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Local Funds—Roads.

No. 82. Read the following Proceedings of the Board of Revenue, dated 15th January 1875, No. 80 :—

Read the following letter from G. D. LEMAN, Esq., President, of the Local Fund Boards, Kistna District, to J. GROSE, Esq., Secretary to the Board of Revenue, dated Masulipatam, 25th November 1874, No. 227 :—

In continuation of my letter, No. 137, dated 7th September 1874, I have the honor to report that, on closing the Accounts of the Guntoor Circle for 1873-74, I have discovered that the opening balance of the District Road Fund was considerably over-estimated, while that of the General Fund was under-estimated.

	Road Fund.	General Fund.
	Rs.	Rs.
As per Budget 1874-75 ...	25,000	25,000
,, Accounts 1873-74.	6,966	58,651
Total...	—18,034	+33,651

2. In order to make good this deficiency and to provide for certain charges which will be detailed hereafter, the Guntoor Local Fund Board have resolved, with the permission of the Revenue Board, to appropriate Rupees 42,000 from the General Fund.

3. The following are the purposes* for which funds are needed :—

* Road Fund.

	Rs.
Deficiency in estimate which has to be made good	18,034
As per List of Incomplete works	8,908
As per List of works, etc., for which estimates have been passed but which are waiting funds, etc., in round numbers	14,100
Refunds ordered in Proceedings No. 922, dated 18th April 1874 ...	5,686
Re-gravelling road from Guntoor to Chebrole, Revenue Board's Miscellaneous No. 5,374 of 1874...	4,710
Total...	51,438

4. To meet this amount, the following sums will, if the Revenue Board will approve of it, be available :—

	Rs.
Appropriation from the General Fund now proposed...	42,000
Road Reserve	10,590
Total...	52,590

Deducting from this, Rupees 51,438 now required for expenditure, there will be a reserve of Rupees 1,152, which may be utilized for any emergent purposes that may arise in the course of the year.

5. The General Fund Balance at the beginning of this year is, as above noticed, Rupees 58,651 which together with the receipts as estimated in the budget (1874-75,) viz., Rupees 37,510 will amount to Rupees 96,161. The charges per contra as estimated in the budget *plus* Rupees 42,000 proposed to be appropriated to the Road Fund will amount to Rupees 95,380. There will therefore still remain an unexpended balance of Rupees 781. This, with the reserve, will be amply sufficient for the present purposes of this fund. The amount required in the list of incomplete works is only Rupees 1,724.

	Rs.
Charges	49,630
Reserve	3,750
Appropriation	42,000
Total...	95,380

Rs.
96,161
95,380
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6. I request the Board of Revenue's sanction to the list of incomplete works enclosed and to the appropriation proposed.

ENCLOSURE No. 1.

List showing Works remaining incomplete in the Guntoor Circle of the Kistna District on the 31st March 1874, and for the completion of which funds are required in 1874-75.

No.	Description of Work.	Amount of Estimate.	Amount required for 1874-75.				Remarks and References.
			Actual expenditure from the commencement of work up to 31st March 1874.	By P. W. D.	By other Agency.	Total.	
1	2	3	5	5	6	7	8
	1. COMMUNICATIONS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	
	New Works.						
1	Sanding portion of road between Sandole and Bapatla.	640	234	406	...	406	Passed by the Local Fund Board, 2nd May 1874. Resolution No. 4.
2	Gravelling the portion of road from Inkollu to Chinna Ganjam, which lies within the Kistna District.	1,810	400	1,410	...	1,410	Revenue Board's Procs., of 3rd Oct. 1873, Mis. No. 6,616.
3	Constructing road and bridge between Chinna Ganjam and Salt Kotar.	1,820	...	1,820	...	1,820	Item No. 13 of the List of Incomplete works of 1873-74, G. O., P. W. D., 7th Oct. 1869, No. 3,237.
4	Surveying road from Chilakalurpett to Karemchedu.	600	...	600	...	600	Item No. 15 in the List of Incomplete works of 1872-73.
5	Constructing Palmyra bridges on the road from Karemchedu to Perala.	1,530	691	839	...	839	Item No. 6 in the List of Incomplete works of 1872-73. Revenue Bd's. Procs., of 30th March 1874, Mis., No. 2,179.
6	Do. do. do. from Santaravuru to Vetapalem.	1,710	622	1,088	...	1,088	Item No. 7 in the List of Incomplete works of 1872-73. Bd's., Procs., 30th March 1874, Mis. No. 2,179.
7	Road from Guntur to Sattenapally ...	48,134	47,514	620	...	620	Item No. 5 in the List of Incomplete works of 1872-73. G. O., R. D, 22nd March 1871, No. 526. Revenue Bd's., Procs., No. 2,309, (Mis.) of 8th April 1874.
8	Road from Narsarowpet to Chinnapalakalur.	50,000	49,204	796	...	796	Item No. 2 of the Budget of 1873-74. G. O., No. 1,211, 3rd May 1869.
9	Surveying and Levelling operations ...	900	340	560	...	560	Item No. 14 in the List of Incomplete works of 1872-73.
	Total ...	...	...	8,139	...	8,139	
	Repairs.						
10	Repairing Ring Road near Guntoor ...	1,190	871	319	...	319	Item No. 18 in the List of Incomplete works of 1872-73.
	Total...	...	...	319	...	319	
	Total Communications...	...	...	8,458	...	8,458	
	SANITARY AND MISCELLANEOUS.						
	New Works.						
11	Deepening the bed and strengthening the bund of Venkatakristnapuram Tank.	1,000	928	72	...	72	Revenue Bd's. Procs., of 25th Jan. 1870, No. 514.
12	Constructing a well at Tangellamudy ...	366	287	79	...	79	Item No. 19 in the List of Incomplete works of 1872-73. Rev. Bd's Procs., 20th Dec. 1869, No. 9,319.
13	Do. a well at Dachepally	480	...	480	...	480	Revenue Bd's. Procs., 4th March 1874. Mis. No. 1,487.
	Total ...	...	...	631	...	631	
	Repairs.						
14	Repairing Peda Nandipad Tank	1,098	1,014	84	...	84	Item No. 22 in the List of Incomplete works of 1872-73. Board's Procs., 19th Aug. 1872, No. 1,626.
15	Repairing Podapod Tank	600	548	52	...	52	Revenue Bd's. Procs., 31st Dec. 1873, Mis. No. 8,784.
16	Repairing Chintapallipad Tank	410	88	322	...	322	Revenue Bd's. Procs., 6th Jan. 1874, Mis. No. 38.

List showing Works remaining incomplete in the Guntoor Circle of the Kistna District, on the 31st March 1874, etc.—(Concluded).

No.	Description of Works.	Amount of Estimate.	Amount required for 1874-75. Actual expenditure from the commencement of work up to 31st March 1874.	By P. W. D.	By other Agency.	Total.	Remarks and References.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
	Repairs.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	
17	Repairing Madinapad Tank	152	73	79	...	79	Item No. 24 in the List of Incomplete works of 1872 73. Revenue Bd's. Procs., 28th March 1873, Mis. No. 1,916.
18	Repairing a platform round a well at Vinukonda.	80	...	80	...	80	Revenue Bd's. Procs., No. 2,111 of 28th March 1874.
19	Repairing Bazar well at Nujella, in Vinukonda Taluq.	215	...	215	...	215	Local Fund Bd's. Procs., of 7th March 1874.
20	Repairing Traveller's Bungalow at Bapatla.	90	...	90	...	90	Passed by Local Fund Board, 7th Feb. 1874.
21	Do. at Inkollu	103	...	103	...	103	Do. do, do. ...
22	Do. at Purchur	68	...	68	...	68	Do. do. do. ...
		...	...	1,093	...	1,093	
	Total Sanitary and Miscellaneous...	...	...	1,724	...	1,724	
	Grand Total...	...	...	10,182	...	10,182	

(Signed) G. D. LEMAN,
President.

MASULIPATAM,
25th November 1874.

ENCLOSURE No. 2.

Guntoor Circle.

No.	Description.	Amount of Estimate.	Expenditure up to 31st March 1874.	Expenditure in 1874-75. By P. W. D.	By other Agency.	Total.	Remarks.
	New Works.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	
1	Road from Iylur to Guntoor (Guntoor portion).	1,84,235 / 27,720	27,720	356	...	356	Item No. 8 of the List of Incomplete works of 1872-73. Road completed. Rs. 356 is excess expenditure over estimate.
2	Fixing mile-stones on roads in the 2nd Range.	230	100	130	...	130	Rupees 100 have been already allotted from Item No. 6 of the Budget. New works (1874-75.)
	Repairs.						
3	Repairing road from Chinnapalakalur to Narsarowpet (nearly 20 miles).	...	...	600	..	600	Item No. 6 of Part II. of the Budget (1874-75). An additional allotment of Rs. 600 is now sought, the road being proposed to be maintained at Rs. 100 a mile instead of Rs. 70. This is specially required for this year.
4	Repairing road from Inkole to Chinna Ganjam.	...	...	400	..	400	Item No. 5 of Appendix to Part II. of the Budget (1874-75). An additional allotment of Rs. 400 is now sought, the 8 miles of the road being proposed to be maintained at Rs. 150 a mile instead of Rs. 100.
5	Repairing coast road between Sandole and Karlapalem sand-ridge.	...	...	525	..	525	Revenue Board's Procs., dated 23rd Oct. 1873, Mis. No. 7,153.
	Tools and Plant.						
6	Crowbars, Momaties, etc., etc., for the 3rd Range.	...	...	929	...	929	Purchased in 1873-74 without previous sanction. Bill received in this year.
	Total...	...	...	2,940	...	2,940	

(Signed) G. D. LEMAN,
President.

MASULIPATAM,
25th November 1874.

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WITH the foregoing letter, the President submits two lists, one showing the Incomplete works of 1873-74 of the Guntoor Circle, and the other containing works for which funds should be allotted.

2. The first list contains 23 items with an aggregate allotment of Rs. 10,632.* None of the items call for remark except the 10th, viz., plastering the bridge across the salt creek at Karlapalem. The allotment of the amount of the estimate, Rupees 522, having already been sanctioned† from the current year's Road Fund Reserve, the present provision of Rupees 450 is unnecessary and is accordingly struck out.

	Rs.
* Road Fund	8,908
General do.	1,724
	10,632

† Board's Proceedings, dated 13th May 1874, Miscellaneous No. 3,205.

3. The second list contains ten items with a total assignment of Rs. 14,055, the whole of which is chargeable to the Road Fund.

4. Items Nos. 2, 4, 5 and 6 are unsanctioned, and estimates are promised. As the allotments proposed cannot be utilized until the estimates are sanctioned by competent authority, the Board resolve to strike out the works.

	Rs.
2. Constructing portions of road from Chinnapalakalur to Narsarowpet,	9,080
4. Road from Jagerlamoody to Sakoor	1,375
5. Vatticherukur road	480
6. Vadlamoody do.	180
	11,115

5. The remaining six items seems to be unobjectionable and are accordingly passed

6. The total allotment now admitted is Rs. 13,122, debitable as follows:—

	Rs.
Road Fund	11,398
General do.	1,724
	13,122

7. The President points out that the anticipated opening balance of the Road Fund shown in the current year's budget is Rupees 25,000, while the actual balance was only Rupees 6,966, making a deficit of Rupees 18,034. In order to provide for this deficit and the allotment of Rupees 11,398 shown above, the circle Board propose to appropriate funds from the General Fund balance of the circle which amounts to Rupees 33,651. The Board are of opinion that the appropriation is very necessary and accordingly request Government to sanction it. On the receipt of the orders of Government, the Board will place the requisite allotment at the disposal of the Public Works Department.

8. As it is now made clear that there was no Road Fund balance available for appropriation during the current year, the allotment of Rupees 4,710 sanctioned from the Road Fund balance of the Circle for the work marginally noted, should be considered as having been granted from the Road Fund Reserve.

Re-gravelling road from Guntoor to Chebrole, Board's Proceedings, dated 10th August 1874, Miscellaneous No. 5,374.

(True Copies and Extract.)

(Signed) J. GROSE,
Secretary.

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No. 83. ORDER THEREON, 5th February 1875, No. 252.

The Government cannot sanction a transfer of more than Rupees 18,034, the amount by which the Road Fund opening balance fell short of the estimate.

2. The incomplete works must be held to form a first charge on the Reserve.

(True Extract.)

Acting Chief Secretary.

To the Board of Revenue.
,, Public Works Department.

Exd. J. Wright.

Govt. of {1875} Madras.

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To

THE BOARD OF REVENUE,

&c., &c., &c.

Dated February, 5th.

Recd. *Read.*

G.O., 5th February 1875, *No.* 252.

FEBRUARY.
Nos. 82-83.

Guntoor Circle.—The transfer of Rupees 18,034 from the General to the Road Fund to provide for certain incomplete works, sanctioned.

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Board Revenue.

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Board of Revenue,

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PROCEEDINGS, 15TH JANUARY 1875, No. 80.

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JANUARY.

No. 80.

Incomplete Works—of Guntoor Circle, Kistná District, for 1873-74.—List of—reviewed.—Certain works with a total allotment of Rupees 13,122, passed.—Sanction of Government requested for the appropriation of funds from the General Fund balance of the Circle to provide for certain deficit under Road Fund.—Allotment of Rupees 4,710 for re-gravelling road from Guntoor to Chebrole, originally sanctioned from Road Fund balance, should be considered as having been granted from Road Fund Reserve for certain reasons.

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Govt. of {187 } Madras.

G. O., 5 July, 1875, No. 252

Nos. 82-3

Guntoor Circle. The transfer of Rs 8,034 for the Irrl & the Road Fund & grants for certain incomplete works, sanctd