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MUNICIPAL COUNCIL NOTICES.

MUNICIPALITY OF KANDY.

Minutes of Proceedings of a Meeting of the Municipal Council of Kandy held in the Town Hall on Saturday, November 23, 1895, at 8.30 o'clock a.m.

Present:—Hon. Allanson Bailey, Chairman; Dr. Frederick Keyt; R. D. Ormsby, Esq.; J. B. Siebel, Esq.; J. N. d'Esterre, Esq.; E. Beven, Esq.; Dr. J. T. Morgan.

1. The Minutes of Proceedings of the Meeting held on November 2 were read and confirmed.
2. The following documents were laid on the table:—Statements of Receipts and Disbursements on account of the Municipal Fund from end of 1894 to October 31 last; separate statements in respect of the General Revenue, Police Assessment, and Water Rate accounts; Progress Report of Work done brought up to the same date; Return of Work done by the Municipal Magistrate, and of Cases instituted by the several Inspectors during the month of October; and Health Officer's Report.

Resolved,—That the several statements, as required by section 90 of the Ordinance No. 7 of 1887, be forwarded, with the Minutes of Proceedings of this Meeting, to the Colonial Secretary for publication in the *Government Gazette*.

3. Read letter No. 20, dated November 18, from the Clerk to the Executive Council, in reply to the Chairman's letter No. 51 of 7th of same month, stating that His Excellency the Lieutenant-Governor, with the advice of the Executive Council, had sanctioned the rate of assessment tax for 1896 as proposed.

4. Read letter No. 21, dated November 18, from the Clerk to the Executive Council, in reply to the Chairman's letter No. 52 of 7th of same month, stating that His Excellency the Lieutenant-Governor had authorized the taxes proposed to be levied during 1896 under sections 128, 129, and 130 of the Municipal Councils Ordinance.

5. The Chairman submitted Supplemental Budget No. 3, which had obtained the approval of the Standing Committee, and a copy of which had been furnished to each Member, as required by section 113 of the Municipal Councils Ordinance.

It was unanimously resolved that the Supplemental Budget No. 3 be sanctioned as follows:—

| <i>Supplemental Budget No. 3.</i> | | | | Rs. c. |
|---|-----|-----|-----------|-----------|
| Balance on January 1, 1895... | ... | ... | ... | 8,419 22 |
| Estimated receipts | ... | ... | ... | 67,329 50 |
| Arrears collected (not estimated) | ... | ... | ... | 336 0 |
| | | | | 76,084 72 |
| | | | | Rs. c. |
| Estimated disbursements ... | ... | ... | 62,530 57 | . |
| Supplemental Budgets Nos. 1 and 2 | ... | ... | 11,030 42 | 73,560 99 |
| | | | | 73,560 99 |
| Estimate No. 34—Ferry boat for the Ilukmodara ferry | ... | ... | 1,500 0 | |
| Estimate No. 35—Repairs of cemetery wall, and a retaining wall | ... | ... | 275 0 | |
| Rebuilding culvert | ... | ... | 163 0 | |
| | | | | 438 0 |
| Public market lighting | ... | ... | 300 0 | 2,238 0 |

The Municipal Office, Kandy, October 18, 1895.

ALLANSON BAILEY, Chairman.

6. Read letter No. 135 of November 2 from the Government Agent forwarding a statement of offers made for the following Municipal tolls for 1896, and recommending their acceptance:—

| | Rs. c. |
|-------------------|---------|
| Péradeniya bridge | 2,850 0 |
| Lewella ferry | 3,176 0 |
| Halloluwa ferry | 550 0 |

Resolved,—That the acceptance of the several offers be confirmed, and that the suggestion be approved of that tenders be invited for the Katugastota bridge and the Gonawatta ferry tolls.

7. It was resolved that the next regular Meeting, as well as the Special Meeting required by section 111 of the Ordinance No. 7 of 1887, be held at the Kachcheri on Friday, December 20, commencing at 3 o'clock P.M.

Confirmed this 20th day of December, 1895:

ALLANSON BAILEY, Chairman.

Statement of Receipts and Disbursements to October 31, 1895.

| REVENUE. | Estimate. Rs. c. | Receipts. Rs. c. | EXPENDITURE. | Disbursements. Rs. c. |
|--|---------------------|---------------------|---|--------------------------|
| Balance from 1894 | — | 25,594 97 | Arrears | 131 0 |
| Arrears | — | 493 56 | Cemetery account—wages, &c. | 935 30 |
| Cemetery fees | 700 0 | 776 50 | Commutation rate—commission and sundries | 877 76 |
| Commutation rate | 8,500 0 | 8,602 0 | Judicial account—salaries and printing | 1,298 92 |
| Interest | 200 0 | 190 64 | Licenses—printing, &c. | 25 45 |
| Judicial fines | 1,350 0 | 1,784 50 | Miscellaneous charges | 465 39 |
| Licenses | 9,007 0 | 8,899 75 | Office charges—salaries and sundries | 4,451 23 |
| Miscellaneous receipts | 230 0 | 306 43 | Public market—salaries, lighting, &c. | 1,882 39 |
| Public market—rents | 9,000 0 | 7,620 84 | Public works | 28,140 95 |
| Public works | 850 0 | — | Rents | 33 50 |
| Recreation ground—rents | 200 0 | 179 50 | Sanitation—salaries, disinfectants, &c. | 3,214 28 |
| Rents | 525 0 | 476 98 | Scavenging | 6,859 50 |
| Scavenging | 240 0 | 250 0 | Slaughter-houses—wages, feeding cattle, &c. | 1,150 2 |
| Slaughter-houses... | 4,400 0 | 4,190 0 | Side drains of Public Works Department roads | 437 61 |
| Stamp duties | 9,550 0 | — | Stamp duties—sundry charges | 24 85 |
| Taxes | 1,217 50 | 1,056 0 | Taxes—sundry charges | 98 97 |
| Tolls | 20,960 0 | 12,724 18 | Time charges—wages, powder, &c. | 405 15 |
| Town Hall—rents | 400 0 | 103 79 | Tolls—sundry charges | 7 50 |
| Estimates of 1894 | — | 783 27 | Town Hall—lighting, &c. | 241 89 |
| Guides' deposits Rs. 12, sundry debtors Rs. 362-15 | — | 374 15 | Volunteer and public band | 833 34 |
| Suspense | — | 1 0 | Estimates of 1894 | 967 43 |
| Assessment tax arrears—tax Rs. 543-89, and costs Rs. 12 | — | 555 89 | Petty cash Rs. 2-14, suspense Rs. 604 | 606 14 |
| Assessment tax for 1895 | 19,199 70 | 10,516 52 | Stores Rs. 237-23, sundry debtors Rs. 936-16 | 1,173 39 |
| Interest | 100 0 | 89 17 | Manure Rs. 75-66, refund to guides Rs. 2 | 77 66 |
| Costs, 1895, Rs. 31-64, overplus by sales Rs. 2-30 | — | 33 94 | Assessment tax arrears—costs | 18 49 |
| Water-rate arrears—rate Rs. 554-59, and costs Rs. 14-51 | — | 569 10 | Assessment tax, 1895—salaries and sundries | 2,807 1 |
| Water-rate for 1895 | 20,767 96 | 17,960 37 | Street lighting Rs. 1,848-89, street names, &c., Rs. 91-52 | 1,940 41 |
| Interest | 100 0 | 53 11 | Street lamps Rs. 22-84, costs, 1895, Rs. 50-50 | 73 34 |
| Sale of grass | 700 0 | 562 95 | Police maintenance, second half, 1894 | 5,877 17 |
| House service—work done | — | 1,257 12 | Police maintenance, first half, 1895 | 5,901 63 |
| Sale of bricks | — | 148 0 | Water-rate arrears—costs | 18 49 |
| Waterworks extension | — | 5 90 | Water-rate, 1895—salaries and sundries | 2,736 48 |
| Costs, 1895 | — | 40 1 | Interest and sinking fund, first half, 1895... | 6,250 0 |
| | | | Waterworks maintenance | 4,106 61 |
| | | | Waterworks extension | 1,058 31 |
| | | | House service—materials | 2,633 75 |
| | | | Costs, 1895 | 50 49 |
| | | | 87,811 80 | |
| | | | Balance carried forward | 18,388 34 |
| 108,197 16 | | | 106,200 14 | |

Kandy, November 18, 1895.

L. VANDERSTRAATEN, Accountant.

Progress Report of Work done brought up to October 31, 1895.

| No. of Est. | Heads of Expenditure. | Amount voted for the Year. | | Expenditure up to Sept. 30, 1895. | | Expenditure in October. | | Total. | | Unexpended Balances. | |
|-------------|--|----------------------------|----|-----------------------------------|----|-------------------------|-----------------|--------|----|----------------------|----|
| | | Rs. | c. | Rs. | c. | Rs. | c. | Rs. | c. | Rs. | c. |
| 1 | Pavements and drains | 1,500 | 0 | 1,390 | 48 | 28 | 21 ^a | 1,418 | 69 | 81 | 31 |
| 2 | Town streets | 4,770 | 0 | 3,346 | 24 | 189 | 60 ^b | 3,535 | 84 | 1,234 | 16 |
| 3 | Alutgantota and Lady Anderson's road | 790 | 0 | 600 | 33 | 27 | 33 ^c | 637 | 66 | 152 | 34 |
| 4 | Udawattakele roads | 1,700 | 0 | 949 | 22 | 199 | 8 ^d | 1,148 | 30 | 551 | 70 |
| 5 | Halloluwa road, Slaughter-house road, Deyannewela road, Biherokekanda road, and Smallpox Hospital road | 1,165 | 0 | 798 | 94 | 45 | 77 ^e | 844 | 71 | 320 | 29 |
| 6 | Municipal buildings | 2,000 | 0 | 1,688 | 74 | — | — | 1,688 | 74 | 311 | 26 |
| 7 | Watering streets | 300 | 0 | 248 | 50 | — | — | 248 | 50 | 51 | 50 |
| 8 | Main sewers | 600 | 0 | — | — | — | — | — | — | 600 | 0 |
| 9 | Market buildings and roads | 1,500 | 0 | 1,136 | 64 | — | — | 1,136 | 64 | 363 | 36 |
| 10 | Contingencies | 300 | 0 | 268 | 85 | — | — | 268 | 85 | 31 | 15 |
| 11 | Care of and planting ornamental plants | 500 | 0 | 820 | 72 | 58 | 52 ^f | 879 | 24 | — | — |
| 12 | Tools | 400 | 0 | 477 | 87 | — | — | 477 | 87 | — | — |
| 13 | Ferry approaches | 100 | 0 | 82 | 1 | — | — | 82 | 1 | 17 | 99 |
| 14 | Maintenance of bathing tank | 200 | 0 | 123 | 31 | — | — | 123 | 31 | 76 | 69 |
| 15 | Lady Gordon's road, Lady MacCarthy's road, and Lady Longden's drive | 918 | 0 | 444 | 98 | 243 | 73 ^g | 688 | 71 | 229 | 29 |
| 16 | Ferry boats | 400 | 0 | 219 | 52 | — | — | 219 | 52 | 180 | 48 |
| 17 | Maintenance of fountains | 150 | 0 | 53 | 78 | — | — | 53 | 78 | 96 | 22 |
| 18 | Clearing lake silt | 2,000 | 0 | 1,189 | 38 | 184 | 34 ^h | 1,373 | 72 | 626 | 28 |
| 19 | Lake: working dredger and barge | 4,228 | 0 | 2,831 | 58 | 233 | 12 ^j | 3,064 | 70 | 1,163 | 30 |
| 20 | Recreation ground and Victoria esplanade | 1,982 | 0 | 1,181 | 79 | 197 | 2 ^k | 1,378 | 81 | 603 | 19 |
| 21 | Public privy | 520 | 0 | 151 | 22 | 289 | 82 ^l | 441 | 4 | 78 | 96 |
| 22 | Improvement of barrel and side drains and pavements | 5,234 | 0 | 4,771 | 92 | 162 | 69 ^m | 4,934 | 61 | 299 | 39 |
| 23 | Lewella ferry double canoe | 900 | 0 | 595 | 71 | 228 | 22 ⁿ | 823 | 93 | 76 | 7 |
| 24 | Water troughs for animals | 195 | 0 | 191 | 84 | — | — | 191 | 84 | 3 | 16 |
| 25 | Culvert, Halloluwa road | 638 | 0 | 638 | 40 | — | — | 638 | 40 | — | — |
| 26 | Road from Lewella to Alutgantota | 1,350 | 0 | 1,294 | 93 | 28 | 39 ^o | 1,323 | 32 | 26 | 68 |
| 27 | Gregory road culverts... | 515 | 0 | 289 | 77 | 183 | 18 ^p | 472 | 95 | 42 | 5 |
| 28 | Deyannewela new road | 1,246 | 0 | 570 | 62 | 294 | 42 ^q | 865 | 4 | 380 | 96 |
| 29 | Cooly lines | 1,763 | 0 | 193 | 70 | 206 | 3 ^r | 399 | 73 | 1,363 | 27 |
| 30 | Improvement of dog pound | 258 | 92 | 284 | 74 | 56 | 48 ^s | 341 | 22 | — | — |
| 31 | Night soil cart | 504 | 0 | — | — | 470 | 89 ^t | 470 | 89 | 33 | 11 |
| 32 | Public privy—market... | 550 | 0 | — | — | 319 | 1 ^u | 319 | 1 | 230 | 99 |
| 33 | Repairs to Gonaawatta ferry boat | 283 | 0 | 283 | 0 | — | — | 283 | 0 | — | — |

(a) 10 manhole covers repaired; clearing gratings.

(b) 164 lines of sides of roads and drains cleared; 2 cubes of retaining wall constructed; transport of stone; 32 cubes of landslip and silt removed; 4 cubes of metal transported; 54 squares of roadway repaired.

(c) 32 cubes of landslip and silt removed.

(d) 200 lines of sides of roads and paths cleared; wages of watcher; 83 cubes of landslip and silt removed cutting out ant hills.

(e) 48 cubes of landslip and silt removed.

(f) Weeding round trees and plants; repairing tree guards; trimming hedges; supply of vacancies.

(g) 164 lines of sides of roads and drains cleared; 46 cubes of landslip and silt removed; 82 cubes of gravel transported.

(h) Wages of watcher; 31 cubes of silt removed from minor silt traps round the lake; 39 cubes of silt removed from outlet of culverts.

(j) Labour working dredger; repairing barges.

(k) Cutting and mowing grass, esplanade and recreation ground; weeding recreation ground; extending masonry channel

(l) Purchase of one Horbury's latrine.

(m) 24 lineal feet of barrel drain constructed in Castle Hill street; 147 lineal feet of open side drain constructed; 147 lineal feet of curbing re-constructed; two cisterns constructed and 2 manhole covers supplied; fixing 7 iron gratings; 4 boundary marks fixed.

(n) Removing old timber and bolts; renewing timber; making new bolts.

(o) 50·50 cubes of earthwork.

(p) Mining and blasting; transport of stone; 3 cubes of foundation for culvert; laid 10·50 cubes of retaining wall constructed in dry rubble masonry.

(q) 284 cubes of earth cutting, transporting, and filling up.

(r) Building brick pillars; 20 cubes of filling in.

(s) 2 squares of wall rendered in cement plaster; 49 square feet of floor constructed; 80 square feet of brick walls constructed.

(t) Purchase of two iron carts; clearing and forwarding charges.

(u) Purchase of Horbury's latrine.

The Municipal Office,
Kandy, November 12, 1895.

H. BYRDE,
Secretary.

Sanitary Report for October, 1895.

General Remarks.—The general sanitary state of the Municipality has been good. The health of the community has improved, probably owing to the abundance of the rainfall.

Water Supply.—The water supply has been increased by the heavy rainfall.

Slaughter House and Market.—The slaughter-house and market have been kept in a good state.

Kandy, October 31, 1895.

H. K. ALLPORT,
Surgeon-Major.

LOCAL BOARD NOTICES.

LOCAL BOARD OF TRINCOMALEE.

Estimate of Probable Revenue and Expenditure of the Local Board of Trincomalee for the year 1896.

| REVENUE. | | | | | |
|---|----------|----------|---------|-----------|--------|
| | Amount. | Total. | | Amount. | Total. |
| | Rs. c. | Rs. c. | | Rs. c. | Rs. c. |
| Balance on December 31, 1895 ... | — | 5,811 72 | | | |
| <i>Fines.</i> | | | | | |
| By Police Magistrate ... | 150 0 | | | | |
| On road defaulters ... | 100 0 | | | | |
| Penalty on unlicensed cattle seized | 30 0 | | | | |
| | | 280 0 | | | |
| <i>Licenses.</i> | | | | | |
| Boats ... | 120 0 | | | | |
| Butchers ... | 30 0 | | | | |
| Carriages ... | 120 0 | | | | |
| Carts ... | 900 0 | | | | |
| Guns ... | 80 0 | | | | |
| Liquor ... | 375 0 | | | | |
| Manufactories ... | 100 0 | | | | |
| Notaries and proctors ... | 133 0 | | | | |
| | | 1,858 0 | | | |
| <i>Markets.</i> | | | | | |
| Rent of markets in Small bazaar... | 1,250 0 | | | | |
| Rent of market in Big bazaar ... | 300 0 | | | | |
| | | 1,550 0 | | | |
| REVENUE. | | | | | |
| | | | | Amount. | Total. |
| | | | | Rs. c. | Rs. c. |
| <i>Miscellaneous.</i> | | | | | |
| Loan for general cemetery ... | | | 2,000 0 | | |
| Security for market and other rents | | | 500 0 | | |
| Petty and incidental collections ... | | | 100 0 | | |
| | | | | 2,600 0 | |
| <i>Rents.</i> | | | | | |
| Pasture rent ... | | | 720 0 | | |
| Gala rent ... | | | 330 0 | | |
| Cattle-pound fees ... | | | 15 0 | | |
| Slaughter-house fees ... | | | 400 0 | | |
| Rent of Local Board houses ... | | | 150 0 | | |
| Miscellaneous ... | | | 25 0 | | |
| | | | | 1,640 0 | |
| <i>Taxes.</i> | | | | | |
| Commutation tax ... | | | 4,000 0 | | |
| Assessment tax for 1894 to be refunded by Government ... | | | 608 83 | | |
| Arrears of assessment tax for 1895 | | | 501 91 | | |
| Assessment tax for 1896 ... | | | 2,000 0 | | |
| Dog tax ... | | | 50 0 | | |
| | | | | 7,160 74 | |
| | | | | 20,900 46 | |
| EXPENDITURE. | | | | | |
| | Amount. | Total. | | Amount. | Total. |
| | Rs. c. | Rs. c. | | Rs. c. | Rs. c. |
| <i>Law Expenses.</i> | | | | | |
| Stamps for cases, lawyers' fee, &c. | | 100 0 | | | |
| <i>Miscellaneous.</i> | | | | | |
| Cost of auditing accounts for 1895 | 130 0 | | | | |
| Interest and sinking fund on loan | 420 0 | | | | |
| Refund of security of renters and contractors ... | 500 0 | | | | |
| Petty expenses ... | 25 0 | | | | |
| | | 1,075 0 | | | |
| <i>Office Contingencies.</i> | | | | | |
| Stationery, printed forms, and furniture ... | 250 0 | | | | |
| Petty expenses ... | 100 0 | | | | |
| | | 350 0 | | | |
| <i>Police Charges.</i> | | | | | |
| Cost of lighting streets and markets | 300 0 | | | | |
| Seizing and destroying stray dogs | 50 0 | | | | |
| | | 350 0 | | | |
| <i>Public Works.</i> | | | | | |
| Repair and upkeep of roads, drains, and culverts ... | 1,000 0 | | | | |
| Construction of new roads ... | 1,000 0 | | | | |
| Purchase of tools and their repairs | 200 0 | | | | |
| Repairing Local Board buildings | 500 0 | | | | |
| Esplanade improvements ... | 500 0 | | | | |
| Planting and watering shade trees | 240 0 | | | | |
| Repairs to street lamps ... | 50 0 | | | | |
| For certain repairs to the slaughter-house floor and improvements to the premises ... | 500 0 | | | | |
| Repairs to public wells ... | 100 0 | | | | |
| Cost of drawing instruments and materials and of a levelling staff ... | 150 0 | | | | |
| Cost of two Horbury's latrines & of concrete platform for fixing them | 1,000 0 | | | | |
| Petty expenses ... | 50 0 | | | | |
| Town drainage ... | 1,355 51 | | | | |
| Fishers' quarter improvements ... | 721 13 | | | | |
| | | | | 2,700 0 | |
| <i>Salaries.</i> | | | | | |
| Salaries of secretary and clerk ... | | | 960 0 | | |
| Inspector's salary and horse allowance ... | | | 960 0 | | |
| Pay of messenger, lamplighter, marketkeeper, and watcher, infectious diseases hospital watcher, and slaughterhouse-keeper and watcher ... | | | 750 0 | | |
| | | | | 2,670 0 | |
| <i>Sanitary Charges.</i> | | | | | |
| Scavenging charges ... | 2,000 0 | | | | |
| Cleaning latrines ... | 250 0 | | | | |
| Cleaning drains and culverts ... | 300 0 | | | | |
| Cost of disinfectants ... | 100 0 | | | | |
| Petty expenses ... | 50 0 | | | | |
| | | | | 2,700 0 | |
| | | | | 20,490 14 | |
| Balance ... | | | | 410 32 | |
| | | | | 20,900 46 | |

Trincomalee, January 21, 1896.

G. M. FOWLER, Chairman.
M. A. H. MADAR, Member.

ROAD COMMITTEE NOTICES.

Deniyaya-Anningkande Branch Road.

Notice under the Branch Roads Ordinance, No. 6 of 1874.

I DO hereby give notice that at a meeting held at the Deniyaya resthouse, pursuant to notice published in the *Government Gazette*, and dated December 30, 1895, for the purpose of carrying out Part III. of the Branch Roads Ordinance of 1874, the under-mentioned resident managers were appointed a Local Committee:—A. M. Carre, Esq. (Chairman); N. Woodhouse, Esq.; H. J. Carry, Esq.

E. ELLIOTT,
Chairman.

Provincial Road Committee's Office,
Galle, January 28, 1896.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Local Committee elected under the 11th section of Ordinance No. 6 of 1874 will at noon on February 29, 1896, at the Anningkande bungalow, proceed to take action under the 18th

clause of the said Ordinance, and determine and make report to the Provincial Road Committee of the Southern Province in regard to the branch road from Deniyaya to Anningkande estate as to—

- (1) The sections into which the road is to be divided for construction assessments.
- (2) The sections into which the road is to be divided for upkeep assessments.
- (3) The estates which, in their opinion, are interested in and will use each section of the road or of any part thereof.
- (4) The acreage or reputed acreage of the land belonging to each estate.
- (5) The names of the proprietors, resident managers, or superintendents, and of the agents.

The Committee will at the same time hear objections and take evidence, if necessary, as to the aforesaid matter.

A. M. CARRE,
Chairman, Local Committee.

Deniyaya, January 27, 1896.