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Proceedings of the Madras Government, Financial Department,
10th September 1875.

Local Funds—Medical.

No. 81. Read the following Proceedings of the Board of Revenue, dated 23rd August 1875, No. 2,367.

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At the close of the last official year, the Local Fund Board, Masulipatam Circle, passed a resolution that half of the expenses of the town dispensary may be contributed in future by the Local Fund Board, in lieu of the ordinary contribution of Rupees 1,000 provided in the budget, which has been found insufficient, and the Municipality of Masulipatam not being able to provide a sufficient allotment of funds for the purpose, and being in debt to Government both on account of water-tax and for supply of medicines, without cash in hand to meet these demands.

2. The Municipal Commission has now submitted an estimate, amounting to Rupees 718, for re-flooring the hospital and dispensary with asphalte, requesting that half the expense should be provided by Local Funds.

3. The Local Fund Board have agreed to pay the moiety; and I have now, therefore, the honor to request that sanction may be granted for the payment of the amount (Rupees 359) from the General Fund Reserve.

4. The dispensary flooring is reported by the Zillah Surgeon to be in an unclean and unwholesome condition, absorbing every fluid that is spilt.

5. I visited the place a few days ago, and found the flooring to be in a very dilapidated state indeed. It would probably have been repaired some time ago, but for the inability of the Municipality (which provided most of the funds) to set apart funds for fresh works since the abolition of the professional tax.

6. I think that the plan of payment of the balance of expenses of dispensaries in half shares is a good arrangement and perfectly fair to the Local Funds, as very many of the most serious cases among the in-patients are brought in from distant taluqs.

7. The total contribution required for the dispensary and hospital for the current year is about Rupees 4,000. The half of this, Rupees 2,000, added to Rupees 359, half the cost of repairing the flooring of the building, will be Rupees 2,359.

8. I have therefore, at the request of both Local Boards, the honor to apply for sanction for Rupees 1,359* to be made available for the current year from the balance of the General Fund Reserve.

* Rupees 1,000 having already been entered in this year's budget.

9. This would assimilate the practice here, as regards the maintenance of the institution, to that which has been pursued at Guntoor and found to work advantageously.

10. It appears that the arrangement that the Local Fund Board should contribute Rupees 1,000 annually was made in the year 1871; since that time, the work done and the number of in-patients treated have increased, so that it is found that an undue share of the expense is now cast upon Municipal Funds. The matter has been fully discussed at meetings of both Boards. I enclose copy of the

resolution arrived at by the Local Fund Board, and the estimate prepared by the District Engineer for the new flooring of the hospital building.

ENCLOSURE No. 1.—Estimate.

ENCLOSURES Nos. 2 and 3.—Extracts from Proceedings of Local Fund Board.

SUBMITTED to Government with request that sanction be granted for a normal contribution by the Local Fund Board of half the net expenses of the dispensary at Masulipatam, and for the special contribution of Rupees 359 towards the cost of new flooring.

(A true Copy and Extract.)

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

No. 82. ORDER THEREON, 10th September 1875, No. 1819.

Both proposals are sanctioned.

(True Extract.)

D. F. CARMICHAEL.
Officiating Chief Secretary.

To the Board of Revenue, with enclosures.
,, Public Works Department.
,, Accountant-General.

Exd. A. Grubert.

Govt. of 1875. Madras.

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To

The Board of Revenue,

&c., &c., &c.

Dated September, 10*th*.

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G.O., 10*th September* 1875, *No.* 1879.

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Nos. 81-82.

Local Funds—Medical.—Sanction accorded to the contribution by the Masulipatam Circle Board of half the expenses of the Dispensary at Masulipatam and to the special contribution of Rupees 359 towards the cost of re-flooring the building

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(A true Copy and Extract.)

H Ellis

Acting Secretary.

To the Officiating Chief Secretary to Government, Financial Department,
with three original enclosures, to be returned.

Copy to the President of the Local Fund Boards, Kistna District.

Exd. W. H. French.

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Both proposals are sanctioned.

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