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Local Funds—Medical.

No. 154. Read the following Proceedings of the Board of Revenue, dated 14th September 1875, No. 2566 :—

Read the following letter from H. S. THOMAS, Esq., President of the Local Fund Boards, Tanjore District, to H. E. STOKES, Esq., Acting Secretary to the Board of Revenue, dated Vallam, 21st August 1875, No. 599 :—

I HAVE the honor to forward, herewith, an extract from the Proceedings of the Local Fund Board of the Tanjore Circle passed at their meeting held on the 7th instant, in respect to the opening of a Civil Dispensary at Trivadi, a town in the Tanjore Taluq.

2. The circumstances under which the present application is made are as follow :—

3. There is at Trivadi a chuttrum called "Kalyanamahal Chuttrum" founded by His Highness Rajah Sherboji for mixed charitable and family purposes, and now managed by the Local Fund Board under the sanction of Government accorded in G.O., No. 266, dated 17th February 1874 (Financial Department), and communicated in the Board's Proceedings, Miscellaneous No. 1,381, dated 27th idem.

4. In the Deed by which this chuttrum is established it is provided that a certain portion of its income should be spent in charity, and another portion on the maintenance of certain ladies, the income assigned for the latter purpose to lapse on their deaths to the former purpose. Lapses of this nature give a surplus income for charitable purposes as under :—

The annual income from the funds, &c., left by the Rajah for the support of the chuttrum and for the maintenance of the surviving dependants of the Mahal is Rupees 17,299. The present cost on account of the former amounts to Rupees 6,410, and on account of the latter to Rupees 5,400, aggregating Rupees 11,810. Deducting this sum from Rupees 17,299, which is the gross income of the year, there is left a balance of Rupees 5,489 as shown below :—

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Balance ...		5,489

5. To utilize this surplus sum of Rupees 5,489, which (taking into consideration the lapses likely to occur among the surviving dependants of the Mahal) may come up to about Rupees 6,000, it is proposed to establish a public dispensary at Trivadi as part of the general charitable institution of the Kalyanamahal Chuttrum, as it will be no deviation from the wishes of the founder, inasmuch as real charity will be performed to the public by dieting patients and affording medical relief to the sick and wounded, and a charity of a nature of which the original founder showed his own estimate by the personal interest taken and outlay made during his lifetime on the Rajah Hospital in Tanjore.

6. Taking into consideration the importance of the town of Trivadi, to which Hindu pilgrims, not only from the Tanjore and the surrounding districts, but also from all parts of Southern India resort, especially on the occasions of the periodical religious festivals, and when, owing to the gathering of immense crowds of people, epidemics are apt to break out, the place is a very fit one for the establishment of a dispensary, and the Kalyanamahal Chuttrum itself is well adapted to afford fitting accommodation, it being lofty and spacious and one part of it can, with very little cost, be converted into a commodious hospital.

7. The scale of establishment required for the proposed dispensary and sanctioned by the Local Fund Board, in consultation with the Zillah Surgeon, is as follows:—

	Rs.
1 Native Medical Subordinate of the rank of 1st-Class Hospital Assistant	60
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Total per annum ...	1,152
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Dieting patients	1,004
Total cost ...	3,536

8. Under the above circumstances, I request that the Board will be pleased to support the proposal of the Local Fund Board, and obtain the sanction of Government thereto.

Enclosure No. 1.—Extract from Proceedings of Local Fund Board.

Submitted for the orders of Government.

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hospital in the same building as that occupied by travellers seems undesirable; and in case of epidemic amongst the pilgrims might even tend to spread it.

3. The Board observe from the Local Fund Budget of 1875-76 that the year was expected to open with a balance of Rupees 12,396, and to close with one of Rupees 17,885. The former sum at least is available for the construction of a suitable building; and the Board think that such should be provided, even though it be necessary to defer the establishment of the dispensary to the beginning of the next official year. If the opening balance will suffice, the dispensary might be temporarily placed, as proposed, in the Chuttrum building.

(A true Copy and Extract.)

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

No. 155. Order thereon, 16th October 1875, No. 2048.

The Governor in Council approves unhesitatingly the proposed appropriation of the surplus income of the Kalyanamahal Chuttrum towards the establishment of a Dispensary at Trivady, as being entirely consonant with the benevolent intentions of the late Rajah Sarabhójí when he constituted the trust.

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3. The plan should show also the area of the land belonging to the Mahal on which the building stands.

4. The Collector will further report how the surplus income has hitherto been dealt with.

(True Extract.)

Officiating Chief Secretary.

To the Board of Revenue, with enclosure returned.
,, Surgeon-General, Indian Medical Department.

Exd. J. Wright.

Govt. of 1875 Mad.

FINANCIAL.

To

THE BOARD OF REVENUE,

&c.,

Dated October, 16th.

Issued

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G.O., 16th October 1875, No. 2048.

OCTOBER.

Nos. 154-155.

Local Funds—Medical.—Proposed appropriation of the surplus income of the Kalyanamahal Chuttrum towards the establishment of a Dispensary at Trivady, Tanjore Circle, approved; a plan of the Kalyanamahal building, showing space proposed to be assigned for the Dispensary, &c., called for.

No. 2,566.

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(A true Copy and Extract.)

Acting Secretary.

To the Officiating Chief Secretary to Government, Financial Department,
with extract from Proceedings of Local Fund Board, to be returned.

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

Exd. W. H. French.

Sent
Hon. Mr Hutchins

Letter Bath. 21075

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Dear Mr Carmichael

This morning I found on my table some letters & enclosures, & a letter of return -

Mr Mahony is ale but positive that the surplus income had hitherto been invested in Govt Promy Note & this fund is borne out by their total being quoted in Proclds of 29 May 1869 at R 175,000 and of 17 Feby 1874 at R1,85,000 while since this last date a balance has accrued at Branch in the Treasy of Rev: Bd Proc. 14 Sept 1875 No. 2566. These depositors are among the enclosures.

Transmitted (by Postal Route) Revenue Secretary

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Board of Revenue, MADRAS.

PROCEEDINGS, 14TH SEPTEMBER 1875, No. 2,566

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SEPTEMBER.

No. 2,566.

Civil Dispensary—at Trivadi in Tanjore Circle.—Proposal of Local Fund Board to utilize the surplus of the Kalyanamahal chuttrum endowment in the establishment of —, approved and submitted to Government. Remarks passed on the advisability of locating the hospital in the chuttrum building.

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The only reversionary interest now existing under the will of the late Raja is in favor of charity, the former partial reversionary interest in favor of the posthumous heir Y. Avarai Saib having been thoroughly got rid of under careful legal advice. as the details thereof are shown in the enclosures.

I am sorry to see the objection raised in para 2 of the 18th Proc. dated 14th Sept 1875 No. 2566. It seems to me to have no more applicability in this case than in the other Chattram dispensaries. Wherever in existence in the Tanjore district the dispensary is I think under the same roof

as the Chattram, and that the inmates of the two are kept perfectly distinct. No complaint has ever been raised of infection being carried thereby, any more than objection is taken to infectious diseases being treated in one ward of a General Hospital & the inmates of other wards of the same. ||

There are advantages in the dispensaries being closely connected with the Chattrams. The Chattram Superintendents can therefore daily exercise a proper supervision over the general conduct of the medical subordinates as respects punctuality, attendances, attention, their admitting

patients freely, other expen-
ditures of diet, oil, &c. Mos-
over pilgrims not unfre-
quently arrive in a very
emaciated state, covered
with sores, & not a few ar
diseased. All of these need
medical treatment as well
as food, and find their
proper place in the hospi-
tal part of the Choultry
where also they can have
a special dietary differing
from the common one
of the hall. Moreover the
diseased are best promptly
removed from their fellow
pilgrims in the open Chattram
thus I do not think it could
be considered that the
placing the hospital under
the same roof with the Chattram
is a sound sanitary rule.

2/ rather the reverse. Ample
provision will be made here as else-
where not only for the sep-
aration of the hospital
wards from the Chattram
wards but also of the several
wards from each other.

In contemplating
the building for which
hospital it is to be borne
in mind that a site also
will have to be purchased
in the town of Trivadi in
which land is very valuable.

I think it would be
the greatest pity not to use
the Kaliyana Mahal building
it already affords
ample accommodation for the

requirements of a walk separated hospital.
I has also the special recommendation that this expending, towards lapses of allowances to pensioners occurs, so also will lapses of the room occupied by them simultaneously occur, so that the room available will continue to keep pace with the increase of funds which are calculated to rise from R5,489 to R5289 + R5,400 = R10,889.
So that eventually the hospital may be a room-sufficiently one—

It is also in contemplation to increase as this appreciated the midwife establishment so as to provide intelligent & instructed nurses for out as well as in patients.
Under all these circumstances it is proposed to sell the existing palace & money to buy a new site & build a new hospital.
If the Board have any hesitation in the matter a plan of the building might be called for, together

with a sketch of the arrangements proposed to be made.

about the Turtle bar Creek I sent you my report some 20 or more months ago & no orders had been passed on it when I left Tanjore. I heard casually that the Engineer had been directed to estimate for a new sail at Tanjore. If this be so and the new sail is to be large enough for the whole district proposed it will practically decide the Kanjanbar question in favour of Negapatam

Yr ml
St. Thomas.

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replies reading Lt. Thomas's note, & the former papers pertaining. I would propose to approve unhesitatingly the proposed appropriation of the surplus in cash in the hands of the Bishop of Madras for finishing entirely & completing the Cathedral in accordance with the plans & specifications of Captain Caldecott & to be substituted for that. But I would request Sir John S. Edward to forward a plan of the Calgary Market building, showing locality & recommended the surviving duties of the Local

and their Estimates -

to accompd: appropriation
for the Existing Establishment
& purposes.
and the Opinion of it
is proposed to assign
for the Dispensary & the details of allotment.

Dr. Alcock to Col.
& Report on the hospital
is contemplated
from Malta.

The plan should show
the area of the land
belonging to the Hospital
in wch the building
stands. In the Centre

to bring forward a suitable
plan for the Dispensary
Lem Lordships Letter
of Decr last & Lord
Lem Somerset from which
it appears since the Govr
assumed the Duties.
that Mr. Thomas assumes
that the Hospital is
too spacious that there
is no room for visitors
abt putting the Dispensary
in it.

Duncan
Q&O BT
Secretary
PRR

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10.10.55

Trivadi Dispensary

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Financial Department.

PROCEEDINGS of the MADRAS GOVERNMENT.

Read the following ~~letter~~ Proc.
of the Board of Revenue
Dy 14 Sept 75 No 2566.

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Order thereon-

"The Governor in
Council in according
his sanction to the pro-
posal of the Local Fund
Board of the Tanjore Circle
to establish a Dispensary
at Trivadi, agrees with
the Board of Revenue
in considering that it
is undesirable for reasons
stated by them in para-
2 of their Proceedings, that
the Institution should
be permanently placed
in the "Kalyanamahal
Chuttrum".

Rep. sanctioning
[illegible]
be chd. towards the
Plus Establishment Last
Landis posted Sept 1875.
The Coll. is in Utz. &
could perhaps tell us
if Rent rept.
The Ex. decision on the
dis. Fs. of the Kalyana
Mahal premises should be allowed
Can it return that
if this is not necessary
interest - OK

To
The Bd. of Revenue
" Secy. Jud. & Mil. Dept
" Accts General.
Ut. 25 Sept 75

Establ.t of a Dispensary at Trivady - Tanjore Dist.

Govt. of {187 } Madras.

To

Dated

Recd. } 187 , No.

Nos.

Financial Department. 25

PROCEEDINGS of the MADRAS GOVERNMENT.

Read the following ~~letter~~ Report

the Board of Revenue dated 16

September 1875 - A 25-66. 25

Order thereon, dated 16 Oct. 1875 no 2048.

The Governor in Council approves unhesitatingly the proposed appropriation

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Govt. of {1874} Madras.

To Genl
16th Collector
No 2048

Dated 16-1 Oct 1874; No.
Recd. 2048

Nos. 154 to 155

Local Funds — Medical

Proposed appropriation of the Surplus income of the Kalyanamahal Chuttrum towards the establishment of a Dispensary at Sirudy Sayne Circle approved.

A plan of the Kalianamahal showing the space proposed to be assigned for the Dispensary be returned.