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Local Funds—Medical.

No. 153. Read the following Proceedings of the Board of Revenue, dated 23rd June 1875, No. 1738:—

Read the following letters:—

From H. ST. A. GOODRICH, Esq., Acting Collector of Vizagapatam, to H. E. STOKES, Esq., Acting Secretary to the Board of Revenue, dated 27th May 1875, No. 932.

REFERRING to paragraph 6 of Board's Proceedings, No. 670, dated 20th March 1875, I have the honor to submit, for approval, the following proposals regarding the utilization of the General Fund Balance of Rupees 17,230:—

Receipts.	Rs.	*Disbursements.*	Rs.	Rs.
1. General Fund Balance	17,230	1. Opening a Dispensary at Yelamanchili		3,880
2. Contribution from Government for the Dispensary at Yelamanchili ...	225	Building	1,780	
3. Contribution from the Zemindarni of Bobbili for the Dispensary at Bobbili	1,500	Medicines, &c. ...	2,100	
		Total...	3,880	
		2. Opening a Dispensary at Bobbili		3,880
		Building	1,780	
		Medicines, &c.	2,100	
		Total...	3,880	
		3. Constructing Dispensary buildings at		5,340
		1. Narsipatam	1,780	
		2. Anakapalli	1,780	
		3. Srungavarapukotta.	1,780	
		Total...	5,340	
		4. Digging tanks at		1,500
		1. Narasannapeta ...	500	
		2. Narsingapilly ...	500	
		3. Bayavaram	500	
		Total...	1,500	
		5. Lump sum for grant-in-aid, equivalent to local subscriptions for sanitary purposes		2,000
		6. Cost of six book almirahs		200
		7. Cost of printing Local Fund Board's Proceedings of 1873-74		300
				17,100
		Balance...		1,855
Total...	18,955	Total...		18,955

2. From Board's Proceedings, No. 3,275, dated 14th November 1874, it will be seen that some correspondence has lately passed regarding the establishment of a dispensary at Yelamanchili. The want of a dispensary there is much felt, and the Local Fund Board have, therefore, resolved to set apart Rupees 1,780 for the construction of a dispensary building, and a further sum of Rupees 2,100 for medicines, &c., which is equivalent to the amount sanctioned in the current year's Budget for the new dispensaries at Anakapalli and Srungavarapukotta. In their Order, No. 2,095, dated 15th December 1874, Government already expressed their intention to make a contribution from Provincial Funds at 25 per cent. of the medical officer's salary, &c., on account of Government servants at the place.

3. In my letter recorded in G.O., No. 129, dated 25th January 1875, I stated that the Zemindarni of Bobbili expressed her intention to open a dispensary at the station, but it has not yet been established, and the Local Fund Board have now resolved to have a dispensary of their own there, and with this view have provided a sum of Rupees 3,880, including the cost of medicines, &c. The Zemindarni is understood to purpose to contribute a sum of Rupees 1,500 for the first year, and after this dispensary is started, Rupees 50 a-month from the second year.

4. In the current year's Budget, provision has been made for medicines and other similar charges for the dispensaries at Anakapalli and Srungavarapukotta, but nothing has been set apart for buildings. The District Engineer has now submitted estimates as per margin, amounting to Rupees 1,780 each, for constructing two dispensaries in the above-mentioned places. The Local Fund Board have approved of the two estimates, and provided Rupees 3,560 for this purpose. The estimates are, herewith, submitted for sanction.

2 Plans.
2 Estimates.
2 Specifications.

5. A revised estimate, amounting to Rupees 1,340, was sanctioned in Board's Proceedings, No. 7,241, dated 16th October 1874, for the construction of a dispensary at Narsipatam. When I went out recently on circuit to the Subdivision, I inspected the building like the one lately built at Parvatipore; it is too small for the purpose for which it was built. It being now under the consideration of the Local Fund Board, as will be seen below, to establish a taluq school at Narsipatam, where it is much needed, it is proposed to convert this building into a school-house, and the Local Fund Board have accordingly resolved to allot a sum of Rupees 1,780 for accommodation for a dispensary. The impossibility of procuring a medical officer at once will delay the opening of the dispensary. The school might be opened at once.

The dispensary buildings at Narsipatam, Yelamanchili, and Bobbili will be constructed as per estimates herewith submitted for the dispensaries at Anakapalli and Srungavarapukotta.

6. The Principal Assistant Collector having brought to notice the desirability of taking steps for the improvement of the water-supply in his division, which comprised the late Narsipatam Circle, the Local Fund Board have resolved

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to utilize Rupees 1,500 in constructing tanks in the villages noted below, where the want of water is mostly felt by travellers:

	Rs.
1. Digging a tank at Narsannapeta, a hamlet of Tudipala, a village in the taluq of Golgonda	500
2. Digging a tank at Nursingapilly, a village half-way between Yelamanchili and Thallapalem on the Trunk Road	500
3. Digging a tank at Bayavaram between Thallapalem and Anakapalli on the Trunk Road	500
Total...	1,500

7. On the application of the Senior Assistant Collector, a sum of Rupees 2,000 has been set apart by the Board for grants-in-aid, equivalent to local subscriptions, for approved sanitary and other purposes in his division. The Senior Assistant will only apply for grants where the local contribution has been usefully expended to his satisfaction.

8. There are at present six taluq book depôts in the Circle, and applications are being received from the Deputy Tahsildars for almirahs, to keep all the books and maps that are supplied to the depôts. As some such receptacle for books is doubtless necessary, a sum of Rupees 200 is provided for six almirahs at the average cost of about Rupees 33⅓ each.

9. The District Press was unable to print the Local Fund Proceedings from time to time as Supplement to the District Gazette. The consequence is that the Proceedings of the Vizagapatam and the late Narsipatam Circles, from October 1873 to December 1874, have not been published as yet. Fresh type having been recently supplied to the Press here, and the management improved, I have issued instructions to print the recent Proceedings from the commencement of this year as Supplement to the Gazette, and to suffer no arrears to accumulate. It is proposed to get the back numbers printed in one of the private Presses here, and the Local Fund Board have approved of the charges to be incurred thereby. The Printer of the Arsha Press asks Rupees 300 for 350 copies, including the cost of paper, or only Rupees 200 if paper be supplied to him. The former sum has been provided.

10. In the current year's Budget, a lump sum of Rupees 6,500 was provided for opening schools in the Vizagapatam and Narsipatam Divisions. Before proceeding to submit proposals for the utilization of this amount, I beg to point out an error made in paragraphs 2 and 3 of Board's Proceedings, No. 1,088, dated 30th April 1875. From the Budget for this year, the Board will observe that provision was duly made for the ten schools sanctioned in G.O., No. 1,266, dated 30th July 1874, and the cost thereof should not therefore be included in the sum of Rupees 6,500 above referred to. This is a mere lump sum provided for any new schools that may be started in the course of the year, and includes the cost of the eight schools to be established in the Narsipatam Division.

11. In my letter, No. 688, dated 22nd April 1875, sanction was solicited for opening eight elementary schools in the Narsipatam Division in the places noted in the margin, at a total cost of Rupees 2,520, on the scale sanctioned in G.O., No. 1,266, dated 30th July 1874; the average cost of each school being Rs. 315 a-year, as stated below:

1. Paravada.
2. Dimila.
3. Yelamanchili.
4. Nakkapilli.
5. Kondakirla.
6. Narsipatam.
7. Kota Uratta.
8. Madgole.

		Rs.
1.	Salary of Master. Pay at 5 Rupees a-month	60
	Result Grants...	75
2.	One servant at 2 Rupees a-month	24
3.	Contingencies at 8 Annas a-month	6
4.	Construction of a school-house	100
5.	Maps and Books	10
6.	Furniture	40
	Total ...	315

In two of the eight schools mentioned above, *viz.*, Narsipatam and Yelamanchili, in each of which a middle-class school is much needed, the Local Fund Board have now resolved to establish taluq schools on the scale sanctioned for the middle-class school at Parvatipore. They have provided a sum of Rupees 1,000 in this year towards the construction of a pucka school-house at Yelamanchili, similar to the one sanctioned for the Parvatipore School. No provision has been made for a school building at Narsipatam, it being proposed, as stated in paragraph 5 *supra*, to convert the present dispensary building into a school-house.

12. It has come to the notice of the Board that two schools have lately been started at Yelamanchili and Narsipatam, the former receiving a Government grant of Rupees 15 a-month, and the latter Rupees 16½. As the Local Fund Board propose to open middle-class schools in these two villages, and have liberally provided for them, they trust that the present schools will be made over to them, and Government grant allowed to the two schools.

13. The following is an abstract of the above proposals to be carried out in the Narsipatam Division of the Circle:—

Receipts.	Rs.	*Disbursements.*	Rs.
1. Lump sum provided for opening schools in the Narsipatam Division.	4,000	1. (*a*) Cost of eight schools recommended for sanction in this office letter, No. 688, dated 22nd April 1875, at Rupees 315 for each school ...	2,520
2. Government grant for the schools at Yelamanchili and Narsipatam, at 15 Rupees each per mensem	360	(*b*) Deduct cost of schools at Narsipatam and Yelamanchili, at 315 Rupees each	630
		(*c*) Cost of six schools	1,890
		2. Cost of two taluq schools at Narsipatam and Yelamanchili, at Rupees 550 each	1,100
		3. Cost of building a school at Yelamanchili	1,000
			3,990
		Balance...	370
Total ...	4,360		4,360

14. From the sum of Rupees 2,500, provided for establishing new schools in the Vizagapatam Division of the Circle, the Local Fund Board recommended a transfer of Rupees 1,000 for planting topes on the road from Bimlipatam to Vizianagrum. Sanction is solicited to this proposal. There will then be left a balance of Rupees 1,500, which the Local Fund Board would utilize as follows.

15. Previous to 1874 there existed a grant-in-aid school at Rajam with a monthly cost of Rupees 65-4-0, Rupees 27-8-0 of this being contributed by Government. In 1872, the managers of the school reported their inability to maintain it, and petitioned the Local Fund Board to take it over under their management on consideration of its declining state, and the inability of the people to support it. As the Inspector of Schools, to whom the question was referred for his opinion, was against the proposal, their request was not then taken into consideration by the Local Fund Board. But in his report for 1873-74, the Deputy Inspector of Schools recommended that the school be re-established, and brought to notice that it had failed in consequence of the refusal of the Zemindarni of Bobbili to continue to feed in her choultry some of the poor boys who were hitherto reading in the school. The Diwan of Bobbili, who was thereupon requested to take steps to resuscitate the school, having expressed his willingness to continue the help so generously given before, the Local Fund Board have now resolved to establish a middle-class school there, and provided a sum of Rupees 550, which is the amount sanctioned for the Parvatipore School. There is already a suitable building which will now be occupied by the Local Fund School proposed to be opened at Rajam.

16. The Deputy Tahsildar at Salore has brought to the notice of the Local Fund Board the necessity for a middle-class school at Salore, where there is at present a lower-class school under the Local Fund Board, which is one of the ten schools sanctioned for the Vizagapatam Division of the Circle in G.O., No. 1,266, dated 30th July 1874. The Local Fund Board, being satisfied that this school should be raised to a higher standard, have resolved to convert it into a middle-class school.

In 1872 there was a grant-in-aid school at Salore, receiving a monthly grant of Rupees 8 from Provincial Funds; and, as stated in the last paragraph, the Rajam School was drawing 27½ Rupees a-month from Government; so that the two schools were formerly getting on an average a Government grant of Rupees 18 each. As the Local Fund Board have now resolved to establish middle-class schools in these villages, they trust that a monthly grant of at least 15 Rupees for each school will be allowed, which is equivalent to the amount asked for each of the schools at Yelamanchili and Narsipatam.

17. Government in their Order, No. 2,142, dated 22nd December 1874, sanctioned the establishment of a school at Srungavarapukotta. But no provision has been made in the current year's Budget for this purpose; and the Local Fund Board have therefore provided Rupees 200 under this head.

18. They have further resolved to open a lower-class school at Laveru, a large village in the Cheepurupilli Taluq, and provided a sum of Rupees 300 for this purpose.

19. The above proposals to establish new schools in the Vizagapatam Division would involve an expenditure of Rupees 1,500 as detailed below :—

Receipts.	Rs.	*Disbursements.*	Rs.
1. Lump sum provided for opening schools in the Vizagapatam Division.	1,500	1. Cost of school at Srungavarapukotta, for which no provision was made in the Budget	200
2. Government grant for the schools at Rajam and Salore at Rupees 15 each	300	2. Establishment of a school at Laveru	300
		3. Cost of establishing a middle-class school at Salore, where there is already a lower-class school, at an annual cost of about Rupees 200, which should be deducted from 550 Rupees	350
		4. Cost of opening a middle-class school at Rajam	550
		5. Purchase of books and furniture for the new schools at Laveru and Rajam	100
Total ...	1,800	Total ...	1,500

20. The above proposals have all been approved of by the Vizagapatam Local Fund Board at a meeting held on the 17th instant; and I have the honor to request the Board will obtain the sanction of Government for the same, and thereafter place the following amounts at the disposal of the Public Works Department :—

	Rs.
1. Constructing Dispensaries at a cost of Rupees 1,780 each, in the following places, viz., Yelamanchili, Bobbili, Anakapilli, Srungavarapukotta, and Narsipatam	8,900
2. Constructing a school-house at Yelamanchili (in part) ...	1,000
3. Planting topes on the Vizianagrum Road	1,000
Total...	10,900

Enclosures Nos. 1 and 2.—Plans.

Enclosures Nos. 3 and 4.—Estimates.

Enclosures Nos. 5 and 6.—Specification Reports.

From the same Officer, dated Vizagapatam, 2nd June 1875, No. 996.

Referring to paragraph 3 of my letter of 27th ultimo, No. 932, I have the honor to inform you that the Zemindarni of Bobbili has liberally agreed to contribute Rupees 1,500 for the current year towards the construction of a building and purchase of medicines for the dispensary at Bobbili, and further to subscribe Rupees 50 a-month after the dispensary is started.

2. Her liberality is wisely directed, and will be widely beneficial to her dependants and neighbours.

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According to the Vizagapatam Local Fund Budget of 1875-76, a General Fund Balance of Rupees 17,230 remained unallotted, and the President was directed to submit proposals for utilizing it. This he now does, and also makes detailed proposals for allotting the grants of Rupees 4,000 and Rupees 2,500 for establishing schools in the old Narsipatam and Vizagapatam Circles.

2. The allotments proposed from the General Fund Balance are as follows :

	Rs.
1. Constructing dispensaries at Yelamanchili, Bobbili, Narsipatam, Anakapalli, and Srungavarapukotta, at Rs. 1,780 each...	8,900
2. Medicines, &c., for those at Yelamanchili and Bobbili (net amount ¼ of Medical Subordinate's pay, and Rupees 1,500 to be contributed by the Rani of Bobbili being deducted) the other dispensaries being provided for ...	2,475
3. Tanks and sanitary expenditure	3,500
4. Book Almirahs	200
5. Printing Local Fund Board's Proceedings	300
	15,375
Unallotted	1,855
	17,230

3. The Board sanction the plans and estimates for the dispensary buildings at Anakapalli and Srungavarapukotta. The sanction of Government will be requested for the establishment of the proposed dispensaries at Yelamanchili and Bobbili. A building has already been erected at Narsipatam for a dispensary, but is said to be too small; and it is proposed to utilize it for a middle-class school and to build another dispensary. The disposal of this proposition depends on the orders of Government as to the school which will be asked for below. The arrears of printing of Local Fund Board's Proceedings must be brought up in the District Press without charge to the Local Fund. The Collector will see that this is done.

4. The other allotments are sanctioned.

	Rs.
Dispensaries	3,560
Tanks	1,500
Sanitary improvements	2,000
Almirahs	200
Total ...	7,260

5. As to the educational allotments in the Budget, the President explains with reference to his letter submitted to Government with Board's Proceedings, dated 30th April 1875, No. 1,088, that the ten schools in the Vizagapatam Circle were already provided for, and that the scheme of charges submitted was intended for the eight schools in Narsipatam only; and accordingly, except so far as appropriated for these schools, the whole of the allotment of Rupees 6,500 is available. The names of the eight villages were given in the President's letter, dated 22nd April 1875, No. 688. It is now proposed to establish middle-class schools at two of these places, *viz.*, Narsipatam and Yelamanchili, at a cost of Rupees 550 each; to build a school-house at a cost

Board's Proceedings, dated 28th May 1875, No. 1,443.

of Rupees 1,000 at the latter place, the existing dispensary building being made over for the school at the former; to open middle-class schools at Rajam and Salore at Rupees 550 each; to raise the school at Srungavarapukotta to the middle class; to open a lower-class school at Laveru at Rupees 300; to provide books, &c., for Laveru and Rajam schools Rupees 100; and to transfer Rupees 1,000 to the Department of Public Works for planting topes on a road.

6. The Board are of opinion that all these proposals for the establishment of middle-class schools should be disallowed by Government. Not only is no special reason given for breaking through the principle, but reasons can be discerned why this should not be permitted. At Narsipatam and Yelamanchili, there are schools aided by Government now existing, and the Local Board propose to supersede them and appropriate their grants; at Rajam the attendance in the middle-class school is apparently dependent on the boys being fed by the Rani of Bobbili; and no necessity is alleged for raising the standard of the school at Srungavarapukotta. It should be seen whether the grant-in-aid schools can supply the demand for middle-class education at the first two places named, and there seems to be no real demand at all at Rajam. It would have been better had the Local Board submitted proposals for further extending elementary schools on the combined system.

7. These proposals being disallowed, the amount allotted from the Rupees 6,500 will be as follows:—

	Rs.
Eight schools as per Board's Proceedings, 30th April and 28th May 1875, at Rupees 315 each (Rupees 270 + 45, Rupees 75 being taken instead of Rupees 30 as the estimated results grant)	2,520
School at Laveru with books, &c.	350
Planting topes	1,000
	3,870
And from the General Fund Balance	7,260
Total ...	11,130

Of the whole sum of Rupees 23,730, there remains unappropriated Rupees 12,600; but of this, Rupees 6,035 will be utilized should Government sanction dispensaries at Yelamanchili and Bobbili.

8. The Board observe, however, that as the opening balance of the General Fund exceeded the estimate by Rupees 23,726, the sum still unutilized will be Rupees 30,291.

	Rs.
Constructing dispensary at Srungavarapukotta and Anakapalli ...	3,560
Planting topes along the Vizagapatam and Bimlipatam Roads	1,000
Total ...	4,560

9. The Accountant-General is requested to place Rupees 4,560 at the disposal of the Public Works Department from the General Fund for the purposes noted in the margin.

(True Copies and Extract.)

(Signed) H. E. STOKES,
Acting Secretary.

No. 159. ORDER THEREON, 23rd July 1875, No. 1527.

The Governor in Council sanctions the establishment of dispensaries at Yelamanchili and Bobbili, but is not prepared, for the reasons set forth by the Board of Revenue, to sanction the proposals to establish middle-class schools at the places* mentioned.

* Narsipatam.
Yelamanchili.
Rajam.
Salore.
Srungavarapukotta.

2. It must be distinctly understood that the Government will not sanction the expenditure of Local Funds on the establishment of additional schools other than elementary.

(True Extract.)

D. F. CARMICHAEL,
Officiating Chief Secretary.

To the Board of Revenue.
,, Surgeon-General, Indian Medical Department.
,, Director of Public Instruction.
,, Accountant-General.

Exd. A. S. Rodgers.

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To

THE BOARD OF REVENUE,
&c., &c., &c.

Dated July, 23rd.

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G.O., 23rd July 1875, No. 1527.

JULY.
Nos. 158-159.

Local Funds—Medical.—The establishment of dispensaries at Yelamanchili and Bobbili, in Vizagapatam District, sanctioned; but the proposal to establish middle-class schools at certain places in the old Vizagapatam and Narsipatam Centres, refused sanction.

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Board of Revenue,

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PROCEEDINGS, 23RD JUNE 1875, No. 1,738.

Read the following letter, dated 15th July 1875, No. 1527, from the Secretary to Government, Public Department.

Received 17th July 1875.

JUNE.

No. 1,738.

Dispensary Buildings—at Anakapalli and Srungavarapukota in Vizagapatam District—Plans and estimates for — as well as allotments for certain other items, sanctioned, and sanction of Government requested for the establishment of dispensaries at Yelamanchili and Bobbili. Remarks passed with reference to President's proposals for all-thing certain grants for establishing schools in the old Narsipatam and Vizagapatam Circles, and Accountant-General requested to place Rupees 4,560 at the disposal of Public Works Department from General Fund, for constructing the first two dispensaries and for planning those along the Vizagapatam and Bimlipatam Roads.

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PROCEEDINGS of the MADRAS GOVERNMENT.

Read the following letter from Board of Revenue, No. 2302, dated June 1875, No. 1738.

Order thereon—Ordered 23rd July 1875, No. 1527.

The Government sanctions the establishment of dispensaries at Yelamanchili and Bobbili, but is not prepared, for the reasons set forth by the Board of Revenue, to sanction the proposals to establish middle class schools at the places mentioned.

* Narsipatam.
Yelamanchili.
Rajam
Salore
Srungavarapukotta.

To Board of Revenue.
Surgeon Genl. & Ex Offo. 16
Surveyor Genl. Pub. Instruction 7
Accts. Genl. 6

Dated 15/7/75

Minutes of Consultation

Ordered that the Govt. wish not sanction the expenditure of Local Funds on the establishment of Middle Schools at Yelamanchili and Bobbili, but that the Board of Revenue be requested to submit proposals for establishing Lower Elementary Schools at those places.

more than doubled all the Sanitary yield - dispensaries & hospitals - for this reason Permanent Charges

How I find that the Sum of the annual assessments for Sanitation is Rs. 34,000 The grant of Rs. 1,000 per annum 28,000 (including Rs 6,000 for Hospitals) - do not here in fact Rs 6,000 all told) in effect Created out of - I want to know how much of the Rs 6,000 already Exists Rs 6,000 Budget Grant) is non-Recurring charge - & that all the annual upkeep of the additional dispensaries estimated for. We are looking up two and I am sanitation in some instances dispensaries & I want Sir Edward Maclagan that the grant (Education) does not fall Rs 6,500 only a sum of Assessments of Rs 34,000 (plus any Prov. Grant -

I think that the money spent on dispensaries is the most useful; ~~many~~ big which we ~~appoint~~ It is the only available means can implant on the Native mind, the superiority of European medical treatment & it may facilitate what is so urgently pressed upon us - the establishment of medical classes. -

Rly.

Govt. of 1875 Madras.

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To

Dated 23 July 1875. No. 1527

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Nos. 1558-9

Local Funds. Sanctions the establishment of Dispensaries at Pydamanchili and Kothavalasa in Vizagapatam District sanctioned, but the proposal to establish Middle Class Schools at certain places in the Dist. Vizagapatam and Narsipatnam Circles, refused Sanction.