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Read the following papers:—

No. 56. Proceedings of the Board of Revenue, dated 18th November 1871, No. 4779.

From R. J. MELVILLE, Esq., Acting Collector of Vizagapatam, to the Acting Secretary to the Board of Revenue, dated Vizianagram, 17th October 1871, No. 40.

ABSTRACT.—Forwards revised Local Fund Budgets of the Vizagapatam Circle, with copy of the Local Fund Board's Proceedings, and a memorandum explanatory of the component parts of the entries in the Budget.

From the same Officer, dated 26th October 1871, No. 67.

ABSTRACT.—Annexes Memorandum of the items specified by the Superintending Engineer, for entry in the Local Fund Budget of the Vizagapatam Circle for 1871-72 in lieu of Item No. 9 in Statement II.-A., Part II.

THE revised Local Fund Budget Estimates of the Vizagapatam Circle, for the current official year, are submitted for the orders of Government.

2. STATEMENT I.-A., REVENUES AND RECEIPTS.—The total Local Fund assets of the year are estimated at Rupees 1,02,990 as particularized below:—

	RS.
1. Balances	4,500
2. Allotments from General Revenue	15,170
3. Rates and	81,990
4. Fees in Schools, etc.	30
5. Endowments, etc.	1,840
6. Miscellaneous	230
Total...	1,02,990

3. The actual balance of the Road Fund on the 31st March 1871 was Rupees 6,750, of which two-thirds have been credited to this circle funds and the remainder to the Nursapatam circle in proportion to the probable collections of each circle as explained by the Acting Collector in a separate Memorandum showing the component parts of the several items of the Budget Estimates.

4. The grant for the District from Provincial Funds is Rupees 21,130, of which Rupees 13,720 have been allotted to this circle, and the remainder to the other. To the sum assigned to this circle, has been added the sum of Rupees 1,386, agreeably to Government Order, Financial Department, dated 24th August 1871, No. 387, which raises it to Rupees 15,106 or in round numbers Rupees 15,110.

Vide paragraph 3 of the Proceedings of the Board of Revenue, dated 20th October 1871, No. 4,439, reviewing the Chicacole Circle Budget.

5. The Land Cess collections are estimated at Rupees 81,220, inclusive of those under the old Act.

6. The sum of Rupees 1,840, shown opposite to (a) "Educational" is the balance of the late Parvatipoor Rate school deposited in the Savings Bank. The school ceased to exist from the commencement of this year, as the inhabitants of the place were unwilling to continue it. The Local Fund Board have apparently revived it, but they say nothing about the imposition of House-tax for its support. It is now proposed to meet the charges of the school chiefly from this deposit fund. The Acting Collector will, in consultation with the Local Board submit proposals for the levy of the tax from the commencement

Vide Collector's letter recorded in General Order, Financial Department, dated 29th August 1871, No. 466.

7. Statement I.-B., Expenditure.—The total proposed expenditure is given as Rupees 1,01,510, made up as follows:—

	Rs.
Grant I.	96,910
Do. II.	3,220
Do. III.	1,110
Do. IV.	270
Total...	1,01,510

8. Grant I., Public Works Statement II., Road Fund Receipts and Expenditure.—The assets of the Road Fund are estimated at Rupees 97,170, inclusive of an additional appropriation of Rupees 23,120 from the one-third Land Cess. The latter sum has been reduced by the Board of Revenue by Rupees 2,660, to provide for the Vaccine Establishment, which will be noticed further on.

9. The Reserve has been reduced to Rupees 1,050 considerably to provide for new works and repairs, and even this sum is intended to meet allotments already sanctioned and not provided for in the budget as explained in a separate memorandum.

10. The cost of the Public Works Department General Establishment chargeable to this District is Rupees 21,830, of which two-thirds are debited to this Circle and the remainder to the other. This arrangement is incorrect. The cost should be charged to the Circles in the ratio of the expenditure to be incurred in each. The correct sum has been inserted in the budgets of each circle.

11. Statement II.-A., Part I., New Works.—Part I. comprises seven items with an aggregate allotment of Rupees 40,820.

12. The allotment for the 3rd item (Rupees 10,000) has been reduced by Rupees 5,350 to make up for the deduction noticed in paragraph 8 of these Proceedings, as also to balance the transactions of the Road Fund.

13. The 7th item, "Petty New Works, Allotment Rupees 100," should appear under "Sanitary and Miscellaneous," as it is intended for Avenues along certain Salt roads. The necessary transfer has been made in this office.

14. Part II., Repairs.—Part II. contains nine items with a total allotment of Rs. 36,450. The ninth or last item has been provided for in the list agreeably to paragraph 3 of the Government Order, Financial Department, dated 24th August 1871, No. 387. In the second letter recorded at the head of these Proceedings, the Acting Collector furnishes particulars of the item in question for entry in the Budget. The total allotment required for the works is Rupees 2,540, as follows:—

	Rs.
1. Repairing damages done to Trunk Road No. 6 between Chittivalsa and Chicacole. Estimate Rupees 2,348 minus Rupees 486. Expenditure in 1870-71	1,862
2. Repairing damages done to road from Vizianagram to Bowdara. Estimate Rupees 1,125 minus Rupees 448. Expenditure in 1871-72	677
Total...	2,539

Of this sum, Rupees 1,386 have been allotted* from the Provincial grant of the Ganjam District and the remainder, Rupees 1,153, has been ordered by Government to be provided for in the Budget. The Board of Revenue have accordingly entered the balance of the Estimate in each case.

* *Vide* paragraph 4 *supra.*

15. Appendix to Part II.—This list contains two items. The allotment for the first item having been provided in full in Part II. the provision for it here is unnecessary, and is accordingly struck out. The second item also having been entered in Part II. its repetition in the first list is uncalled for.

Proceedings of the Madras Government, Financial Department,
13th December 1871.

Item No. 9.—Road from Ramabndrapuram to Pachipenta *viâ* Salur.
Item No. 10.—Road from Vizagapatam to Kasipur.
Item No. 40.—Petta Ghaut and other roads in Jeypore Zemindary.
Re-construction of a damaged portion of the Salt road from Karasah to Malagadah.

16. Of the works appearing in the Budget of the Government Order, Financial Department, dated 7th June 1871, No. 216, and in the list appended to the Government Order, dated 21st July 1871, No. 301, the works marginally noted have not been provided for reasons stated below.

17. The first work is entered in a separate list of works for which allotments to the extent of Rupees 28,880 have been applied for by the Circle Board from Provincial Funds.

18. The second and fourth works have been omitted as the Circle Board are of opinion that they are not much needed. They however promise to consider the question of providing Funds for them when preparing the Budget of 1872-73.

Resolution 15.

19. As regards the third work, the Circle Board are of opinion that its allotment, Rs. 3,000, should not be charged to Local Funds, because no Road Cess has hitherto been collected nor is the Land Cess to be raised in the Jeypore country. The Board of Revenue observe that there is an allotment of Rupees 10,000 provided in the current year's Public Works Department Budget* Estimate (Provincial and Local) which appears to be the usual annual allowance for the construction of roads etc., in that country, and they are of opinion that the allotment in question should be met from this source.

No. 75.

20. The Collector states that "the Taluqwar statement is blank as the Land Cess is not "levied in this Circle except in portion of two taluqs." The distribution of the Road Fund assets should however be shown *Taluqwar* whether the taluqs consist of Zemindari or Ryotwari lands; and the Collector will therefore be good enough be furnish the required information.

21. Grant II., Education.—The total proposed expenditure under this head is Rupees 3,220 made up as follows:—

	Rs.
1. Payment for inspection	1,210
2. Training Schools	410
3. Union Schools	380
4. Grant-in-aid-Result grants	1,220
Total...	3,220

22. The first item is based on the actuals of 1870-71 and appears to have been correctly calculated.

23. The second item is the contribution for the Normal School at Vizagapatam provided in accordance with paragraph 3 of the Government Order, Educational Department, dated 21st August 1871, No. 246.

24. The third item is for charges in the Parvatipur Union School. The capital of this Institution as per Statement III. consists of Rupees 1,840 invested in the Savings Bank, and 30 Rs. from fees, and the expenditure is Rupees 380, leaving a balance of Rupees 1,490.

25. The provision for the fourth item appears to have been made with reference to the actuals of the past year.

26. Grant III., Sanitation, etc.—The allotment under this head is the contribution to the Civil Dispensaries at Vizagapatam and Palcondah prescribed in Government Order, Public Department, dated 17th April 1871, No. 491. It is shown under "Hospitals and Dispensaries" instead of under "(g) Miscellaneous." The details of the contribution are given in Statement IV.-A. which is unnecessary. The Board of Revenue have struck them out of the statement.

27. No provision has been made for Vaccination charges in the two Circle budgets simply for want of funds, but the Board of Revenue have ascertained, from the Office of the Inspector-General, Indian Medical Department, the estimated cost of the District Establishment for the current year to be Rupees 5,070 and entered the amount in the two Budgets in equal proportions.

28. Grant IV., Miscellaneous.—The allotments under this head have been altered with reference to Government Order, Public Department, dated 16th August 1871, No. 1,242, and the Board's Proceedings, dated 9th November 1871, No. 4,662.

29. It will be observed that, though some of the sanctioned Road Fund works have been omitted from the Budget and the allotments for others have been greatly curtailed and no provision made for Sanitary and Miscellaneous purposes, the whole of the available Local Fund assets have been fully appropriated without making any provision either for the Road or General Fund Reserve, or to meet any deficit in the expected collections. There is thus a clear necessity for an additional grant for the district from Provincial Funds as applied for by both Circle Boards. The Board of Revenue accordingly request that Government will be pleased to authorize a grant of at least Rupees 25,000 to be divided between the two Circles.

30. The following will be the abstract of the Budget Estimates as revised by the Board of Revenue:—

Receipts.		Charges.			
	Rs.			Rs.	Rs.
Road Fund	94,510	Grant I...	Road Fund	94,230	
Union Fund	1,870		Union Fund	...	
Endowment Fund ...	...		Endowment Fund ...	...	
General Fund	6,610		General Fund... ...	100	
					94,330
		Grant II..	Union Fund	380	
			General Fund... ...	2,840	
					3,220
		Grant III.	Endowment Fund ...	...	
			General Fund... ...	3,650	
					3,650
		Grant IV.	Road Fund	280	
			General Fund... ...	20	
					300
			Total ...		1,01,500
			Road Fund balance		
			Union do. do.	1,490	
			Endowment do. do.		
			General do. do....		
			Do. Reserve		
				...	1,490
Total...	1,02,990		Total...		1,02,990

(A true Extract.)

(Signed) J. B. PENNINGTON,
Acting Secretary.

No. 57. Proceedings of the Board of Revenue, dated 18th November 1871, No. 4781.

Read the following letter from R. J. MELVILLE, Esq., Acting Collector and President of the Local Fund Boards, to the Acting Secretary to the Board of Revenue, dated Vizianagram, 1st November 1871, No. 87 :—

Abstract.—Local Fund Budgets of Nursipatam Circle for 1871-72 forwarded, together with a Memorandum containing Collector's remarks thereon.

The revised Local Fund Budget Estimates of the Nursipatam Circle for the current official year are submitted for the orders of Government.

2. Statement I.-A., Revenue and Receipts.—The total Local Fund assets of the year are estimated at Rupees 37,830 and are made up of the following items :—

	Rs.
1. Balances	2,250
2. Allotments from General Revenue...	7,500
3. Rates and Taxes	28,080
Total...	37,830

3. The income from Land Cess is estimated at Rupees 28,080, including the collections under the old Act.

4. Statement I.-B., Expenditure.—The total proposed expenditure is Rupees 37,750 and is as follows:—

	Rs.
1. Grant I...	37,610
2. Do. II.	...
3. Do. III.	...
4. Do. IV.	140
Total...	37,750

5. Grant I., Public Works, Statement II., Road Fund Receipts and Expenditure.—The assets of the Road Fund as per Statement II. are Rupees 37,830 inclusive of an additional appropriation of Rupees 9,360, which is the whole of the one-third Land Cess, and an income of Rupees 40 from Avenues.

6. Of the sum of Rupees 9,360, the Board of Revenue have disallowed Rupees 4,600 which is required to meet Educational and Vaccination charges not provided for in the Budget. This reduction is met chiefly by striking out the whole of the Road Fund Reserve, Rupees 3,780, and partly from savings in allotments for some of the items in Statement II.

7. The income from Avenues, Rupees 40, has been struck out, as it should be credited to the General Funds.

8. The provision of Rupees 300 under "Other Agency" opposite to New Works being for Avenues should not be charged to the Road Fund. It has accordingly been expunged.

9. The allotment for the share of the cost of the Public Works Department General Establishment, Rupees 7,280, has been reduced to Rupees 5,330 with reference to the remarks made in paragraph 10 of the review of the Vizagapatam Circle Budget.

10. Statement II.-A., Part I., New Works.—Part I. contains four items with a total allotment of Rupees 11,500. The road (3rd item) from Ankapilly to Vizagapatam runs through portions of the two circles of the District. The sum assigned for the work in the list appended to the Government Order, Financial Department, dated 21st July 1871, No. 301, is Rupees 10,000, of which Rupees 5,000 are provided in the other Circle Budget, but for want of funds nothing is allotted for it in this Budget. The Board of Revenue have however allotted Rupees 1,400 from the excess provision of Rupees 1,950 made on account of the cost of the Public Works Department General Establishment.

11. Part II., Repairs.—Part II. contains five items with an aggregate allotment of Rupees 13,140. None of these seem to call for remark.

12. Grant II., Education.—No allotment is provided under this grant, but in Statement III. sum of Rupees 1,765 is entered under the column headed "Salary Grants," with a remark that

there are no funds to meet this expenditure. It is however observed that there is a sum of Rupees 9,360, the one-third Land Cess or General Local Funds. All charges other than those appertaining to the Road, Union and Endowment Funds should be met from this source, and the remainder, if any, may be credited to the Road Fund, in the event of this fund being found insufficient to meet its legitimate wants. The Circle Board, instead of adopting this course, credit the whole of the General Funds to the Road Fund.

Vide paragraph 5 *supra*.

The Board of Revenue find that the sum of Rupees 1,765 is intended for the following purposes:—

	RS.
1. Payment for Inspection...	610
2. Normal School at Vizagapatam	405
3. Grant-in-aid (Results Grants)	750
Total...	1,765

These sums are now exhibited under Grant II., and the entry in Statement III. has accordingly been struck out.

13. Grant III., Sanitation, etc.—No expenditure is proposed under this head, but the Board of Revenue have, as mentioned in paragraph 27 of the other Circle review, provided Rupees 2,530 on account of the Vaccine Establishment.

14. Grant IV., Miscellaneous.—The allotments under this head have been altered as was done in the case of the other Circle.

15. An Abstract of the Budget Estimates as revised by the Board of Revenue is as follows:—

Receipts.	RS.	Expenditure.		RS.	RS.
Road Fund..... ...	33,190	Grant I.	Road Fund	32,980	
Union Fund	...		Union Fund...	...	
Endowment Fund ...	...		Endowment Fund ...	...	
General Fund... ...	4,640		General Fund	310	
					33,290
		Grant II.	Union Fund	...	
			General Fund	1,770	
					1,770
		Grant III.	Endowment Fund ...	...	
			General Fund	2,530	
					2,530
		Grant IV.	Road Fund	140	
			General Fund	30	
					170
					37,760
		Road Fund balance		70	
		Union do. do.		...	
		Endowment do. do.		...	
		General do. do.		...	
		Do. Reserve		...	
				...	70
Total...	37,830		Total...		37,830

(A true Extract.)

(Signed) J. B. PENNINGTON,
Acting Secretary.

No. 58. From the Secretary, Inspector-General, Indian Medical Department, to the Under Secretary to Government, Fort St. George, dated Fort St. George, 11th December 1871, No. 398.

With reference to your memorandum, No. 341, dated the 11th instant, I am directed by the Inspector-General to inform you that the sum required for vaccine expenditure in the Jeypore Zemindary for 1871-72 is Rupees 2,320, leaving Rupees 2,750 for Vizagapatam.

No. 59. Proceedings of Government, Revenue Department.

Read the following endorsement of the Secretary to Government, Public Works Department, dated 13th June 1871.

Read the following letter from the Acting Superintending Engineer, 1st Division, to the Secretary to Government, Public Works Department, Fort St. George, dated Dowlaishweram, 5th June 1871, No. 726.

Adverting to G. O., No. 157, dated 27th March 1871, I have the honour to forward, herewith, an estimate, amounting, in the aggregate, to Rupees 17,600, for putting in thorough repair the road from Vizianagram to Chittivalsa, and to request that early sanction of Government may be accorded to the estimate, so that this important line of communication may be brought into good working order.

One plan.
Two estimates.

2. The road is in bad order at present, and this estimate will do no more than fit it for ordinary traffic; but, when this becomes so heavy, as it appears likely soon to be on this road, broken stone metalling is required to be put on, and, if an annual allowance of Rupees 250 per mile was made, I think the road could be made a first-class one in two or three years, when this maintenance grant could be again reduced.

3. I am about to return to that part of the division soon, and will make another careful inspection of this work.

Transferred to the Revenue Department with reference to the orders in that Department dated 21st March 1871, No. 512.

(Signed) J. CARPENDALE, Colonel, R. E.,
Secretary to Government, P. W. D.

Order, 23*rd June* 1871, *No.* 1106.

The estimate does not bear the countersignature of the Collector. It is, however, sanctioned to save time. The Collector will bring under the consideration of the Local Fund Board the propriety for providing funds for this work in the current year.

2. Paragraph 2 of the Superintending Engineer's letter should also be brought under the consideration of the Local Fund Board.

(True Extract.)

(Signed) D. F. CARMICHAEL,
Acting Secretary to Government.

No. 60. From the Acting Collector of Vizagapatam, to the Chief Secretary to Government, Fort St. George, dated Vizianagram, 7th November 1871, No. 125.

I have the honour to request that you will be so good as to furnish me with a copy of G. O., Financial Department, dated 29th August 1871, No. 406, regarding the transfer of the Vizagapatam Civil Dispensary to the Municipality, as it has not been received in this Department. I would point out that the Dispensary is not a public one, having been established and supported by the Maharajah of Vizianagram.

No. 61. ORDER THEREON, 13th December 1871, No. 773.

With the foregoing Proceedings the Board of Revenue submit the Local Fund Budgets of the Vizagapatam and Narsapatam Circles.

2. Of the Road Fund balances amounting to Rupees 6,750, two-thirds have been assigned to the Vizagapatam Circle and one-third to Narsapatam, being the proportion of the expected collections. This distribution is incorrect, and the Board of Revenue will call for a report showing the actual balances belonging to each circle.

3. The works specified in G. Os. 7th June 1871, No. 216, and 21st July 1871, No. 301, have been provided for (though in several cases with reduced allotments) with the exceptions noted in the margin of paragraph 16 of the Board's Proceedings reviewing the Vizagapatam Budget. Of these, the third item, with a requirement of Rupees 3,000, belongs to Jeypore. The Public Works Department is requested to cause this to be met, if possible, from the grant of Rupees 10,000 from Provincial Funds for roads in Jeypore. The second and fourth works have been postponed by the Local Board as not immediately urgent. For the first work, the Ramabhadrapuram and Pachipenta road, which appears also in the list of works for which additional Provincial grant is asked, Rupees 17,910 were originally entered. From the list referred to it appears that up to the end of August Rupees 3,768 were expended upon it, and that for the year Rupees 9,267 were required. The Board of Revenue ought to have modified the allotments in the budgets so as to provide at least for the expenditure which has actually been incurred. As for the second work entered in the list, the road from Vizianagram to Chittivalsa, G. O., Revenue Department, 23rd June 1871, No. 1106, does not disclose any very urgent necessity, and it must be deferred to next year.

4. The Ramabhadrapuram and Pachipenta road lies altogether in the Vizagapatam Circle. The Government observe that, owing to the proposed reduction in the allotments for works in the Vizagapatam District, the charge for Public Works Department General Establishment will, on the general revision, fall below the sum specified in G. O., 7th June. The whole of the Local Fund Budgets having now been examined, Government are in a position to anticipate that the charge, allowing for the modification in the budget made below, will be for the Vizagapatam Circle Rupees 12,960, and for Narsapatam Rupees 4,300. Rupees 9,000 will be entered in the Vizagapatam Budget for the road now in question, and this sum will be provided by the reduction of the proposed allotment for item No. 2 in Statement II-A, which will probably not be utilized being proposed so late

in the year, and which besides is for a work on which no expenditure was incurred up to the current year; by the reduction of the charge for general establishment, and by sundry reductions noticed below. Also the distribution of the Provincial grant is revised by Government, Rupees 6,410 being allowed to Narsapatam and Rupees 16,110 to Vizagapatam.

5. The charge for inspection will be apportioned in the ratio of the remaining educational allotments (*vide* Local Fund Rule XLIX.), Rupees 1,150 to Vizagapatam and Rupees 670 to Narsapatam.

6. The letter from the Secretary to the Inspector-General, Indian Medical Department, read above, shows that of the charge, Rupees 5,070, for vaccination, only Rupees 2,750 belongs to Vizagapatam proper. Rupees 1,850 will be charged to the Vizagapatam Circle and Rupees 900 to Narasapatam.

7. VIZAGAPATAM.—By the transfer from the Narsapatam Provincial grant the receipts of this circle are raised to Rupees 1,03,990. A union is to be formed at Parvatipore, and the charges of the school, of what class is not stated, are to be paid, without the levy of the house-tax, from the balance of funds belonging to the rate school which formerly existed there. The Board of Revenue will call for report as to the class of the proposed school. Meanwhile the allotments in the budget may stand.

8. The additional appropriation from the land cess (Statement II.) must be raised from Rupees 20,460, as passed by the Board of Revenue, to Rupees 21,000. The Road Fund assets will then stand at Rupees 96,050, and the charges as shown in the margin. Grant I., Public Works, amounts to Rupees 95,820.

	RS.
New Works	40,370
Repairs	37,310
Establishment	16,510
Tools and Plant	770
Reserve	1,050
	96,010
Balance	40
Total...	96,050

9. The items of Grant II. call for no further remark. It is Rupees 3,160.

10. The Board of Revenue have rightly inserted the contributions for the Dispensaries at Vizagapatam and Palcondah. Pending further report as to the agreement arrived at by the Local and Municipal bodies as to the shares of the charge, the sums entered in G. O. dated 17th April, No. 491, are passed. The grant is Rupees 2,960

11. Grant IV. is passed at Rupees 300.

12. The budget as revised by Government is as follows:—

	RS.
Receipts—	
Balances	4,500
Allotments, &c.	16,170
Rates and Taxes	81,220
Fees	30
Endowments, &c.	1,840
Miscellaneous	230
	1,03,990

Expenditure—		
Grant I.		Rs.
,, II.		95,820
,, III.		3,160
,, IV.		2,960
		300
		1,02,240
Balances—		
Road Fund	40	
Union do.	1,490	
General do.	220	
	1,750	
	1,03,990	

13. NARSAPATAM.—After what has been said above, this budget requires but few remarks. The receipts will be as follow :—

	Rs.
Balances	2,250
Allotments, &c.	6,500
Rates and Taxes	28,080
Total...	36,830

14. The Road Fund receipts are reduced to Rupees 32,190, and the charges are as follow :—

	Rs.
New Works	12,600
Repairs	13,140
Establishment	6,110
Tools and Plant	250
	32,100
Balance	90
Total...	32,190

15. The whole expenditure is as follows :—

Grant I.		Rs.
,, II.		32,260
,, III.		1,830
,, IV.		900
		170
		35,160
Balance—		
Road Fund	90	
General	1,580	
	1,670	
	36,830	

16. The Collector and President will reply to the order issued on the subject of the transfer of the Dispensaries at Vizagapatam and Palcondah.

17. The Revenue and Local Fund Boards will see that the Government have not been able to comply with the request for an additional Provincial grant during the current year. The Revenue Board may, however, take credit in the budgets for a Provincial grant for 1872-73 double that assigned for the current year; and, if there is not time to consult the Local Boards as to its appropriation, may allot it subject to a subsequent expression of their wishes, or the Revenue Board may retain it unallotted for subsequent appropriation.

(True Extract.)

R. S. ELLIS,
Chief Secretary.

To the Revenue Department.
,, Board of Revenue.
,, Collector of Vizagapatam.
,, Accountant-General.
,, Public Works Department.
,, Inspector-General, Indian Medical Department.
,, Director of Public Instruction.
,, Sanitary Commissioner.

Exd. A. S. Rodgers.

Govt. of {1871} Madras.

FINANCIAL.

To THE REVENUE BOARD,
&c., &c., &c.

Dated December, 13th.

Read.

Ext.

G. O., 13th December 1871, No. 773.

DECEMBER.
Nos. 56–61.

Passing orders on the Local Fund Budgets of the Vizagapatam and Narsapatam Circles for 1871-72.

No. LXVII

47.

Camp Vizianagram. 26th October 1871.

From

R. J. Melville Esqre
Acty. Collector

To

J. B. Pennington Esqre
Acting Secretary to the
Board of Revenue
Fort Saint George

Sir,

Referring to para 2 of G.O. dated 26th August last, I have the honor to annex Memorandum of the items specified by the Superintending Engineer, for entry in the Local Fund Budget of the Vizagapatam Circle for 1871-72 in lieu of item No 9 in Statement No II.A, Part II.

2. The detailed information was received after the despatch of the Budget.

Memorandum

Work.	Estimate	Expenditure up to last year	Allotment already given for 1871-72	Further Grant required to complete the repairs.
Repairing damages done to Trunk Road No 6 between Chittivalsa and Chicacole	2,368	486	986	876
Do - Do to Road from Vizianagram to Bondara.	1,125	448	400	277
	3,473	934	1,386	1,153.

I have the honor
(Signed) R. J. Melville
Acty. Collector.

(True Copy)

J. B. Pennington
Acting Secretary.

P. Narsopatchetty

No. XL.

Camp Vizianagram, 17th October 1870.

From

R. J. Melville Esqre
Acting Collector

To

J. B. Pennington Esqre
Acting Secretary to the
Board of Revenue
Fort Saint George.

Sir,

I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of official Memorandum, dated 16th September last, No. 1224, returning the Local Fund Budgets of this District for revision.

2. Those of the Vizagapatam Circle have been revised and are herewith forwarded together with Copy of the Local Fund Boards' Proceedings, and explanatory of the Component parts of the Entries in the Budget.

3. With reference to para 11 of the Local Fund Boards' Proceedings, I beg also to submit a separate list of works, amounting to Rupees 28,877 omitted in the Budget, but being much needed and some money having been already spent, an additional grant from provincial funds is requested to carry them out.

4. The papers connected with this Circle returned with the said Memorandum are herewith retransmitted as requested.

I have &c &c
(Signed) R. J. Melville
Actg. Collector

(True Copy)

J. B. Pennington
Acting Secretary

Ed. Humphreys
P. Rájáyyapalakshmy.

Enclosure with No. 20,
from the Board of Revenue
dated Acting Secretary &
Examiner, dated 10th
November 1870.

Copy with the Enclosures of Letter from the Acting Secretary to the Board of Revenue, dated 26th October 1870, No. XXVII

L. No. 827/71

No. I. XXXVII Camp Vizianagram, 1st November 1871

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From

R. J. Melville Esqre
Ag. Collector & President
Local Fund Board.

To

J. B. Pennington Esqre
Ag. Secretary to the
Board of Revenue
Fort Saint George.

Sir,

In forwarding to you the Local Fund Budgets of the Narsipatam Circle together with the Local Fund Board's Proceedings, dated 11th October 1871, I have the honor to annex a Memo of my remarks thereon, pointing out certain discrepancies in the Budgets. I could make the necessary alterations in the items of Receipts and Expenditure, but I am not provided as yet with authorized to do so, and beg therefore to submit the Budgets as they have been passed. Certain omissions which do not affect the items of Receipts and Disbursements have been supplied in this office, the figures are entered in the Budgets in red ink.

I have &c &c
(signed) R. J. Melville
Ag Coll & President L. F. Board.

(True Copy)

J. B. Pennington
Acting Secretary.

Copy of Letter from the Ag Collector of Vizagapatam to the Ag Secretary to Board of Revenue, dated 1st Nov 1871, No XXV.

In R. 22/71.

Enclosure in the Proceedings of the Board of Revenue to the Chief Secretary to Government, dated 10th November 1871.

Esq
P. Narasopalakkam

the

Revenue Department

Proceedings of the Board of Revenue dated 18th November 1871

Read letter from the acting Collector of Vizagapatam, dated 18th November 1871, No. LXXXVII.

The revised Local Fund Budget Estimates of the Narsipatam Circle for the current Official year are submitted for the orders of Government.

2. The total Local Fund afets of the year are estimated at Rs 37,830, and are made up of the following items:

		Rs
1	Balances	2,250
2	Allotments from general revenue	7,500
3.	Rates and Taxes	28,080
	Total	37,830

3. The income from Land Cess is estimated at Rupees 28,080, including the Collections under the Old Act.

4. The total proposed expenditure is Rupees 37,750 and is as follows:-

			Rs
1.	Grant	I	37,610
2.	Do.	II	"
3.	Do.	III	"
4.	Do.	IV	140
		Total	37,750

The

Enclosure in the Proceedings of the Board of Revenue dated 18th November 1871.

Secretary to Government.

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Copy of letter from the Acting Collector of Vizagapatam to the Secretary Board of Revenue, dated 18th November 1871, No. LXXXVII

L. No. 830/71.

5. The apets of the Road Fund as per Statement II are Rupees 37,830 inclusive of an additional appropriation of Rs 9,360, which is the whole of the one-third Land Cess, and an income of Rupees 40 from Avenues.

Grant I
Public Works
Statement II
Road Fund
Receipts and
Expenditure

6. Of the sum of Rupees 9,360, the Board of Revenue have disallowed Rupees 4,600 which is required to meet Educational and Vaccination charges not provided for in the budget. This reduction is met chiefly by striking out the whole of the Road Fund Reserve Rupees 3,780, and partly from savings in allotments for some of the items in Statement II.

7. The income from Avenues, Rs 40. has been struck out, as it should be credited to the general funds.

8. The provision of Rupees 300 under "Other Agency" opposite to new works being for Avenues should not be charged to the Road Fund. It has accordingly been expunged.

9. The allotment for the share of the cost of the Public Works department General Establishment, Rs 7,280, has been reduced to Rupees 5,320, with reference to the remarks made in para 10 of the review of the Vizagapatam Circle budget.

Statement II A
Part I.
New Works.
+ 3rd item

10. Part I contains four items with a total allotment of Rupees 11,600. The road from Anakapilly to Vizagapatam runs through portions of the two Circles of the District. The sum assigned for the work in the list appended to the Government Order, Financial Department, dated 21st July 1871, No 301, is Rupees 10,000, of which Rupees 5000 are provided in the other Circle budget, but for want of funds, nothing is allotted for it in this budget. The Board of Revenue have however allotted Rupees 1,400 from the excess provision of Rupees 1,950, made on account of the cost of the Public Works Department General Establishment.

Part II
Repairs

11. Part II contains five items with an aggregate allotment of Rs 13,140. None of these seem to call for remark.

Grant II
Education.

12. No allotment is provided under this grant, but in Statement III a sum of Rupees 1,765. is entered under the column headed

headed "Salary grants", with a remark that there are no funds to meet this Expenditure. It is however observed that there is a sum of Rupees 9,360, the one-third Land Cess or General Local Funds. All charges other than those appertaining to the Road, Union and Endowment funds should be met from this source, and the remainder if any, may be credited to the Road Fund, in the event of this fund being found insufficient to meet its legitimate wants. The Circle Board instead of adopting this course, credit the whole of the General funds to the Road fund. The Board of Revenue find that the sum of Rupees 1,765, is intended for the following purposes. Vide para 6 supra

	Rs
1. Payment for Inspection	610
2. Normal School at Vizagapatam	405
3. Grant-in-aid (Results grants)	750
	1,765

These sums, are now exhibited under Grant II and the entry in Statement III has accordingly been struck out.

13. No Expenditure is proposed under this head - but the Board of Revenue have, Grant III Sanitation + 2a

have, as mentioned in para 27 of the other Circle review, provided Rs. 2,530, on account of the Vaccine Establishment.

Grant IV. Miscellaneous.

14. The allotments under this head have been altered as was done in the case of the other Circle.

15. An Abstract of the Budget Estimates as revised by the Board of Revenue is as follows:-

Receipts	Rs		Expenditure		
Road Fund	33,190	Grant I	Road Fund	32,980	
Union Do.	"		Union Do.	"	
Endowment Do.	"		Endowment Do.	"	
General Do.	4,640		General Do.	310	33,290
		Do. II	Union Do.	"	
			General Do.	1770	1,770
		Do. III.	Endowment Do.	"	
			General Do.	2530	2,530
		Do. IV	Road Fund	140	
			General Do.	30	170
		Road Fund balance			37,760
		Union Do. Do.		"	
		Endowment Do Do.		"	
		General Do. Do.		"	
		Do. Reserve		"	70
Total	37,830				37,830

True Extract

J. H. Remington
Ag. Secretary

For the Chief Secretary to Govt.
Financial dept.
with copy of Collectors letters and 7 enclosures.

C. Hemingway
Asst. to Waltair Agency

Rec'd 21st July 1871. No 3014

Financial 1871-1872.

Proceedings of the Board of Revenue

Dated 18th November 1871.

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Revising and Submitting to Government, Remarks & Estimate of Local Fund Assets & Liabilities for Vizagapatam Circle for 1872-73 in Pursuance &c.

Revenue Department.

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Proceedings of the Board of Revenue.
dated 18th November 1871.

Read letters from the Acting Collector of Vizagapatam, dated 17th and 26th October 1871 Nos: XL and LXVII.

The revised Local Fund budget Estimates of the Vizagapatam Circle, for the current official year, are submitted for the orders of Government.

Statement I A Revenues and Receipts

2. The total Local Fund assets of the year are Estimated at Rs 102,990 as particularised below.

		Rs.
1	Balances	4,500
2.	Allotments from General Revenue	15,170
3.	Rates and taxes	81,220
4.	Fees in Schools &c.	30
5.	Endowments &c.	1,840
6	Miscellaneous	230
		102,990

3. The actual balance of the Road Fund on the 31st March 1871 was Rs 6,750 of which two-thirds have been credited to this Circle funds and the remainder

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to the Muncipalam Circle, in proportion
to the probable Collections of each Circle,
as Explained by the Acting Collector
in a Separate memorandum Showing
the Component parts of the Several items
of the Budget Estimates

4. The Grant for the District from
Provincial funds is Rs 21,130, of which
Rs 13,720 have been allotted to this Circle,
and the remainder to the Others. To the
Sum assigned to this Circle, has been
added the Sum of Rs 1,386, agreeably
to G. O. T. D. dated 24th August 1871
No 387, which raises it to Rs 15,106 or
~~Rupees~~ in round numbers Rs 15,110.

Vide para 38 of the Pro: of the Board of Revenue D. 20th Oct. 1871 No 4439, reviewing the Chicacole Circle Budget.

5. The Land Cess Collections are Estimated
at Rs 81,220 inclusive of those under the
old Act.

6 "The Sum of Rs 1,840 Shewn opposite to
(a) "Educational" is the balance of the Cole
Parvatipoor Rate School deposited in
the Savings Bank. The School Ceased to
Exist from the Commencement of this year,
as the inhabitants of the place were unwilling
to Continue it. The Local Fund Board
have apparently revived it, but they
Say nothing about the imposition of

Annas-Cess

x Vide Collectors letter recorded in G. O. T. D. 17th August 1871 No. 406

House-Cess for its support. It is now proposed
to meet the charges of the School chiefly from
this deposit fund. The Acting Collector
with, in Consultation with the Local Board,
Submit proposals for the levy of the Cess from
the Commencement of 1872-73.

Statement IB Expenditure

7. The total proposed Expenditure is given
as Rs 1,01,510, made up as follows:-

	Rs.
Grant I	96,510
Do II	3,220
Do III	1,110
Do IV	270
Total	1,01,510

Grant I. Public Works. Statement II. Road fund Receipts and Expenditure.

8. The Assets of the Road Fund are Estimated
at Rs 97,170, inclusive of an additional
appropriation of Rs 23,120 from the one-third
Land Cess. The latter Sum has been reduced
by the Board of Revenue by Rs 2,660, to
provide for the Vaccine Establishment,
which will be restored further on.

Is Rs 1,950

9. The Reserve has been reduced
x Considerably to provide for new works
and repairs, and Even this Sum is
intended to meet allotments already
Sanctioned and not provided for
in the budget as Explained in a Separate

Memo.

items.

10. The Cost of the Public Works Department General Establishment chargeable to this District is Rs 21,830, of which two-thirds are debited to this circle and the remainder to the others. This arrangement is incorrect. The Cost should be charged to the circles in the ratio of the Expenditure to be incurred in Each. The correct sum has been inserted in the budgets of Each circle.

11 Part I comprises seven items with an aggregate Allotment of Rs 40,820. Statement III A Part I New works.

12. The allotment for the 3d item (Rs 10,000) has been reduced by Rs 5,350 to make up for the deduction noticed in para 8 of these Proceedings, as also to balance the transactions of the Road fund.

13. The 7th item, "Petty new Works" Allotment Rs 100", should appear under "Sanitary and Miscellaneous", as it is intended for Avenues along certain Salt roads. The necessary transfer has been made in this office.

Part II

Part II Repairs

14. Part II Contains nine items with a total allotment of Rs 36,450. The 9th or last item has been provided for in the list agreeably to para 3 of the Government Order. Financial Department, dated 24th August 1871 No 387. In the Second letter recorded at the head of these Proceedings, the Acting Collector furnishes particulars of the item in Question for entry in the budget. The total allotment required for the works is Rs 2,540 as follows:-

1 Repairing damages done to Trunk road No 6 between Chittivalsa and Thiruvalur

Estimate

Estimate Rs 2,348
minus Rs 486
Expenditure in
1870-71 ——————— Rs. 1,862

2. Repairing damages
done broad from
Vizianagram to
Bowdara..
Estimate Rs 1,125
minus Rs 448.
Expenditure in 1870-71 ——— 677
2,539

Of this sum, Rs 1,386 have been allotted* from the Provincial fund of the Ganjam District and the remainder, Rs 1153, has been ordered by Government to be provided for in the budget. The Board of Revenue have accordingly entered the balance of the Estimate in Each Case, this.

* Vide para 4 Supra.

Appendix to Part II

15. This list contains two items. The allotment for the first item having been provided in full in Part II the provision for it here is unnecessary, and is accordingly struck out. The 2nd item also having been entered in Part II its repetition in the first list is uncalled for.

16. Of the works appearing in the budget of the Government Order, Financial Department dated 7th June 1871 No 216, and in the list appended to the Government Order dated 21st July 1871, No 301 the works marginally noted have not been provided for, for reasons stated below.

Item No 9. Road from Ramabhadrapuram to Pachipenta Via Salur -	17910	
Do No 10 - Do from Vizagapatam to Kasipur -	9000	
Do No 40. Petta Ghaut and other roads in Jeypore Zemindary ----		
Reconstruction of a damaged portion of the Salt road from Karasah to Malagadah -	13,640	

17. The first work is entered in a separate list of works for which allotments to the extent of Rs 28,880 have been applied for by the Circle Board from Provincial funds.

18. The 2nd & 4th works have been omitted as the Circle Board are of opinion that they are not much needed. They however promise to consider the question of providing funds for them when

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when preparing the budget of 1872-73.

19. As regards the 3d work, the circle Board are of opinion that its allotment, Rs 3,000, should not be charged to Local Funds, because no Road cess has hitherto been collected nor is the Land Cess to be raised in the Jeypore country. The Board of Revenue observe that there is an allotment of Rs 10,000 provided in the current year's Public Works Department Budget Estimate (Provincial and Local) × which appears to be the usual annual allowance for the construction of roads &c in that country, and they are of opinion that the allotment in question should be met from this source -

× Item No 75

20. The Collector states that "the Talugwar "statement is blank as the Land Cess is not "levied in this circle except in portions of "two Talugs". The distribution of the Road Fund assets should however be shewn Talugwar whether the Talugs consist of Zemindari or Ryotwari lands; and the Collector will therefore be good enough to furnish the required information -

The

Grant II
Education

21. The total proposed expenditure under this head is Rs 3220 made up as follows:

	Rs
1. Payments for inspection —	1,210
2. Training Schools —	410
3. Union Do ——	380
4. Grant-in-aid. } — Result grants. }	1220
	3220

22. The first item is based on the actuals of 1870-71 and appears to have been correctly calculated.

23. The 2d item is the contribution for the Normal School at Vizagapatam provided in accordance with para 3 of the Government Order Educational Department, dated 21st August 1871 No 246.

24. The 3d item is for charges in the Parvatipur Union School. The capital of this Institution as per statement III consists of Rs 1,840 invested in the Savings Bank, and 30 Rs from fees, and the expenditure is Rs 380, leaving a balance of Rs 1490.

25. The provision for the 4th item appears to have been made with reference to the actuals of the past year -

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26. The allotment under this head is the contribution to the Civil Dispensaries at Vizagapatam and Palconda prescribed in Government Order, Public Department, dated 17th April 1871 No. 491. It is shewn under "Hospitals and Dispensaries" instead of under "(9) Miscellaneous". The details of the contribution are given in Statement IV A which is unnecessary. The Board of Revenue have struck them out of the Statement.

Grant III
Sanitation &c.

27. No provision has been made for the Vaccination Charges in the two Circle Budgets simply for want of funds; but the Board of Revenue have ascertained, from the Office of the Inspector General Indian Medical Department, the estimated cost of the District Establishment for the current year to be Rs. 5070 and entered the amount, in the two Budgets, in equal proportions.

28. The allotments under this head have been altered with reference to Government Order Public Department dated 16th August 1871 No. 1242 and the Board's Proceedings dated 9th November 1871 No. 4662.

Grant IV
Miscellaneous

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29. It will be observed that, though some of the sanctioned Road Fund works have been omitted from the Budget and the allotment for others have been greatly curtailed and no provision made for Sanitary and Miscellaneous purposes, the whole of the available Local Fund assets have been fully appropriated without making any provision either for the Road or General Fund Reserve, or to meet any deficit in the expected collections. There is thus a clear necessity for an additional grant for the District from Provincial funds as applied for by both Circle Boards. The Board of Revenue accordingly request that Government will be pleased to authorize a grant of at least Rupees 25,000 to be divided between the two Circles.

30. The following will be the Abstract of the Budget & Estimates as revised by the

Board

Board of Revenue.

Receipts		Charges			
	Rs			Rs	Rs
Road Fund	94,510	Grant I	Road Fund	94,230	
Union Do	1,870		Union Do	"	
Endowment Do	"		Endowment Do	"	
General Do	6,610		General Do	100	94,330
		Do II	Union Fund	380	
			General Do	2840	3,220
		Do III	Endowment Fund	"	
			General Do	3650	3,650
		Do IV	Road Fund	280	
			General	20	300
					101,500
		Road Fund balance		"	
		Union Do Do		1490	
		Endowment Do Do		"	
		General Do Do		"	
		General Reserve		"	1490
Total	102990		Total		102990

(True Extract)

J. S. Cunningham
Ag Secretary

To, The Secretary to Government F.D.
with copies of Collectors' letters &
& Enclosures.

C. Ramaswamy Sett

No. CXXV

Camp Vizianagram
the November 1871

From, R. J. Mobille Esquire
Acting Collector

To, The Honorable R. S. Ellis C.S.I.
Chief Secretary to Government
Fort St. George

Sir,

I have the honor to request that you will be good enough to submit the accompanied Annual Departmental Statement of the Receipts & Disbursements of the Local Fund Dispensary Establishment of the Vizagapatam District for the year 1871 together with a Civil Surgeon's Report thereon.

2. The Dispensary Establishment has been reduced to its present footing from the 1st instant in accordance with the Orders contained in your Proceedings of the 24th August 1871 No. 107-108 Public.

3. The Medical Officers in charge of the Dispensary have been instructed to submit their Returns direct to the Civil Surgeon of the District.

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your Most Obedient Servant
R. J. Mobille
Collector

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Dis. 24th August 1871. No. 107-108
" 29th " " 128-129
" 7th June " 8.
" 21st July 1871 " 42-43.
" 21st August " 49-51 Edn
" 16th August " 53-54 Pub
" 17th April " 69-91. Pub.

No. 57

Fort St. George
Public Department

Proceedings of the Board of Revenue

Dated 18th November 1871.
Despd 18 " "
Rec'd 20 "
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No. 827.

Local Fund Budget.

estimates - of Vizagapatam circle for 1872-73 received & submitted to Govt. -

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Financial Department,

PROCEEDINGS of the MADRAS GOVERNMENT.

Read the following ~~letter~~ Proc: of the Board of Revenue dated 18th November 1871, No. [illegible] & letter from the Secy: to the Govt. Genl. Sett. Dept. dd 11th Decr 71, No. 398. G.O. Rev. D. 23rd June 71 No. 1165 Order thereon from Addl. 7 Nov 71. No. 125 13th Decr 71 No. 773.

With the foregoing Proceedings the Board of Revenue submit the local fund budgets of the Vizagapatam and Narsapatam circles.

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2. Of the road fund balances amounting to Rs 6950, two-thirds have been assigned to the Vizagapatam circle, and one-third to Narsapatam, being the proportion of the expected collections. This distribution is incorrect, and the Board of Revenue will call for a report showing the

Fort St. George Revenue Department

From The Collector of Vizagapatam

To The Secretary to Government

Dated 7th November 1871

No. 798.

Sir,

I have the honor to forward herewith a copy of a letter from the Secretary to the Board of Revenue No. 773, dated 4th November 1871, and to request that you will be pleased to submit the same to Government with the Budget Estimate of the Road Fund of this District for the year 1872-73.

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your most obedient servant
[illegible]
Collector

Rs 6950
11-71

the actual balances be-
longing to each circle.

3. The works specified
in G. Os 7th June 1871,
N° 216, and 21st July 1871,
N° 301, have been provided
for (though in several
cases with reduced allot-
ments) with the exceptions
noted in the margin of
para 16 of the Board's
Proceedings reviewing
the Vizagapatam budget.
Of these the third item, with
a requirement of Rs
3000, belongs to Jeypore.
The P. W. Department
is requested to cause
this to be met, if pos-
sible, from the grant
of Rs 10,000 from Pro-
vincial funds for roads
in Jeypore. The second

and

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Let the proposal be
with those of your
Division with separate
estimates and
Remarks as to the
proposed Bridges
Should any other
works be required
to complete any
work on an extensive
scale they must be
dealt with separately
& with separate
& the appropriate
Security

A. V. ...

the Ramabhadrapuram and Pachipenta road.

and fourth works have been postponed by the local board as not immediately urgent. For the first work, which appears also in the list of works for which additional provincial grant is asked, Rs 17,910 were originally entered. From the list referred to it appears that up to the end of August Rs 3768 were expended upon it and that for the year Rs 9267 were required. The Board of Revenue ought to have modified the allotments in the budgets so as to provide at least for the expenditure which has actually been incurred.

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As for the second work entered in the list, the road from Vizianagaram to Chittivalsa G.O, P.W. Dept. 23rd June 1871, No. 1106, does not disclose any very urgent necessity; and it must be deferred to next year.

4. The Ramabhadrapuram and Pachipenta Road lies altogether in the Vizagapatam circle. The Govt observe that owing to the proposed reduction in the allotments for works in the Vizagapatam district, the charge for P.W.D general establishment will, on the general revision fall below

below the sum specified in G.O. 7th June. The whole of the local fund budgets having now been examined, Govt are in a position to anticipate that the charge, allowing for the modification in the budget made below, will be, for the Vizagapatam circle Rs 12,960, and for Narsapatam, Rs 4300. Rs 9000 will be entered in the Vizagapatam budget for the road now in question, and this sum will be provided by the reduction of the proposed allotment for item No. 2 in statement II A which will probably not be utilized being proposed so late in the year, and which besides is for a work on which no expenditure was incurred up

up to the current year; by the reduction of the charge for general establishment, and by sundry reductions noted below. Also the distribution of the provincial grant is revised by Govt, Rs 6410 being allowed to Narsapatam, and Rs 16,110 to Vizagapatam.

5. The charge for inspection will be apportioned in the ratio of the remaining Educational allotments, Rs 1150 to Vizagapatam and Rs 670 to Narsapatam. (Vide Local fund rule XLIX).

6. The letter from the Secy to the Inspector General, Indian Medical Dept, read above, shows that of the charge, Rs 5070, for vaccination, only Rs 2750 belongs to Vizagapatam proper. Rupees 1850 will be charged to the Vizagapatam Circle and Rs 900 to Narsapatam.

7. Vizagapatam — By the transfer from the Narsapatam

Narsapatam provincial grant the receipts of this Circle are raised to Rupees 103,990. A Union is to be formed at Parvatipore and the charges of the School, of what class is not stated, are to be paid from the balance of funds belonging to the late School which formerly existed there previous to the levy of the house tax. The Board of Revenue will call for report as to the class of the proposed school. Meanwhile the allotments in the budget may stand.

8. The additional appropriation from the (St. II). land cess must be raised from Rs 20,460 as passed by the Board of Revenue to Rs 21,000. The

road

road fund assets will then stand at Rs 96,050, and the charges as shown in the margin. Grant I, Public Works, amounts to Rs 95,820.

	Rs
New Works	40,370
Repairs	37,310
Establishment	16,510
Tools & plant	770
Reserve	1,050
	96,010
Balance	40
	96,050.

9. The items of Grant II call for no further remark. It is Rupees 3,160.

10. The Board of Revenue have rightly inserted the contributions for the Dispensaries at Vizagapatam and Palconda. Pending further report as to the agreement arrived at by the local and municipal bodies as to the shares of the charge the sums entered in G. O. dated 17th April Rs 491

Rs 491 are passed. The grant is Rs 2960.

11. Grant IV is passed at Rupees 300.

12. The budget as revised by Govt is as follows.

Receipts

	Rs
Balances	4,500
Allotments &c	16,170
Rates & taxes	81,220
Fees	30
Endowments &c	1540
Miscellaneous	230
	103990

Expenditure.

Grant I.	95820
Grant II	3160
Grant III	2960
Grant IV	300.
	102240

Balances.

Road-fund	40	
Union fund	1490	
General	220	
		1750
		103990.

Nursapatam

12. Narsapatam — After what has been said above this budget requires but few remarks. The receipts will be as follows:—

	Rs.
Balances	2,250
Allotments &c.	6,600
Rates & taxes	28080
	36830.

13. The Road fund receipts are reduced to Rupees 32,190, and the charges are as follows:—

New Works	12,600
Repairs	13,140
Establishment	6,110
Tools & plant	250
	32,100
Balance	90
	32,190.

14. The whole expenditure is as follows

follows:—

Grant I	32,260
Grant II	1,830
Grant III	900
Grant IV	170.
	35,160

Balance

Road fund	90	
General	1,580	
		1,670
		36,830.

15. The Collector & President will reply to the Order issued on the subject of the transfer of the Dispensaries at Vizagapatam and Palconda

16. The Revenue and local fund boards will see that the Govt. have not been able to comply with the request for an additional provincial grant during the current year

year. The Revenue Board may however take credit in the budgets for a provincial grant for 1872-73 ~~of~~ double that assigned for the current year; and if there is not time to consult the local boards as to its appropriation may allot it subject to a subsequent expression of their wishes, or may retain it unallotted for subsequent appropriation

H.L.

The Rev. Dept "
— " Board of Revenue "
— Coll. of Vizagapatam 6
— Accountt General 6
— P. W. Dept. "
— Insp. Genl. Ind. Dept. 6
— Dir. Pub. Instr. 7
— Surv. Commr. 6

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Govt. of {187/} Madras.

Financial

To

The Revenue Board

Dated Decr 13 } 187/, No. 773.
Recd.

Nos. 56. 61.

Passing orders on the Local fund Budgets of the Vizagapatam and Karsapatam Circles for 1871-72.