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Proceedings of the Madras Government, Financial Department,
9th February 1865.

No. 10. Read the following Proceedings of Government in the Revenue Department, dated 31st January 1865, No. 175.

Communicating the orders passed on the Revenue Board's Budget Estimate of Local Funds. (Vide Proceedings, Revenue Department, dated 31st January 1865, Nos. 359—361.)

No 11. ORDER THEREON, 9th February 1865, No. 80.

To be recorded.

(Signed) A. J. ARBUTHNOT,
Chief Secretary.

Ed. J. Tulloch.

Government of Madras — II Local Funds Budget — For 1865/66

Part I

Original Works to be executed out of the District Road Fund at the disposal of the Collectors.

Classification	Executive Divisions or Districts	Number	Projects Description and Locality	Amount of Estimate	Computed Expenditure up to 30th April 1865	Amount required in 1865/66	Remarks and References
				Rupees	Rupees	Rupees	
Communications	Ganjam	1.	For Constructing a Road from Jagunnadapoor to Boroosholtapoor	7,600	5,427	1,500	G.O. of 20th Oct. 1864, No. 1922.
	Vizagapatam	2.	Completing branch road from Narsipatam to Golgonda 9 miles	3,900	"	3900	
	Godavery	3.	Constructing a gravelled road on the canal bank between Cocanada and Samalcotta with an Iron Bridge over Elluri river	18,960	6,100	10,000	G.O. of 26th Oct. 1864, No. 1975 R.D.
		4.	Extending the above road from Samalcotta via Pittapur to Tuni	"	"	3,000	
		5	District road from Jagunnadhagiri to Penuguden on the road from Parapa salt pans to Cocanada for 8 miles at 1,200 Rs per mile	9,600	6,870	2,730	L.S.D. for 1864/5 No. 7
		6.	District Road from Silapalli to Coringa for 5 miles at 1,200 Rs per mile	6,000	3,000	3,000	do for do No. 8

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Executive Orders or Districts

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Number	Projects — Description and locality	Amount of Estimate	Amount Expenditure up to 30th April 1864-5.	Amount required in 1865/66.	Remarks and References
7.	District road from Tanuku via Davva to Pattipada on the Ellore Canal for 12 miles at 1200 Rs. per mile	14,400	8,824	4,000	L.S.B. for 1864/65 at No. 6
8.	Do. Do. from Siddhantam to Inarter via Penugoda for 9 Do. at Do. per Do.	10,800	4,563	3,000.	
9	Do. Do. from Narsapur via Viramasaram for 9 miles at Do. per Do.	10,800.	3,000.	5,000.	do. do. No 9.
10.	Do. Do. from Palcole to the river bank at Poddamallam via Attarita for 12 miles at Do. per Do.	14,400	3,720	7,000	do for do No. 10.
11.	Constructing road from Ambajipetta to Amalapore being the unfinished portion of the Gunnaram and Ambajipetta Road	12,066	"	12,066	Estimate submitted for Sanction of Govt.
	Total	97,026	977	49,796	
12	Road from Masulipatam to Bantumilly		"	2,500	
13	Do. from Kaipatam to [illegible]		"	1,500	
14	Road from Tonnur to Gunt[illegible]	6,000	"	1,500	
15	Do. from Jagarlamudi to [illegible]alli	1780	1,511	2,500	L.S.B. for 1864/65 at No. 12
16.	Do. from Tonnur to Sandole	21,500	"	1,500	
17	Do. from Guntur to Pidugurallaand from Dachipalli to Summurkotta	"	"	4,000	
18	Coast road from Vellatur to Sendole	"	"	1,500	
19	Road along the bank of Rynes Channel	7814	6,804	1,010	L.S.B. for 1864/65 at No. 15
20	Minor works below 250 Rupees	"	"	1,500.	
	Total	40,094	8,333	19,110.	
21.	Kanigiri Kandukuru and Ullapalem Road to the Beach	30,000	5,300	5,000	L.S.B. for 1864/65 at No. 17.
22	Atluru and Isukapelli Road to the Beach	27,600	5,300	5,000	Do. for Do. No. 18.
23.	Kaligiri Saladanki and Havali Road	Not known	2,600	2,000	Do. for Do. No. 19.
24.	Road from the Dore-alli Road to Eldayagiri	Do.	1,300	2,000	Do. for Do. No. 20
25.	Sangam and Kaligiri Road	9,500	"	1,000	Do. for Do. No. 21

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Executive or Divisions or Districts	Number	Projects — Description and Locality	Amount of Estimate	Computed expenditure upto 30th April 1864/5	Amount required in 1865/66	Remarks and References
	26.	Road from Someswaram to Sellore by Podalakuru with branch from latter place to Trunk Road No. 6 North of Nonnubole	Not known	"	2,400	Do for Do No 25.
				Total	67,100	14,500	17,400
Bellary	27.	Humply Bazar Road	112	"	112	
	28.	Road from Kudlighi to Harpunhulli	1,238	"	1,238	
	29.	Road from Harinhalagalli to Do	1,715	"	1,715	
	30.	Road from Kudlighi to Ramsoor	720	"	720	
	31.	Road from Herihall to Kadroog	1,757	"	1,757	
				Total	5,542	"	5,542
Kurnool	32.	Road from Gadidamadugu to Bairlooty by Nandikotkur	50,000	5,500	8,000	L.J.B. for 1864/65 No 26.
	33.	Road from Cumbum to Markapur	30,000	1,000	3,000	Do Do No 29.
	34.	Minor works	"	"	450	
				Total	80,000	6500	11,450
Madras	35.	Road from Kodumbaukum to Saidapet	"	"	2,000	
North Arcot	36.	Completing road from Arrampaukum or Trunk Road No 1 to old Arcot	4,500	2,000	2,000	L.J.B. for 1864 1865, No 29.
	37.	Road from Kanninmungalum to Poloor	2,000	2,000	2,000	Do Do No 32.
	38.	Road from Arconum Railway station to Nagaredi	3,100	"	3,100	
	39.	Road from Chuckramanloor to Tiruvallur Road via Puthetpadi	1,840	"	1,840	
	40.	Road from Banaverum to Makindsavadi	"	"	500	
	41.	Road from Teravambut to Petamur via Gudama	"	"	2,000	
	42.	Road from the 6th mile in Trunk Road No 1 to Tiruvallur Road via Nallery	"	"	1,500	
	43.	Road from Tiruvallur to old Arcot	11,450	2,300	2,000	L.J.B. for 1864/65 No 31.
	44.	Do from Do to Wandewash	"	1,100	1,000	
	45.	Road from Poloor to Wandewash via Sethapet	"	3,300	2,000	Do No 33.
	46.	Road from Tellur to Conjeveram	"	3,500	2,000	Do No 35.
	47.	Road from Palmanare to Venkatagiricottah	10,250	3,000	3,000	Do No 36

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Executive Engr. or Districts	Number	Projects Description and Locality	Amount of Estimate	Amount Computed Expenditure last upto 30th April 1864/5	Amount required in 1865/66	Remarks and References
North Arcot Dist.	48.	Road from Chittoor to Ryaral	"	2000	1000	L.F.B. for 1864/65 p. 6
	49.	Road from Do — to Cudiatham	"	2,500	2000	Do Do p. 38.
	50.	Road from Bommaxamoothrum to Branch road No. 10	600	"	600.	
	51.	Road from Wallajapet to the Palar river via Vaniambadi	780	"	750.	
	52.	Road from Cundia to Trunk Road No. 1	610	"	810	
		Total	65,130	21,700	27,930	
South Arcot	53.	Road from Trimanalay to Oolundpet	"	"	6,400	
	54.	Forming a road from Cheluambrum Munnargoody Road to Naravassal Village	"	"	2,220	
	55.	Minor works below 250 Rs each	"	"	455	
		Total	"	"	9,075	
Tanjore	56.	Buttresses to the Road dam which has been constructed on the Road from the North gate of the Fort Tanjore to the Vennar Bridge and also falling parts of the said Road on the both sides of Road dam	650	"	650	
	57.	Road from Kandyeum Trichinopoly	5,650	2,500	3,150	
	58.	Do from Srivanjeeyam Road No. 14 to Aneyapper on Road No. 1	9,000	4,500	4,500	
	59.	Cross road branching from Road No. 18 at the Mulliar head adjoining Road No. 35	1,300	"	1,300	
	60.	Restoration of Road from Puttukottai to Sokkavaya via Pallatur	1,500	"	1500	
		Total	18,100	7,000	11,100	
Trichinopoly	61.	Making a bandy road from Trichinopoly to Allutorai	8,600	"	8,600	
	62.	Do Lalgudi to Sengarium	13,200	"	13,200	
	63.	Do Tonire to Perambalur	28,000	"	"	
	64.	Do Perambalur to Ameerpet	50,000	"	"	
	65.	Do Do to Keelapalur	18,000	"	"	
	66.	Bridge over the Wyacondum Rd. to Allutorai	6,250	"	6,250	
		Total	124,050	"	28,050	
Madura	67.	Road in the Aundy-putty Pass	18,500	8,000	3,500	L.F.B. for 1864/65 p. 74
	68.	Bridge over Manjalai river	7,000	"	4,587	
		Total	25,500	8,000	8,087	

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Executive Divisions or Districts	Number	Projects Description and Location	Amount of Estimate	Computed Expenditure up to 30th April 1864/65.	Amount required in 1865/66	Remarks and References
Tinnevelly	69.	Constructing the unmade portions of Roads No 9 between Tinnevelly and Courtallum	18,200	"	6,000	
	70.	Minor new works	500	"	500	
		Total	18,700	"	6,500	
Salem	71.	A cross road from Nayaranelly chutrum in the Namacul Taluq to Yerumapully Jcn 15 miles	3,000	"	2000	
	72.	A cross road from Trichingode to Caleputty in the Trichingode Taluq	2,100	"	1,500	
	73.	A road from Namagoreputtah in the Salem Taluq to Sendramangalum in Namakul Taluq about 18 miles	3,600	"	2,500	
	74.	A cross road of about 6 or 7 miles between the road from Salem to Coimbatore near Pereyoor to Alleampundy via Verupandy in Salem Taluq	1,400	"	1,000	
	75.	A road of about 10 miles from Jeyothepattanum in the Salem Taluq to Dalavoy in the Athoor Taluq	2,000	"	1,400	
	76.	A road of about 5 miles, connecting Nungapully and Mackary in the Salem Taluq	1,000	"	700	
	77.	A Bridle path of 4 feet wide from the summit of Kollmully Hills to the foot in the Shundamungalum or a natural direction	1,000	"	700	
	78.	Works below 250 Rupees	200	"	200	
		Total	14,300	"	10,000	
South Canara	79.	Improving Jalsur and Cajingode road	3,000	3,000	700	
	80.	Do Mudbidri and Beltangadi	3,000	2,000	2,000	
	81.	Do Karkal and Pudbel	1,800	1,800	700	
	82.	Do Mulki and Mudbedri	1,800	1,800	700	
	83.	Do Puttur by Vetla to Perjestewar	2,500	2,500	700	
	84.	Timber Bridge across the Coopa Mulla on the Bellangode and Puttur road	"	"	1,000	
	85.	Bridge over the Nangalpadi river between Manjeshwar and Cumbla on the Coast road	"	"	1,700	
		Total	12,100	11,100	7,500	

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Executive Divisions or Districts

Number	Description and Locality	Amount of Estimate	Computed Expenditure up to 30th April 1864/65.	Amount required in 1865/66.	Remarks and References
Malabar 86	Road from Camanore to Jenniar Kanna	"	"	3,000	
87	Iruker to Coorge road	"	"	2,200	
88	Road from Ferry or Cartavia Ulleri to Tambracherri	"	"	4,950	
89	Tambracherri to Areakode tree	"	"	2,640	
90	Road from Edawana to Inarjeri	6,690	"	6,690	
91	Do. from Inarjeri to Inargon or Calicut to Palghat road	"	"	3,875	
92	Tula Bridge completion	30,000	20,924	8,000	
93	Road from Parakumma to Nadakantaver	2,833	"	2,833	
94	Do. from Palghat to Kallegode (section as far as Pudunegaram)	"	"	8,000	
	Total	39,523	20,924	42,188	
Ganjam 95	Construction of Boats	"	"	200	
Madras 96	For Avenues, Nurseries, public purposes and for supplementing sums prescribed for Local Improvements	6,493	6,493	"	
Tanjore 17	Tetty new works	294	"	294	
Malabar	Construction of Rafts	"	"	200	
	Grand Total	6,25,452	1,46,054	2,61,822	

Miscellaneous Public Improvements

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No. 3.

Statement shewing the amount of Receipts and Charges estimated on account of the several Local Funds other than the District Road Fund in the several Districts of the Madras Presidency during 1865/66.

Districts	Jungle Conservancy Fund.					Cattle Pound Fund.					Public Bungalow Funds.				
	Balance effected at the beginning of the year	Receipts estimated to be realized during the year	Total	Estimated charges	Balance	Balance expected at the beginning of the year	Receipts estimated to be realized during the year	Total	Estimated charges	Balance	Fees &c. expected to be realized during the year	Grants in aid	Total	Estimated charges	Balances
	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
Ganjam	16	540	556	500	56	359	3,060	3,419	3,250	169	300	1177	1477	1477	"
Vizagapatam	7	255	262	200	62	4150	6,500	10,650	4,900	5,750	300	870	1170	708	462
Godavery	1,095	2,600	4,095	4,095	"	6,264	12,000	18,264	11,300	6,964	710	515	1,225	1,084	141
Kistna	9140	2,050	11,190	9,710	1480	9,354	22,000	31,354	16,200	15,154	1050	1,000	2,050	2,050	"
Nellore	2,200	1,000	3,200	1,500	1,700	9,500	10,000	19,500	10,000	9,500	600	1,400	2,000	2,000	"
Cuddapah	6701	5,260	11,961	8,000	3961	5432	5,000	10,432	6,500	3,932	400	770	1170	610	560
Bellary	3801	4,050	7,851	7,000	851	10,002	7,000	17,002	9,010	7,992	750	1,609	2,359	1,670	689
Kurnool	728	2,500	3,228	3,200	28	856	6,000	6,855	6,560	295	400	150	550	288	262
Madras	218	1,480	1,698	1,300	398	1,276	3,700	5,076	4,350	726	500	797	1,297	798	499
North Arcot	3,638	12,500	16,138	15,750	388	1,204	5,000	6,204	6,000	204	100	630	730	281	499
South Arcot	7900	2,500	10,400	8,534	1866	2,700	7,000	9,700	7,300	2,400	420	1,350	1,770	1,731	39
Tanjore	2,467	3,200	5,667	4,378	1,289	"	11,000	11,000	11,000	"	500	300	800	650	150
Trichinopoly	1,511	1,700	3,211	2,400	811	3900	3850	7,750	3,850	3,900	500	296	796	644	152
Madura	4,275	5,500	9,775	7,000	2,775	9,652	9,000	18,652	9,100	9,552	350	262	612	400	212
Tinnevelly	7523	6,600	14,123	12,000	2,123	7,863	9,610	17,473	10,171	7,302	760	238	998	948	50
Coimbatore	4429	1,600	3,029	2,200	829	5,481	5,500	10,981	8,000	2,981	200	2,547	2,747	2,050	697
Salem	"	"	"	"	"	8946	7447	16,393	8,000	8,393	620	1917	2,537	1,525	1,012
South Canara	"	"	"	"	"	582	506	1,082	714	368	200	892	1092	942	150
Malabar	3,000	3,000	6,000	2,000	4,000	484	2,500	2984	2,600	384	750	2,050	2,800	2,350	450
Grand Total	56,049	56,335	112,384	89767	22,617	88,104	136667	224771	138805	85,966	9410	18770	28,180	23206	5,974
Town Fund in Madura						8867	7450	16,317	7,000	9317					
Irrigation Cess Fund in Trichinopoly						4,306	8,000	12,306	7,000	5,306					

Revenue Department Govt. Office,
31st January 1865.

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No. 2

Abstract shewing the amount of Receipts and Charges estimated on account of the District Road Fund in the several Districts of the Madras Presidency during 1865/66.

Districts	Available Receipts for 1865/66			Expenditure proposed for 1865/66					
	Balance expected to be at the beginning of the year	Receipts estimated to be realized during the year	Total	Original Works as per Part I	Repairs	Establishment at 10 per Cent	Other Items	Total	Balance
	Rupees	Rupees	Rupees	Rupees	Rupees	Rupees	Rupees	Rupees	Rupees
1 Ganjam	16	2,750	2,766	1,700	"	150	378	2,228	538
2 Vizagapatam	1,816	3,570	5,386	3,900	"	390	513	4,803	583
3 Godavery	35,219	53,590	88,809	49,796	8,000	2,423	16,559	76,778	12,031
4 Kistna	4,867	30,800	35,667	19,110	10,000	2,911	3,248	35,269	398
5 Nellore	4,000	18,100	22,100	17,400	1,000	1,840	1,810	22,050	50
6 Cuddapah	1,287	4,500	5,787	"	4,545	455	450	5,450	337
7 Bellary	2,935	17,135	20,070	5,542	5,400	1,094	7,913	19,949	121
8 Kurnbol	513	15,045	15,558	11,450	1,300	1,275	1,500	15,525	33
9 Madras	2,509	5,070	7,579	2,000	4,000	600	707	7,307	272
10 North Arcot	7,779	42,606	50,385	27,930	9,560	1,154	8,341	46,985	3,400
11 South Arcot	10,000	60,400	70,400	9,075	45,032	5,410	9,760	69,277	1,123
12 Tanjore	3,714	28,700	32,414	11,394	7,415	834	3,955	23,598	8,816
13 Trichinopoly	17,325	22,100	39,425	28,050	3,000	3,105	3,431	37,586	1,839
14 Madura	400	29,140	29,540	8,087	14,225	458	3,914	26,684	2,856
15 Tinnevelly	12,216	19,600	31,816	6,500	15,980	1,402	5,480	29,362	2,454
16 Coimbatore	1,336	25,400	26,736	"	18,000	1,800	5,540	25,340	1,396
17 Salem	2,472	37,096	39,568	10,000	21,358	1,000	6,210	38,568	1,000
18 South Canara	5,189	12,400	17,589	7,500	6,500	1,030	1,920	16,950	639
19 Malabar	13,790	65,675	79,465	42,388	19,165	6,155	10,667	78,375	1,090
Grand Total	1,27,383	4,93,677	6,21,060	2,61,822	1,94,480	33,486	92,296	5,82,084	38,976

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Govt office
31st January 1865.

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Proceedings of the Madras Government, Revenue Department, 31st January 1865.

Read the following :—

No. 359. Read the following Proceedings of the Board of Revenue dated, 5th January 1865.

1. With reference to the Proceedings of Government, dated 4th March 1864, No. 392, the Board resolve to submit the Budget of estimated receipts and charges on account of the Local Funds noted in the margin, for the Madras Presidency for the ensuing official year 1865-66. The Godavery District is not included in them as the Collector has not yet sent in his Budget. When received it will be separately submitted.

District Road Fund.
Village Jungle Conservancy and Planting Fund.
Cattle Pound Fund
Public Bungalow do.
Madura Town Fund
richinopoly Irrigation Cess Fund.

Enclosure No. 1.

2. Part I. exhibits the particulars of the proposed expenditure on original works out of the District Road Fund. In paragraph 6 of the Proceedings of Government, Public Works Department, dated 20th October 1864, it was desired that the Local Fund Budget should be submitted in the amended form, in which the Public Works Budget for 1864-65 was re-cast by the Government of India ; this form has accordingly been adopted in submitting the present Budget.

3. Enclosure No. 2 is the Abstract Statement, shewing the estimated receipts and charges for the District Road Fund. The cost of establishment to be made over to the Public Works Department has been calculated on the expenditure proposed to be incurred through their agency. The column "Other Items" in the statement contains the amount of Reserve at 10 per cent. on the expected income, cost of extra Establishments, and other Miscellaneous items of charges. It appears from paragraph 2 of the Order of Government, dated 6th January 1865, No. 25, Public Works Department, that the expenditure from Local Funds, which is to be controlled by Public Works Officers, should be shewn in detail, but this cannot be done now, as the Collectors' Budgets shew only in lump the proportion to be spent by the Public Works agency, out of the whole expenditure proposed on original works and repairs. The information required in the Order cannot therefore be furnished without a reference to Collectors. The following Abstract shews the entire expenditure proposed to be incurred in 1865-66, on account of original works and repairs, and the amount expected to be spent out of it by the Agency of the Public Works Department :—

Districts.	Entire expenditure proposed to be incurred on account of original works and repairs	Amount expected to be spent by the agency of the Public Works Department.	Districts.	Entire expenditure proposed to be incurred on account of original works and repairs.	Amount expected to be spent by the agency of the Public Works Department.
	Rs.	Rs.		Rs.	Rs.
Ganjam	1,700	1,500	Tanjore	25,809	8,340
Vizagapatam	3,900	3,900	Trichinopoly	31,050	31,050
Kistna	29,110	29,110	Madura	22,312	4,587
Nellore	18,400	18,400	Tinnevelly	22,480	13,920
Cuddapah	4,945	4,945	Coimbatore	18,000	18,000
Bellary	10,942	10,942	Salem	31,358	10,000
Kurnool	12,750	12,750	South Canara ...	14,000	10,300
Madras	6,000	6,000	Malabar	61,553	61,553
North Arcot	37,990	11,540	Total ..	4,06,006	3,10,644
South Arcot	54,107	54,107			

4. The total available receipts for 1865-66, inclusive of the balance expected at the beginning of the year for the several Districts of the Madras Presidency, except the Godavery District, amounts to Rupees 5,32,251 ; and the estimated expenditure to Rupees 5,12,806, leaving a balance of Rupees 19,445 at the end of 1865-66.

5. The Budgets received from the Collectors generally do not appear to have been prepared as correctly as could be wished, according to the instructions laid down for their guidance. Out

of the expected available receipts of Rupees 50,385 in North Arcot, and Rupees 39,425 in Trichinopoly, only Rupees 43,545 and Rupees 22,066 have been proposed for expenditure by the Collectors of the two Districts respectively, leaving a balance of Rupees 6,840 in the former, and Rupees 17,359 in the latter. The Board have, therefore, raised the expenditure of North Arcot to Rupees 47,485, and that of Trichinopoly to Rupees 37,586.

6. The Collector of Kurnool proposed to expend a sum of Rupees 12,200 on new works in his Estimate of Charges; but in Part I. of the Budget, which gives the detailed particulars of the new works, a total sum of only Rupees 10,850 is inserted, leaving Rupees 1,350 unaccounted for.

7. The Board have adjusted the Estimate of Charges for this District, South Arcot, and Salem, so as to leave a small balance at the end of the year.

8. The Collectors of the Districts noted in the margin have not specified the amount of expenditure to be incurred through the Public Works Department, and the Collectors of Madras, Tanjore, Madura, and Tinnevelly have not provided for the Public Works supervision according to Rules. In all these cases the Board have assumed that the entire expenditure will be incurred by that Department, and have reserved 10 per cent. on that sum for Public Works supervision. In the Districts in which the amount for Public Works Establishments were incorrectly given, they have been altered according to Rules.

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Cuddapah.
Kurnool.

9. In the Budgets received from Vizagapatam and Nellore no provision is found on account of the reserve of 10 per cent. on the estimated income; and in those received from Cuddapah and Salem, the amounts of reserve are not correctly calculated. These omissions and inaccuracies have been supplied, and altered by the Board; and in those cases in which the estimate of charges exceeded the receipts by the addition of the reserve, not estimated by the Collectors, the expenditure proposed has been reduced to the necessary extent.

10. The Enclosure No. 3 is the Statement which shews the receipts and charges estimated on account of the other branches of Local Funds noted in the margin. In this statement also, the Godavery District is not included, as no Budget has yet been received from the Collector. In estimating the receipts on acconnt of Travellers' Bungalows, everal Collectors appear to have included in the receipts of fees an expected grant-in-aid. In some cases the estimated charges exceed considerably the estimated receipts. The estimates having thus been prepared by the Collectors on a wrong principle, the Board have adopted for 1865-66 the estimated receipts for the current official year 1864-65, including the grant-in-aid. The expenditure also has been altered, with reference to the amount of receipts so estimated. In paragraph 22 of the Board's Proceedings, dated 23rd December 1864, sanction has been sought for a grant-in-aid of Rupees 18,770 towards maintenance of Public Bungalows. The construction and repair of public Bungalows, if not provided for in the Public Works Budget, will need a further grant of some Rupees 10,000 from imperial sources.

Jungle Conservancy Fund.
Cattle Pound do.
Public Bungalow do.
Madura Town do.
Trichinopoly Irrigation Cess Fund.

11. Resolved that these Proceedings be forwarded to the several Collectors for their information.

No. 360. Proceedings of the Board of Revenue, dated 27th January 1865.

Read the following letter from J. FRASER, Esq., Officiating Collector of the Godavery District, to W. HUDLESTON, Esq., Secretary to the Board of Revenue, Madras, dated Ramachendrapur, 18th January 1865, No. 7:—

SIR,

1. With reference to the Board's Miscellaneous Circular No. CVIII, dated 27th October 1864, I have the honor to forward Budget Estimates of Local Funds for 1865-66, duly countersigned by the Superintending Engineer, 1st Division.

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2. Work No. 10 for the completion of road from Gannavaram to Amlapur is added by Captain Ryves, and approved of by me. The estimate prepared by him for the above is herein enclosed.

3. I have returned the plans to him according to his request, as they require a little alteration.

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1. With the foregoing letter the Officiating Collector forwards his Local Fund Budget for 1865-66, without any explanation of the extraordinary delay which has taken place in its submission, notwithstanding the frequent reminders sent from this Office. Mr Fraser is requested to explain the matter. The submission of the General Budgets to Government is most inconveniently retarded by such delay. The Board having waited for the Godavery District Budget for some time, were obliged to submit their General Budget without it.

2. Part I. of the Budget containing original works, will now be submitted to Government to be incorporated in the General Budget already forwarded with the Board's Proceedings, dated 25th January 1864.

3. Two Statements will also be forwarded, one shewing the estimated receipts and charges on account of the District Road Fund, and another containing similar information regarding the other Local Funds, which should be embodied in Statements Nos. 2 and 3 already submitted.

4. The Collector has estimated an income of 24,000 Rupees for the District Road Fund from fees on boats, &c., which he states have been credited to this head from May last, under instructions from the Accountant General. He is requested to explain the nature of these fees, how they are collected, and to what head they were credited before May last.

5. Out of Rupees 80,355, proposed to be spent in 1865-66, from the District Road Fund, the Collector states that the sum expected to be expended by the Public Works Department agency will be Rupees 24,250; but he has put down Rupees 7,825 for Public Works Establishment. This has been altered to Rupees 2,423, that being the amount obtained at 10 per cent. on the expenditure to be incurred by the Public Works Officers.

6. The estimate received from the Collector for the construction of a road from Ambajepet to Amalapore, amounting to Rupees 12,066, will be submitted for the sanction of Government. The work is included in Part I, for 1865-66.

No. 361. ORDER THEREON, 31st January 1865, No. 175.

Local Funds.

1. With these Proceedings the Board of Revenue submit the Local Fund Budgets for 1865-66. The Salt road from Cocanada to Carassa Salt Pans, in the Godavery District, will be struck out agreeably to paragraph 3 of the Proceedings of Government, dated 5th January 1865, No. 13. The Government trust that the Board of Revenne have satisfied themselves that none of the Imperial lines are entered in these Budgets. The estimates for constructing markets* will also be struck out from the Budget Estimate of District Road Funds, with reference to the Proceedings of Government, dated 20th January 1865, No. 86. With these exceptions the Budgets are approved. They will be transferred to the Financial Department for transmission to the Government of India with the similar Budgets of the other Departments, agreeably to paragraph 31 of the Order, dated 4th March 1864, No. 392.

* North Arcot ... Rupees 500
Tanjore ... " 12,000

2. A copy of the District Road Fund Budget will be furnished to the Public Works Department, with reference to the Proceedings in that Department, dated 6th January 1865, No. 25. The instructions to distinguish int his Budget the works to be executed by Public Works Officers from the rest, were received too late to be attended to in the present Budget. The Abstract Statement given in paragraph 3 of the Board's Proceedings will, however, enable the Public Works Department to furnish the information in regard to several Districts.

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3. The Board of Revenue will submit, as soon as received, the explanation of the Collector of the Godavery District for the delay in the submission of his Budget.

4. The Government of India will be shortly applied to for a grant for the construction and repair of public Bungalows, in addition to that already sanctioned for the payment of the establishments attached to them.

5. The estimate for the road from Ambajipett to Amalapúr inthe Godavery District, should have been separately submitted; it is however sanctioned.

(True Extract.)

Under Secretary to Government.

To the Financial Department, with three Statements.
„ the Accountant General, with copies of three do.
„ the Public Works Department, with copies of two do.
„ the Board of Revenue.

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Copy of the order passed on the Collector's Board's Minute dated 31st Instant

Exd, S. T. Augustin.

9th February 1865. Recorded.