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GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.
FINANCIAL DEPARTMENT.

21st February 1881, No. 293.

Budget Estimates.

No. 43. *Proceedings of Government, 21st February 1881, No. 293.*

The sums of Rs. 10,000 and Rs. 4,490, provided by the Accountant-General in the Civil Budget for 1881-82, for petty construction and repairs to Churches and Burial-grounds, and approved in G.O., No. 117, dated 24th January 1881, will be distributed as follows:—

				Churches.			
				RS.			
Arcot, North	..	..	..	800	Negapatam	..	150
Bangalore	..	..	..	1,200	Nellore	..	120
Bellary	..	..	..	600	Nilgiris	..	800
Calicut	..	..	..	460	Presidency	..	1,200
Chingleput	..	..	..	600	Salem	..	200
Coimbatore	..	..	..	400	Tanjore	..	400
Cuddapah	..	..	..	100	Tinnevely	..	430
Ganjam	..	..	..	200	Trichinopoly	..	400
Godavari	..	..	..	300	Trivandrum and Cochin	..	400
Kistna	..	..	..	160	Vizagapatam	..	600
Kurnool	..	..	..	120	Wynaad	..	120
Madura	..	..	..	40			
Mangalore	..	..	..	200			
					Total	..	10,000

				Burial-grounds.			
				RS.			
Anantapur.	..	..	..	140	Kistna, Eastern Delta	..	140
Arcot, North	..	..	..	140	Kurnool	..	110
Arcot, South	..	..	..	300	Madura	..	140
Bangalore	..	..	..	340	Negapatam	..	40
Bellary	..	..	..	400	Presidency	..	680
Calicut	..	..	..	110	Salem	..	730
Chingleput	..	..	..	360	Tanjore	..	140
Coimbatore	..	..	..	110	Vizagapatam	..	80
Cuddapah	..	..	..	80	Wynaad	..	80
Ganjam	..	..	..	110			
Godavari, Eastern Delta	..	..	..	40			
Guntur	..	..	..	220			
					Total	..	4,490

(True Extract.)

R. DAVIDSON,
Chief Secretary.

To the Venerable the Archdeacon.
" Accountant-General.
" Public Works Department.

Exd. T. O'Connor.

All Collectors — *Recd 2/7*

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Govt. of (1881) Madras.
FINANCIAL.

To
THE VENERABLE THE ARCHDEACON,
&c., &c., &c.

Dated February, 21st.

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G.O., 21st February 1881, No. 293.

FEBRUARY.
No. 43.

Budget Estimates.—Orders passed respecting the distribution of the sums of Rs. 10,000 and Rs. 4,400, provided by the Accountant-General in the Civil Budget for 1881-82, for petty construction and repairs to Churches and Burial-grounds.

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From Col. R. H. Sankey, B. B. - P. B.
Secy. to Govt. P. W. Dept.

To,

The Venerable the Archdeacon

Cotacaimund 2nd June 1881.

Sir,

I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of 1st June, and to forward copy of the instructions that have been given to the Supt. of Works, Presidency, in regard to the repair of St. John's Church, Bangalore.

2- In the last paragraph but one of your letter you ask if the previous sanction of Government is required for the execution of repairs under 1000 Rupees, and in the last paragraph, whether the Chaplain is sure of getting the necessary funds from Govt., when the estimate has not been previously sanctioned.

3- Before G. O. of 7th Octr 1879, No 2522 W, was issued, Church repairs like other repairs were sanctioned by Officers of the P. W. Dept., Executive Engineers, that is, officers in charge of a Division being empowered to sanction repairs for other Departments

Departments to the extent of Rupees 200, while the powers of sanction with which Superintending Engineers and Supts. of Works were vested, were only limited by the amount of the Circle Budget Grant under each head of service.

4- It would have been well if some definite orders in regard to your Dept. had been passed at the time when the Statement of petty works and repairs under Civil buildings were reviewed in the Financial Dept. See Order No. 2308 of the 8th December 1879, Chaplains, as you are aware, are allowed to sanction outlay on New Works, additions or repairs, up to Rupees 50 for each work, and I think that you should ask Govt. to empower you to sanction similar outlay to Rupees 500. Repair Estimates above Rs 500, which would not be very numerous, should receive the sanction of Government.

5- As regards the provision of Funds for the works, a question of course entirely different from that of sanction. You would be guided by the Grant in the Civil Budget for the year. In applying to the Acct. General for funds for any particular work, you

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you would have to be careful to keep in mind the requirements of Churches in other places.

6- If the whole repair Grant for the year were to be divided as at present under Districts. See page 6 of the Statement printed with Financial Dept. Proceedings above mentioned. frequent transfers, for which you would have each time to obtain the sanction of Government, would be needed. You would therefore find it more convenient to have a lump grant for 1881-1882, the amount of which would depend to some extent on the demands from the Chaplains, but which would roughly be the same as that for the current year. Say Rupees 15,000. This you would distribute, as demands arose, to the best advantage.

7. Until Govt. in the Eccles. Dept. lay down some ruling as to the course to be followed, both in regard to sanction and provision of funds, a reference on each occasion will apparently be required; but if the cost of a work could be met from the District Grants (See again page 6 of the order of the 8th Dec^r) Govt. would of course be willing

repaired

willing to order the Accountant General
to give the Chaplain the money to pay
for the Repairs. -

I have &c

/ Signed / R. A. Sankey Col. R.E.

Secy: to Govt. P.W. Dept.

/ True copy /

/ Signed / G. R. Drury.

Archdeacon.

True copy

G. Warburton.

Acting Archdeacon.

Madras.

R. L. 31 Jan' 1881

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My dear Mr. Davidson,

You asked me to send
you a line about the Budget
Allotments of 1881-82 for
minor repairs to Churches &
Cemeteries, under Rs. 1,000.

In G.O. & Rec' 1879 No. 2308
Financial Deptt, the allotments
are made for 1880-81, and
in these there are some omissions.
I notice the omission of Trivan-
dram and the Nilgerry Hills,
and there may be others which
I have not discovered. Would
you kindly in the new Budget

make provision for these districts also?

I am not quite sure from E.O. 24th Jan^r 1881 No. 117 Fin. Depart. if, in the new Budget, the items are to be entered, as before, for each Collectorate, or in one block allotment for the whole Presidency. The latter plan is recommended in the enclosed letter from Colonel Sankar to Archdeacon Drury; and, if it commends itself to your judgment, perhaps it would be the most convenient plan.

This letter ²⁴³ of Colonel Sankar is the one you called my attention to a few days ago. In the earlier paragraphs he treats of the sanction necessary for providing funds for repairs, on which subject I wrote to you privately on Saturday. Would you very kindly put this matter in train to be settled, as I have some estimates now by me waiting for sanction and I do not know what to do about them?

Yours sincerely,
G. Warlow.

Recd. 5/2/81

Fort St. George
5th February 1881.

My dear Warlow, $\frac{293}{6}$

With reference to your
demi-official of the 31st ultimo,
the sum of Rs 10000 for Churches
& Rs 4490 for Burial grounds
has been provided by the Account-
ant General in his consolidated
Civil budget for 1881-82. I think
the plan of providing lump grants
for Churches & Burial grounds
in the whole Presidency ^{in same respect} to be
best. If the grants prove in-
sufficient, a further allotment can
always be

be made later in the year - ~~It~~
It would be well, however, for you
to consider whether there may not
be more extra work imposed on
you than you will find convenient,
in ~~the way of~~ ^{the way of} checking ~~the~~ demands
from districts and keeping count
of each grant.

Perhaps the present system
might be kept to, till you
have seen how it works, and
if you agree with ~~the~~ ^{you, in this,} ~~present~~,
the allotment for 1881-82 can
be subdivided ^{like that} ~~as it was~~ for
1880-81. If any districts not
included in ~~it~~ ^{the list} require grants,
separate

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separate applications can be made
for funds, which will be provided
from Provincial.

Yours sincerely

Rev. G. Warlow,

M. J.
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Petty Court

and repairs

See over

R. D. Nungunbunkuna

3 Feb. 1881.

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My dear Mr. Davidson,

Many thanks for your letter about the Budget allotments.

I think with you that, for the reasons you state, it would be best to carry on the former arrangement of separate allotments to the several Divisions. If, during the coming year, it is found to be in any way inconvenient, I could then ask you kindly to reconsider it for 1882-83.

In a former letter I
mentioned that Truandrom
and the Neilgherries were
omitted. I also notice fur-
-ther omissions

(1) In the list for Churches, -

Cuddalore

Negapatam

In Cuddalore there is a new
Church, which may possibly want
some repairs in the masonry.
And at Negapatam there is
the old Dutch Church which
was taken over by Govt. a
little while ago.

Yours sincerely,

F. Warlow.

Sept 9/2

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Fort St. George
9 Feb 1871

My dear Mr. Warlow,

How would you
like the grant for
petty construction and
repair works for 1881-82
to be distributed?

I enclose a statement
based on that for 1880-81
but probably you will
find it best to consult
the Chaplain concerned.

Much will depend
on the extent to which
the current year's
allocments have been
utilized, as a church
which has been well
repaired

referred
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repaired one year mill,
as a rule, need little
done to it the next
year.

Moreover, some of
the grants, which were
fixed, with reference
to the amounts given
in the Superintending
Engineers' demands,
must have been
special. For instance,
Salem district has
apparently a dispropor-
tionately large allotment.

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Ecclesiastical - Churches.
Annual Repairs.

	1880-81	1881-82
Mest, North	300	230
Mest, South	"	"
Bangalore	2,100	1,400
Bellary	750	600
Calicut	600	460
Chingleput	2,500	1,600
Coimbatore	300	230
Cuddapah	.	100
Ganjam	150	120
Godavari,	100	80
Eastern Delta.		
Krishna, Eastern	200	160
Delta.		
Kurnool	150	120
Madura	50	40
Nagapatam	"	50
Nellore	150	120
Nilgiris	"	150
Presidency	1,500	1,000
Salem	2,240	1,600
Tanjore	500	400
Tinnevely	600	460
Trichinopoly	500	400
Tiruvandrum	.	100
Vizagapatam.	600	460
Wynaad	150	120
	13,440	10,000

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Ecclesiastical - Burial grounds.
Annual Repairs

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	1880-81	1881-82.
Anantapur	200	140
Amet, North	200	140
Amet, South	433	300
Bangalore	470	340
Bellary	550	400
Baher	150	110
Chingleput	500	360
Coimbatore	150	110
Cuddapah	100	80
Ganjam	150	110
Godavari,	50	40
Eastern Delta		
Guntur	300	220
Kistna, Eastern	200	140
Delta		
Kurnool	150	110
Madura	200	140
Nagapatam	50	40
Presidency	1000	680
Salem	1100	730
Tanjore	200	140
Vizagapatam	100	80
Wynad	100	80
	6353	4490

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Church &
Cemetery
repairs

D/O

R. Nungumbakum

15 1/4 Feb. 1881.

My dear Mr. Davidson, ²⁹³12

I have made a few suggestions on your list of repairs to churches without altering the sum-total.

The Cemetery list I leave untouched.

I have written out my suggestions on a separate sheet. Please do with them what you think best. Some of the places I know from having visited them. Others

Church &
Cemetery

again I only know
from report, and records in
this office.

Yours very sincerely,

G. Watson.

R. D.
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Ecclesiastical. Churches.

Annual Repairs

1881-1882.

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Arcoot, North—I think Rupees 230 will be insufficient. An Estimate has been already submitted for Vellore Church Rupees 555. Then there are, besides, the Churches at Arcoot and Chittoor. I would propose Rupees 800.

Bangalore—There are 4 Churches; but of these two are Military Churches. I think that Rupees 1200 would suffice.

Chingleput—There are the following Churches, - St. Thomas' Mount, Ponnamallu, Palaveram and Pulicat. Of these the two former are Military Churches. I think for the remaining two Rupees 600 would suffice.

Coimbatore—I would propose Rupees 400.

Ganjam—There are Churches at Deshampore & Chicacole. I do not think Rupees 80 will be enough. I would say Rupees 300.

Nagapattinam—The Church is a very old one, and constantly needing petty repairs. Perhaps Rs. 150. may be allotted.

Neilgherries—There are 4 Churches, all civil. Supposing Coonoor Church to be repaired (as applied for) this year, it would require Rs. 800 probably for the others.

Presidency — I would suggest Rs. 1200

Salem — I do not understand the large sum allotted last year. There must have been something special. There is only one Church and that is a new one. I would suggest Rupees 200

Tinnevely — I think Rs. 430 would suffice

Tiruvandrum — If Diulon and Cochin be included I would propose Rupees 400.

Vizagapatam — There are three Churches, say Rs. 600.

Commission

Mangalore — say Rupees 200.

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Ecclesiastical - Churches.
Annual Repairs

	1880-81.	1881-82.
Arest, North	300	230
Arest, South	"	"
Bangalore	2100	1400
Bellary	750	600
Calicut	600	460
- Chingleput	2500	1600
Coimbatore	300	230
Fuddapah	"	100
Ganjam	150	120
Godavari	100	80
Eastern Setta.		
Kistna, Eastern Setta.	200	160
Kurnool	150	120
Madura	50	40
Megapatam	"	50
Nellore	150	120
+ Nilgiris	"	150
Presidency	1500	1000
Salem	2240	1600
- Tanjore	500	400
- Tinnevely	600	460
Trichinopoly	500	400
Tiruvandrum	"	100
Vizagapatam	600	460
Wynoad	150	120
	13,440	10,000

Ecclesiastical

Ecclesiastical - Burial grounds.
Annual Repairs.

	1880-81	1881-82.
Anantapur	200	140
Arist, North	200	140
Arist, South	433	300
Bangalore	470	340
Bellary	550	400
Calicut	150	110
Chingleput	500	360
Coimbatore	150	110
Cuddapah	100	80
Ganjam	150	110
Godavari,	50	40
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Kistna, Eastern	200	140
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Kurnool	150	110
Madura	200	140
Nagapatam	50	40
Presidency	1000	680
Salem	1100	730
Tanjore	200	140
Vizagapatam	100	80
Wynaad	100	80
	6353	4490

J. Davidson
Chief Secretary

Proposed Alterations.
Repairs to Churches.

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* Arcot, North—	800
* Bangalore—	1200
Bellary—	600
Calicut—	460
* Chingleput—	600
* Coimbatore—	400
Cuddapah—	100
* Ganjam—	200
* Godavari—	300
Kistna—	160
Kurnool—	120
Madura—	40
* Mangalore—	200
* Nagapatam—	150
Nellore—	120
* Nijlgherries—	800
* Presidency—	1200
* Salem—	200
Tanjore—	400
* Tirunelveli—	430
Trichinopoly—	400
* Travancore & Cochin—	400
* Vizagapatam—	600
Wynaad—	120

10,000

* The amounts in these cases have been modified.

Basel Estimates

Financial Department.

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PROCEEDINGS of the MADRAS GOVERNMENT.

Read the following letter

D.Os. from the Venble the Archdeacon
Madras 2, 31 Jan'y, 7 & 14 Feb'y 81.

Order thereon 21st Feb'y 81 No 293

The sums of Re
10000, & Re 4,490, provided
by the Accountant
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budget for 1881-82, for
petty construction and
repairs to churches
and burial grounds,
and approved m. l. O.
No 117, 24 Jan'y 81.,
will be distributed
as follows:—

Churches

80 (Final) 293/81.

Churches

Arcot, North, —	800.
Bangalore, —	1,200.
Bellary, —	600.
Calicut, —	460.
Chingleput, —	600.
Coimbatore, —	400.
Cuddapah, —	100.
Gangam, —	200.
Godavari, —	300.
Kistna, —	160.
Kurnool, —	120.
Madura, —	40.
Mangalore, —	200.
Nagapatam, —	150.
Nellore, —	120.
Nilgiris, —	800.
Presidency, —	1,200.
Salem, —	200.
Tanjore, —	400.
Tinnevely, —	430.
Trichinopoly, —	400.
Tiruvandrum } & Cochin }	400.
Vizagapatam, —	600.
Wynaad, —	120.
	<u>10,000.</u>

Burial

Burial Grounds

Anantapur, —	140
Arcot, North, —	140
Arcot, South, —	300
Bangalore, —	340
Bellary, —	400
Calicut, —	110
Chingleput, —	360
Coimbatore, —	110
Cuddapah, —	80
Gangam, —	110
Godavari, —	40
Eastern Delta, —	220
Kistna, Eastern Delta, —	140
Kurnool, —	110
Madura, —	140
Nagapatam, —	40
Presidency, —	680
Salem, —	730
Tanjore, —	140
Vizagapatam, —	80
Wynaad, —	80
	<u>4,490.</u>

To the Venible the Archdeacon, b
 Accountant General, b } Sep 28/2
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Order ^{No. 43} passed respecting the distribution of the

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struction and repairs to
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grounds, distributed

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