u>	<u>197,229 65</u>			

REVENUE.	Estimated Revenue for 1901.		Receipts to March 31, 1901.		EXPENDITURE.	Estimated Expenditure for 1901.		Disbursements to March 31, 1901.	
	Rs.	a.	Rs.	c.		Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.
Brought forward	...	593,920	93	197,229	65				
					Acquisition of land for reclamation of lake at Vauxhall	600	0	—	
					Watering of tramway routes from August to December, 1900, at Rs. 2,000 per annum	833	33	833	33
					Repairs to Hendala jetty	487	0	—	1 10
					Building wall, St. Thomas's latrine	374	0	—	
					Boundary wall, &c., Hill Castle	3,463	0	848	30
					Rebuilding boundary wall, 6, Hulftsdorp street	307	0	—	
					Shed and gala on land adjoining Kachcheri road	3,940	0	—	
					Extra clerk, Works Department, for two months at Rs. 30 per month	60	0	—	
					Repairs of hand rails and bridges, Cemetery road, Madampitiya	114	0	—	
					Cost of thirty water indicators at Rs. 60 each	1,800	0	—	
					VICTORIA BRIDGE ACCOUNT.				
					Contribution payable to Government	8,000	0	—	
					REFUND OF LOAN AND INTEREST.				
					Refund of loan to Government and interest	10,800	0	—	
					SANITATION AND DRAINAGE.				
					For expenditure on sub-estimates under this head (cross entry)	10,500	0	—	
					<i>Re-votes.</i>				
					Estimate No. 125 of 1898: Office, lychgate and waiting room, Kanata cemetery	4,000	0	—	
					Estimate No. 225 of 1898: Purchase of a steam fire engine	10,000	0	—	
					Estimate No. 229 of 1898: Erection of signboards on all streets and lanes notifying hours of scavenging	1,500	0	—	
					Estimate No. 33 of 1899: Dean's road market extension of lighting	556	94	—	
					Estimate No. 137 of 1899, Purchase of a bookcase	300	0	—	
					Estimate No. 192/1 of 1899: Drainage, Guildford crescent	533	90	—	
					Estimate No. 192/9 of 1899: Improvement of Old Moor street	5,193	33	2,282	94
					Estimate No. 192/10 of 1899: Extension of St. John's main drain to Dam street	1,196	10	216	77
					Estimate No. 192/11 of 1899: Improvement of Sea street	5,464	9	470	8
					Estimate No. 54 of 1900: Quarterly whitewashing slaughter-houses	200	0	200	0
					Estimate No. 65/25 of 1900: Metalling Saunders place	485	31	180	0
					Estimate No. 65/27 of 1900: Metalling Beach road	74	82	—	
					Estimate No. 65/28 of 1900: Metalling Cheku street	111	97	—	
					Estimate No. 65/35 of 1900: Metalling Madampitiya road	670	80	350	28
					Estimate No. 65/37 of 1900: Metalling St. Lucia's street	412	6	—	
					Estimate No. 65/38 of 1900: Metalling St. Mary's road	325	8	—	
					Estimate No. 65/39 of 1900: Metalling old Urugodawatta road	789	48	—	
					Estimate No. 65/40 of 1900: Metalling Vuyatwyek road	648	87	104	35
					Estimate No. 65/41 of 1900: Metalling Wall street	1,315	80	—	
					Estimate No. 65/51 of 1900: Metalling Old Moor street extension	493	95	—	
Carried forward	...	593,920	93	197,229	65				

REVENUE.	Estimated Revenue for 1901.		Receipts to March 31, 1901.		EXPENDITURE.	Estimated Expenditure for 1901.		Disbursements to March 31, 1901.	
	Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.		Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.
Brought forward	...	593,920	93	197,229	65				
					Estimate No. 65/56 of 1900 : Metalling Kew road ...	208	67	39	63
					Estimate No. 66/23 of 1900 : Gravelling North and South Base Line road ...	335	14	195	20
					Estimate No. 66/28 of 1900 : Gravelling Park street ...	260	57	—	—
					Estimate No. 66/32 of 1900 : Gravelling Boyd place ...	94	61	—	—
					Estimate No. 66/35 of 1900 : Gravelling Racecourse avenue ...	556	8	—	—
					Estimate No. 66/36 of 1900 : Gravelling St. Michael's road ...	431	62	—	—
					Estimate No. 66/37 of 1900 : Gravelling Thurston road ...	847	36	—	—
					Estimate No. 69 of 1900 : Trunk road to Grandpass ...	439	28	—	—
					Estimate No. 69 of 1900 : Trunk road to Mattakkuliya ...	2,252	69	—	—
					Estimate No. 75 of 1900 : Improve- ment to Parson's road ...	1,828	76	241	41
					Estimate No. 76 of 1900 : Drainage scheme, Maradana District ...	30,000	0	—	—
					Estimate No. 78 of 1900 : Protec- tion of outlet from Lake and of Galle Face beach ...	155	67	—	—
					Estimate No. 79 of 1900 : Filling lake, Union place ...	1,142	46	—	—
					Estimate No. 83 of 1900 : Park, Havelock town ...	469	37	359	50
					Estimate No. 119 of 1900 : Quarterly whitewashing latrines ...	165	0	165	0
					Estimate No. 160 of 1900 : Amount reserved for sanitation and drainage ...	8,686	1	—	—
					Estimate No. 162 of 1900 : Repairs to Edinburgh meat market ...	383	0	—	—
					Estimate No. 163 of 1900 : Clear- ing and painting Edinburgh meat market ...	1,382	0	—	—
					Estimate No. 164 of 1900 : Repairs of floor, Edinburgh meat market ...	1,401	0	—	—
					Estimate No. 167 of 1900 : Alter- ations to shed for basket women, Dean's road market ...	113	87	—	—
					Estimate No. 169 of 1900 : Trunk road to Wellawatta ...	963	58	127	50
					Estimate No. 169 of 1900 : Trunk road to Grandpass ...	1,167	3	—	—
					Estimate No. 169 of 1900 : Trunk road to Mattakkuliya ...	452	33	—	—
					Estimate No. 170 of 1900 : Repairs to approach roads to Bambala- pitiya, Kollupitiya, and Slave Island railway stations ...	105	61	101	40
					Estimate No. 191 of 1900 : Case groynes, Galle Face ...	300	0	—	—
					Estimate No. 193 of 1900 : Con- tributions for erection of George Wall fountain ...	1,109	2	866	69
					Estimate No. 195 of 1900 : House connection with sewers ...	500	0	—	—
					Estimate No. 196 of 1900 : Im- provements to Dean's road mar- ket ...	6,683	0	—	—
					Estimate No. 203 of 1900 : Repairs to Madampitiya slaughter-house ...	145	16	—	—
					Estimate No. 205 of 1900 : Re- pairs to drain, St. Lucia's street ...	273	25	100	77
					Estimate No. 206 of 1900 : Re- pairs to drain, Maliban street... ..	367	54	335	60
					Estimate No. 207 of 1900 : Paving footway and connecting private drains to sewer, Kochchikada street ...	2,483	54	48	3
					Estimate No. 208 of 1900 : Wall, Maligakanda park ...	288	28	67	15
					Estimate No. 209 of 1900 : Repairs to sexton's quarters, Kanatta ...	141	75	6	55
Carried forward	...	593,920	93	197,229	65				

REVENUE.	Estimated	Receipts	EXPENDITURE.	Estimated	Disburse-
	Revenue	to March		Expendi-	ments to
	for 1901.	31, 1901.	ture for	March 31,	
	Rs. c.	Rs. c.	1901.	1901.	
			Rs. c.	Rs. c.	
Brought forward	... 593,920 93	197,229 65	Estimate No. 211 of 1900: Coir-dust shed for a public latrine ...	274 0	—
			Estimate No. 215 of 1900: Cost of flagstaff and flag for Town Hall	282 43	8 0
			Estimate No. 216 of 1900: Six new benches for Galle Face walk	186 0	—
			Estimate No. 220 of 1900: Making ten iron water carts	3,333 92	155 78
			Estimate No 199 of 1900: Alteration to lighting of Bambalapitiya market	170 0	—
			Balance	698,483	7 101,652 91
Total	... 593,920 93	197,229 65	Total	698,483	7 197,229 65

ADVANCE ACCOUNT.

REVENUE.	Receipts to		EXPENDITURE.	Rs.
	Mar. 31, 1901.			
	Rs. c.			
Advance Account	...	42,070 26	Advance account	... 42,680 26
Balance	...	610 0		
		<u>42,680 26</u>	Advance account: Expenses in connection with visit of T. R. H. the Duke and Duchess of Cornwall and York	... 1,154 5

DEPOSIT ACCOUNT.

REVENUE.	Receipts to		EXPENDITURE.
	Mar. 31, 1901.		
	Rs. c.		
Deposit Account	...	593 10	
Do. deviation, Mutwal road	...	61 64	
Do. clearing cesspits	...	1,278 50	
Security deposits	...	3,584 25	
Deposits by owners of quarries	...	125 0	
Do. unpaid wages	...	23 43	Nil.
Do. value of grazing tickets	...	13 75	
Do. on account S. P. C. A.	...	67 0	
Do. on account P. R. Fund	...	31 50	
		<u>5,778 17</u>	

EXPENDITURE on Estimate No. 69 (Rs. 70,448-91).—Amount upon Sub-estimates for Metal Roads.

EXPENDITURE.	Estimated Expenditure for 1901.		Disbursements to Mar. 31, 1901.		EXPENDITURE.	Estimated Expenditure for 1901.		Disbursements to Mar. 31, 1901.	
	Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.		Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.
METAL ROADS.									
Baillie street, from York street to Queen street ...	417	0	—	—	Skinner's road north, from Korte-boam street to Armour street ...	1,195	40	—	—
Chatham street, from York street to Flagstaff street ...	1,570	70	—	—	Armour street, from Barber street to Silversmith street ...	1,640	20	—	—
Chatham street east, from York street to Norris road ...	1,014	70	—	—	Barber street, from Kuruwe street to Green street ...	774	78	—	—
Commissariat street, from Church street to Customs gate ...	875	70	—	—	Ferry street, from Hulftsdorp street to canal ...	903	50	—	—
Hospital lane, from Queen street to Hospital street ...	179	31	—	—	Skinner's road south, from Armour street to canal ...	1,281	2	932	10
Lotus road, from Main street to Norris road ...	958	26	—	—	Urugodawatta road, from St. Joseph's street to Canal ...	1,612	40	—	—
Norris road, from Lotus road to Queen street ...	2,467	25	1,040	5	Wilson's street, from Hulftsdorp street to Mill street ...	364	87	—	—
Police station new road, from Norris road to Galle Face road	308	58	—	—	Darley road, from Union place to Sutherland road ...	2,493	66	—	—
Bankshall street, from St. John's road to Main street ...	1,313	55	—	—	Dean's road, from Budd's lane to Ward place ...	3,052	44	—	—
China street, from Bankshall street to Main street... ..	158	46	—	—	Panchikawatta road, from Maradana road to Skinner's road south	1,390	0	—	—
Cross street 4th, from Main street to Norris road... ..	1,139	80	—	—	Skinner's road south, Maradana road to the canal ...	2,000	90	541	45
Front street, from Main street to Reclamation road ...	195	99	—	—	Sutherland road, from Maradana road to Darley road ...	1,004	97	—	—
Keyzer street, from Front street to 4th Cross street ...	1,234	32	—	—	Symond's road, from Maradana road to Dean's road ...	533	76	—	—
Market street, from Bankshall street to Reclamation road ...	116	76	—	—	Urugodawatta road, from canal to toll bar ...	733	22	462	0
Norris road, from Lotus road to Front street ...	1,529	0	—	—	Church street, from Rifle street to Stewart street ...	398	23	—	—
Prince street, from Front street to 4th Cross street ...	747	82	—	—	Dawson street, from Vauxhall street to Park street ...	1,134	24	—	—
Reclamation road, from Main street to St. John's road ...	2,085	0	500	0	Kew road, from Union place to Parson's road ...	2,076	66	—	—
Cramer's lane, from Saunders' place to St. Sebastian street ...	792	30	—	—	Lake road, from Union place to Mill gate ...	778	40	—	—
Dam street, from New Moor street to St. Sebastian street ...	1,251	0	1,133	63	Malay street, from Rifle street to Kew road ...	1,008	44	—	—
Gasworks street, from Main street to Norris road ...	1,296	87	—	—	Parson's road, from Kew road to Norris road ...	1,853	98	997	50
Old Moor street, from Dam street to Kuruwe street ...	1,167	60	—	—	Stewart street, from Church street to Wekanda road ...	216	84	—	—
Seabeach road, from St. John's road to Sea street ...	1,652	71	1,461	76	Union place, from Rifle street to Turret road ...	3,953	16	146	75
Wolfendahl street, from Andiwal street to Wolfendahl lane ...	775	62	558	0	Vauxhall street, from Cross road to Hyde Park corner ...	1,390	0	—	—
Alutmawata road, from Uplands road to College street ...	695	0	524	11	Wekanda lane, from Church street to Railway line ...	139	0	—	—
Blomendahl street, from Berawamulle to Wall's lane ...	1,000	80	906	69	Alexandra place, from Torrington place to Ward place ...	1,590	16	—	—
Blomendahl street, from Wall's lane to Madampitiya road ...	1,706	92	—	—	Bambalapitiya road, from Buller's road to toll-gate ...	3,241	48	517	20
Ferguson's road, from Nakalagam street to Church road ...	2,101	68	—	—	Laurie's road, from Kollupitiya road to Bambalapitiya road ...	1,112	0	—	—
Layard's Broadway, from Barber street to St. Joseph's street ...	3,822	50	—	—		70,448	91	9,721	24

EXPENDITURE on Estimate No. 70 (Rs. 34,769-02).—Amount upon Sub-estimates for Gravel Roads.

EXPENDITURE.	Estimated Expenditure for 1901.		Disbursements to Mar. 31, 1901.		EXPENDITURE.	Estimated Expenditure for 1901.		Disbursements to Mar. 31, 1901.	
	Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.		Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.
GRAVEL ROADS.									
Church street, from Queen street to Flagstaff street ...	129	60	—	—	York street, from Prince street to Landing Jetty ...	672	0	—	—
Flagstaff street, from Galle Buck gate to Queen street ...	556	43	—	—	Andiwal street, from Wolfendahl street to Cheku street ...	129	36	—	—
Galle Face drive, from Galle Face road to the old Police Station...	2,644	80	—	—	Hill street, from Barber street to Jampettah street ...	756	0	—	—
Galle Face walk, from Kollupitiya road to Breakwater (railway) ...	690	11	—	—	New Chetty street, from Barber street to Jampettah street ...	796	80	—	—
					VanRooyan street, from Hill street to Green street ...	376	20	—	—

EXPENDITURE.	Estimated Expenditure for 1901.		Disbursements to Mar. 31, 1901.		EXPENDITURE.	Estimated Expenditure for 1901.		Disbursements to Mar. 31, 1901.	
	Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.		Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.
GRAVEL ROADS.—contd.									
Wolfendahl street, from Wolfendahl lane to Barber street	165	12	—	—	Hunupitiya Lake road, round the hamlet	362	5	132	12
Alutmawata road, from Cathedral gate to Ferguson's road	1,176	0	—	—	Ingham street, from Bridge street to Convict Establishment	245	52	—	—
College street, from Alutmawata road to Cemetery road	488	88	—	—	Lillie street, from Union place to the Grange	100	80	—	—
Ferguson's road, from Church road to Vuystwyck road	486	4	420	12	Wek nda road, from Stewart street to the Lake	207	90	—	—
Kotshena street, from College street to Galpotta street	622	77	—	—	Albert crescent, from Edinburgh crescent to Alexandra place	304	72	—	—
Madampitiya road, from Blomendahl street to Mutwal river	775	77	330	41	Bagatelle road, from Kollupitiya road to Flower road	1,186	90	—	—
Mattakkuliya Church road, from Kelani-ganga Mill road to Farm road	140	76	—	—	Barnes place, from Alexandra place to Kynsey road	1,123	5	—	—
Belmont street, from Hulftsdorp street to Mill street	196	0	—	—	Cambridge place, from Flower road to Albert crescent	455	76	—	—
Goat street, from Belmont street to Ferry street	73	92	—	—	Macarthy road, from Ward place to Buller's road	1,247	75	249	44
Oilman street, from Belmont street to Ferry street	92	96	—	—	Circular road, from Alexandra place to Turret road	413	10	97	1
Smith street, from Belmont street to Ferry street	53	76	—	—	Dawson street, from Bambalapitiya road to Layard's road	299	22	—	—
Dean's passage, from Dean's road to Saram place	89	10	69	52	Muhandiram's road, from Kollupitiya road to Polwatta road	230	40	—	—
Forbes road, from Dean's road to Darley road	206	40	—	—	Dickman's road, from Wellawatta road to Bambalapitiya road	646	11	—	—
Hedges court, from Dean's road to Dean's passage	217	35	125	23	Edinburgh crescent, from Turret road to Albert crescent	846	30	—	—
Jail road, from Maradana road to North and South Base Line road	801	0	—	—	Elibank road, from Dickman's road to Folly road	361	45	—	—
Maradana road, from Look-gate to Skinner's road south	174	0	112	75	Flower road, from Turret road to Cambridge place	932	10	—	—
Norris canal, from Maradana road to Dean's road	739	20	83	35	Gregory's radiant, from Maitland crescent to Cemetery road	1,193	50	634	89
North and South Base Line road, from Railway crossing to Urugodawatta road	580	0	—	—	Havelock road, from Dickman's road to Reservation	264	80	—	—
Regent street, from Maradana road to Turret road	873	0	209	75	Horton place, from Alexandra place to Kynsey road	837	0	179	0
Reservoir road, from Dematagoda road to Reservoir	138	0	—	—	Kanatta road, from Borella to Cemetery gate	918	0	855	44
Saram place, from Norris canal road to Kynsey place	243	36	—	—	Kynsey road, from Ward place to Cemetery gate	1,097	40	—	—
School lane, from Dematagoda hill to Railway line	151	80	—	—	Layard's road, from Dickman's road to Folly road	345	56	—	—
Temple road, from Maradana road to Dematagoda road	876	96	—	—	Maitland crescent, from Guildford crescent to Horton place	529	60	—	—
Alston place, from Park street to Turret road	645	43	593	84	Museum road, from Edinburgh crescent to Alexandra place	486	45	—	—
Braybrooke street, from Staple street to Hyde Park corner	346	91	—	—	Rosmead place, from Alexandra place to Kynsey road	820	52	—	—
Cross road, from Turret road to Union place	99	0	42	57	Turret road, from Kollupitiya road to Regent street	1,797	55	574	62
Glenie street, from Malay street to end	269	1	—	—		34,762	31	4,710	6

EXPENDITURE on Estimate No. 71 (Rs. 1,247.39).—Amount upon Sub-estimates for Lanes.

EXPENDITURE.	Estimated Expenditure for 1901.		Disbursements to Mar. 31, 1901.		EXPENDITURE.	Estimated Expenditure for 1901.		Disbursements to Mar. 31, 1901.	
	Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.		Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.
LANES.									
Baptist Chapel lane	44	64	—	—	Wilson's lane, from Fishers' Hill to Rock House lane	183	75	—	—
Cafferman's lane, from 1st Fishers' lane to Norris road	74	40	—	—	Driberg lane, from Maradana road to Panchikawatta road	29	70	—	—
Mosque lane, from New Moor street to Wolfendahl street	131	68	—	—	Katwallemmulle lane	178	50	—	—
Siripina lane, from Mosque lane to New Moor street	192	0	—	—	Barrack lane, from Church yard lane to Kew road near banian tree	61	99	—	—
St. Lucia's lane, from Kotabena street to Roman Catholic church	65	73	—	—		962	39	—	—

The Municipal Office
Colombo, April 11, 1901.

A. S. PAGDEN,
Chairman, Municipal Council,
and Mayor of Colombo.

Progress Report of Work for the Month of March, 1901.

THE following is a general statement of work done under the various votes:—

No. of Estimate.	Service.	Commenced.	Completed.	Vote.		Probable Expenditure.	
				Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.
42	Fish blocks for markets	February	—	150	0	5	42
46	Repair of markets upon sub-estimates	—	—	3,000	0	—	—
58	Quarterly whitewashing of slaughter-houses	—	—	800	0	149	19
64	Salaries of overseers	January	—	6,360	0	1,425	0
65	Salaries of head overseers	do.	—	2,712	0	678	0
66	Pay of watcher and coolies	do.	—	496	50	74	0
67	General upkeep of roads	do.	—	12,600	0	3,934	22
68	Lighting heaps	do.	—	2,000	0	520	67
69	Upkeep of metal roads	—	—	70,448	91	—	—
70	Upkeep of gravel roads	—	—	34,769	2	—	—
71	Upkeep of lanes	—	—	1,247	39	—	—
72	Upkeep of footways	—	—	500	0	—	—
73	Trunk roads (cross entry):—						
	Trunk road to Wellawatta	January	—	8,461	82	3,724	50
	Trunk road to Mattakkuliya	do.	—	5,872	75	1,654	27
	Trunk road to Kotte toll	February	—	9,444	35	40	92
	Trunk road to Grandpass	January	—	6,221	8	1,123	92
74	Purchase of tools for roads	March	—	2,000	0	1,462	50
75	Purchase of tools for other works	January	—	500	0	309	35
76	Repair of tools for roads	do.	—	700	0	294	14
77	Repair of tools for other works	do.	—	500	0	27	23
78	Repairs to steam rollers	do.	—	600	0	598	0
80	Drainage, Gaswork street	do.	—	7,750	0	1,574	43
83	Conservancy of sewers and drains	do.	—	3,500	0	158	29
84	Conservancy of lake	do.	—	3,000	0	72	70
85	Dredging St. Sebastian canal	do.	—	2,500	0	282	78
86	Dredging lake	do.	—	6,000	0	1,042	12
87	Upkeep of Victoria park	do.	—	5,330	0	1,318	18
88	Upkeep of Racquet court	do.	—	1,287	0	192	67
90	Upkeep of Gordon garden	do.	—	1,255	0	178	23
91	Upkeep of Galle Face esplanade	do.	—	500	0	61	34
92	Upkeep of Campbell's park	do.	—	1,300	0	286	38
93	Upkeep of Price recreation ground	do.	—	320	0	77	57
103	Pay of firemen, coolies, &c.	do.	—	2,163	0	503	8
112	Repair of carts, Health Department	do.	—	1,000	0	998	0
116	Maintenance and repair of camps	do.	—	1,000	0	24	51
121	Scavenging (on contract)	do.	—	40,000	0	152	49
148	Watering streets...	do.	—	5,500	0	2,318	19
149	Urgent repairs and works	do.	—	3,500	0	787	90
150	Upkeep of carriage stands	do.	—	150	0	25	60
151	Surveys and tracings	do.	—	1,000	0	72	15
154	Constructing six hand carts	do.	—	510	0	443	64
155	Cost of cleaning Crown lands in the Fort for 1901	do.	—	114	0	53	90
123	Quarterly whitewashing latrines	March	—	700	0	124	64
117	Prevention of infectious diseases	February	—	4,000	0	232	70
82	Drain, Ambalama road	do.	—	440	0	95	98
170	Repairs to Hendra's jetty	do.	—	487	0	482	69
81	Drain and footway opposite National Bank	March	—	917	0	627	90
172	Boundary wall, Hill Castle	do.	—	3,463	0	798	6
METAL ESTIMATES.							
69/9	Metalling Dam street	January	—	1,251	0	1,144	88
22	Metalling Senbanch road	do.	—	1,652	71	1,464	52
24	Metalling Alutmawati road	do.	—	695	0	569	97
25	Metalling Blomendahl street	February	—	1,000	80	985	64
50	Metalling Union place	do.	—	3,953	16	152	60
7	Metalling Norris road	do.	—	2,467	0	1,192	96
23	Metalling Skinner's road south	March	—	1,281	2	1,192	56
39	Do.	do.	—	2,000	90	650	12
17	Metalling Reclamation road	do.	—	2,085	0	1,675	16
48	Metalling Parson's road	do.	—	1,853	98	1,246	8
54	Metalling Bambalapitiya road	do.	—	3,241	48	1,725	92
GRAVEL ESTIMATES.							
70/33	Gravelling Alston place	January	—	645	43	645	32
37	Gravelling Hunupitiya Lake road	do.	—	362	5	362	0
15	Gravelling Madampitiya road	do.	—	775	77	451	76
56	Gravelling Kanatta road	do.	—	918	0	855	44
53	Gravelling Gregory's radiant	February	—	1,193	50	921	90
23	Gravelling Hedges court	do.	—	310	43	174	85
21	Gravelling Dean's passage	do.	—	89	10	84	89
62	Gravelling Turret road	do.	—	1,797	55	935	27
13	Gravelling Ferguson's road	do.	—	642	22	487	30
35	Gravelling Cross road, Union place	do.	—	99	0	98	0
25	Gravelling Maradana road	do.	—	174	0	142	98
11	Gravelling Alutmawati road	do.	—	1,176	0	10	73

No. of Estimate.	Service.	Commenced.	Completed.	Vote. Rs. a.	Probable Expenditure Rs. c.
46	Gravelling Circular road	...	March	413 10	255 91
16	Gravelling Ohurch road	...	do.	140 76	25 48
12	Gravelling College street	...	do.	488 88	93 10
28	Gravelling Regent street	...	do.	873 0	315 28
55	Gravelling Horton place	...	February	837 0	586 56
RE-VOTES.					
65/56/00	Metalling Kew road	...	Dec. 1900	208 67	39 63
75/00	Improvement to Parson's road	...	July, 1900	1,828 76	244 40
206/00	Drain, Maliban street	...	Dec. 1900	367 54	335 61
66/23/00	Gravelling North and South Base Line road	...	May, 1900	335 14	321 76
192/9/99	Improvement to Old Moor street	...	June	5,193 33	4,697 16
192/10/99	Extension of St. John's main drain to Dam street	...	February	1,207 10	1,048 71
192/11/99	Drainage, Sea street	...	November	5,464 9	3,330 68
208/00	Wall, Maligakanda park	...	Oct. 1900	288 28	71 42
209/00	Repairs to sexton's quarters, Kanatta	...	Jan. 1901	141 75	6 55
83/00	Park, Havelock town	...	Sept. 1900	469 37	359 50
170/00	Gravelling approach roads to railway stations	...	Nov. 1900	105 61	101 40
220/00	Making ten new iron water carts	...	Dec. 1900	3,333 92	478 66
215/00	Cost of Flagstaff and flag for Town Hall	...	Feb. 1901	232 43	101 13
207/00	Paving footway and connecting private drains to sewers, Kochchikada street	...	Nov. 1900	2,433 54	82 15
205/00	Repairs to side drain, St. Lucia's street	...	Feb. 1901	273 25	273 12
93/00	George Wall memorial fountain...	...	Sept. 1900	826 80	925 65
	Additional vote	...		119 65	
162/00	Repairs to Edinburgh meat market	...	March	383 0	309 13
65/25/00	Metalling Saunders place	...	do.	435 31	363 12
					60,644 43

R. SKELTON,
Superintendent of Works.

ROAD COMMITTEE NOTICES.

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 1901, the Provincial Road Committee, acting under the provisions of "The Branch Roads Ordinance, 1896," will on Thursday, May 23, 1901, at 3 o'clock P.M., at their office in Kandy, proceed to assess the under-mentioned estates to make up the private contributions:—

PUNDALU-OYA ROAD (between Tavalantenna and Pundalu-oya).

Government moiety	...	Rs. 2,343
Tolls	...	" 360
Private contributions	...	" 1,983

1st to 4th section, 4 miles.

Proprietors or Agents.	Estates.	Acreage.
W. Agar	Rockside	250
Mrs. R. Brown	Meddetenna	100
Mackwood & Co.	Pallerakele	70

1st to 7th section, 7 miles.

W. Agar	Hurimarua, Rolleston	100
Do.	Choisy	365
R. E. Prance & J. R. Hughes (Mackwood & Co.)	Wevehena	140

1st to 8th section, 8 miles.

H. L. Egan	Eton	233
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1st to 10th section, 9½ miles.

Geo. Steuart & Co.	Pundalu-oya North and Mausawa	847
Do.	Dunsinane	1,787
J. M. Robertson & Co.	Pundalu-oya South	791
Do.	Sheen	873

Proprietors or Agents.	Estates.	Acreage.
H. E. Daunt (E. R. Mellersh)	Harrow	260
H. L. Egan	Fernlands	271
H. E. Daunt (E. R. Mellersh)	Kallu-oya	253
Cumberbatch & Co.	Kaipugalla	410

And at the same time and place the Committee will take evidence, if necessary, and receive and consider objections and suggestions.

R. N. THAINE,
for Chairman.

Provincial Road Committee's Office,
Kandy, April 29, 1901.

Padiapellella-Kabragala Road.

WHEREAS the fourth instalment of the planter's moiety for the construction of the Padiapellella-Kabragala road is now due: Notice is hereby given that the Provincial Road Committee, acting under the provisions of "The Branch Roads Ordinance, 1896," having assessed the proportion due by each estate in the district interested in the construction of the said road—*vide* notice dated March 17, 1899, published in *Gazette* of 24th *idem*—the proprietors, managers, or agents of the several estates are hereby required to pay into the Colonial Treasury, Colombo, the following sums:—

	Rs. c.
Galella estate	1,575 50
Kabragala	2,335 82
Ellamulle, Wellekele	2,094 2
Mandaranevewera	1,969 38

R. N. THAINE,
Provincial Road Committee's Office,
Kandy, April 26, 1901.

Madulkele-Bambaraela Road.

NOTICE is hereby given that in terms of the Branch Roads Ordinance, No. 14 of 1896, a meeting of the Local Committee for the above road will be held at Moragahalla Bungalow on Wednesday, May 22, 1901, at 3 P.M., to consider and report to the Provincial Committee with regard to the acreage of estates and the sections for which they are to be assessed for maintenance during 1901, and for rebuilding a bridge on the road and to transact such other business as may come before it.

Estimate for maintenance ... Rs. 3,800
Estimate for rebuilding bridge at 17th mile ... Rs. 3,300

GEO. E. BEWLEY,
Chairman, Local Committee.
Knuckles Group,
Madulkele, April 27, 1901.

I HEREBY give notice, in terms of the 14th section of the Branch Roads Ordinance, No. 14 of 1896, of my intention to hold a General Meeting of the proprietors or resident managers of estates interested in the branch road from Deniyaya to Hayes estate factory, within the Morowak korale of the Southern Province, for the purpose of electing a new Local Committee to perform the duties imposed upon such Committee by the said Ordinance.

The meeting will be held at the Deniyaya Resthouse on May 13, 1901, at 3 P.M.

HARRY E. BEVEN,
for Chairman.

Provincial Road Committee's Office,
Galle, April 29, 1901.

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 1901, the Provincial Road Committee, acting under the provisions of "The Branch Roads Ordinance, 1896," section 19, will on Thursday, May 23, 1901, at 3 o'clock P.M., at their office in Kandy, proceed to assess the under-mentioned estates to make up the private contributions:—

DUCKWARI-COTTAGANGA ROAD.

Government moiety ... Rs. 870
Private contributions ... Rs. 870

1st section, $\frac{1}{2}$ mile.

Proprietors or Agents.	Estates.	Acreage.
E. J. Young	Ranwella	200
1st to 4th section, $1\frac{1}{2}$ mile.		
Galaha Ceylon Tea Estates and Agency Co., Ltd.	Cottaganga	582
G. L. Williams	Gonawela	560

And at the same time and place the Committee will take evidence, if necessary, and receive and consider objections and suggestions.

R. N. THAINE,
for Chairman.

Provincial Road Committee's Office,
Kandy, May 7, 1901.

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 during 1901, the Provincial Road Committee of the Province of Sabaragamuwa, acting under the provisions of section 23 of "The Branch Roads Ordinance, No. 14 of 1896," have assessed the proportion due by each estate in the district interested in the maintenance of the under-mentioned road, as follows:—

PARAKADUWA-HEMMINGFORD BRANCH ROAD.

Government moiety ... Rs. 425
Private contributions ... " 425

Total acreage, 1,297—Moiety of cost, Rs. 420-99—
Sectional rate, 32-4564c.—Total rate—32-4564c.

Proprietors or Agents.	Estates.	Acreage.	Assessment.	Rs.	c.
The General Ceylon Tea Estates, Ltd.	Hemmingford	424	...	137	61
Do.	Alnoor	423	...	137	28
Do.	Pathberiya	254	...	82	49
Do.	Bovilloe	196	...	63	61
				420	99

N.B.—Private contributions	Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.	
Interest for half-year ended June 30, 1900	0	81			
Interest for half-year ended December 31, 1900	3	20			
				4	1
				420	99

Which sums the proprietors, managers, or agents of the several estates are hereby required to pay into the Colonial Treasury, Colombo, on or before June 20, 1901.

E. M. BYRDE,
Chairman.

Provincial Road Committee's Office,
Ratnapura, May 4, 1901.

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 during 1901, the Provincial Road Committee of the Province of Sabaragamuwa, acting under the provisions of section 23 of "The Branch Roads Ordinance, No. 14 of 1896," have assessed the proportion due by each estate interested in the maintenance of the under-mentioned road, as follows:—

GEWILIPITIYA-HATGAMPOLA BRANCH ROAD.

Government moiety ... Rs. 400
Private contributions ... " 400

Total acreage, 980—Moiety of cost, Rs. 395-02—
Sectional rate, 40-3081c.—Total rate, 40-3081c.

Proprietors or Agents.	Estates.	Acreage.	Assessment.	Rs.	c.
J. R. Collinson and H. Whitham	Yellangowrie	440	...	177	35
W. L. Strachan	Debatgama	437	...	176	14
E. G. Mainsty and W. C. Whitham	Kalugalla	103	...	41	53
				395	2

N.B.—Private contributions	Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.	
Interest for half-year ended June 30, 1900	1	7			
Interest for half-year ended December 31, 1900	3	91			
				4	98
				395	2

Which sums the proprietors, managers, or agents of the several estates are hereby required to pay into the Colonial Treasury, Colombo, on or before June 20, 1901.

E. M. BYRDE,
Chairman.

Provincial Road Committee's Office,
Ratnapura, May, 4, 1901.

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 during 1901. the Provincial Road Committee of the Province of Sabaragamuwa, acting under the provisions of section 23 of "The Branch Roads Ordinance, No. 14 of 1896." have assessed the proportion due by each estate in the district interested in the maintenance of the under-mentioned road, as follows:—

DEHIOWITA-ALGODA BRANCH ROAD.

Government moiety ... Rs. 250
Private contributions ... Rs. 250

Total acreage, 5,197—Moiety of cost, Rs. 244.19—
Sectional rate, 4.6986c.—Total rate, 4.6986c.

Proprietors or Agents.	Estates.	Acreage.	Assessment.
			Rs. c
Lord Chelmsford and G. C. Ingles ...	Densworth ...	537 ...	25 23
The Sunnigama Ceylon Tea Estates Company, Limited	Pambegama ...	938 ...	44 7
The Panawala Tea Company, Limited	Ernan and Glassel ...	931 ...	43 75
The Nahalma Tea Estates Company, Limited	Nahalma ...	692 ...	32 52

Proprietors or Agents.	Estates.	Acreage.	Assessment.
			Rs. c.
C. Blair and A. M. Blair ...	Woodend and Rangegama ...	513 ...	24 10
H. A. Hayes and J. P. Anderson ...	Maldeniya ...	354 ...	16 67
W. Forsythe and S. L. Harries ...	Yogama ...	1232 ...	57 88
			244 19

N.B.—Private contributions	Rs. c.	Rs. c.
Interest for half-year ended June 30, 1900	1 34	
Interest for half-year ended December 31, 1900	4 47	
		5 81
		244 19

Which sums the proprietors, managers, or agents of the several estates are hereby required to pay into the Colonial Treasury, Colombo, on or before June 20, 1901

E. M. BYRDE,
Provincial Road Committee's Office, Chairman.
Ratnapura, May 4, 1901.

UNOFFICIAL ANNOUNCEMENTS.

Drayton (Ceylon) Estates Company, Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Ordinary General Meeting of the Shareholders of the Drayton (Ceylon) Estates Company, Limited, will be held at the registered office of the Company, No. 9, Queen street, Fort, Colombo, on Thursday, the 23rd May, 1901, at 12 noon.

Business.

- To receive the report of the Directors and statement of accounts to 31st December, 1900.
- To declare a dividend.
- To elect a Director.
- To elect an Auditor.
- To consider such other business as may properly come before the meeting.

By order of the Board of Directors,
JULIUS & CREASY,
Secretaries.
Colombo, May 9, 1901.

I DON EMMANUEL WANIGESOORIYA of Sedawatta, Grandpass, Colombo, hereby give notice that six weeks hence I shall apply to the Hon. the Supreme Court of the Island of Ceylon to be admitted and enrolled a Proctor of the said Court.

D. E. WANIGESOORIYA,
Proctor, District Court.

Colombo, May 10, 1901.

Notice under Section 8 of the Ordinance No. 2 of 1877.

I BENJAMIN HALL of Punnalaikattuvan, Jaffna, do hereby give notice that it is my intention to

apply, three months hence, to his Excellency the Governor for admission to practise as a Notary in the District of Badulla in the Tamil language.

BENJAMIN HALL.

Punnalaikattuvan, May 5, 1901.

உத்திர 1877-ன் உத்திர 2-ன் கீழ்க் கட்டுப்பாட்டின் கீழ் பன்னாலகட்டவன் பஞ்சாயத்தின் மூலம் தமது பணியை மேற்கொள்ளும்படி அறிவிக்கிறார்.

சுருது பன்னாலகட்டவன் பஞ்சாயத்தின் மூலம் தமது பணியை மேற்கொள்ளும்படி அறிவிக்கிறார். இவ்வாறு அறிவிக்கப்பட்டுள்ள பணியை மேற்கொள்ளும்படி அறிவிக்கிறார்.

பன்னாலகட்டவன்

உத்திர 1901-ன் கீழ் தமது பணியை மேற்கொள்ளும்படி அறிவிக்கிறார்.

பன்னாலகட்டவன் பஞ்சாயத்தின் மூலம் தமது பணியை மேற்கொள்ளும்படி அறிவிக்கிறார். இவ்வாறு அறிவிக்கப்பட்டுள்ள பணியை மேற்கொள்ளும்படி அறிவிக்கிறார்.

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