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READ—the following paper:—

From E. C. JOHNSON, Esq., President of the District Board, Kurnool, to the Chief Secretary to Government, dated Kurnool, 2nd July 1885, No. 30.

In reference to rule 153, framed under the Local Funds Act IV of 1871, I have the honor to report on the administration of the Local funds of this circle for the official year 1884-85, and to submit the usual statements.

2. *Receipts.*—The year opened with a balance of Rs. 23,940 under service heads. The receipts (excluding opening balance) amounted to Rs. 1,51,598, the expenditure to Rs. 1,35,481, and the closing balance to Rs. 40,057.

3. The following abstract compares the receipts and expenditure under the different heads of accounts with budget estimate for the year and the actuals of the previous year:—

Receipts.	Actuals of 1883-84.	1884-85. Budget estimate.	1884-85. Actuals.	1884-85. Difference between columns 4 and 3.	Difference between columns 4 and 2.
1	2	3	4	5	6
	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.
Opening balance	27,[illegible]1	20,430	23,940	+ 3,510	— 3,101
1. Surplus pound fund	1,870	1,360	2,828	+ 1,468	+ 958
2. Land-cess	1,25,188	1,32,000	1,37,474	+ 5,474	+ 12,286
3. Tolls	4,066	4,070	5,695	+ 1,625	+ 1,629
4. Fees in schools and training institutions.. ..	1,450	2,150	1,716	— 434	+ 266
5. Market fees	687	550	740	+ 190	+ 53
6. Contribution from private individuals for works unconnected with schools and endowed institutions	771	400	480	+ 80	— 291
7. Fees from travellers	394	250	770	+ 520	+ 376
8. Contribution from municipality for educational inspection	20	20	20	..	..
9. Contribution from municipality for vaccination.	10	..	..	..	— 10
10. Contribution from Provincial funds on account of Kurnool langarkhana	360	360	360	..	..
11. Provincial grants for schools	..	1,480	..	— 1,480	..
12. Other items	1,340	950	1,515	+ 565	+ 175
Total ..	1,63,197	1,64,020	1,75,538	+ 11,518	+ 12,341

Expenditure.	Actuals of 1883-84.	1884-85. Sanctioned grant.	1884-85. Actuals.	1884-85. Difference between columns 4 and 3.	Difference between columns 4 and 2.
1	2	3	4	5	6
	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.
Grant I	90,533	96,976	84,543	— 12,433	— 5,990
Do. II	15,725	17,910	17,114	— 796	[illegible]
Do. III	28,341	31,768	29,056	— 2,712	+ 715
Do. IV	4,658	5,000	4,768	— 232	+ 110
Total ..	1,39	1,51,654	1,35,481	— 16,173	— 3,776

4. *Surplus Pound Fund.*—The receipts under this head show an increase of Rs. 1,468 over the budget estimate and of Rs. 958 over the actuals of the previous year. This is due (1) to the shorter expenditure (viz., Rs. 564 against Rs. 891) incurred in the repair of pounds during the year, and (2) to the larger number of cattle impounded generally in the district, the addition of five new pounds during the year having afforded increased facilities for the impounding of cattle in parts of three taluks.

5. *Land-cess.*—The rate of land-cess levied during the year was one anna in the rupee. The collections under this head amounted to Rs. 1,37,474 showing an increase of Rs. 6,474 over the budgeted amount, attributable to larger arrear balances than originally estimated for having been left outstanding at the beginning of the year, the collections of 1883-84 falling short of the estimate for the year by Rs. 6,812 by reason of the non-completion of the jamabandi and other causes as explained in paragraph 5 of the administration report for that year. The following demand, collection and balance statement shows that 88 per cent. of the current and 75 per cent. of the arrear demand, or 86 per cent. of the total demand were realized within the year. The collections compare favorably with the previous year in spite of the adverse season during the year under report:—

—	Budget estimate.	Demand.			Collection.			Arrears remitted as irrecoverable.	Balance.		
		Arrears.	Current.	Total.	Arrears.	Current.	Total.		Arrears.	Current.	Total.
	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
Ryotwar ..	1,32,000	12,114	76,922	89,036	9,558	70,421	79,979	1,169	1,387	6,501	7,888
Inam ..		13,581	55,577	69,158	2,840	46,749	56,589	3,139	602	8,828	9,430
Miscellaneous.		502	1,041	1,543	396	508	904	..	106	533	639
Total ..		26,197	1,33,540	1,59,737	19,794	1,17,678	1,37,472	4,308	2,095	15,862	17,957

Out of the balance of Rs. 17,957 outstanding at the close of the year, Rs. 14,065 have since been realized.

6. *Tolls.*—The revenue from tolls was derived from toll-bars at Cumbum and Debaguntla, and from a contribution of one-fourth of the tolls levied by the Kurnool municipality. The receipts amounted to Rs. 5,695 against the estimate of Rs. 4,070. The annexed statement shows the collections at the different bars as compared with the budgeted figures and the actuals of the previous year:—

Particulars of tolls.	Actuals of 1883-84.	1884-85.			Difference between columns 4 and 2.
		Budget estimate.	Actuals.	Difference between columns 4 and 3.	
1	2	3	4	5	6
	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
1. Cumbum ..	1,346	1,400	1,472	+ 72	+ 126
2. Debaguntla ..	530	500	1,856	+ 1,356	+ 1,326
3. One-third of toll collections at Kurnool municipality ..	2,190	2,170	2,367	+ 197	+ 177
Total ..	4,066	4,070	5,695	+ 1,625	+ 1,629

The increased collections from the bar at Debaguntla are attributable to unusally large traffic on the Chittoor road in connection with the carriage of materials for the Bellary-Kistna State Railway under construction. The same reasons apply, more or less, to the increase at Cumbum. Anticipation of a scarcity and of consequent increased traffic in grain account for the higher prices obtained at the sales of the Kurnool toll contract.

7. *School-Fees.*—Up to 1st November 1884 fees were levied in Local fund schools at the marginally-noted rates,* when the circle board resolved to adopt the revised rates of school fees† sanctioned in G.O., No. 384, Educational department, dated 10th July 1884.

	Rs.	A.	P.
* First standard	0	1	0
Second do.	0	2	0
Third do.	0	3	0
Fourth do.	0	4	0
† Upper primary class	0	4	0
Lower do.	0	2	0
Preparatory class	0	1	0

8. The total receipts under this head exhibit an increase of Rs. 266 over the actuals of 1883-84 and a decrease of Rs. 434 below the budgeted figure for the year. The decrease is due—

(i) to the reduction of fees above referred to;
(ii) to a falling off in the actual average attendance of pupils during the year below the estimated attendance (viz., Rs. 1,355 against Rs. 1,702) in the combined schools;
(iii) to the non-opening of a school at Veldurti for want of a trained teacher; and
(iv) to the non-realization of the expectation that unpassed teachers in the marginally-noted schools will be superseded by passed men, in which event the school fees, which are now appropriated by teachers, would go to the credit of Local funds.

1. Devanakonda.
2. Gorakal.
3. Kanala.
4. Harivaram.
5. Bijinivemula.
6. Yallur.
7. Jillella.

9. *Market Fees.*—There is only one market in the district on the self-supporting system. It is at Nandyál. Fees are collected therein at the following rates:—

	Rs.	A.	P.
On each cart laden	0	1	0
Do. bullock laden	0	0	6
Do. ass laden	0	0	6
Do. cooly laden	0	0	3

The collection of fees is rented out half yearly to a contractor. The receipts under this head during the current year amounted to Rs. 740 against Rs. 687 the actuals of 1883-84 and Rs. 550 budgeted for. The increase is due to the impetus to the local trade given by the construction of the Bellary-Kistna State Railway.

10. *Contributions from Private Individuals.*—The receipts under this head amounted to Rs. 480, as noted in the margin, against Rs. 400 provided in the budget.

11. *Fees from Travellers.*—The collection of fees from travellers during the year amounted to Rs. 770 against Rs. 394 the actuals of 1883-84, and Rs. 250 estimated for in the budget. The increase of Rs. 520 over the budget estimate, and of Rs. 376 over the actuals of the previous year, is due to the influx of railway employés and the greater use made of the bungalows by district officers.

12. A sum of Rs. 1,480 was entered in the budget for the year under report as the amount likely to be earned as provincial grants for Local fund combined and normal schools. The educational officers, however, having issued their results grants certificates direct to the combined schoolmasters concerned during the year, the provincial grants earned by these schools did not pass through the Circle Board's accounts. Steps have been taken for the adjustment of the grants due to the Local fund normal school, Nandyál.

13. The small variations under the other heads of revenue are explained in the comparative statement of receipts and expenditure.

14. *Expenditure.*—The total expenditure during the year was Rs. 1,35,481 as classified below :—

	Rs.
Road fund	83,182
General fund	51,879
Endowment fund	*420
Total ..	1,35,481

* Excludes Rs. 100 transferred to General fund.

15. *Road Fund.*—The year opened with a balance of Rs. 13,772 and the receipts aggregated Rs. 97,741, thus raising the total assets available for expenditure to Rs. 1,11,512 against Rs. 1,03,354 of the previous year as detailed hereunder :—

	Rs.
Opening balance	13,772
Two-thirds of land-cess	91,650
Two-thirds of interest on land-cess	1
Tolls	5,695
Miscellaneous	394
Total ..	1,11,512

16. The actual expenditure amounted to Rs. 83,182 against Rs. 89,582 in the previous year, and Rs. 95,156 sanctioned for the year, the ratio of expenditure to sanctioned grant being 87 per cent. against 95 per cent. in the previous year, the decrease in ratio being attributable to the failure of the usual rains in parts of the district during the season for road repairs and to railway competition. The following figures show in abstract the details of expenditure under the several heads of Road fund as compared with the sanctioned grant of the year :—

	Expenditure.	Allotment.
	Rs.	Rs.
1. New works	6,268	7,908
2. Repairs	61,018	68,518
3. Cost of supervision	12,598	14,610
4. Tools and plant	382	920
5. Refund of cess	38	..
6. Cost of general management chargeable to Road fund	2,878	3,200
Total ..	83,182	95,156

17. *New Works.*—The new works executed were—

Name.	Amount spent.	Amount allotted.
	Rs.	Rs.
1. Construction of road from Koilkuntla to Nandyál (1 mile and 2 furlongs)	4,670	5,700
2. Construction of a tunnel on the 8th mile on road from Tadicherla on trunk road No. VII to Cuddapah frontier	397	400
3. Construction of two additional vents to five vents culvert in 299th mile 6th furlong of Chittoor road ..	247	650
4. Construction of a culvert of three vents in 296th mile 4th furlong on trunk road No. XVII	534	550
5. Construction of a shed at Rollapenta	219	395
6. Construction of a tunnel of one vent on Cumbum town road	105	117
7. Construction of a tunnel on the village street road at Nandyál	96	96
Total ..	6,268	7,908

18. It will be observed that under this head there is a saving of Rs. 1,640 owing to the non-completion of works under items 1, 3, and 5 enumerated in the above paragraph.

19. *Repairs.*—The expenditure on road repairs was 89 per cent. of the sanctioned allotment for the year against 97 per cent. in last year, the decrease being due to the causes assigned in paragraph 16 *supra*. Of the total expenditure of Rs. 61,018, Rs. 1,085 were spent on the improvement of village streets by Revenue departmental agency, and the remainder by the Local Fund Public Works department, Rs. 56,136 having been laid out on main trunk roads, and Rs. 4,881 on branch and minor roads.

21. Annexed is a table showing the main lines of the district, their present condition, and the expenditure incurred on them during 1883-84 and 1884-85 :—

Number and item in the budget and name of the road.	Number of miles maintained.	Amount spent in 1884-85.	Amount spent in 1883-84.	Remarks regarding condition of road.
		Rs.	Rs.	
Road from Gooty to Kurnool ..	53	6,538	5,298	In very fair condition.
Road from Kurnool to Bairluty ..	50	4,055	4,361	Road in fair order except a few miles here and there.
Road from Kottapatam to Nandyál, *via* Ongole, Cumbum, and Nandikanama pass.	62¼	9,453	8,245	Do. do. do.
Road from Bellary to Kurnool ..	52	4,973	4,826	The portion (20 miles) in Rámallakót taluk in good order, the portion in Pattikonda taluk has been repaired, but is not so good.
Road from Chittoor to Kurnool, *via* Cuddapah and Nandyál.	85	15,729	11,871	The first 15 miles in the Rámallakót taluk in good order, and the rest passable. Some of the worst miles in the Nandyál and Sirvel taluks were repaired during the year.
Road from Gooty road near Pyápali to Gazulpalle, *via* Rampur pass.	37	2,470	5,985	Eighteen miles in Pattikonda taluk and 19 in Koilkuntla and Sirvel have been maintained, the remaining portion running through the Banganapalle Nawab's territory having been transferred to the Nawab.
Road from Pyápali to Aspari, *via* Jonnagiri and Pattikonda.	33	1,356	1,629	In fair order.
Road from Bapanakotkur to Nandyál.	35	2,094	3,361	Work on this road was carried on on the 1st to 12th miles, but the road is not in good order. This road has since been abandoned temporarily in view to provide funds for the road from Atmakúr to Nandyál (*vide* item 1, para. 34 (*b*), of the budget report for 1885-86, and paragraph 3 of G.O., No. 424, dated 2nd March 1885.)
Road from Ongole junction through Cumbum town to commencement of Dupad road.	5	477	509	The whole length has been repaired and kept in good drivable order.
Road from Tadicherla on trunk road No. VII to Cuddapah frontier.	16	1,308	1,597	The whole length has been repaired by mile coolies wherever necessary and kept in fair order.
Road from Dupad over Mantralakanama ghát.	45	4,[illegible]	4,486	About 25 miles from the Nandikótkur taluk limit has been cleared of jungle and levelled and made passable for common cart traffic.
Road from Nandyál to Atmakúr ..	32	3,198	3,174	Eighteen miles in length from Nandyál have been repaired and opened for cart traffic.
Road from Cumbum *via* Dupad to Kistna frontier up to Marrivemula, 48 miles.	..	..	2,691	Abandoned.
			229	Spent on the rebuilding of a tunnel on road from Kottapatam to Nandyál.
Total ..	505¼	56,136	58,250	

21. Of village roads, of which 49¼ miles were maintained in 1883-84, maintenance was provided for 53¾ miles during the year under review. The maintained village roads are, on the whole, in tolerably good order.

22. The annexed table shows the mileage in existence at the beginning of this year, the number of miles maintained, &c., as compared with the figures of the past year :—

——	1883-84.	1884-85.	Difference.	
			Increase.	Decrease.
Total number of miles of road in existence at the beginning of the year.	676½	686	9½	..
Do. do. maintained ..	625½	559	..	66½
Do. do. completed ..	9½	1¼	..	8¼
Do. do. in progress ..	2	¾	..	1¼

The decrease in the number of miles maintained is chiefly due to the transfer of 23 miles of the Rampur pass road to the charge of the Nawab of Banganapalle for maintenance and to the abandonment of 48 miles of road from Cumbum *viâ* Dupad to Kistna frontier (*vide* paragraphs 34 and 35 of the budget report for the year under review), the non-provision of maintenance for certain minor roads repaired in the previous year; while, on the other hand, 8½ miles of new petty roads were added to the mileage receiving maintenance.

23. The cost of supervision by the Local Fund Public Works department was Rs. 13,270, or 19 per cent. of the outlay on all works from all funds under grant I excluding the amount spent by revenue agency. The strength of the establishment was the same as in the previous year.

24. *General Fund Receipts.*—The receipts under this fund amounted to Rs. 62,922 including the opening balance of Rs. 10,064. The annexed table exhibits the details of receipts in abstract as compared with the previous year. Explanation of variation under the different heads having already been furnished need not be here repeated :—

Particulars.	1884-85.	1885-86.
Balance on 1st April 1884	10,064	11,312
1. One-third of land-cess	45,825	41,729
2. Do. of interest on arrears of land-cess	..	2
3. School fees	1,716	1,450
4. Contribution from private individuals	480	771
5. Do. from Kurnool municipality for educational inspection	20	20
6. Sale of books		10
7. Fees from travellers	497	363
8. Repayment of loan from market endowment fund ..	770	394
9. Miscellaneous	100	600
10. Surplus pound fund	622	702
Total ..	2,828	1,499
	62,922	58,852

25. The allotment for expenditure from the General fund amounted to Rs. 56,038. Rs. 51,879 only were, however, actually spent as detailed below, against Rs. 48,788 in the previous year :—

	1884-85.	1883-84.
Grant I	4,278	3,351
Do. II	17,114	15,725
Do. III	28,635	27,921
Do. IV	1,852	1,791
Total ..	51,879	48,788

26. *Grant I.*—The following statement shows the expenditure in detail under this head as compared with the grants for the year :—

Particulars.	Amount of expenditure.	Grant.
	RS.	RS.
1. Construction of a dead-house at Sirvel	160	130
2. Do. do. at Márkápur	158	120
3. Do. of a shed for the Local fund dispensary at Márkápur	..	170
4. Excavating well in, and constructing a compound wall to, the new burial-ground of Mussulmans at Márkápur.	100	200
5. Constructing a latrine at Chagalmarri	34	34
	452	654

Particulars.	Amount of expenditure.	Grant.
	RS.	RS.
6. Repair of Cumbum hospital building	636	692
7. Do. of school-house at Pattikonda and purchase of site for extending the compound of school at Nandyál.	145	195
8. Repairs of travellers' bungalows	23	200
9. Do. of choultries at Gazulpalle, Kristamsettipalle Allinagaram, Chagalmarri, and Sirvel	764	1,007
	1,568	2,094
Miscellaneous Public Improvements.		
10. Maintenance of avenues	1,324	1,580
11. Repair of a well in Nandyál taluk	242	242
	1,566	1,822
12. Cost of Local Fund Public Works department supervision chargeable to General fund	672	420
13. Cost of tools and plant chargeable to General fund ..	20	30
Total ..	4,278	5,020

27. The repair of the choultries at Kristamsettipalle and Allinagaram, and the excavation of a well for the Mussulmans of Márkápur were not completed within the year. No repairs were needed by three of the travellers' bungalows for which repair grants were provided, as the rains were scanty in the taluks in which they are situated. The shed for the Márkápur dispensary was under construction, but no payments were made therefor within the year. Two of the avenue servants are dispensed with during the year, and fencing of avenue trees was not carried out to the extent anticipated. Hence the short expenditure below the grant under the several works referred to. The dead-houses at Márkápur and Sirvel were first sanctioned and constructed out of Local funds as appendages of the Local fund dispensaries on the spot, but as they were found to be required solely for police and magisterial purposes, and the hospital at Sirvel was subsequently transferred to Chagalmarri, the dead-house built at the latter place was converted into a village chavadi and the repayment of its cost from Village Service fund was sanctioned by Government in their Proceedings, Mis. No. 746-A dated 31st March 1885. Government in their Proceedings, dated 24th April 1885, Mis. No. 68 L.F., also authorized the refund to Local funds from Provincial fund of the cost of the dead-house at Márkápur.

28. The expenditure of Rs. 1,324 under miscellaneous public improvements was incurred on the upkeep of avenue trees on the following roads :—

(1) Road from Kottapatam to Nandyál.
(2) Chittoor road.
(3) Gooty road.

The avenue trees are reported to be in a flourishing condition.

29. *Grant II—Education.*—The total educational assets for the year were :—

	RS.
Moiety of General fund balance	5,032
One-sixth of land-cess	22,912
Do. of interest on land-cess	..
School fees	1,716
Contribution from municipality for educational inspection	20
Sale of books	497
Miscellaneous	106
	30,283
Deduct cost of general management chargeable to this	926
Total ..	29,357

30. The allotment for expenditure during the year amounted to Rs. 17,910 and the actuals to Rs. 17,114. The causes of variation in the several items are explained in the comparative statement.

31. There are no changes in the educational inspecting staff during the year. The annexed table shows the work done by Inspecting Schoolmasters during the year:—

Name.	Time spent in camp.	Number of villages visited		Number of schools visited and prepared for examination.				Total number of visits paid to all the schools.	Average number of times each school was visited.
		Having schools under inspection.	Not having schools under inspection.	Local fund schools.	Grant-in-aid schools.	Other schools.	Total.		
A. Venkatesiah	293	146	32	16	57	73	146	365	2·5
Husain Sahib	126	81	40	17	39	25	81	192	2·1
S. M. Parthasarthy Aiyengar	247	101	2	14	48	41	103	377	3·6
P. Subbarayudu	229	130	10	14	80	45	139	317	2·2
Total ..	895	458	84	61	224	184	469	1,251	2·7
Last year ..	875	517	81	71	257	192	520	1,243	2·3

32. As compared with the previous year, there is a decrease of 51 in the number of schools visited and prepared for examinations, and an increase of 8 in the total number of visits paid, the average number of visits to each school having risen by ·4. The result would have been more satisfactory, but that one Inspecting Schoolmaster, Husain Sahib, fell sick for 4½ months, and his post was, for want of a competent hand, not filled up.

33. *Training Schools.*—The circle board supports a normal School at Nandyál, which has 25 scholarships of Rs. 4 each attached to it. The number of stipendiary students at the beginning of the year was 24. One was subsequently admitted and the full complement of 25 stipendiaries attained; 4 however had to be struck off the rolls in the course of the year on account of irregular attendance or continued absence. The 21 pupils who studied throughout the year appeared for the special upper primary examination. Sixteen of these were successful (9 having been placed in the first class and 7 in the second class). The results were far more satisfactory than in the previous year, in which only 8 students out of 19 succeeded in passing the special upper primary examination. This reflects much credit on the teaching staff of the school.

34. The normal school had three practising classes attached to it, with an average strength of 42 pupils during the year against an average of 28 in the previous year. The educational inspecting officers report that the results of their examination of the practising classes during the year was very fair.

35. The Government third-grade middle school at Nandyál was transferred to the circle board in October last year (*vide* G.O., No. 1869 F., dated 13th August 1884). The average strength of the school was 38 during the year, and the school passed a fair examination at its inspection by the educational officers.

36. The Local fund elementary schools in this district are maintained on what is known as the combined system, under which certificated teachers are granted fixed salaries of Rs. 10 and Rs. 5 with half and full results grants, respectively, and uncertificated teachers fixed salaries of Rs. 3 with full results grants. There were 55 combined schools in existence at the beginning of the year. Seven schools * were newly opened during the year and one † was closed, temporarily, for want of a teacher, so that the number of schools at the end of the year was 61. All the schools were examined for results grants, and Rs. 2,278 were paid against Rs. 2,330 the sanctioned grant of the year. These figures show some improvement over the results of the previous year.

* 1. Narnur.
2. China Tekur.
3. Parmanchala.
4. Chindakur.
5. Mahadevapuram.
6. Mittakondala.
7. Gurijepalle.

† Cumbum.

37. The following statements show:—
A. Cost of education.
B. Talukwar attendance.
C. Results compared with last year.

STATEMENT A.

	Number of salary schools.		Number of combined schools.			Average attendance of pupils.		Total cost to Local Fund Board of			
									Combined Schools.		
	Old.	New.	Old.	New.	Total.	Salary schools.	Combined schools.	Salary schools.	Fixed.	Payments under results grants.	Total.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
						Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
High and middle class schools—											
1883-84	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
1884-85	..	1	..	..	1	38	..	350	..	..	..
Lower class schools—											
1883-84	..	..	55	4	59	..	1,314	..	4,540	2,078	6,618
1884-85	..	..	55	7	62	..	1,355	..	5,145	2,278	7,423
Training normal school, Nandyál—											
1883-84	..	1	..	..	1	17	..	1,755	..	..	..
1884-85	1	..	..	..	1	19	..	1,799	..	..	..
Practising school attached to the above—											
1883-84	..	1	..	..	1	28	..	..	..	..	..
1884-85	1	..	..	..	1	42	..	..	..	..	..

	Rates of salaries drawn by masters.	Fees collected.		Rates of fees.	Average cost of education each pupil.
		Salary schools.	Combined schools.		
	13	14	15	16	17
		Rs.	Rs.		Rs.
High and Middle class schools—					
1883-84	..	..	..	....	..
1884-85	30, 20, 15	157	..	Middle class Rs. 13 per annum by instalments.	..
				Rs. A. P.	
				Upper primary class .. 0 12 0	
				Lower do. .. 0 6 0	
				Preparatory class .. 0 3 0	
Lower class schools—					
1883-84	10, 5, 3	..	1,426	Annas 4, 3, 2, 1	6
1884-85	Do.	..	1,519	,, 4, 2, 1	5
Training normal school, Nandyál—					103
1883-84	40, 20	..	..	....	75
1884-85	40, 20	..	..	....	
Practising schools attached to the above—					
1883-84	..	24	..	Annas 4, 3, 2, 1	..
1884-85	..	40	..	,, 4, 2, 1	..

STATEMENT B.

Taluk.	Number of schools.	Average attendance.
Pattikonda	4	100
Rámallakót	12	228
Nandikótkur	9	236
Nandyál	8	155
Koilkuntla	9	155
Sirvel	6	122
Cumbum	8	198
Márkápur	6	161
Total ..	62*	1,355

* Includes one school temporarily closed.

STATEMENT C.

Standard.	1883-84. Number of pupils presented for examination.	Number passed.	Passed in: Reading and writing.	Reading, writing, and arithmetic.	Reading and arithmetic.	Writing and arithmetic.	Total.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
I	339	262	22	193	23	24	262
II	312	259	38	188	20	13	259
III	188	153	19	115	11	8	153
IV	124	93	28	51	2	11	93
						1 special subject.	
Total ..	963	767	107	547	56	57	767

Standard.	1884-85. Number of pupils presented for examination.	Number passed.	Passed in: Reading and writing.	Reading, writing, and arithmetic.	Reading and arithmetic.	Writing and arithmetic.	Total.
	9	10	11	12	13	14	15
I	365	282	33	196	26	27	282
II	263	226	17	170	27	12	226
III	214	188	26	132	14	16	188
IV	106	81	26	46	5	4	81
Total ..	948	777	102	544	72	59	777

38. *Pial Schools.*—Of these schools, 237 applied to be examined for results grants against 285 in last year, and 167, or 2 schools less than in 1883-84, were actually examined, the remaining having either disappeared or rendered themselves ineligible for examination. The results were good, and Rs. 3,385 were paid as results grants against Rs. 3,400 sanctioned for expenditure in the year, and Rs. 3,457 paid in previous year.

39. The following statements give :—

A. The average attendance.
B. Results compared with Local fund schools.

STATEMENT A.

Number of schools	278
Average daily attendance	2,933

STATEMENT B.

	Number presented for examination.	Number passed.	Reading and writing.	Reading, writing and arithmetic.	Reading and arithmetic.	Writing and arithmetic.	Total.
Results grants schools.							
I	661	463	53	309	46	55	463
II	536	438	60	290	50	29	438
III	324	255	34	174	36	11	255
IV	69	40	12	19	6	3	40
Total ..	1,590	1,196	168	792	138	98	1,196
Combined schools.							
I	365	282	33	196	26	27	282
II	263	226	17	170	27	12	226
III	214	188	26	132	14	16	188
IV	106	81	26	46	5	4	81
Total ..	948	777	102	547	72	59	777

40. *Grant III.*—The share of General Fund assets available for expenditure under Grant III was Rs. 27,607. The allotment for the year, however, was Rs. 31,308, and the actual expenditure Rs. 28,635, or 91 per cent. of the allotment :—

	Rs.	Rs.
Moiety of General Fund balance		5,032
One-sixth of land-cess of interest on General Fund balance ..		22,912
Contribution from private individuals		480
Fees from travellers		770
Surplus Pound fund		2,828
Avenue receipts		64
Miscellaneous		552
		32,638
Deduct amount spent under Grant I on account of sanitary and medical works, &c.	4,105	5,031
Cost of general management chargeable to this	926	
Net amount available for expenditure under Grant III		27,607

41. The details of the expenditure are abstracted below with the causes of variation given where necessary :—

	Expenditure	Allotment.	Remarks.
	Rs.	Rs.	
1. Unendowed hospitals	8,624	9,750	Savings under Medicines and Diets due to smaller number of patients treated and better health of district.
2. Choultries	327	400	Savings under Contingencies and Establishment.
3. Vaccination	4,614	5,540	Savings under Establishment on account of temporary vacancies not filled up for want of hands, and under batta to mothers of vaccinated children and rewards to vaccinators due to smaller numbers vaccinated.
4. Sanitary establishment	9,979	9,968	
5. Bungalows	435	460	
6. Contribution to Kurnool municipality for dispensary.	2,404	2,650	Decrease due to reduction of expenditure in municipal dispensary.
7. Contribution to Medical college and District Medical and Sanitary agency.	1,407	1,440	
8. District Medical and Sanitary officer's establishment.	439	460	
9. Maintenance of lunatics	288	540	
10. Rewards to killing dogs	8	..	
Total ..	28,635	31,308	

42. *Hospitals.*—There are seven Local Fund dispensaries in the circle, four in charge of hospital assistants and two of civil apothecaries. In Cumbum and Nandyál both in and out patients are treated, but in the other dispensaries, which are maintained on a much smaller scale, relief is confined to the latter class of patients. All these institutions have acquired considerable popularity.

43. The number of patients admitted and treated in the several dispensaries during the past two years are compared below :—

	Cumbum.		Nandyál.		Patti-konda.	Atma-kur.	Owk.	Sirvel.	Markā-pur.	Total.	
	In-patients.	Out-patients.	In-patients.	Out-patients.	Out-patients.	Out-patients.	Out-patients.	Out-patients.	Out-patients.	In-patients.	Out-patients.
1883-84	182	12,509	78	9,287	2,019	4,528	2,575	3,281	2,203	260	36,402
1884-85	141	9,933	76	8,603	2,243	3,672	3,457	2,933	2,904	211	33,745

44. The figures show that there has been a falling off in the total number of patients, both in and out, treated in the dispensaries. The District Sanitary officer is of opinion that this decrease is by "no means due to decline of popularity" of the institutions in question, "but is ascribable to the less amount of malarial fever during the year, due probably to the unfavorable condition in which malaria propagation was placed by the dryness of the season."

45. The subjoined statement gives details of the working of the several dispensaries during the year :—

—	In-patients.					Out-patients.				
	No. remaining at the end of 1883-84.	No. admitted in 1884-85.	Discharged.	Died.	Remaining.	No. remaining at the end of 1883-84.	No. admitted in 1884-85.	Discharged.	Died.	Remaining.
Nandyál	5	65	52	13	5	50	8,553	8,493	13	97
Cumbum	7	134	126	5	10	160	9,773	9,741	175	17
Pattikonda	..	..	..	..	..	45	2,198	2,209	10	24
Atmakur	..	..	..	..	..	36	3,636	3,651	6	15
Owk	..	..	..	..	..	17	3,440	3,403	24	30
Sirvel	..	..	..	..	..	16	2,917	2,925	..	8
Márkápur	..	..	..	..	..	28	2,876	2,865	12	27
Total ..	12	199	178	18	15	352	33,393	33,287	240	218

46. *Vaccination.*—The expenditure under this head was Rs. 4,614, or 82 per cent. of the allotment. The establishment consisted of two first-class deputy inspectors, eight first-class vaccinators, eight second-class vaccinators and four probationers; a first class and a second-class vaccinator were attached to each taluk; 12,641 cases were vaccinated successfully during the year under report against 21,218 in the previous year. This large decrease of 8,577 is attributable chiefly to the discouragement shown during the year to vaccination from preserved lymph, at the instance of the late District Sanitary officer, Dr. Baia, and the enforcement of arm-to-arm vaccination advocated by him, most of the cases in the previous year having been vaccinated with preserved lymph, the result of which were not considered satisfactory. Another, though a minor cause of the falling off in the number vaccinated, was the neglect of duty by three vaccinators who were dismissed by the President and several short vacancies in the posts of vaccinators and probationers having remained unfilled for want of suitable hands. Annexed is a statement of successful operations during the past five years :—

Year.	Cases.		
	Number vaccinated.	Number which proved successful.	Average per successful case.
			RS. A. P.
1879-80	4,416	3,792	0 11 6
1880-81	5,426	4,764	0 9 3
1881-82	7,229	6,349	0 8 7
1882-83	13,563	11,727	0 5 1
1883-84	26,088	21,218	0 2 6½
1884-85	13,809	12,641	0 5 10

47. *Sanitation.*—The expenditure under this head amounted to Rs. 9,979 against a sanctioned grant of Rs. 9,968. As compared with the sanitary assets of the circle, the expenditure is 30 per cent., or 5 per cent. more than the minimum proportion ordered by the Government to be appropriated to sanitation in their order, No. 1652, Public department, dated 10th December 1882.

48. The conservancy of 19 villages in the circle was attended to by an establishment of 62 scavengers, 14 toties and a maistry at a cost of Rs. 4,146 against

Rs. 3,992 in the previous year, special scavengering establishment having been newly entertained in the marginally-noted villages on account of the influx of large numbers of railway *employes* and coolies therein. In Cumbum the scavengers' work is supervised by a special maistry on Rs. 15 per mensem. In 10 villages, which are the head-quarters of a tahsildar or deputy tahsildar, the work is superintended by these, and in the remaining villages by the village officers and inspected by taluk officials when on tour. The annexed statement particularizes the villages conserved with establishment and cost :—

Dhone.	Bugganapalle.
Betamcheruvu.	Kottapalle.
Rangapuram.	Tamrazpalli.

Taluks and villages.	Population as per census of 1881.	Establishment.			Cost.
		Scavengers.	Toties.	Total.	
Dhone (Rámallakot taluk)	939	2	..	2	26
Pattikonda	3,087	5	..	5	240
Kallur (Rámallakot taluk)	1,099	4	..	4	224
Nandikotkur	2,175	4	..	4	192
Nandyál	8,907	7	2	9	478
Koilkuntla	3,492	4	1	5	259
Chagalmarri (Sirvel taluk)	2,855	3	1	4	214
Márkapúr	3,174	3	1	4	206
Pyapali (Pattikonda taluk)	3,535	3	1	4	204
Atmakur (Nandikotkur taluk)	3,498	4	..	4	190
Kalwa (Nandyál taluk)	2,615	3	2	5	282
Owk (Koilkuntla taluk)	2,237	4	..	4	215
Kodamur (Pattikonda taluk)	3,736	2	..	2	96
Cumbum	7,170	9*	6	15	1,000
Tamrazpalle (Nandyál taluk)	417	1	..	1	50
Betamcheruvu (do.)	1,776	2	..	2	27
Bugganapalle	663	1	..	1	14
Kottapalle	935	1	..	1	14
Rangapuram	1,487	2	..	2	29
One maistry at Cumbum	..	..	..	..	180
Total ..	..	64	14	78	4,146

* Includes two peons under the maistry and one scavenger for the cart-stand.

49. Rs. 2,571 were spent on the improvement of water-supply, and Rs. 2,152 on improvement of village-sites or 0·2 and 7 per cent. more than the allotment under their respective heads, the increase excluding private contribution being within the sanctioning powers of the Board (*vide* Board's proceedings, No. 2391, dated 12th July 1884). The amount shown above, as expended on improvement of water-supply, does not include a sum of Rs. 234 spent on the repairs of a drinking water tank in Maddikera, which, though sanctioned out of Local funds, was erroneously paid in the treasury from Provincial funds. Steps have been taken to effect the necessary adjustment. Owing to the outbreak of cholera in the adjoining districts a special preventive measures adopted at the end of 1883-84 had to be continued in the early part of the year, and a sum of Rs. 75 was expended in connection therewith, the expenditure having been sanctioned in G O., dated 3rd June 1885, Mis. No. 246 L.F. Happily no cholera occurred during the year except in a few villages of Pattikonda and Sirvel.

50. *Bungalows.*—There are four travellers' bungalows in the district, all situated on the Gooty road. They are all in good condition. Each bungalow is provided with sepoy and a sweeper. The marginally-noted bungalow was repaired during the year at a cost of Rs. 23.

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51. The annexed statement shows the number of travellers who halted in the bungalows, the fees received and the cost of maintenance :—

Name of bungalows.	Number of travellers.	Amount of fees collected.	Cost of maintenance.
		Rs.	Rs.
Tekur	63	66	84
Vadurti	93	120	84
Dhone	137	371	96
Pyapali	121	313	84
			*147
Total ..	414	770	495

* Cost of furniture and crockery furnished to all the bungalows.

1. Allinagaram.
2. Kristamsettipalli.
3. Patcherla.
4. Gazulpalli.
5. Nandyál.
6. Tamrazpalli.
7. Sirvel.
8. Chagalmarri.
9. Koilkuntla.

52. *Choultries.*—The marginally-noted nine choultries were maintained out of the Local funds; a sweeper on pay varying from Rs. 2 to 5 being entertained in each to look after the buildings.

53. *Grant IV.*—The charges of establishment, including contingencies and superannuation and retired allowances, amounted to Rs. 4,768 against Rs. 5,000 provided in the budget. The decrease calls for no remark.

54. *Endowment Fund.*—The items which constitute this fund are the receipts from the Nandyál market and the annual Provincial contribution of Rs. 360 to the Kurnool langarkhana. The Nandyál market has fully repaid its debt to the General fund and has become self-supporting. A balance of Rs. 684 stood to its credit at the close of the year.

Kurnool Langarkhana.—No people are actually fed at this langarkhana. A maintenance dole of one rupee per mensem is paid therein to a number of cripples, blind and old people unable to do any kind of work, a person once admitted continuing to receive his or her dole till death or desertion.

55. *General.*—There were 13 meetings of the Circle Board during the year. The Board consisted of 17 official and 17 non-official members. The average attendance of the two classes was 4·1 and 2·7 respectively. The annexed statement compares the working of the Board for three years:—

Years.	Number of members on the board.		Number of meetings held.	Average attendance at each meeting.	
	Official.	Non-official.		Official.	Non-official.
1882-83	17	7	16	3·3	2·5
1883-84	17	7	17	3	2·2
1884-85	17	7	13	4·1	2·7

ENCLOSURES.

DETAILED STATEMENT of receipts and charges on account of roads for 1884-85.

Receipts.	Amount.	Expenditure.	Amount.
	Rs. A. P.		Rs. A. P.
1. Balance	13,771 15 11	1. New Works	6,267 11 0
2. Two-thirds of land-cess	91,649 6 11	2. Repairs	61,017 9 1
3. Surplus Pound fund	..	3. Establishment—	
4. Ferry rents under the control of the Local Fund board	18 12 0	(a) Share of the Local Fund Public Works department establishment including contingencies chargeable to roads	12,598 7 7
5. Tolls { Cumbum .. .. 1,472 Debaguntla .. .. 1,856 Kurnool 2,367	5,695 0 0	(b) Share of the cost of the general management chargeable to roads.	2,878 1 9
6. Miscellaneous	377 6 5	4. Tools and plant	381 7 9
		5. Refund of cess under Act IV of 1874 ..	38 1 0
Total ..	1,11,512 9 3	Total ..	83,181 6 2

DETAILED STATEMENT of receipts and expenditure on account of education for 1884-85.

Receipts.	Amount.	Expenditure.	Amount.
	Rs. A. P.		Rs. A. P.
1. One-half of General Fund balance ..	5,032 0 6	1. Public Works	140 0 0
2. One-sixth of land-cess	22,912 5 9	2. Cost of Local Fund Public Works department supervision	27 2 1
3. Do. of interest on land-cess ..	0 3 2	3. Tools and plant	0 12 11
4. Contribution from Kurnool municipality for educational inspection	20 0 0	4. Contribution for an additional deputy inspector	1,500 0 0
5. Fees in schools	1,715 11 0	5. Inspecting agency	1,991 9 8
6. Sale of books	496 12 6	6. Training schools	1,798 11 0
7. Miscellaneous	106 5 0	7. Local Fund middle school	349 15 0
		8. Combined schools	5,485 4 1
		9. Results grants—	
		(a) Pál schools	3,384 12 2
		(b) Local Fund combined schools ..	2,278 6 10
		10. Purchase of books including commission	325 4 2
		11. Share of cost of general management chargeable to this including refund of cess	925 13 4
Total ..	30,283 5 11	Total ..	18,212 11 3

DETAILED STATEMENT of receipts and charges on account of sanitation for 1884-85.

Receipts.	Amount.	Expenditure.	Amount.
	Rs. A. P.		Rs. A. P.
1. Balance—		1. Public Works—	
(a) Endowment fund	103 10 3	(a) Civil buildings and miscellaneous public improvements	3,441 5 10
(b) Half of General fund	5,032 0 6	(b) Cos of supervision by Local Fund Public Works department ..	644 6 1
2. Provincial grant	..	(c) Tools and plant	19 8 6
3. Special funds	2,828 7 3	Markets—	
4. One-sixth of land-cess	22,912 5 8	(a) Repairs	..
5. Do. of interest on land-cess ..	0 3 3	(b) Supervision by Local Fund Public Works department	..
6. Avenue receipts	63 8 5	(c) Tools and plant	..
7. Endowment Fund receipts—		2. Establishments &c. Charges—	
(a) Market rents	740 0 0	(a) Hospitals	8,624 5 5
(b) Contribution from Provincial fund for Kurnool langarkhana	360 0 0	(b) Vaccination	4,614 2 11
8. Contribution from private individuals for sanitary works	479 9 4	(c) Santation	4,145 8 11
9. Travellers' bungalow fees	770 4 0	(d) Markets	66 0 0
10. Fines under Police Act	93 4 0	(e) Choultries	326 11 5
11. Miscellaneous	458 9 5	(f) Bungalows	494 13 3
		3. General Charges—	
		(a) Contribution to Kurnool municipality for dispensary	2,404 6 8
		(b) Maintenance of lunatics	288 0 3
		(c) Contribution to Medical college, sanitary inspection, &c.	1,407 0 0
		(d) District Medical and Sanitary officer's establishment	488 15 0
		(e) Improvement of village-sites ..	2,151 9 8
		(f) Do. of water-supply ..	2,571 2 6
		(g) Sanitary arrangements in fairs and festivals	703 5 9
		(h) Feeding charges in Kurnool langerkhana	360 0 0
		(i) Share of the cost of the general management chargeable to sanitation	925 13 5
		(j) Miscellaneous	*415 5 9
Total ..	33,841 14 1	Total ..	34,086 9 4

	Rs. A. P.
* For cholera preventive measures	75 5 6
Other sanitary outlay (repairing, scavengering bandies, &c.) ..	332 2 3
Rewards for killing dogs	7 14 0
Total ..	415 5 9

I.—COMPARATIVE STATEMENT of the Local funds of the Kurnool circle for the official year 1884-85.

Particulars.	Actuals of 1883-84.	Allotment for 1884-85.	Actuals of 1884-85.	Increase over allotment.	Decrease under allotment.	Remarks.
A—Revenue and Receipts.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	
1 Balance—						
(*a*) Road fund	15,185	13,450	13,772	322	..	
(*b*) General fund	11,312	6,950	10,064	3,114	..	
(*c*) Endowment fund	544	30	104	74	..	
Total ..	27,041	20,430	23,940	3,510	..	
2. Allotment from General revenue—						
(*a*) Provincial funds—						
For schools	..	1,480	..	..	1,480	*Vide* paragraph 12 of the report.
(*b*) Special funds—						
Surplus Pound fund	1,870	1,360	2,828	1,468	..	*Vide* paragraph 4 of the report.
Village Service fund	..	..	..	..	..	
Ferry rents	..	..	..	..	..	
Avenues	..	..	..	..	..	
Miscellaneous	..	..	..	..	..	
3. Rates and taxes—						
(*a*) Cess of land	1,25,188	1,32,000	1,37,474	5,474	..	Do. 5 do.
(*b*) Tolls.. Cumbum	1,346	1,400	1,472	72	..	Do. 6 do.
(*b*) Tolls.. Debaguntla	530	500	1,856	1,356	..	Do. 6 do.
(*b*) Tolls.. Kurnool	2,190	2,170	2,367	197	..	Do. 6 do.
4. Fees in schools and training institution.	1,250	2,150	1,716	..	434	Do. 7 & 8 do.
5. Contribution from other circles and municipalities.	..	..	..	..	..	
From Kurnool municipality for educational inspection.	20	20	20	..	..	
From Kurnool municipality for vaccination.	10	..	..	..	..	
6. Receipts from endowments, contributions and donations—						
(*a*) Educational	..	..	..	..	..	
(*b*) Hospital and dispensaries ..	..	..	..	..	..	
(*c*) Choultries (Kurnool langarkhana) ..	360	360	360	..	..	
Market rents	487	550	740	190	..	Do. 9 do.
(*d*) Miscellaneous	..	..	..	..	..	
7. Miscellaneous—						
(*a*) Contribution from private individuals for sanitary works.	71	400	480	80	..	Do. 10 do.
(*b*) Fines and penalties	98	30	93	63	* ..	
(*c*) Sale of tools and plants ..	2	..	3	3	..	
(*d*) Sale of books	163	500	497	..	3	
(*e*) Savings and refunds	32	..	29	29	..	
(*f*) Interest on arrears of land-cess.	5	40	1	..	39	
(*g*) Fees from travellers	494	250	770	520	..	Do. 11 do.
(*h*) Public Works receipts and refund of expenditure.	250	..	221	221	..	
(*i*) Refunds of expenditure ..	..	..	152	152	..	Unprovided for in the budget.
(*j*) Ferries under Local Fund board.	18	30	19	..	11	
(*k*) Avenue receipts	62	50	64	14	..	
(*l*) Miscellaneous	510	300	436	136	† ..	
Total ..	1,63,.97	1,64,020	1,75,538	13,485	1,967	Net increase, 11,518.
I-B.—Expenditure.						
GRANT I—Public Works.						
(*a*) New Works—						
Communications	5,883	7,908	6,268	..	1,640	*Vide* paragraph 18 of the report.
Civil Buildings	..	420	318	..	102	Do. 27 do.
Miscellaneous public improvement.	393	234	134	..	100	Do. do.
(*b*) Repairs—						
Communications	65,441	68,518	61,018	..	7,500	Do. 19 do.
Civil Buildings	1,339	2,094	1,568	..	526	Do. 27 do.
Miscellaneous public improvement.	1,478	1,822	1,566	..	256	Do. 27 do.
(*c*) Establishment—						
Cost of supervision by Public Works department—						

* Increase over estimate due to under-estimate in the budget for want of sufficient data, fines under the Police Act having for the first time been transferred to Local funds in 1883-84.

† Increase due to unexpected receipts of rents from two Local Fund buildings.

Comparative statement of the Local funds of the Kurnool circle for the official year 1884-85—*continued.*

Particulars.	Actuals of 1883-84.	Allotment for 1884-85.	Actuals of 1884-85.	Increase over allotment.	Decrease under allotment.	Remarks.
I-B.—Expenditure—*contd.*	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	
GRANT I—Public Works—*contd.*						
Local Fund Engineering establishment.	12,395	13,550	11,837	..	1,713	Savings chiefly due to the non-entertainment of an Overseer for want of work and to temporary vacancies left unfilled for want of proper hands.
Contingencies	1,122	1,480	1,433	..	47	
(*e*) Tools and plant	594	950	401	..	549	
(*e*) Contingencies	..	..	..	..	..	
(*f*) Road Fund reserve	..	..	..	..	..	
(*g*) Contribution—						
1. Provincial funds	..	..	..	..	..	
For adjustment of famine expenditure.	1,888	..	..	..	..	
2. Other circles	..	..	..	..	..	
3. Municipalities	..	..	..	..	..	
Total, Grant I ..	90,533	96,976	84,543	..	12,433	Net decrease, 12,433.
GRANT II.—Education.						
(*a*) Payment for inspection ..	1,705	2,020	1,992	..	28	
(*b*) Training schools	1,755	2,090	1,799	..	291	Savings chiefly due to the removal of four stipendiary students for continued absence.
(*c*) Middle-class schools	..	..	350	350	..	
(*d*) Local Fund schools—						
Combined	..	..	..	..	..	
Salaries.. Fixed	540	5,770	5,145	..	* 625	*Savings owing to the non-opening of a combined school and to the non-realization of expectations that unpassed men drawing Rs. 3 will be superseded by passed men on Rs. 5 in seven schools.
Salaries.. Payments by results..	2,375	2,330	2,278	..	52	
Salaries.. Do. by school fees.	..	..	..	..	..	
Servants—						
Miscellaneous	359	400	340	..	60	
Contingencies						
(*d*) Grant-in-aid—						
Salary grants	..	..	..	..	..	
Result grants	3,457	3,400	3,385	..	15	
(*e*) Contributions—						
1. Provincial funds	1,500	1,500	1,500	..	..	
2. Other circles	..	..	..	..	..	
3. Municipalities	..	..	..	..	..	
(*f*) Miscellaneous—						
Purchase of books	281	300	297	..	3	
Commission to book-sellers ..	53	80	28	..	72	
Miscellaneous	..	20				
Total, Grant II ..	15,725	17,910	17,114	350	1,146	Net decrease is 796.
GRANT III.—Sanitation, Medical Services, Public and Charitable Institutions.						
(*a*) Hospitals and dispensaries—						
Salaries of medical subordinates ..	4,292	2,970	3,469	499	..	Admitted in G.O., No. 246, dated 3rd June 1885.
Clerk and servants	1,020	1,200	1,100	..	100	*Vide* remark under item No. 1 in the statement appended to paragraph 41 of the report.
Diet of patients	791	1,210	684	..	526	
Medicines and surgical apparatus.	1,777	2,000	1,534	..	1,066	
Supplies	376	590	440	..	150	
Contingencies	..	360	745	215		Admitted in G.O., No. 246, dated 3rd June 1885.
Miscellaneous, rents, and furniture, &c.	895	170	..	..	..	
Arrears of contribution towards Provincial for the pay of Head Assistant, Cumbum.	..	650	653	3	..	
(*b*) i. Vaccination establishment ..	3,138	4,310	3,845	..	465	
ii. Travelling batta	212	510	512	2	..	*Vide* remark against item 3 in the statement appended to paragraph 41 of the report.
iii. Contingencies..	141	220	239	19	..	
iv. Batta to mothers	31	300	18	..	282	
v. Rewards to vaccinators ..	134	300	..	..	300	
(*c*) i. Sanitary establishment ..	3,812	4,318	4,146	..	172	*Vide* paragraph 48 of the report.
ii. Cleansing wells and tanks ..	1,893	2,560	2,571	11	..	
iii. Sanitary arrangements at fairs and festivals ..	609	700	703	3	..	
iv. Improvement of village-sites.	1,930	2,000	2,152	152	..	Do. 50 of do.
v. Cholera preventive measures.	292	..	75	75	..	
vi Other sanitary outlay ..	254 404	390	332	..	58	

Comparative statement of the Local funds of the Kurnool circle for the official year 1884-85—*continued.*

Particulars.	Actuals of 1883-84.	Allotment for 1884-85.	Actuals of 1884-85.	Increase over allotment.	Decrease under allotment.	Remarks.
I-B.—Expenditure—*contd.*	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	
GRANT III—Sanitation, Medical services, &c.—*contd.*						
(e) Markets—						
Establishments	60	60	60	..	..	
Contingencies		40	..	..	40	
(f) Choultries—						
Establishment	236	350	313	..	37	
Contingencies	16	50	14	..	36	*Vide* remark against item 2 in the statement appended to paragraph 41 of the report.
Feeding charges in Kurnool langarkhana.	360	360	360	..	..	
(g) Travellers' bungalows—						
Establishment	361	360	495	35	..	Admitted in G.O., No. 246, dated 3rd June 1885.
Contingencies		100				
(h) Contribution to—						
1. Provincial funds—						
(a) Medical college	535	720	648	..	72	
(b) Reserve staff of medical subordinate.	..	..	54	*54	..	* Paid to Provincial under G.O., No. 634, dated 24th March 1884.
(c) Sanitary inspection ..	710	720	648	..	72	
Cost of establishment in Medical Store depôt.	..	..	57	†40	..	†Rs. 40 paid under Accountant-General's circular, No. 9, dated 10th June 1884.
2. Other circles	..	..	..	..	..	
3. Municipalities—						
To Kurnool municipality for dispensary.	3,211	3,000	2,404	..	246	Rs. 17 as per Accountant-General's letter, No. J.B.A.-30, dated 13th February 1885.
To Kurnool municipality for Lying-in Hospital.						
(i) 4. District Surgeon's establishment.	326	460	439	29	..	
(j) Miscellaneous—						
Rewards for killing dogs	11	..	8	8	..	
Maintenance of lunatics	334	540	288	..	252	Savings due to small number of lunatics.
Total, Grant III ..	28,341	31,768	29,956	1,152	3,874	Net decrease is 2,712.
GRANT IV—Miscellaneous.						
Refund of cesses under Act IV of 1874.	60	..	57	57	..	
(a) Establishment at the Presidency ..	1,135	1,390	1,181	..	209	
(b) Cost of establishment in the Collector's office.	274	280	277	..	3	
(c) Cost of District Audit establishment.	775	840	835	..	5	
(d) Establishment of the Local Fund Board's office.	1,122	1,140	1,138	..	2	
(e) Travelling allowances to non-official members.	59	150	133	..	17	
(f) Miscellaneous—						
Contingencies		130				
Stationery		120				
Printing charges	1,099	600	881	..	220	
Postal do.		260				
Pensionary contribution for superannuation and retired allowances of Manager, Local Fund Board's office.	133	90	86	..	4	
Superannuation and retired allowances.	..	..	180	180	..	
Suspense account	..	..	..	..	..	
Permanent advances	..	..	..	..	..	
Total, Grant IV ..	4,658	5,000	4,768	237	469	Net decrease is 232.
Grand total of expenditure ..	1,30,257	1,51,654	1,35,481	1,749	17,922	Net decrease is 16,173.
General reserve	..	1,562	..	..	1,562	
Road Fund reserve	..	4,204	..	..	4,204	
Balances—						
Road fund	13,772	6,220	28,331	22,111	..	
General fund	10,064	..	11,042	11,042	..	
Endowment fund	104	380	684	304	..	
Total ..	1,63,197	1,64,020	1,75,511	35,206	23,688	Net increase is 11,518.

CONCISE report of attendance, &c., in Local Fund dispensaries, Kurnool district, during 1884-85.

Name of station.	Attendance of		Increase.		Decrease.		Mortality.		Operations.		Cost of diets of in-patients.
	In-patients.	Out-patients.	Compared to 1883-84.		Compared to 1883-84.		In-patients.	Out-patients.	Major.	Minor.	
			In-patients.	Out-patients.	In-patients.	Out-patients.					
											RS. A. P.
Cumbum	141	9,933	..	..	41	2,576	5	172	1	105	..
Nandyál	70	8,603	..	..	8	684	13	13	..	62	..
Atmakur	..	3,672	..	..	..	556	..	6	4	12	..
Sirvel	..	2,933	..	..	..	248	..	*17	..	14	..
Owk	..	3,457	..	882	..	..	..	6	..	..	..
Pattikonda ..	..	2,243	..	224	..	..	..	†10	3	13	..
Markapur	..	2,904	..	701	..	..	..	12	21	81	..

* Sixteen by cholera during the month of November 1884.
† Seven by cholera during the month of April 1884.

General Remarks.—The above figures show that the total attendance of patients in the seven dispensaries was 33,956 exhibiting a decrease, when compared to the previous year, of 4,513 in the case of four, and an increase of 1,807 in the case of three institutions, or a total decrease of 2,706. This is by no means due to decline in popularity, but is ascribable to the less amount of malarial fever during the year due, probably, to the unfavorable condition in which malaria propagation was placed by the dryness of the season. A further cause has possibly been the withdrawal of large numbers of the working population to centres of railway construction. Considering the extent of district and the very unhealthy climate, Kurnool is as yet but poorly provided with minor dispensaries, and it is to be hoped that the district board will make every effort to extend the system. The actual expenditure on these institutions is very small, and must be regarded as public money well spent, not only with respect to alleviation of human suffering, but also as affording suitable centres for supervision of sanitation.

2. The following shows diseases arranged according to order of prevalence :—
Malarial fevers, bowel-complaints, skin diseases, ulcers, rheumatism, bronchitis, ophthalmia, wounds, and scorpion stings.

The following shows the percentage admissions for malarial fevers to all other causes according to locality :—

Station.	Percentage admissions for malarial fevers.
Cumbum	45·83
Nandyál	43·78
Atmakur	24·21
Sirvel	35·59
Owk	14·43
Pattikonda	7·66
Markapur	26·34

A few cases of cholera occurred in the villages of Nallavagúpally, Múthalúr, Nursapuram and Búrgala during the months of April, November and December. The disease was, on each occasion of its appearance, soon stamped out, and yielded but a mortality of 23. Small-pox also prevailed in various parts of the district.

KURNOOL,
20th April 1885.

(Signed) W. G. KING, M.B., Surgeon,
District Surgeon.

ORDER—dated 8th August 1885, No. 582 L.F., Financial.

The receipts and charges of the Local Fund Board, Kurnool, for 1884-85, are compared below with the estimate of the year and the actuals of 1883-84.

RECEIPTS.

	Actuals, 1884-85. Rs.	Estimate, 1884-85. Rs.	Actuals, 1883-84. Rs.
Balance	23,820	20,430	26,919
Provincial Grants—			
For schools	..	1,480	..
Contributions from Special Funds—			
Pound Fund	2,828	1,360	1,870
Cess on land	1,37,474	1,32,000	1,25,188
Tolls	5,695	4,070	4,066
Fees in schools	1,716	2,150	1,450
Contributions—			
From Municipalities	20	20	30
„ private individuals	480	400	771
Receipts from endowments, markets, &c.	1,100	910	1,047
Ferry rents	19	30	18
Avenue rents	63	50	62
Bungalow fees	770	250	394
Fines and penalties	93	30	98
Public Works receipts	221	..	250
Savings and refunds	29	..	32
Miscellaneous	1,090	840	880
Debt heads	2	..	2
Grand Total	1,75,420	1,64,020	1,63,077

CHARGES.

	Actuals, 1884-85. Rs.	Estimate, 1884-85. Rs.	Actuals, 1883-84. Rs.
GRANT I.			
New Works—			
Communications	6,268	7,908	5,883
Buildings	318	420	..
Miscellaneous public improvements.	134	234	393
Repairs—			
Communications	61,018	68,518	65,441
Buildings	1,568	2,094	1,339
Miscellaneous public improvements.	1,566	1,822	1,478
Engineering establishment	11,837	13,550	12,395
Tools and plant	402	950	594
Contributions	..	..	1,888
Miscellaneous	1,433	1,480	1,122
Total	84,544	96,976	90,533
GRANT II.			
Inspection	1,992	2,020	1,705
Training schools	1,799	2,090	1,755
Local Fund schools	8,113	8,500	6,974
Results grants	3,385	3,400	3,457
Contributions	1,500	1,500	1,500
Miscellaneous	325	400	334
Total	17,114	17,910	15,725
GRANT III.			
Hospitals and dispensaries	8,624	9,750	9,138
Vaccination	4,614	5,640	3,656
Sanitation	9,979	9,968	9,374
Markets	60	100	60
Choultries	687	760	612
Travellers' bungalows	495	460	361
Contributions	3,811	4,090	4,469
Miscellaneous	785	1,000	671
Total	29,055	31,768	28,341

CHARGES—*continued.*

	Actuals, 1884-85. Rs.	Estimate, 1884-85. Rs.	Actuals, 1883-84. Rs.
GRANT IV.			
Establishment, including contingencies, refunds, &c.	4,768	5,000	4,658
Total	4,768	5,000	4,658
Total expenditure	1,35,481	1,51,654	1,39,257
Balance	39,939	12,366	23,820
Grand Total	1,75,420	1,64,020	1,63,077

2. *Opening Balance.*—The year opened with a balance of Rs. 23,820, against Rs. 20,430 anticipated in the budget, the increase being chiefly due to the short expenditure incurred under Grants I, II and III in the year 1883-84.

3. *Receipts.*—The actual receipts amounted to Rs. 1,51,598, against an estimate of Rs. 1,43,590, and Rs. 1,36,156 realized in the preceding year, the increase being the result of the larger collections under Land-cess and Tolls. Nothing was credited under the head "Provincial grants" for schools. Rs. 1,480 were, however, anticipated from this source. The grants earned by the combined system schools did not pass through the Local Fund accounts, the Educational officers having issued their certificates direct to the masters of these schools, and the grants to the Normal school at Nandyál not being drawn during the year under report. The surplus of the Pound Fund made over to Local Funds was Rs. 2,828, or more than double the estimate, owing to the receipts being greater than was anticipated and to the smaller outlay on the repair of pounds. Land-cess yielded Rs. 1,37,474, or Rs. 5,474 more than the estimate, and Rs. 12,286 more than the actuals of the previous year; the increase is due to the satisfactory collection of outstandings. The total collections under this head amounted to 86 per cent. of the demand, as against 82 per cent. in the previous year. The sum of Rs. 5,695 shown under Tolls is made up of Rs. 3,328 realized from the Local Fund toll-gates at Cumbum and Debaguntla and of Rs. 2,367 contributed by the Kurnool Municipality. The increase of Rs. 1,625 over the estimate under this head is explained chiefly by the unusually large traffic in connection with the carriage of materials for the Bellary-Kistna State Railway. The details of the sum of Rs. 480 contributed by private individuals have not been noted in the margin, as stated in paragraph 10 of the report. The omission should be supplied. The President reports that there is only one market in the district where fees are collected; the receipts amounted to Rs. 740. The collections under this head in the neighbouring districts of Bellary, Anantapur and Cuddapah are very considerable, and probably the number of markets upon the fee system might be increased with advantage in Kurnool, if care is taken to spend the receipts upon improving the market sites. The matter should engage the special attention of the President. The variations in the other items are explained by the President and do not call for special notice

4. *Expenditure.*—The total expenditure amounted to Rs. 1,35,481, against allotments aggregating Rs. 1,51,654, and Rs. 1,39,257 incurred in 1883-84, the decrease being chiefly under Grant I.

5. *Public Works.*—Expenditure under this head "*New Works*" amounted to Rs. 6,268, or 79 per cent. of the allotment. The expenditure on "*Repairs*" was Rs. 61,018, or 89 per cent. of the allotment of Rs. 68,518, against Rs. 65,441, or 97 per cent. of the allotment in 1883-84. The total length of roads in the district, including village roads, was 686 miles; of which 559 miles were maintained, against 625½ miles in the previous year, the decrease being chiefly due to the transfer to the Nawab of Banganapalle of 23 miles of the Rampur pass road lying within his territory, and to the abandonment of 48 miles of a road from Cumbum *via* Dupad to Kistna

frontier, which runs parallel to the proposed line of railway. The outlay on the maintenance of 53¾ miles of village roads was Rs. 4,843, giving an average of Rs. 90-1-7 per mile. Of the sum of Rs. 1,561 shown under Repairs, Miscellaneous Public Improvements, Rs. 1,324 were spent on the maintenance of avenues. The Local Fund Engineering Establishment, including contingencies, cost Rs. 13,270, or 19 per cent. of the outlay on works incurred by that department.

6. *Endowments.*—There were only two endowed institutions in charge of the District Board, viz., the Lungerkana at Kurnool and the market at Nandyál. The Kurnool Lungerkana receives an annual contribution of Rs. 360 from Provincial Funds, which is spent in giving a dole of 1 rupee per mensem to crippled, blind, and old people who are unable to do any kind of work. The Nandyál market opened with a balance of Rs. 104; its income from fees amounted to Rs. 740. The charges being Rs. 160, including Rs. 100 repaid to the General fund, the balance in its favor at the end of the year was Rs. 684.

7. *Education.*—The total outlay on educational operations was Rs. 17,114, against Rs. 15,725 in the previous year, the increase being mainly under Local Fund schools, the expenditure under results grants being about the same as in the previous year. There were 4 Inspecting Schoolmasters who visited 542 villages and prepared for examination 469 schools. In the Normal school at Nandyál there were 21 pupils who appeared for the Special Upper Primary examination, of whom 16 passed, 9 being in the first class. The average cost of training each successful pupil was reduced from Rs. 219 in 1883-84 to Rs. 112-7-0 in the year under report. There were three practising-classes attached to this school, attended by 42 pupils against 28 in the previous year. The Government middle-school at Nandyál was taken over by the Local Fund Board during the year under report; the total cost of its maintenance was Rs. 350; but the net charge to Local Funds, after deducting the school-fees, was only Rs. 193. This school, with an average attendance of 38 pupils, is reported to have done fairly at the Inspector's examination. The President is requested to state the different examinations passed by the pupils with the numbers in each and the reason why nothing was earned by the school in the shape of salary or result grants from Provincial Funds. Including the 7 new schools opened during the year, there were 62 schools maintained on the combined system of salary and result grants. Of these one was temporarily closed for want of a teacher. The attendance of the 62 schools was 1,355. Out of 948 pupils presented for examination from these schools, 777 passed in the first four standards and earned a grant of Rs. 2,278. The net cost to Local Funds, after deducting the income of Rs. 1,519 from school-fees, was Rs. 6,244, against Rs. 5,548 in the preceding year. There were 278 result grants schools, attended by 2,933 pupils. Of these, 237 schools applied for examination, and 167 of them were actually examined. Out of 1,590 pupils presented for examination, 1,196 passed and earned grants amounting to Rs. 3,385.

8. *Hospitals and Dispensaries.*—There were seven dispensaries; but only two of them, viz., those at Cumbum and Nandyál, contained accommodation for the treatment of in-patients. The total number of persons treated was 211 in and 33,745 out patients, against 260 and 36,402, respectively, in the previous year. The District Medical Officer states that the decrease in the number of persons relieved is due, in these institutions, partly to the healthiness of the year and partly to the withdrawal of large numbers of the laborers to the railway works. The cost of maintaining these institutions was Rs. 8,624, or Rs. 1,126 less than the amount provided in the budget, the decrease being due to the falling off in the number of patients treated. The sum of Rs. 2,404 was contributed by the District Board to the Kurnool Municipality for the maintenance of the dispensary and the lying-in ward at that place. The attention of the Board should be directed to the remarks of the Civil Surgeon with regard to the extension of medical aid in the district.

9. *Vaccination.*—A first-class Deputy Inspector was, for the first time, employed during the year under report in accordance with the scheme sanctioned in G.O., dated 31st August 1883, No. 1715. The total number of operations performed was 13,809, against 26,088 in the preceding year; the successful operations in the two years were

12,641 and 21,218, respectively. The decrease in the number of successful operations was as much as 40 *per cent.*, and was most unsatisfactory. The cost of each operation was Annas 5-10. The President should take up this matter at once, and endeavour to improve the results for the current year. The Inspector of Vaccination should be consulted with regard to the action of Dr. Bain in the past year; from the results reported it would seem that the course taken by that officer was most injudicious. The total expenditure under this head was Rs. 4,614, against Rs. 3,656 in the previous year.

10. *Sanitation.*—The expenditure under this head amounted to Rs. 9,979, as shown in the margin, against an allotment of Rs. 9,968. In addition to the 13 villages which had conservancy establishments in 1883-84, six other villages were provided with scavengers during the year under report. Including the sum of Rs. 275 spent under Grant I, the total outlay on sanitation was Rs. 10,255, or 15 per cent. of the General Fund assets, against the minimum of 12½ per cent. fixed by Government.

	Rs.
(1) Improvement of water-supply ..	2,571
(2) Do. of village sites ..	2,152
(3) Conservancy establishment ..	4,146
(4) Sanitary arrangements at fairs and festivals	703
(5) Cholera charges	75
(6) Other sanitary outlay	332
Total ..	9,979

11. *Bungalows and Choultries.*—Four bungalows were kept up by the District Board. In these 414 travellers halted and paid fees amounting to Rs. 770; the charges on account of establishments, contingencies and repairs amounted to Rs. 518. The Local Board also maintained 9 choultries at a cost of Rs. 1,451, including repairs.

12. *General Taxation.*—The incidence of taxation per head of the population, inclusive and exclusive of tolls, was Annas 3-6 and Annas 3-4, against Annas 3-2 and Annas 3, respectively, in the preceding year. The increase was due to the enhanced collections under Land-cess and Tolls.

13. *Local Fund Board.*—The constitution of the Local Fund Board remained the same as in 1883-84, there being 17 official and 17 non-official members. The Board held 13 meetings; the average attendance at each meeting was 4·1 among officials, and 2·7 among non-officials, against 3 and 2·2, respectively, in the previous year. Though there was a slight improvement in the attendance during the year, it was still not good.

(True Extract.)

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ORDER.

THE receipts and charges of the Local Fund Board Kurnool for 1884-85, are compared below with the estimate of the year and the actuals of 1883-84.

	Actuals, 1884-85.	Estimate, 1884-85.	Actuals, 1883-84.
	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
Receipts.			
Balance—	23820	20430	26919
Provincial Grants—			
For Roads	"	"	"
„ Public Works	"	"	"
„ Schools	"	1480	"
„ General purposes	"	"	"
Contributions from Special Funds—			
Pound Fund	2328	1368	1870
Canal and Ferry Fund	"	"	"
Cess on Land	137474	132000	125188
Tolls	5695	4070	4066
Fees in Schools	1716	2150	1450
Contributions—			
From other District Boards	"	"	"
„ Municipalities	20	20	30
„ Private Individuals	480	400	771
Receipts from Endowments, Markets, &c. ..	1100	910	1047
Fishery Rents	"	"	"
Ferry Rents	19	30	18
Avenue Rents	63	50	62
Bungalow Fees	770	250	394
Fines and Penalties	93	30	95
Public Works Receipts	221	"	250
Savings and Refunds	29	"	32
Miscellaneous	1090	840	880
Debt Heads	2	"	2
Grand Total ..	175420	164020	163077

Charges.			
Grant I.			
New Works.			
Communications	6268	7908	5883
Buildings	318	420	"
Miscellaneous Public Improvements	134	234	393
Repairs.			
Communications	61018	68518	65441
Buildings	1361	2094	1339
Miscellaneous Public Improvements	1516	1822	1478
Engineering Establishment	11837	13550	12395
Tolls and Ferries	"	"	"
Tools and Plant	402	950	574
Contributions	"	"	1888
Miscellaneous	1433	1480	1122
Total	84544	96976	90533
Grant II.			
Inspection	1992	2020	1705
Training Schools	1799	2090	1755
Local Fund Schools	8113	8600	6974
Salary Grants	"	"	"
Results Grants	2385	3400	3457
Contributions	1500	1500	1500
Miscellaneous	325	400	334
Total	17114	17910	15726
Grant III.			
Hospitals and Dispensaries	8624	9760	9138
Vaccination	4614	5640	3855
Medical Practitioners	"	"	"
Sanitation	9979	9968	9374
Markets	60	100	60
Choultries	687	760	612
Travellers' Bungalows	495	460	361
Contributions	3811	4090	4469
Miscellaneous	785	1000	671
Total	29055	31768	28341
Grant IV.			
Establishment including Contingencies, Refunds, &c.	4768	5000	4658
Total	4768	5000	4658
Debt Heads	"	"	"
Total Expenditure	135481	151654	139257
Balance	39939	12366	23820
Grand Total	175420	164020	163077

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2. Opening Balance. The year opened with a balance of Rs 23820 against Rs 20,430 anticipated in the Budget, the increase being chiefly due to the short expenditure incurred under Grants I. II & III in the year 1883-84.

3. Receipts. The actual receipts amounted to Rs 15,598 against an estimate of Rs 14,590 and Rs 13,656 realized in the preceding year, the increase being the result of the larger collections under Land cess and Tolls. Nothing was credited under the head "Provincial Grants" for schools, although Rs 1480 were anticipated from this source, as the grants earned by the combined system

school is not kept through the Local Fund accounts, the Educational Officers having issued their certificates direct to the Masters of these schools and the grants due to the Normal school at Nandyal were not drawn during the year under report. The surplus of the Pounds Fund made over to Local Funds was Rs 2828 or more than double the Estimate, owing to the larger receipts under the Pounds Fund and the smaller expenditure incurred on the repair of Pounds. Land Cess yielded Rs

further explained and to be found after the report.

Rs 137:74 or Rs 54 more than the estimate and Rs 2,286 more than the actuals of the previous year, which the increase is attributed to the larger arrear balance outstanding at the beginning of the year and to better collections both under arrears and current

It is observed that the total collections under this head amounted to 86 percent of the demand as against 82 percent in the previous year. The sum of Rs 6695 shewn under Tolls is made up of Rs 3328 realized from the

Local Fund toll gates at Cumbum and Dibagunta and of Rs 2,367 contributed by the Taluk Municipality as their one fourth share of the tolls collected by that body. The increase of Rs 1625 over the estimate under this head is explained chiefly by the unusually large traffic on the roads in connection with the carriage of materials for the Bellary-Kistna state Railway, under construction. The details of the sum of Rs 480 contributed by private

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private individuals are not stated in the margin, as stated in para 10 of the report. The omission should be supplied. The variations in the other items are explained by the President and do not call for special notice

4. Expenditure. The total expenditure amounted to Rs 135481 against allotments aggregating Rs 151654 and Rs 139257 incurred in 1883-84 the decrease being chiefly under Grant I.

5. Public Works. The expenditure under this head amount spent as "New Works" Amounted to Communications was Rs 6268

The President reports that there is only one market in the District where fees are collected; the receipts amounted to £740. The collections under this head in the neighbouring districts of Bellary, Kurnool & Cuddapah are very considerable, and probably the number of markets upon the fee system might be increased with advantage in Kurnool. The Govt are taken to spend the receipts upon improving the market sites, ~~the extension of the system is only to be popular~~ The matter shd engage the special attention of the President &c

Note. The returns show the receipts only on this head in Coimbatore as less than £2,000 are collected in Nilgiris £1000, in Trichinopoly £1000, in four districts as Rs 1000 each. I think these present returns afford room for an order to all Local Boards

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or 79 per cent of the allotment

~~for the year~~ and the short

outlay is stated to be due

to the non-completion of the

works undertaken during

the year, the most important

of which was the construction

of the road from Thoilkunetta

to Kindyal, on which

Rs 4,670 were spent during

the year and Rs 13,256 up

to the end of the year, out

of an estimate of Rs 14,420.

The expenditure on repairs

of ~~Communications~~ was

Rs 61,018 or 89 per cent of

the allotment of Rs 68,518

against

against Rs 65,441 or 95 per cent

of the allotment in 1883-84;

~~and~~ the decrease is ascribed

to the failure of the usual

rains in parts of the District

during the season for road

repairs and to Railway

competition. The total length

of roads in the district

including village roads was

686 miles, of which

559 miles were maintained

~~in fair order~~ against 625½

miles in the previous year,

the decrease being chiefly

due to the transfer to the

Nawab of Banganapalle of

23 miles of the Rampur pass

road lying within his territory
and to the abandonment of
48 miles of the road from
Cumbum via Dúpad to
Kistna frontier, which as it was
very little used and was running
parallel to the proposed line
of Railway. The outlay
on the maintenance of 53 3/4
Miles of village roads was Rs 4843.
Of the sum of Rs 1566 shown
under Repairs-Miscellaneous
Public Improvements, Rs 1324
were spent on the maintenance
of avenues, which are
reported to have been in a
flourishing condition, but
the total number of
trees

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Give the average per mile for

giving an average of Rs 89-9 per mile

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trees in the ... and the casualities among them are not given. The Local Fund Engineering Establishment including contingencies cost Rs 13270 or 19 per cent of the outlay on works incurred by that Department against the limit of 20 per cent fixed by Government.

6. Endowments. There were only two endowed institution in charge of the District Board viz the Lungerkana at Kurnool and the market at Nandyal. The Kurnool Lungerkana receives an

annual contribution of Rs 360 from Provincial Funds, which is spent in giving a ~~maintenance~~ dole of 1 Rupee per mensem to ~~a number~~ crippled, blind, and old people who are unable to do any kind of work.

The Nandyal market opened with a balance of Rs 104; and its income from fees amounted to Rs 740. The charges being Rs 160, including Rs 100 repaid to the General Fund, the balance ~~was~~ in its favor at the end of the year was Rs 684.

7. Education. The total outlay on educational operations was Rs 17,114 against Rs 15,725 in the previous year the increase being mainly under Local Fund schools. There were 4 Inspecting school masters, who visited 542 villages and prepared for examination 469 schools against 598 and 520 respectively in 1883-84. The decrease is attributed to the absence of one of the men on sick leave for 4½ months and his post not having been filled up for want of

~~a complete train~~ The
Normal school at Nandyal
~~has~~ was
had 21 pupils, who appeared
for the special Upper
Primary examination, and
16 ~~of them~~ passed ~~with~~ being
the first class against 8 passed
out of 19 in the preceding year.
The average cost of training
each successful pupil was
~~Rs~~ reduced from Rs 219
in 1883-84 to Rs 112-7-~~0~~ in
the year under report. There
were three practising classes
attached to this school
attended by 42 pupils
against 28 in the previous
year and the results
of

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of their examination are
reported to have been very
fair. The Government Middle
school at Nandyal was
taken over by the Local
Funds Board during the
year under report; ~~and~~
the cost of its maintenance
was Rs 350; but its net
charge ~~cost~~ to Local Funds, after
deducting the school fees, was
only Rs 193. This school,
with an average attendance
of 38 pupils, is reported
to have done fairly at the
Inspector's examination
The President is requested

to state the different examinations passed by the pupils with the numbers in each and the reason why nothing was earned by the schools in the shape of salary or Result Grants from Provincial Funds. Including the 7 new schools opened during the year, there were 62 schools maintained on the combined system of Salary and Result Grants. Of these one was temporarily closed for want of a teacher. The attendance of the 62

Illegible

(1) numbers of pupils
(2) Each examination

62 schools was 55. Out of 948 pupils presented for examination from these schools 777 passed in the first four standards and earned a grant of Rs 2278. The net cost to Local Funds, after deducting the income of Rs 1519 from school fees, was Rs 6244 against Rs 5548 in the preceding year. There were 278 Result Grants schools attended by 2933 pupils. Of these 237 schools applied for examination against 285 in the preceding year

and 167 of them ~~& 24~~ less than
in 1883-84, were actually
examined. Out of 1,590
pupils presented for
examination 1,194 passed
and earned grants amounting
to Rs 3385 against Rs 3457
earned by 1344 pupils in
the preceding year.

8. Hospitals and Dispensaries.

There were 7 dispensaries; but only
2 of them viz those at Cumbum
and Nandyal contained
~~the necessary~~ accommodation
for the treatment of inpatients.
The total number of persons
treated was 211 in- and 33745
out

out patients against 260 and
36402 respectively in the
previous year. The District
Medical Officer states that
~~the decrease~~ in the number of persons relieved
is not due to
~~the decline of popularity of~~
want of
these institutions, but to the
healthiness of the year
decline of ~~Malarial fever~~
during the year in consequence
of the ~~dryness of the season~~
want
and ~~probably~~ to the withdrawal
of large numbers of the
labourers
~~working population~~ to the
centres of Railway works. The
cost of maintaining these institutions
was Rs 8624 or Rs 1126 less than
the amount provided in the
Budget, the decrease being

due to the falling off in the number of patients treated.

The sum of Rs 2404 was contributed by the District Board to the Kurnool Municipality against Rs 211 in the previous year, for the maintenance of the dispensary and the lying-in-ward at that place.

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The attention of the Bd is drawn to the remarks of the Civil Surgeon with regard to the desirability of extending medical aid in the district.

9. Vaccination. A First class Deputy Inspector was employed for the first time during the year under report in accordance with the scheme sanctioned in G.O dated 31st August 1883 No 1715. Thus the Vaccine establishment consisted of two First class Deputy Inspectors, 2 Class A and 2 Second class Vaccinators and four probationers. The total number of operations performed was 13800 against 26,88 in the preceding year, and the successful operations in the two years were 12,641 and 21218 respectively.

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The decrease in the number of Successful Operations was as much as 47 per cent, and was most unsatisfactory. The cost of each operation was annas 5/10. The President should take up this matter at once, and endeavour to improve the results for the Ensuing year. The Inspector of Vaccination should be consulted with regard to the action of D. Bain in the past year, from the Annual reports

The decrease is explained to be due chiefly to the enforcement of the system of arm to arm vaccination at the suggestion of the late District Medical Officer. Assuming that the birth rate was 42 per mille of the population, there must have been

27,645 births during the year, of which only 2641 or 45.7 per cent were protected from small pox. Strenuous efforts should therefore be made to produce better results in future. The total expenditure under this head being Rs 4,614 against Rs 3,656 in the previous year, showing the average cost of each successful case was as 5-10 against as 2-9.

it would seem that the Conservators by that officer was not injudicious.

10 Sanitation. The expenditure under this head amounted to Rs 9,979, as shown in the margin against an allotment of Rs 9,968. In addition to the 13 villages which had conservancy establishments in 1883-84, 6 other villages were provided with scavengers during the year under report & an account of the influx of large nos of Railway employes and coolies. Including Rs 276 spent under grant I/1 the total outlay on sanitation was Rs 10,255 or 15 per cent of the General Fund assets against the minimum of 12½ per cent fixed by Government.

	Rs
(1) Improvement of water supply	2571
(2) —do— Village sites	2152
(3) Conservancy Establishment	4146
(4) Sanitary arrangements at fairs & festivals	703
(5) Cholera charges.	75
(6) Other sanitary outlay	332
	9979

11. Bungalows & Choultries.

Four bungalows were

Debt ~~ut~~
~~maintained~~ by the District
Board, in which 414 travellers
halted and paid fees
amounting to Rs 770; ~~which~~
these charges on account of
establishments, contingencies
and repairs amounted
to Rs 518. There were also
9 choultries which were
maintained at a cost of 1457 Rs including repairs
of Rs 687, besides Rs 764
spent in repairing of them.

~~Local bd~~ also maintained

12 General Taxation. The
incidence of Taxation
per head of the population,
inclusive and exclusive

of Tolls, was As 3-6 and
As 3-4 against As 3-2 and
As 3 respectively in the
preceding year. The increase
was due to the enhanced
collections under Land-cess
and Tolls.

13 Local Fund Board. The
constitution of the Local
Fund Board remained the
same as in 1883-84, there
being 17 official and 17
non-official members. ~~The~~
~~Board held~~
~~were~~ 13 meetings, and the average
attendance at each meeting was
4·1 among officials, and 2·7
among non-officials, against
3 and 2·2 respectively in the
previous year. Though there
was a slight improvement in
the attendance, during the year, it
was still ~~to~~ afford.

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" Surgeon General
" Sanitary Commissioner
" Accountant General
" Board of Revenue
" Revenue Department
" Chairman Municipal Council Tiptur Collr
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