Mis N. 3241 W 31b Decr 79

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P. W. Department.

No. 3241 W

PROCEEDINGS of the MADRAS GOVERNMENT.

Under date the 16th December 1879.

READ the following

From the Secy
to Govt (H.E. No 6665 9/12 Nov/79)

His Grace the Governor
in Council does not
approve of the proposed
licence fee.

H.S.P.
16/12

S. E. to Govt
dated
16-12-79

FOR ORDERS.

Hon W Hudleston
by the Governor

Copy 19—11

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

P.W.D.
1879.
No 8096.

Letter from the Supg. Engr Third Circle
No 6665 d/ 12th Nov: /79.

From
The Supdg Engr 3d C.

FOR ORDERS.

Mes No 3241 dy 16-12-79

No 6665.

A. O. Lawley Col: R.E.
Secy to Govt P.W.D.
Rec'd Govt Minutes
Memorandum &
boat on G. & K.
Canals herewith
for. Ack

Return
it - it was Mislaid
by Despatch Peon
to Sec. Govt

dated 12th
Dispd 13th } Nov.r /79.
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Concession to Vessels using the Canal but not conveying passengers or goods, or plying for hire ——
Recommended ——
as allowed on the Kristna and Godavery Canals ——

Ex. Ass.

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PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

P.W.D.
1879
No 809b.

Letter from the Supg. Engr. Third Circle
No. 6665 d/ 12th Novr. /79.

From
The Supdg. Engr. 3d C.

Mes No. 3291 dy 16-12-79

No. 6665.

FOR ORDERS.

dated 12th
Diff. 13th
Read
} Novr. /79.

A. O. Lawley Col. R.E.
Secy. to Govt. P.W.D.
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Canals when print
for. SM

Answer Negative
it - it was Month
Letter dispatched - Negative
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Recommended ——
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No. 6665.

3rd Circle, Superintending Engineer's Office,

Chepauk, 12th Nov. 1879.

Dispt. 13th do

From

The Superintending Engineer,

3rd Circle,

To

The Chief Engineer

Public Works Department.

Sir,

In Rule X of the Regulation for the Navigation of the Godavery and Kistna Canals published at page 648 Part I of the Fort Saint George Gazette dated 23rd September 1879, provision is made for vessels using the Canals but not conveying Passengers or goods or plying for hire, being licensed by the year on payment of a fixed fee of 6 Rs. 15. As this appears a convenient arrangement, I would recommend the introduction of a rule similar to the above into the Regulations for the Navigation of the Buckingham Canal and that it should be made applicable to vessels the private property of individuals and to vessels the property of Government used by Govt. officers of every Department. I have the honor to be

Sir

Your most obedient servant

H. Cuthbert Major R.E.

Offg Supg Engineer 3rd Circle.

No. 7250

3rd Circle Superintendent's office

13th December 1879.

Dispt. 15th do

From

The Superintending Engineer

3rd Circle.

To

The Chief Engineer

Public Works Department.

Sir,

I have the honor to inform you that an estimate amounting to Rs. 970 for repairing and whitewashing the quarters occupied by the officer Commanding 43rd Regiment N. I. in the Fort - has been submitted by the Executive Engineer Presidency - duly approved by the Military Authorities - Under G.O. No. 1764 dated 4th July 1879, none but petty repairs are to be carried out to the Buildings in the Fort - but as the work provided for in the estimate above alluded to is reported by the Executive Engineer Presidency to be absolutely necessary for the safety of the Buildings - I request instructions as to whether under the circumstances the

the work may be carried out.

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your most obedient servant

Henry Du Pont Major R.E.
Asst Engineer 3d circle

G.W.

R.W.D.
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1879.

From

The Supt. Engr 3d C.

Mem. No 3240 W dy 16-12-79

No. 7250.

dated 13th

Dispt. 15th } Decr 1/79.

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15/12

Quarters occupied by the Offr Comdg 43d Regt N.I. in Fort

Requesting instructions whether the Estimate Rs 970 for repairing the can be worked out.

Yes

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F. W. Department.

No 3240 W

PROCEEDINGS of the MADRAS GOVERNMENT.

Under date the 16th Decr 1879.

READ the following

From the Supt Engr 3d Circle (No 7250 dy 13 Dec 79)

Under the explanation furnished pernipin is granted for carrying out the work referred to.

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S.E. 3d Circle

Dated 16-12-79

15.12

Extract from the Register of Uncovenanted Servants on the Establishment of the Govt: Lithographic Press, Central Office of Public Works.--

Name	Date	Appointment	Salary	Period of Service in Each Appointment			Remarks regarding punishments severe and formal reprimands and special commendations or marks of approbation
				Years	Months	Days	
1	2	3	4	5			6
			Rs				
Wm. J. E. Dent	8th January 1857	Draughtsman	45	...	7	23	As an intelligent and neat Draughtsman, has always been attentive to his duties and given satisfaction. His services have been dispensed with in consequence of a reduction in Lithographic Dept. of the Central Office of P.W.
	1st Septr. "	"	45	2	8	...	
	1st May 1860	"	45	...	9	...	
	1st Feb. 1861	"	50	2	2	...	
				6	2	23	

(True Copy)
(Signed) W. J. Birdwood. Col: R. E.
Chief Engineer.

Chepauk
13th April 1863

(True Copy.)
J. E. Dent
Temporary Litho: Draughtsman

Mad. P. 3240 W 3/16. Dec. 63

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Hd. Qrs. Engineer 3rd Circle

P.W.D.
29 FEB 72
N.B.

Govt: Litho: Department Fort St: George 28th Feby: 1872.

Wm L E. Dent was entertained in the Government Lithographic Department on the 1st January 1857 his services were dispensed with in the reorganization of the Public Works Department in April 1863 was re-entertained in September 1863 and now vacates at his own request.

Wm Dent is a skilful and neat Lithographic Draughtsman

(Signed) J. Carpendale. Colonel R.E.
Secy: to Government P. W. D.

(Signed) Robt: Baldrey
Superintendent and Manager
Govt: Lithographic Dept:

Govt: Litho: Department Fort St: George 28th Feby: 1872.

Memo

Wm L E. Dent 4th Draughtsman in the Government Lithographic Department is permitted to resign his appointment from the 1st Proximo.

A Certificate is granted and herewith forwarded.

(Signed) J. Carpendale, Col: R.E.
Secy: to Government P. W. D

29th February 1872.

(True Copies)

J. C. Dent
Temply Litho Draughtsman

Mr. No. 32342 dy 15-12-77

This is to certify that Mr. T. E. Dent served under my orders as a special Clerk in Famine Relief operations at the Gun Powder Factory from October 1877. to January 1878 And that he conducted duties, which were at times rather heavy to my entire satisfaction. I have always found him sober and very attentive to his duties.

/Signed/ M. Pinnie
Superviser D.P.W.
In charge of Northern Range.

Camp Powder Mills
16th February. 1878.

True Copy

T. E. Dent

Temporary Letter Draughtsman

R.E.W.D.
No 20 1870

Town 20th November. 1879.

To

Colonel R. A. Sankey. C.B. R.E.
Chief Engineer and Secretary.
to Government P. W. D.

The
Humble petition of
Thomas Edward Dent

Respectfully sheweth.

1. That your petitioner entered the Government service as a draughtsman in the Lithographic Press in January 1857.-

2. That in April 1863 he was thrown out of employment in consequence of a reduction in the Establishment.-

3. That in October 1863, petitioner addressed Colonel C. A. Orr the then Secretary to Government Public Works Department to have him exempted from passing the Uncovenanted Civil Service examination, and that Government in G. O. P.W.D No: 3335, dated 16th November 1863, were pleased to exempt him from passing the said test.-

1 Enclosure- (copy enclosed)

4. That petitioner was reinstated as a draughtsman in the Govt: Lithographic Press in September 1863, which appointment petitioner was necessitated to resign in February 1872, being involved in pecuniary difficulties, over which he could have had no control but which did not necessitate him to take the insolvent act.

5. That petitioner subsequently held temporary employments. He was also employed as a clerk in the famine relief operations in 1877-78. Copy of a testimonial received from the officer under whom he served as well as testimonials received on leaving the Lithographic Department will sufficiently certify to his character and qualifications.— (Copies enclosed)

6. That petitioner is at present again employed in the Govt: Lithographic Department as a temporary measure since 8th September (1879) of the current year on a salary of Rs 15/- per mensem.— Petitioner is given to understand that he will not be able to draw a larger salary nor can he hope to obtain permanent employment in the Department in which he once served on a salary of Rs. 80/- per mensem, unless he passes the prescribed test for draughtsman and Estimator at the Civil Engineering College which examination petitioner prays to be exempted from passing, not having a Knowledge of Estimating, being specially qualified only as a lithographic draughtsman and working in that capacity for nearly 20 years.—

7. That petitioner respectfully begs to bring to your notice that a similar concession was made in the case of a lithographic draughtsman which will be seen in the proceedings of Government P.W.D No. 926 dated 8th April 1872.—

8. In conclusion petitioner earnestly begs that you will be pleased to favorably entertain his prayer.—

And as in duty bound petitioner will ever pray.—

C. E. Dutt

Temporary Litho: Draughtsman

~~Gd. N. 3335-16-11-63~~
" 926-8-4-72

P.W.D.
66 W 79
No. 8/4/5

Mes No: 3234 dt 15-12-79

P.W.D.

Mr W Wadlestone

For orders

Please see annexed Office notes. I think the concession asked for by the petitioners might under the circumstances be granted by Government as an exceptional case

Asst.

27/11/79

Asst Secretary for
Public Works
Department

Madras 20 November. 1879.

To

The Superintendent and Manager
Govt. Lithographic Press

Sir

I beg to enclose a petition addressed to the Chief Engineer and to request that you will be pleased to forward the same to him.

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your most obedient Servant

H. Ch. Ewt.
II

Temporary Public Draughtsman

In contracted men -
The orders of Government
will be necessary -

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No 3234 Fr. P. W. Department.

PROCEEDINGS of the MADRAS GOVERNMENT.

Under date the 15th Decr 79. READ the following

Petition from Mr. J. E. Dent dated 20th Novr 79 -

His Grace the Governor in Council is pleased to exempt Mr. J. E. Dent, Temporary Draftsman Lithographic Dept. from the Examination prescribed for draftsmen vide Chapter 2 section 221 P. W. Code -

2. It is observed that Mr. Dent is known to be a good and efficient draftsman, and served Govt. prior to his present appointment for nearly 20

years. The present concession
is therefore accorded to him
as a special case.

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Mis A. 3234 W By 15 Decr/79

Mr. T. E Dent
Temporary Draftsman
Lithographic Office
Madras

Hero' McKelvey
E. S.W.A. Dept 16/12/79

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No 281

Office Dated 8th December 1879

From

Lt Colonel S.C. Tennant
Inspector General of Jails

To

The Chief Engineer and
Secretary to Government
Public Work Department
Fort St George

Sir

I understand from the Superintendent of the District Jail at Vizagapatam that the alterations and additions to the Zillah Jail at that station have come to a stand still.

2. The sum of Rupees 10,000 was originally allotted for these works (Item No 40) in the Provincial Budget P.W.D. for 1879-80. This

amount however was reduced
to Rupees 4000, the difference,
Rupees 6000, being surrendered
and credited to the Reserve
as directed in G. O. No 2769 W.
dated 5th November 1879. In my
letter No 104 dated 9th May 1879 I
urged the necessity for completing
the works at this jail and I
have the honor to request that
you will obtain the sanction
of Government for a further grant
of Rupees 6000 if necessary as
I consider this work ought to
be proceeded with without
delay and the necessity for
completing the alterations to
this jail has been recognized
by Government.

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your most Obedient Servant
J. Plummer
Inspector General of Jails

No 3233 J.

G.O. No. 1978-27-5-79
G.O. No. 2709 W-5-11-79

P.W.D.
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Mis No 32337 of 15-12-79

From
The Inspector
General of Jails
To
The Secretary to Govt
Public Works Dept:
Fort St George

Dated 8th Decr 1879

No 281

Copy of the enquiry with the remarks of the Executive Engineer, Vizagapatam.

P. W. Department.

PROCEEDINGS of the MADRAS GOVERNMENT.

Under date the 13th Decr 1879.

READ the following

From the Inspector General of Jails (M.E. No. 281 of 8th Decr 1879)

On the strong recommendation of the Inspector General of Jails expressed in the foregoing letter, the Govt resolve to appropriate from the Provincial Reserve the sum of Rupees 6000 lately withdrawn from the grant for the Vizagapatam Zillah Jail.

S/E. 1st Circle. ✓
Spdl Dept. ✓
Exc. P.W. Sects. ✓
Insp. Genl of Jails. ✓

D.W.P. 10/12

Dcd 18-12-79

11/12/79

G.O. No. 1978-27-5-79
G.O. No. 2769 W- 5-11-79

F.W.D.
10 DEC 79

Mis No: 3233 W of 15-12-79

From
The Inspector
General of Jails
To the Secretary to Govt
Public Work & Jail
Fort St George

Dated 8th Decr 1879

No 281

Copy of Correspondence with the Executive Engr Jail Repairs.

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No 3233 W.

P. W. Department.

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S/E. 1st Circle.
Judl Dept.
Exr P.W. Accts.
Insp Genl of Jails.

Dated 16-12-79

11/12/79

2-10-79 Expens: Rs. 3083
22-11-79 Rs 2925 Rs.
12-12-79 Rs 3190 Rs.

Civ: St. 3232 V/ 15th Decr/79

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Civ: St. 3233 V/ 15th Decr/79

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Civ: 11–12

9. Executive Engineers 2d Grade.	9. Executive Engineers 3d Grade.
	4 to Exa.
1. Mr Vanstavern – Retired upon full pay.	1. Mr O. Ratigan.
2. Major Ross Thompson. On Field Service.	2. Mr. Harris. On Privilege leave & Sub Conductor Comae Officiated as Exc. Engr. 26th January to 12th April 1879.
3. Major Morant.	
4. Mr Walch – Offg. Supg. Engineer 1st Circle upto 25th May 1879.	3. Captn. Awdry. On Privilege leave, Conductor Nield Offg. as Ex. Engr. 14th March 1879 to 14th June 1879.
5. Lieut. Col. Kennedy.	
6. Captn. Brockman. On Privilege leave 24th March to 26th July 1879. Mr Davidson did duty.	4. Mr Nordman.
	5. Captn. Bailey.
	6. Captn. Campbell.
Temporary.	7. Mr Hannan.
7. Major Clarke.	Temporary.
8. Mr O'Shaughnessy.	
9. Mr R. E. Norfor	8. Mr. Lowry
10 Captain Coates	9. " R. W. Morris upto 26th May 1879.
	10 " Wybrow.
	" C. J. Peters from 27th May to 25th June 1879.

11. Executive Engineers 1st Grade + 1 Extra.

Statement shewing the Effective Strength of the Officers in the Executive Engineer Grades between 1st April and 31st May 1879.

1. Mr. C. J. Peters. On temporary promotion from 25th May 1879 to 15th June 1879.
2. " Martin.
3. " Brickwell.
4. " Larmine.
5. " Bell.

Temporary.

6. " J. Grimes
7. " A. Lyon
8. Lieut. F. J. Romilly.
9. " Baddeley.
10. Mr. D. Winton.
11. " Vincent
12. " C. H. S. Norfor.

8. Executive Engineers 1st Grade

1. Colonel Fisher
2. Mr Chisholm.
3. Lieut Col. Hunter.
4. Mr Harington.
5. Major Smalley.
6. Lieut Col. Burton. On Special duty in Calcutta. 1/79

Temporary.

7 Major Vibart.
8 " Pennycuick.

[Exr. Wks. Form No. 2.]

No. 924 W.

From

THE EXAMINER,
PUBLIC WORKS ACCOUNTS,
MADRAS,

To

THE SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT,
PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Madras, DECEMBER 6th 1879.

SIR,

ADVERTING TO ORDERS CONTAINED IN G.O. NO. 2925. W. DATED 22ND. NOVEMBER 1879, I HAVE THE HONOUR TO DRAW YOUR ATTENTION TO MY OFFICE NOTE NO. 738 DATED 4TH. NOVEMBER 1879, AND TO STATE THAT AS RULE XIII. A. QUOTED IN THE G.O. IN QUESTION HAS BEEN OMITTED BY GOVERNMENT FROM THE NEW EDITION OF THE MADRAS P.W.D. CODE, THE SANCTION OF THE GOVERNMENT OF INDIA WILL BE NECESSARY WITH REFERENCE TO PARA 652 OF THE CODE, TO ADMIT OF THE HIGHER RATE OF TRAVELLING ALLOWANCE BEING PASSED TO SUB-ENGINEER SAMBIAH CHETTY, FOR ANY PERIOD DURING WHICH HE MAY NOT BE OFFICIATING UNDER PROPER SANCTION, AS EXECUTIVE ENGINEER.

2 FROM PARA 615 OF THE CODE IT WILL BE OBSERVED THAT THE HIGHER RATE OF TRAVELLING ALLOWANCE I.E. TRAVELLING ALLOWANCE ADMISSIBLE TO THE EXECUTIVE ENGINEER GRADE CAN ONLY BE GRANTED TO A MEMBER OF THE UPPER SUBORDINATE ESTABLISHMENT WHEN HE IS APPOINTED TO OFFICIATE IN REGULAR COURSE, AND IS NOT ADMISSIBLE TO A PERSON HOLDING MERE TEMPORARY CHARGE OF THE HIGHER OFFICE.

I HAVE THE HONOR TO BE,
SIR,
YOUR MOST OBEDIENT SERVANT,

A. Smalley

P.W.D.
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2-10-79 to 3083 Cr
22-11- 2925 W Lin
12-12- 3190 W

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FROM THE EXAMINER, P.W. ACCOUNTS,

MADRAS.

TO THE SECY. TO GOVT. P.W.D.

MADRAS.

Mis No 3232 dt 15-12-79

NO. 224 W.

DATED 6TH. DECEMBER 1879.

RECD.

REGARDING RATE OF TRAVELLING
ALLOWANCE ADMISSIBLE TO SAMBIAH
CHETTY SUB-ENGINEER.

No 32328.

P. W. Department.

PROCEEDINGS of the MADRAS GOVERNMENT.

Under date the 15th Dec 1879.

READ the following

From

The Examiner P.W. Accts. (H.O. No. 224 W. d/6th Dec 79)

The Examiner is authorised to pass the charge ~~without further objection~~ under the ruling conveyed in Government of India Circular No. 82 ~~Resolution No. 2202~~ dated the ~~15th October~~ 26th November 1879.

F.O. No. 3190 W
dated 12th Dec 79.

13/12/79

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The Exr. P.W. Accts.
" Supdg Engr. I Circle.

Dated 16-12-79

2-10-79 Enclosure No. 3083

22-11-79 " 2925 dated

12-12-79 " 3190 dated

Mis No. 3232 W dated 15th Decer 79

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No. 3694. W.

PRESIDENCY PUBLIC WORKS WORKSHOPS, OFFICE,
Madras, 13th Decr 1879.

From

THE GENERAL SUPERINTENDENT,
PUBLIC WORKS WORKSHOPS,

To The Deputy Chief Engineer
D.P.W.
Fort St George

SIR,

Enclosures.

With reference to para 6 of G.O. No. 3054 dd. 1st December 79. I have the honor to state that Messrs Parry & Co did not give the order direct, and the work for the ship "St George" was taken in hand at the requisition of the Captain of the vessel but as the ship sailed before the submission of the Bill, Messrs Parry & Co at the request of Mr Grainger undertook to try and realize the amount from the owners. As Messrs Parry & Co state in their letter dd 15th October 79. that their reminders to the owners have received no attention, I have to ask for permission to write off the amount to "profit and loss".

I have the honor to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient servant.
[illegible] Lieut. R.E.
Actg. Genl. Supdt Pubc. Wks. Workshops.

12-79 No 30518

Presidency P. W. Workshops.

T3DEC79

From No. 8880

The General Superintendent,

P. W. Workshops,

Madras,

Re. No 32318 of 15th December 1879

To

The Dr Chief Engineer

D Wks

Fort St George.

No. 3694 Dr

Dated 13
Despd. 13 } December 1879.
Received

ENCLOSURES.

Subject.

Asks for permission to write off to profit & loss the sum of Rs 8-3-0 being the amount of Bill No 1000 77 7th Feb 1878 against the Ft St George for certain works executed by the Workshops for reasons assigned within

No 32318. P. W. Department.

PROCEEDINGS of the MADRAS GOVERNMENT.

Under date the 15th Decr 1879. READ the following

From

The General Superintendent
P. W. Workshops } (W.E. No 3694 Dr dy 13th Decr 1879.)

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To the General Supdt
P. W. Workshops.

Dated 15-12-79

15-12-79 No 30518

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Fort St George

No. 3694 Dr

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ENCLOSURES.

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No. 32318. P. W. Department.

PROCEEDINGS of the MADRAS GOVERNMENT.

Under date the 15th Decr 1879. READ the following

From

The General Superintendent
P. W. Workshops } (W.E. No. 3694 Dr
13th Decr 1879.)

Under the explanation furnished authority is granted for the amount (Rs 8-8) being written off to Profit and Loss.

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To The General Supdt
P. W. Workshops.

Dated 15-12-79

Financial Department.

PROCEEDINGS of the MADRAS GOVERNMENT.

READ the following letter from the Agent to the Governor at Vizagapatam dated 27th November 1879 No 576.

In the Budget Estimate for Petty Construction and repairs in the Hill Tracts of Vizagapatam reviewed by Government in their G.O. dated 25th November 1878 No 2090 Financial a sum of Rs 870 was provided for expenditure in the Principal Assistant Agents division, the details being Rs 300 for the erection of Bungalows, 420, for roads, and 150 for salaries of Bungalow watchmen. This provision remains unaffected by the retrenchment which the Government made in the grant.

2 Messrs Lattarner and Wilcock have had under consideration the desirability of a re-distribution

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Financial Department.

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2 Messrs Le Warner and Wilcocks have had under consideration the desirability of a re-distribution

redistribution of the allotment, in consequence of the continued existence of disturbances in the Hill Tracts.

3 It is certain that these tracts must be visited much more frequently than has been the case heretofore, and it is desirable in order to surmount the difficulty which at present exists of providing suitable accommodation for the agency establishment in a Country where the transport of tents is so difficult, by erecting two Sheds at a cost of Rs 50 each at — 4 — Gudum and Lambadinghy attached to the Police Stations.

4. It is proposed to abandon for the present the construction of the bungalows provided for in the original estimate, because the sites for them are selected at places where there are no Police Stations, and as remarked by Mr. LeeWarner these Bungalows would at the present time furnish "another mark for the mischievous firebrand of Chendriah and his gang" and it is further doubtful whether labour could now be obtained for erecting the bungalows.

5. The Rs 200 remaining out of the allotment for Bungalows, Mr LeeWarner proposes to utilize by a further expenditure upon Road repairs and track clearing, several new roads having been selected, and works under this head are estimated at a cost of Rs 650. The remaining sum of Rs 120 is reserved for necessary repairs to Bungalows at present existing and for the salaries of persons in charge of them.

6. I beg to annex a tabular Statement shewing particulars of the revised estimate which I request may be sanctioned.

7. I may remark that Janys to April is the working season in these Hills; so I trust the sanction of Government may be communicated to me as early as possible.

Statements &c.

Forwarded

Nature of work	Miles	Rates	Amounts	Remarks
Road repairs and track clearing.				
Koyyur to Chodavaram	14	Rs 3-0-0	Rs 42-0-0	
Krishnadevipeta to Koyyur	14	1-8-0	21-0-0	
Koyyur to Gudilm	24	2-0-0	48-0-0	
Gudilm to Lambasinghy	24	2-0-0	48-0-0	
Gudilm to Dharakonda	16	2-0-0	32-0-0	
Gudilm to Veeravaram	32	2-0-0	96-0-0	
		Total	287-0-0	
Repairs to Lambasinghy Ghaut			263-0-0	
Do Do Koyyur Ghaut			100-0-0	
Sheds in Connection with Gudilm and Lambasinghy Station houses at Rs50 each			100-0-0	
Care takers, and necessary repairs, of bungalows			120-0-0	
		Total	583-0-0	
		Grand Total	870-0-0	

Agents' proposals for a redistribution of the budget allotment of Rs. 870 in the Principal Assistant Agents' division for roads and buildings.

(True Extract)

Actg Chief Secy

To,
The Public Works Department
for information

Order thereon 10 Decr 1879 No 2319

His Grace the Governor in Council sanctions the Agents

Nature of work	Miles	Rates	Amount	Remarks
Road repairs and track clearing.				
Koyyur to Chodavaram	14	Rs 20 3 - -	Rs 42 - -	
Krishnadevipeta to Koyyur	14	1 - 8 -	21 - -	
Koyyur to Gudilm	24	2 - -	48 - -	
Gudilm to Lambasinghy	24	2 - -	48 - -	
Gudilm to Dharakonda	16	2 - -	32 - -	
Gudilm to Veravaram	32	2 - -	96 - -	
		Total	287 - -	
Repairs to Lambasinghy Ghaut			263 - -	
Do Do Koyyur Ghaut			100 - -	
Sheds in Connection with Gudilm and Lambasinghy Station houses at Rs50 each	"	"	100 - -	
Care takers, and necessary repairs of bungalows			120 - -	
		Total	583 - -	
	Grand	Total	870 - -	

Order thereon 10 Decr 1879 No 2319

His Grace the Governor in Council sanctions the Agents proposals for a redistribution of the budget allotment of Rs 870 in the Principal Assistant Agents division for roads and buildings.

(True Extract)

Actg Chief Secy

To The Public Works Department for information.

(9)

Forwarded

Nature of work	Miles	Rates	Amount	Remarks
Road repairs and track clearing.				
Koyyur to Chodavaram	14	Rs. As. 3 - 0 -	Rs. As. 42 - 0 -	
Krishnadevipeta to Koyyur	14	1 - 8 -	21 - 0 -	
Koyyur to Gudium	24	2 - 0 -	48 - 0 -	
Gudium to Lambasinghy	24	2 - 0 -	48 - 0 -	
Gudium to Dharakonda	16	2 - 0 -	32 - 0 -	
Gudium to Viravaram	32	2 - 0 -	96 - 0 -	
		Total	287 - 0 -	
Repairs to Lambasinghy Ghaut			263 - 0 -	
Do Do Koyyur Ghaut			100 - 0 -	
Sheds in Connection with Gudium and Lambasinghy Station houses at Rs 50 each	2	50	100 - 0 -	
Care takers and necessary repairs of bungalows			120 - 0 -	
		Total	588 - 0 -	
		Grand Total	870 - 0 -	

Agents' proposals for a redistribution of the budget allotment of Rs. 870 in the Principal Assistant Agents' division for roads and buildings.

(True Extract)

Actg Chief Secy

To

The Public Works Department

for information

Order thereon 10 Decr 1879 No 2319

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Forwarded

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Road repairs and track clearing.				
Kayyur to Chodavaram	14	Rs 80 3-0-0	Rs 80 42-0-0	
Krishnadevipeta to Kayyur	14	1-8-0	21-0-0	
Kayyur to Gudium	24	2-0-0	48-0-0	
Gudium to Lambasinghy	24	2-0-0	48-0-0	
Gudium to Dharakonda	16	2-0-0	32-0-0	
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Actg Chief Secy

To,
The Public Works Department
for information.

(D)

Forwarded

P.W.D.
11 DEC 79
No. 6 B 6

9-12-79 Letter this:

P. Sp. December

Govt. of [illegible] 18 } Madras

To

Dated
Recd. } 18 , No.

Nos.

No 3230 dt 15th Dec 1879.

Lrs

Communicated to the S.E. 1st Circle for information

Lrs 11.12

S 12.12

S.E. 1st Cir.

Dated 16-12-79

328 - 329

Forwarded

P.W.D.
11 DEC 79

Madras 25th November 1879.

To

Colonel J. Mullins R.E.
Chief Engineer for Irrigation

Most respected Sir,

With reference to para 5, Clause II (3) and para 6 of the Notification published in Part I of the Fort Saint George Gazette of the 19th August 1879, I respectfully beg to submit this my application for retirement under the terms of the Government of India Resolution No. 2079 dated 31st July 1879, and to request that you will be good enough to forward the same with your recommendation to Government with a view to the same being accepted by them.

It is needless for my part to point out that I have throughout my service evinced aptitude for Accounts Work and have served Government successfully for a period of about thirty-four years. I request, therefore, that you will be pleased to move Government to sanction my pension and bonus as early a date as possible.

I beg to remain
Most respected Sir,
Your most obedient humble
Servant.

A. Sammanjee Rowe
Accountant, Office of the Chief
Engr for Irrig.

Forwarded

3rd Circle

9-12-78 Lr. to Govt. Mrs.

P.W.D.
11 DEC 79
No.

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N. Subramanyam Pillai
Accountant, Office of the Chief
Engineer for Irrigation

Govt. of {18 } Madras.
Dated
Read. } 18, No.
Nos.

No 3280 R dy 15th Dec 1879.

Communicated to the T.E. 1st Circle
for information

Lrs
11.12

T.E. 1st Circle

Despd
16-12-79

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Forwarded
for information
T.E. 1st Circle.

P.W.D.
11 DEC 79

9-1 No 48-E.W.

EXAMINER
No 77E
26 NOV 79
ENCS
ACCOUNTS

Forwarded for the favourable consideration of the Chief Engineer P.W.D through the Examiner of P.W.A

C. Nunnaja Rao's services are under verification in the Examiner's Office, to which a preliminary application for pension has been submitted.

C. Nunnaja Rao as his testimonials show has done good and long service and has earned his pension - He is strongly recommended for any boons which the rules under which he applies to retire may allow of his receiving

Lt Colonel
Chief Engineer for Irrigation

25 November 1879

Superintending Engineer
3rd Circle

P.W.D.

E/NO.77.E.I.OF 28 NOVEMBER 1879.

FORWARDED TO THE CHIEF ENGINEER, PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT, WITH THE REMARK THAT C.MANAJEE ROW IS A CLERK ON THE ESTABLISHMENT OF THE OFFICE OF CHIEF ENGINEER FOR IRRIGATION, AND AS SUCH WILL NOT BE ENTITLED TO THE CONCESSIONS GRANTED BY GOVERNMENT OF INDIA'S RESOLUTION NO.2079 DATED 31ST.JULY 1879, VIDE GOVT.OF INDIA P.W.D.LETTER NO.2047. S.G. DATED 7TH.OCTOBER 1879 COMMUNICATED WITH P.W.G.O.NO.2594.W.OF 15TH. OCTOBER 1879.

Dm No. 3229 W of 15-12-79

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OFFG.EXAMINER,P.W.ACCOUNTS.

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No. 163.

To W.

C Manajee Rows Service book is herewith sent. He is an Accountant and obtained annual increments as such but not Clerk see

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No. 3292

GOVT. OF MADRAS. } 1879. { P. W. DEPT.

SECRETARY.

Fort St. George, 5th Decr 1879.

OFFICE NOTE.

To C

Please forward for reference the service book of C. Munnajee Row, an employé in the Office of the Chief Engineer for Irrigation

OF 187

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Dy/S.

Civil
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No. 3437 of 3.12.79

TO E.I.

THE SERVICE BOOK OF THIS

CLERK IS, IT IS BELIEVED, IN YOUR

OFFICE. PLEASE COMPLY WITH THE RE-

QUEST.

A. Talbot
3/12
OFFG. C.

3/12

Civ. 8-12 3-12-79

No. 32298.

P. W. Department.

PROCEEDINGS of the MADRAS GOVERNMENT.

Under date the 15th Decr 1879.

READ again the following

Pro: in the P. W. Dept (H.C. No. 1588 of 18th June 1873)

do do (" " 2087 " 21st Augt " ")

do do (" " 2171 " 29th " " ")

do do (" " 2339 " 20th Sept " ")

Read also the following:-

From The Chief Engr for Irrig (H.C. No. 486 Wa/25th Nov. 1879)

The papers read above show clearly that Munnajee Row is an Accountant, and should, on retirement, be granted the concessions allowed by the Govt of India Resolution No. 2079 dated 31st July 1879.

His

2. His resignation is accordingly accepted with reference to the resolution quoted in the preceding paragraph.

6/12/79

Mis R. 3229 W 3 15 Decr 79

Memo Receive Service Office Note 23rd January 1880.

Issue w[illegible] memo

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No. 7187.

3rd Circle, Superintending Engineer's Office,

Chepauk, 10th Decr 1879.

Diff. 11

From

The Superintending Engineer,

3rd Circle,

To

The Chief Engineer
Public Works Department.

Sir,

Enc 1

With reference to your Memorandum No. 3751 dated 8th December 1879. I have the honor to forward herewith the application dated 27th October 1879 of Sub Engineer Parthasarathy Iyengar for permission to retire from the service under the terms of the Resolution of the Government of India No 2079 dated 31st July 1879.

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your most obedient servt

W. L. Heid.
Asst Engineer
for Supg Engineer
3rd Circle.

2. His resignation is accordingly accepted with reference to the resolution quoted in the preceding paragraph.

6/12/79

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Memo of Service of Sub Engr Parthasarathy Iyengar to be returned with the 23rd January 1880.

Issued unaccepted

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Asstt Engineer
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P.W.D.
11 DEC 79

From

The Supt Engineer
3d Circle.

Dated 10th
Despd 11th } Dec 1879
Recd

No 7187.

Encls: 1

This No 3228 of 1879

Sub Engineer I.
Parthasarathy Iyengar—

Forwards application
from — for permission
to retire from the Service.

No 3228 R. P. W. Department.

PROCEEDINGS of the MADRAS GOVERNMENT.

Under date the 15th Dec 1879. READ the following

From

The Supt Engr Third Circle } (No. No 7187 d/ 10th Dec 1879)

Sub Engineer I.
Parthasarathy Iyengar's
resignation is accepted
with reference to the Govt
of India Resolution No
2079 d/ 31st July 1879.

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S.E. Third Circle
Exr P. W. Accts with enclosure

Despd
15-12-79

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7-10-79 Rs 2533 A W
7-10-79 Rs 25-33 B W
22-10-79 Rs 435- C.L.

Reis A. 3228 W 3/25 Decr/79

Reis A 3227 W 3/15 Decr/79

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No. 3227/8.

GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS,

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

To The Chief Commr., Mysore

Fort St. George, 5th Decr. 1879.

SIR,

I am directed to invite attention to my letter No. 436/C.L., of 22d Octr. 1879, forwarding for your consideration Copy of No. of this Govt. under date the 22d Octr. No. 435 C.L. ~~and two~~ ~~Copies that an early re-~~ ~~ply may be sent thereto.~~

~~* Rogunathpettah Tank.~~

Dated 16-12-79

M. 12/12

12/12/79

From S.E. 3rd Circle.

No. 6235.

d/22nd Octr. 79

R. No. 3227/8 of 15-12-79

Reports the restoration of the Ulsoor Tank were seen by the original Petitioner, & the Municipality

No. 435 C.L. d/22/10/79 in file. This can be seen by the C.C. Mysore, & refer to the letter about the Encroachments between the C. & Ry?

V.B. 29/10

29/10/79

If Encroachments may now be sent to the C.C. Mysore? M. 12/12

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* ~~Regarding the Water Tank.~~

Dasped 16-12-79

M 12/12

12/12/79

No. 6235.

3rd Circle, Superintending Engineer's Office,

Chepauk, 22nd October 1879.

Dispd 23/10

From

The Superintending Engineer,

3rd Circle,

To

The Chief Engineer P. W. D.

Sir,

Mrs Col E

With reference to your No. 39 dated 11th October 1879, I have the honor to inform you that the upper 9" of the Wilson Masonwork has been removed by the President of the Municipality and that the upright grooved stones that formerly existed have also been replaced.

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your most obedient

Alex. McNabb Major R.E.
Offg Supg. Engineer, 3rd Circle

No. 3227/8.

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Dispd 16-12-79

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3rd Circle, Superintending Engineer's Office,

Chepauk, 22nd October 1879.

Dispd 23rd

From

The Superintending Engineer,

3rd Circle,

To

The Chief Engineer
P.W.D.

Sir,

With reference to your No 396, dated 11th October 1879, I have the honor to inform you that the upper 9" of the Velsoor Masterweir has been removed by the President of the Municipality and that the upright grooved stones that formerly existed have also been replaced.

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your most obedient Servt

Herbert Wheatley Major R.E.
Offg Supg. Engineer 3rd Circle.

No. 32278.

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PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

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Dated 16-12-79

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3rd Circle, Superintending Engineer's Office,

Chepauk, 22nd October 1879.

Dispt 23rd

From

The Superintending Engineer,

3rd Circle,

To

The Chief Engineer
P. W. D.

Sir,

With reference to your No 396, dated 11th October 1879, I have the honor to inform you that the upper 9" of the Velsoor Waste Weir has been removed by the President of the Municipality and that the upright grooved stones that formerly existed have also been replaced.

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your most obedt Servt

Alex Mc Nabb
Major R.E.
Offg Supg. Engineer, 3rd Circle.

No. 3227/8.

GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS,

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

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* ~~Regarding the Weir tank.~~

Dasptd 16-12-79

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No. 6235

3rd Circle, Superintending Engineer's Office,

Chepauk, 22nd October 1879.

Dispt 23rd

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Dated 10-12-79

12/12

12/12/79

No. 6235.

3rd Circle, Superintending Engineer's Office,

Chepauk, 22nd October 1879.

Dept 23rd

From

The Superintending Engineer,

3rd Circle,

To

The Chief Engineer
P. W. D.

Sir,

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Sir
Your most obedient Servt

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Offg Supg: Engineer, 3rd Circle

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* ~~Regarding the Flower Tank.~~

Dasp[d] 16-12-79

M[r] 12/12

12/12/79

No. 6235.

3rd Circle, Superintending Engineer's Office,

Chepauk, 22nd October 1879.

Dispt 23rd

From

The Superintending Engineer,

3rd Circle,

To

The Chief Engineer
P. W. D.

Sir,

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I have the honor to be
Sir
Your most obedient Servant

Alex[r] M. Abbott
Major R.E.,
Offg Supg. Engineer, 3rd Circle.

Mun: Gpo. R. 2533 AZ 7-10-79

P.W.D.
1879. 23 OCT 79
N.S.

From

The Supt. Engr. 3rd C.

Mem. No 32274 of 15-12-79

No. 6235.

Dated 22nd
Desp. 23rd
Rec'd
} Oct 24th/79.

Ulsoor Waste Weir —

Informing that the upper 9" of the — has been removed by the Municipality

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Coty 27-10

From S.E. 3rd Circle

No. 6235

d/ 22nd Octr./79

Mis. No. 3227 Bor/15-12-79

Reports the restoration of the Ulsoor Tank wall to its original condition, by the Municipality.

No. 435 C.C.

d/ 23/10/79. in pct.

It can be sent to the C.C. Mysore to file to the letter about the boundaries between Dr C. & Dr Bz?

CD 29/10

Lr. sent.

29/10/79

A reminder may now be sent to the C.C. Mysore? MP. 12/12

Mis. No. 3227 Bor/15-12-79

Read letter from the Superintending 3rd Circle forwarding correspondence connected with the removal of nine inches from the Sill of the waste-weir of the Ulsoor Tank at Bangalore

No 435 C.C. d/ 22nd Octr/79.

His Excellency in Council resolves to forward the above correspondence in original (to be returned) to the Chief Commissioner of Mysore with a request that he will be good enough to call on the President of the Municipal Commissioners of Bangalore for a suitable expression of his regret

From L.E. 3rd Circle

No. 6235.

d/ 22nd Octr. /79

Mis. No. 3227 Bx of 15-12-79

Reports the obstruction of the Ulsoor Tank water weir by the original condition, by the Municipality.

No. 435 Cl.

d/ 23/10/79. in ful.

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the the C.C. Mysore explains to the letter about the Encroachment between M.G. & the Bridge

C.C. 29/10

Lieut.

Asst

29/10/79

A reminder may be sent to the C.C. Mysore? N.B. 12/12

Mis. No. 3227 Bx of 15-12-79

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From L.E. 3rd Circ.

No. 6235.

d/ 22nd Oct.r/79

Mrs. No. 9227 to 7/16-12-79

Reports the restoration of the Ulsoor Tank waste weir to its original condition, by the Municipality.

No. 435 Cls.
d/ 23/10/79. in file.

This can be done by the C.C. Mysore applies to the letter about the breaches between H.L. & Dr. Bridge

29/10

Lieut. Col.

29/10/79

If remarks may be sent to the C.C. Mysore. J.B. 12/12

From W. Stratton Esq
Secy to Govt
Mysore & Coorg
Bangalore

Special Despt. re Assessment

Major Vibart transmits Govt's correspondence connected with an unpleasant encounter which has taken place between Dr. Ward President of the Bangalore Municipality and Lt. Romilly in connection with the removal of the nine inches in height from the sill of the Ulsoor Tank waste-weir

The immediate cause was an order direct to the President from the Mysore Admin.n Clashing with a similar order from the Govt. to Lt. Romilly to do the work

It is not clear why the Chief Commr. issued any order to the President but it may possibly either have arisen from oversight or that owing to a sudden or unexpected

Mem

view in the Court of the Alsoor Tanks pro-perty was likely to be determined - with suitable demands for Compensation &c.

Mr. Gordon is I feel assured the last person to act-with the slightest discourtesy and I therefore assume that he had good reason though of course it would have been right to have waited the opening of the case to this Tribunal

The mischief arising from the clashing orders was heightened by the first two written of the Principals President and H. Romilly were evidently aware that the order to the latter emanated from the Madras Government, as also from peculiarities of temperament of the first named Officer

Dr. Orr is a distinguished

Mem

view though at times excitable, and as I should presume this Court would not think it desirable that a discussion, unpleasant between individuals, should be given two great prominence I have drafted the annexed order which I should hope would disperse of the case in a suitable manner

A.H.

18.10.75

H. Romilly appears to have acted with considerable discretion

closed for want of the Public Works audited figures, the charges under Education, Sanitation, &c., have been duly audited and adjusted, as these are no way dependent on the Public Works outlay.

6. The number of meetings held during the year is reported to be only six. The requirements of Rule 168 of the Local Fund Rules should have been complied with.

(True Extract.)

H. B. GRIGG,
Acting Under Secy. to Govt.

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" Accountant-General,
" Sanitary Commissioner,
" Surgeon-General, Indian Medical Dept.,
" Director of Public Instruction,
" President of the Municipal Commissions, Cuddapah,

} with Board's Proceedings, No. 2280.

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To

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&c., &c., &c.

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GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.

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3rd December 1879, No. 2264.

Local Funds—Reports.

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Abstract.—Reviewing and submitting to Government the Local Fund Report of the Cuddapah Circle for 1878-79.

No. 15. *Proceedings of the Board of Revenue, dated 2nd October* 1879, *No.* 9125 (*Miscellaneous*).

Abstract.—Submitting, for the information of Government, in continuation of Board's Proceedings, No. 2280, dated 9th August 1879, letter from the President, Local Fund Board, Cuddapah, requesting to allot Rs. 300 from the General Reserve of the Cuddapah to that of the Madanapalle Circle for Sanitary measures.

No. 16. Order thereon, 3rd December 1879, No. 2264.

The Cuddapah Circle Report for 1878-79 does not furnish full information regarding the year's operations, and the accounts submitted with it which may throw light on the financial transactions have been retained in the Office of the Board of Revenue.

2. The actual receipts of the year excluding Public Works refunds are given by the Board of Revenue at Rs. 1,41,462, of which Rs. 1,34,752 were from Land-cess and Rs. 14 from the old Road-cess under Act III of 1866. The uncollected arrears on account of these cesses should have been reported. The Road-cess arrears have been so long outstanding that if any still exist, immediate steps should be taken to collect them or remove them from the accounts.

3. The report does not give the details of Public Works executed during the year, nor does it furnish any information concerning the state of the communications in the circle.

4. Under Education, the progress of the various schools is not reported; nor are the particulars of attendance, charges, &c., compared with those of the previous year. The Board's remarks on the subject are approved.

5. The falling off in the Vaccination work demands the early attention of the Sanitary Commissioner.

6. Sanitation charges are shown at Rs. 9,979, against Rs. 10,000 provided in the Budget. Considering that the details of the outlay have not been reported by the Divisional Officers, the Government doubt whether the amount Rs. 9,979 represents charges *bonâ fide* incurred. It is perhaps only *advance* not yet accounted for, in which case its exhibition in the accounts as *expenditure* is objectionable. The Accountant-General will report whether the charge has been passed by him. It is presumed that although the entire accounts of the circle for the year have not been

closed for want of the Public Works audited figures, the charges under Education, Sanitation, &c., have been duly audited and adjusted, as these are no way dependent on the Public Works outlay.

6. The number of meetings held during the year is reported to be only six. The requirements of Rule 168 of the Local Fund Rules should have been complied with.

(True Extract.)

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PROCEEDINGS OF THE BOARD OF REVENUE, dated 9th August 1879.

Read the following letter from J. D. B. GRIBBLE, Esq., President of the Local Fund Boards, Cuddapah District, to C. A. GALTON, Esq., Acting Secretary to the Board of Revenue, dated 17th July 1879, No. 374 :—

IN continuation of my letter, No. 367, dated 30th June 1879, I have the honor to forward herewith the annual report for 1878-79 for Cuddapah Circle and a statement showing the land-cess collected in the Madhanapalle Circle from Fasli 1277 to Fasli 1288.

2. The Sub-Collector and myself are both of the opinion that many advantages would be gained by amalgamating the two circles into one, and I have the honor to request that the Board will be pleased to sanction this proposal. The amalgamation might take place from the commencement of next official year, and in the mean time I will, if my suggestion is favorably entertained, submit my proposals regarding alterations in the staff and the general working machinery which the amalgamation would render necessary.

ENCLOSURE No. 1.

From A. W. B. HIGGENS, Esq., Vice-President of the Local Fund Board, Cuddapah Circle, to J. D. B. GRIBBLE, Esq., President of the Local Fund Boards, Cuddapah District, dated 10th July 1879, No. 373.

I HAVE the honor to submit the annual report on the operations of Local Funds in the Cuddapah Circle for the year 1878-79, with the statements prepared in accordance with the instructions contained in Board's Official Memorandum, Nos. 1,250, 803, and 537, dated 5th August 1875, 11th May 1877, and 31st May 1878, respectively.

2. A statement containing the figures in the annual report for 1877-78, as well as the audited figures of the same year from the Accountant-General, with the explanation of differences, decrease or increase, has been already submitted to the Board of Revenue with letter, No. 337, dated 18th June 1879, in reply to the Circular Memorandum of Board of Revenue, No. 583, dated 8th May 1879, and the prescript for 1877-78 is not therefore embodied in this report as required by the Board of Revenue in paragraph 3 of their Proceedings, No. 577, dated 5th May 1879.

3. RECEIPT OF LAND-CESS.—The amount of land-cess collected under Acts III of 1866 and IV of 1871 respectively is Rs. 14 and Rs. 1,34,757 against an estimate of Rs. 200 and Rs. 1,40,000 respectively as particularized below :—

Taluks.	Act No. III of 1866.					Act No. IV of 1871.								
	77.	78.	79.	80.	Total.	81.	82.	83.	84.	85.	86.	87.	88.	Total.
Badvel	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2,316	10,233	1,774	14,323
Proddutur ...	...	...	...	...	...	7	10	16	55	128	1,866	10,607	7,657	20,347
Sidhout	...	...	...	...	...	...	6	...	8	208	1,250	7,086	3,530	12,087
Pullampet... ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	16	175	2,954	12,269	6,241	21,656
Cuddapah	...	3	9	2	14	22	13	99	228	581	2,392	14,147	6,993	24,476
Jammulamadugu.	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	9	101	246	2,726	10,197	14,303	27,583
Pulivendala ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	16	670	5,776	7,820	14,284
Total ..	...	...	...	...	14	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	134,756

	Rs.	A.	P.
Badvel	187	10	0
Proddutur	194	4	0
Jammalamadugu	134	8	0
Pulivendala	31	2	0
Total ...	547	8	0
or say ...	548	0	0

4. A sum of Rs. 548 was collected as school fees in four Local Fund Schools as per margin.

5. The total receipts under various heads during the year is 1,76,478 against an estimate of Rs. 1,46,740. The increase is owing to the increase in land revenue collections during the current year and the addition of last year's balance.

6. GRANT I—PUBLIC WORKS.—A sum of Rs. 61,816 was expended for the construction and maintenance of roads, &c., as shown in Statement No. 2. In the absence of the Administration Report of the Superintending Engineer for the year under report, I am unable to give the particulars required in paragraphs 6 and 7 of Board's Circular Memorandum, No. 1,250, dated 5th August 1875, and these particulars will be furnished by me on receipt of the Administration Report from the Superintending Engineer to whom a reminder has been sent.

7. GRANT II.—A sum of Rs. 1,511 was expended for the inspecting staff against the estimate of Rs. 2,050 as detailed below :—

Salary.	Batta.	Contingencies.	Total.
RS. 1,031	RS. 450	RS. 30	RS. 1,511

8. There were at the end of the year three Inspecting Schoolmasters in the circle against four in the previous year; the Inspecting Schoolmaster attached to Cuddapah Taluk having died in October 1878 and his place not having been filled up. The ranges of which these Inspecting Schoolmasters are in charge, the amount of their salary and their qualifications, &c., are detailed below :—

Names.	Taluks in charge.	Examination passed.	Salary.	Amount drawn by them.
			RS.	RS.
R. Atchutha Row	Jammulamadugu and Pulivendala.	4th Grade ...	30	522
P. N. Parthasaradhy Iyengar.	Proddutur and Badvel ...	U.C.S. in English.	30	558
P. Kristniah	Sidhout and Pullampet...	Matriculation ...	25	325
Y. Narasiah	Cuddapah	Do. ..	20	120

9. In addition to their salary each Inspecting Schoolmaster is allowed to draw Rs. 1-8-0 per mensem for contingent charges and Annas 8 per diem as batta when absent from head-quarters.

10. The following statement will show the amount of work executed by the inspecting staff :—

Names.	THE NUMBER OF SCHOOLS VISITED AND PREPARED FOR INSPECTION.				Remarks.
	Number of Villages visited.	Salary Grant Schools.	Result Grant Schools.	Other Schools.	
P. Atchutha Row	59	...	16	43	
P. N. Parthasaradhy Iyengar.	64	...	19	45	
P. Kristniah	41	...	10	31	
Y. Narasiah	23	...	4	19	Died in October 1878.

11. During the year under report the progress of education in two ranges, viz., Cuddapah and Pullampet, was retarded by the fact that the office of Inspecting Schoolmaster of the Cuddapah range was vacant from October 1878 to March 1879 in consequence of the death of the incumbent, and because the Inspecting Schoolmaster of Pullampet having been obliged to take leave upon substitute at the beginning of the official year and again without substitute for the months of October and November, died in December 1878, and after his death no one took his place for 2½ months when the present incumbent, P. Kristniah, was appointed.

12. The Inspecting Schoolmasters of Proddutur and Jammulamadugu worked satisfactorily during the year and produced good results. The former inspected 64 villages against 54 in the previous year and the latter 59 villages against 33 in the previous year.

13. There are four schools (marginally noted) under the control of this Circle Board, and they were maintained throughout the year. The charges for these schools were Rs. 2,952 against an estimate of Rs. 2,820.

Badvel. Jammulamadugu.
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	P. Gopalakristnia ..	2nd do. ..	Do. ..	20		
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	Musa Miah	Hindustani Master.	None	10		
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	V. Vencobarow ..	2nd do. ..	Do. ..	20		
	Vacant	3rd do. ..	..	15		
Lower-class School.						
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	M. Ananthia	2nd do. ..	None	10		
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22. The following statement shows the staff employed and the amount of work executed by them :—

No.	Staff.	Salary, &c., drawn.	Number of Persons Vaccinated.	Number of Successful Cases.	Cost per Successful Case.
	RS.	RS. A. P.			RS. A. P.
1	1st-Class Deputy Inspector of Vaccination, at Rs. 70 per month. 70				
7	1st-Class Vaccinators, 4 at Rs. 18 and 3 at Rs. 15 each per month. 117				
7	2nd-Class Vaccinators, at Rs. 10 each per month. 70	3,107 12 3	5,792	4,541	0 10 11
3	Pupil Vaccinators, at Rs. 7 each per month. 21				
1	Peon, at Rs. 7 per month. 7				

23. Rupees 9,979 have been spent for sanitary purposes against an estimate of Rs. 10,000, but as to the information required in paragraph 13 of G.O., No. 1,250, dated 5th August 1875, I have to state that the reports (of the Divisional officers to whom the amount sanctioned for sanitation was entrusted) containing the particulars of work on which the amount given to each Divisional officer was spent have not been received from them, and the information therefore will be furnished on receipt of the reports.

24. There are no markets, choultries, or travellers' bungalows under the control of this Circle Board.

25. *Miscellaneous.*—There is an item of Rs. 1,850 under the head "Contribution." Of this a sum of Rs. 1,600 was contributed to the Civil Dispensary at Cuddapah and Rs. 250 to the Poor-house, the whole amount of which was paid to the Cuddapah Municipality.

26. Rupees 201 were paid for the maintenance of lunatics sent to the Lunatic Asylum, Madras, and Rs. 79 for epidemic charges.

27. GRANT IV.—There is an expenditure of Rs. 859 under this head against an estimate of Rs. 1,490. No expenditure was charged against this circle as contribution to the establishment at the Presidency, but Rs. 278 were expended for the establishment in the Collector's Office.

28. The establishment of this Circle Board consists of a clerk on Rs. 40 and an attender on Rs. 7 per mensem. The cost of the establishment of this Circle Board amounts to Rs. (506+7=) 513 inclusive of Rs. 7 famine batta to the attender.

29. Rupees 29 were refunded to the parties on account of excess collections of road-cess.

30. This Circle Board consists of 25 members including the President and Vice-President, of whom 12 are official and 13 non-official members.

There were six meetings held in this circle during the year with an average attendance of 5 official and 3 non-official members.

ENCLOSURES Nos. 2 to 21.—Statements, &c.

THE Local Fund Report of the Cuddapah Circle for the year 1878-79 will be submitted for the information of Government. The President's proposal for the amalgamation of the two circles should form the subject of a separate communication in which the question should be treated in some detail.

2. Excluding balances and Public Works refunds the receipts of the year amounted to Rs. 1,41,462 against an estimate of Rs. 1,53,560. The statement in paragraph 5 of the report that a supposed increase in the receipts is partly due to an increase in land revenue is a mistake, the collections under that head having fallen short of the estimate by Rs. 5,243. No explanation is offered with regard to the Public Works refunds.

3. The expenditure under Grant I, Public Works, appears as Rs. 78,490 against allotments aggregating Rs. 1,00,782, but it is probable that the refunds have to be set off against this. The President briefly dismisses the subject of Public Works by saying he cannot give any information in the absence of the Superintending Engineer's Administration Report, and Statement No. IV which ought to show the particulars of the expenditure on works has obviously been incorrectly prepared. An amended statement should be submitted with the further particulars promised, and the refunds should be explained.

4. *Education.*—There were four Local Fund schools at work during the year, of which three were of the middle class. The average net cost to Local Funds of educating a pupil at these schools is not given in the report or statements, but the marginally-noted results have been obtained from the figures given in paragraph 13 supplemented where necessary by those in Statement No. VI, but it is observed that as regards charges the figures in the report and in Statement VI do not exactly correspond with each other, while neither quite agree with the entries in Statement II. Amended figures should be supplied. The table given in the margin shows that in the case of two schools the Government grant together with the fees more than covered the whole cost, but this will not occur again as the Government grant has been withdrawn. All the schools seem to the Board to be on too expensive a scale for the attendance.

	RS. A. P.
Badvel	24 9 3
Proddutur	...
Jammulamadugu	...
Pulivendala	14 9 5

5. Under results grants it is reported that only 49 schools were examined against 63 in the previous year, the decrease being attributed to the new rules; and it is stated that in addition to these 120 schools were being prepared for examination, 105 of them being in existence at the close of the year. No information is afforded with regard to the results of the examination, but it appears that only Rs. 1,377 were disbursed against Rs. 2,091 in the previous year. It should be stated whether all the schools that were ready for examination were examined.

6. The statement given in paragraph 19 of the report shows that the three Local Fund Dispensaries worked well. There was altogether an increase of 3,592 in the attendance.

7. As in many other circles, the closing of camps led to a decrease in the work of the vaccine staff, and only 4,541 successful cases were recorded against 10,378 in the previous year. The cost per case, Annas 10-11, was far too high.

8. Out of a sum of Rs. 10,000 allotted for sanitary purposes, as much as Rs. 9,979 was expended, which is satisfactory; but it is stated that no details can be given as reports have not been received from the Divisional officers. The Collector will report the names of the Divisional officers concerned and the explanation offered for the delay.

(True Copies and Extract.)

(Signed) C. A. GALTON,
Acting Secretary.

To the Chief Secretary to Government, Financial Department
" President of the Local Fund Boards, Cuddapah District.

Exd. A. Grubert and W. J. Lewis.

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THE CHIEF SECY. TO GOVT.,
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ABSTRACT.—Reviewing and submitting to Government the Local Fund Report of the Cuddapah Circle for 1878-79.

No. 15. *Proceedings of the Board of Revenue, dated 2nd October* 1879, *No.* 9125 (*Miscellaneous*).

ABSTRACT.—Submitting, for the information of Government, in continuation of Board's Proceedings, No. 2280, dated 9th August 1879, letter from the President, Local Fund Board, Cuddapah, requesting to allot Rs. 300 from the General Reserve of the Cuddapah to that of the Madanapalle Circle for Sanitary measures.

No. 16. ORDER THEREON, 3rd December 1879, No. 2264.

The Cuddapah Circle Report for 1878-79 does not furnish full information regarding the year's operations, and the accounts submitted with it which may throw light on the financial transactions have been retained in the Office of the Board of Revenue.

2. The actual receipts of the year excluding Public Works refunds are given by the Board of Revenue at Rs. 1,41,462, of which Rs. 1,34,752 were from Land-cess and Rs. 14 from the old Road-cess under Act III of 1866. The uncollected arrears on account of these cesses should have been reported. The Road-cess arrears have been so long outstanding that if any still exist, immediate steps should be taken to collect them or remove them from the accounts.

3. The report does not give the details of Public Works executed during the year, nor does it furnish any information concerning the state of the communications in the circle.

4. Under Education, the progress of the various schools is not reported; nor are the particulars of attendance, charges, &c., compared with those of the previous year. The Board's remarks on the subject are approved.

5. The falling off in the Vaccination work demands the early attention of the Sanitary Commissioner.

6. Sanitation charges are shown at Rs. 9,979, against Rs. 10,000 provided in the Budget. Considering that the details of the outlay have not been reported by the Divisional Officers, the Government doubt whether the amount Rs. 9,979 represents charges *bonâ fide* incurred. It is perhaps only *advance* not yet accounted for, in which case its exhibition in the accounts as *expenditure* is objectionable. The Accountant-General will report whether the charge has been passed by him. It is presumed that although the entire accounts of the circle for the year have not been

closed for want of the Public Works audited figures, the charges under Education, Sanitation, &c., have been duly audited and adjusted, as these are no way dependent on the Public Works outlay.

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(True Extract.)

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Local Funds—Reports.—Orders passed on Proceedings, Board of Revenue, reviewing the Local Fund Report of the Cuddapah Circle for 1878-79.

GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.

JUDICIAL DEPARTMENT.

6th December 1879, No. 3107.

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I HAVE the honor to report on the Local Funds of the Masulipatam Circle for 1878-79.

2. The receipts of the circle inclusive of the opening balances were Rs. 2,91,111-4-1, of which Rs. 99,541-13-2 were expended, leaving the following balances :—

	Rs.	A.	P.
Road Fund	1,05,342	6	2
Endowment Fund	682	15	6
General Fund	85,544	1	3
Total ...	1,91,569	6	11

3. *Receipts*—Statement No. 1.—The opening balances of the year under report amounted to Rs. 1,72,748-2-5. The actual receipts during the year were Rs. 1,18,363-1-8, or 73·80 per cent. of the estimate, and 64·16 per cent. of the actuals of the previous year.

4. *Allotments from General Revenues.*—The Government grant of Rs. 340 was received for the two middle-class schools at Nizampatam* and Kaikalore.†

* Rupees	167	
† „	173	
Total ...	340	

5. *Surplus Pound Fund.*—The assignment from the Surplus Pound Fund was Rs. 3,502-11-2 against an estimate of Rs. 3,000 and against Rupees 2,713, the actual receipts in 1877-78. The increase is due to the large surplus at the end of the last quarter of the year 1877-78 subsequently adjusted.

6. *Ferries.*—These ferries, which are not worked under the Act, lie along the Kistna river in the Bezwada and Nandigama taluks and on the Ellore Canal. The collections during the year amounted to Rs. 607-6-0 against the estimate of Rs. 700.

7. *Fishery Rents.*—Rs. 2,875-1-0 were received under this head against Rs. 1,000 budgeted. The reasons for this underestimate are already known to the Board.

8. *Land Cess.*—Rs. 91,981-14-3, including arrears, were realized under Land Cess. Rs. 45,000 have since April 1879 been received from the Nuzvid Estate on account of the cess due by it for Faslis 1286, 1287, and 1288.

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Paleru	3,025
Munagala	1,205
Total ...	13,475

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Read the following letter from J. G. HORSFALL, Esq., President of the Local Fund Boards, Kistna District, to C. A. GALTON, Esq., Acting Secretary to the Board of Revenue, dated Masulipatam, 8th July 1879, No. 266.

I have the honor to report on the Local Funds of the Masulipatam Circle for 1878-79.

2. The receipts of the circle inclusive of the opening balances were Rs. 2,91,111-4-1, of which Rs. 99,541-13-2 were expended, leaving the following balances :—

	Rs.	A.	P.
Road Fund	1,05,342	6	2
Endowment Fund	682	15	6
General Fund	85,544	1	3
Total ...	1,91,569	6	11

3. *Receipts*—Statement No. 1.—The opening balances of the year under report amounted to Rs. 1,72,748-2-5. The actual receipts during the year were Rs. 1,18,363-1-8, or 73·80 per cent. of the estimate, and 64·16 per cent. of the actuals of the previous year.

4. *Allotments from General Revenues.*—The Government grant of Rs. 340 was received for the two middle-class schools at Nizampatam* and Kaikalore.†

* Rupees	167
† „	173
Total ...	340

5. *Surplus Pound Fund.*—The assignment from the Surplus Pound Fund was Rs. 3,502-11-2 against an estimate of Rs. 3,000 and against Rupees 2,713, the actual receipts in 1877-78. The increase is due to the large surplus at the end of the last quarter of the year 1877-78 subsequently adjusted.

6. *Ferries.*—These ferries, which are not worked under the Act, lie along the Kistna river in the Bezwada and Nandigama taluks and on the Ellore Canal. The collections during the year amounted to Rs. 607-6-0 against the estimate of Rs. 700.

7. *Fishery Rents.*—Rs. 2,875-1-0 were received under this head against Rs. 1,000 budgeted. The reasons for this underestimate are already known to the Board.

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13. *Expenditure.*—Statement No. 2.—The following is an abstract of the year's expenditure :—

			Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.
Grant I	...	Road Fund	61,799	2	2			
		General Fund... ...	4,860	3	10			
						66,659	6	0
Grant II	...	General Fund ...	7,555	10	9			
						7,555	10	9
Grant III	...	Endowment Fund ...	110	15	8			
		General Fund ...	23,341	11	9			
						23,452	11	5
Grant IV	...	Road Fund ...	1,111	6	10			
		General Fund ...	485	11	2			
						1,597	2	0
Miscellaneous Debt Account.		Road Fund ...	175	0	0			
		General Fund ...	101	15	0			
						276	15	0
		Total ...				99,541	13	2

14. *Road Fund.*—Statement No. 3.—Subjoined is an abstract of the receipts and expenditure under this head :—

Receipts.	Actuals of 1877-78.	Estimate of 1878-79.	Actuals of 1878-79.	Expenditure.	Actuals of 1877-78.	Estimate of 1878-79.	Actuals of 1878-79.
	Rs.	Rs.	Rs. A. P.		Rs.	Rs.	Rs. A. P.
Balance	59,497	48,410	83,136 12 10	New Works.. { P.W.D.	35,180	51,000	16,549 0 11
Road Cess	106	..	432 11 7	{ Other Agency. ..	180	2,000	1,214 8 5
Two-thirds of Land Cess ..	1,01,084	86,670	61,032 12 5	Repairs .. { P.W.D.	42,500	42,600	31,588 10 1
Provincial Funds	..	..	..	{ Other Agency. ..	115	..	57 7 0
Special Funds	8,782	4,700	7,018 2 2	Cost of P.W. D. Supervision	19,420	23,400	12,034 6 9
Tolls	18,180	22,700	13,425 15 9	Share of cost of General Management chargeable to Road Fund	1,558	1,630	1,097 7 4
Miscellaneous	518	800	497 5 7	Tolls and Ferries	2,338	2,090	350 0 0
Miscellaneous Debt Account.	3,158	..	2,884 2 10	Tools and Plant	550	960	5 1 0
				Contingencies	..	100	..
				Miscellaneous	..	400	13 15 6
				Miscellaneous Debt Account ..	2,733	..	175 0 0
				Road Fund Reserve	..	11,490	..
				Refund of Fishery Collections ..	1,475	..	..
				Total ..	1,06,049	1,35,670	63,085 9 0
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15. The percentage of expenditure to the allotment is shown below:—

Items.		Allotment in 1878-79.	Expenditure in 1878-79.	Percentage.	
				1878-79.	1877-78.
		RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.
New Works ..	P. W. D.	47,453	16,549	34·87	54·72
	Other Agency	1,520	1,215	72·93	18·00
Repairs ..	P. W. D.	44,423	31,589	71·10	97·52
	Other Agency	9	57	633·33	65·71
Total	P. W. D.	91,876	48,138	52·15	72·01
	Other Agency	1,529	1,272	83·19	25·10

16. It will be seen that only half the allotment sanctioned was spent during the year owing to the full allotments not having been utilized by the Public Works Department on certain roads (*vide* margin). The short outlay is apparently the result of the G.O., Financial Department, dated 29th November 1878, No. 2,128, limiting expenditure on public works, and of a misunderstanding as to what the limit of expenditure ordered in G.O., Public Works Department, No. 4858 W., dated 27th December 1878, was.

	Allotment. RS.	Expenditure. RS. A. P.
New Works—		
Road from Nuzvid to Perikeed ..	4,000	379 1 0
Sanding the road from Masulipatam to Kottapalem	15,000	4,933 13 11
Improving the Hyderabad road from Bezwada to Hyderabad Frontier ..	25,000	6,925 9 11
Repairs—		
Repairing road from Bezwada to Hyderabad Frontier	22,140	10,600 4 9

17. The following roads were completed during the year:—

(1.) Road from Vallur to Vallur slope.

(2.) An under-tunnel of two feet span to Pedapudi road.

(3.) Village road through the principal streets in Repalli village.

18. The Circle roads were kept up at an expenditure of Rupees 31,646-1-1.

The road statistics of the year are as below:—

Years.	Number of Miles of Road in the Circle.	Number of Miles of Road maintained in good order during the Year.	Number of Miles of Road completed during the Year.	Number of Miles of Road in progress during the Year.
1877-78	348½	316	12¼	11½
1878-79	348½	316	7½	7

19. *Village Roads.*—

New Works.					Repairs.					Total.					Remarks.
Length.		Cost.			Length.		Cost.			Length.		Cost.			
MS.	YDS.	RS.	A.	P.	MS.	YDS.	RS.	A.	P.	MS.	YDS.	RS.	A.	P.	
1	1,320	552	13	8	21	..	1,240	6	9	22	1,320	1,793	4	5	Completed during the year.
1	..	1,214	8	5	..	..	..			1	..	1,214	8	5	In progress.
2	1,320	1,767	6	1	21	..	1,240	6	9	23	1,320	3,007	12	10	

20. *Public Works Department Supervision.*—The share of cost of Public Works Department Supervision chargeable to the Road Fund was Rs. 12,034-6-9 calculated at 25 per cent. on the total outlay by the Department.

21. *Tolls and Ferries.*—The collection of tolls on the Hyderabad road having been leased out during the year, the allotment was only partially utilized. A sum of Rs. 350 was paid to the toll-gate establishments for February and March 1878.

22. *Endowment Fund.*—The Pedapatnam Choultry is the only endowment belonging to the Local Fund Board. Inclusive of the balance at credit on 1st April 1878, the assets amounted to Rupees 793-15-2.

The charges were—

	RS.	A.	P.
Establishment	88	7	8
Contingencies	22	8	0
Total ..	110	15	8

leaving a balance of Rs. 682-15-6.

23. *General Fund*—Statement No. 9.—The subjoined statement shows the receipts and expenditure under this head:—

Receipts.	Actuals of 1877-78.	Estimate of 1878-79.	Actuals of 1878-79.	Expenditure.	Actuals of 1877-78.	Estimate of 1878-79.	Actuals of 1878-79.
	RS.	RS.	RS. A. P.		RS.	RS.	RS. A. P.
1. Balance	77,842	69,880	89,087 6 5	1. Appropriation to the Road Fund..	..	..	..
2. One-third Land Cess ..	50,542	43,330	30,516 6 3	2. Do. to the Endowment Fund	..	..	..
3. Provincial Grant for schools	340	340	340 0 0	3. Public Works— Civil Buildings .. New Works and Repairs .. P. W. D. ..	4,533	17,000	780 12 7
4. Provincial Grant for general purposes ..	..	..	..	Other Agency..	15	500	7 8 0
5. Avenues	..	..	..	Miscellaneous Public Improvements .. .. P. W. D. ..	3,633	4,400	3,101 6 6
6. Fees in schools ..	326	850	311 0 0	Other Agency..	..	..	..
7. Educational receipts ..	..	..	29 10 0	4. Public Works Department Supervision	2,041	5,350	970 8 9
8. Contribution on account of educational inspection from Masulipatam Municipality	50	50	50 0 0	5. Tools and Plant	..	220	..
9. Receipts of unendowed hospitals	60	..	149 15 11	6. Contributions	..	..	..
10. Receipts for choultries..	..	..	..	7. Miscellaneous	..	..	..
11. Contribution from private individuals in aid of works	..	..	..	Total, Grant I ..	10,222	27,470	4,860 3 10
12. Contribution from private individuals in aid of schools	..	..	..	8. Inspection	2,388	2,580	2,428 3 4
				9. Local Fund Schools	1,536	5,250	1,603 9 2
				10. Grants-in-aid	4,262	7,880	2,661 9 0
				11. Purchase of school-books	331	1,000	853 8 3
				12. Miscellaneous— (Commission for sale of books)..	6	60	8 13 0
				Total, Grant II ..	8,523	16,770	7,555 10 9
				13. Appropriation to Endowment Fund.	..	..	..
				14. Unendowed hospitals	3,853	16,140	3,972 14 9
				15. Do. choultries	..	..	2 11 5
				16. Vaccination	3,207	3,220	3,913 0 1
				17. (a) Medical Practitioners.. ..	618	1,200	582 13 5
13. Fees from travellers ..	518	300	245 10 1	(b) Training midwives and pupil vaccinators	494	700	119 7 2
14. Sale proceeds of school-books	67	400	103 4 6	(c) Medical Students	520	1,000	..
15. Sale proceeds of old materials	..	..	..	18. Sanitary Establishments— (1) Cleansing tanks and wells ..	2,796	4,500	897 2 0
16. Miscellaneous	298	200	730 6 0	(2) Improving village sites ..	146	10,000	809 3 10
17. Miscellaneous Debt Account	222	..	325 10 7	(3) Sanitary arrangements at fairs and festivals	170	252	107 0 2
				(4) Scavengering of villages and small towns	5,717	5,688	6,748 6 4
				19. Markets	..	..	..
				20. Bungalows	603	620	538 2 7
				21. (a) Contributions (to Masulipatam Municipality for the Civil Dispensary)	2,468	2,500	2,984 6 3
				(b) Medical College	..	..	1,290 0 0
				22. Miscellaneous— Charges for conveying lunatics to, and treating them at, Waltair and Madras	770	1,000	1,376 7 9
				Total, Grant III ..	21,362	46,820	23,341 11 9
				23. Share of the cost of General Management chargeable to the General Fund	592	750	426 4 11
				24. General contingencies	8	300	1 7 6
				Refunds of cesses	..	200	6 15 9
				25. Other items	47	430	50 15 0
				Total, Grant IV ..	647	1,680	485 11 2
				26. Miscellaneous Debt Account ..	48	..	101 15 0
				27. General Reserve	..	4,550	..
				Total ..	40,802	97,290	36,345 4 6
				Balance ..	89,463	18,060	85,544 1 3
Total ..	1,30,265	1,15,350	1,21,889 5 9	Grand Total ..	1,30,265	1,15,350	1,21,889 5 9

24. *Civil Buildings and Miscellaneous Public Improvements.*—The allotments sanctioned were—

	Civil Buildings.	Miscellaneous Public Improvements.	Total.
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
For New Works	16,500 0 0	..	16,500 0 0
„ Repairs	1,000 0 0	4,400 0 0	5,400 0 0
Total ..	17,500 0 0	4,400 0 0	21,900 0 0

but the expenditure incurred was—

	Civil Buildings.	Miscellaneous Public Improvements.	Total.
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Under New Works	731 14 3	93 1 6	824 15 9
„ Repairs	48 14 4	3,008 5 0	3,057 3 4
Total ..	780 12 7	3,101 6 6	3,882 3 1
By Revenue Department			7 8 0
Grand Total ..			3,889 11 1

or 18·17 per cent. of the allotment against 36·51 per cent. in the previous year. The decrease is due to the allotments for four dispensaries (Rupees 14,000) not having been used for want of estimates. That for the Nuzvid Dispensary was only received at the close of the year, while that for the Jaggayyapet Dispensary is still wanting although sanctioned, owing to a claim having been made for the site selected.

The choultry at Kanchekacherla was completed and opened for travellers.

The road avenues were maintained at a cost of Rupees 2,949-12-9.

25. *Educational Inspection.*—The expenditure on account of the inspective staff was—

Pay of the Inspecting Schoolmasters of—

	Rs.	A.	P.
Bunder Range at Rs. 35	384	11	6
Bezwada „ at „ 35	420	0	0
Repalle „ at „ 25	300	0	0
Nuzvid „ at „ 25	300	0	0
Gudivada „ at „ 20	240	0	0
Contingent charges for all five at Rs. 1-8-0 each per mensem ..	88	7	10
Batta for all five	695	0	0
Total ..	2,428	3	4

26. The subjoined table shows their work for the year:—

Names of Inspecting Schoolmasters.		Number of Villages visited.	Number of Schools visited and prepared for Inspection.			
			Salary Grant Schools.	Result Grant Schools.	Other Schools.	Total.
C. Subbarayudu	1878-79 ..	31	..	65	5	70
	1877-78 ..	85	..	75	..	75
D. Venkatravu	1878-79 ..	97	..	78	..	78
	1877-78 ..	100	..	88	..	88
P. Hanumantarow ..	1878-79 ..	70	..	13	18	31
	1877-78 ..	75	..	23	..	23
K. Lakshminarayana ..	1878-79 ..	206	..	30	..	30
	1877-78 ..	248	..	57	..	57
K. Kamesvararow ..	1878-79 ..	300	..	11	..	11
	1877-78 ..	398	..	40	..	40
Total ..	1878-79 ..	704	..	197	23	220
	1877-78 ..	906	..	283	..	283

27. *Local Fund Schools.*—The addition to the three* Local Fund Schools existing in the circle, some 36 were to be opened in the year on the combined system, but only 5 of these were actually started for a trial.

* Kykalore, Nizampatam and Avanigadda.

Place.	Salary Schools.	Combined System Schools.	Salary Schools.	Combined System Schools.	Salary Schools.	Combined System Schools.	Rates of Salaries drawn by Masters.	Fees Collected in		Rates of Fees.
	Old.	New.	Old.	New.	Total.			Salary Schools.	Combined System Schools.	
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.					Rs.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	
Higher Class Schools.—Nil.										
Middle Class Schools.										
Kykalore	478 0 0	..	56	..	1	..	*	102 2 0	..	Annas 2, 6, 8
Nizampatam	367 2 0	..	30	..	1	..	†	78 8 0	..	Do. 2, 6, 8
Avanigadda	460 12 4	..	47	..	1	..	††	60 4 2	..	Do. 2, 6, 8
Lower Class Schools.										
Jayavaram	..	26	..	1	1	1	5	..	21 10 0	Do. 1, 1½, 2, 2⅔
Krossur	..	20	..	1	1	1	5	..	12 14 8	Do. 1, 1⅓ 2
Tadepalli	..	23	..	1	1	1	5	..	12 8 8	Do. 1⅓, 2 2⅔
Ghantasalapalem ..	..	21	..	1	1	1	5	..	13 2 8	Do. 1, 1½, 2, 2⅔
Pedagollapalem ..	..	23	..	1	1	1	5	..	9 13 10	Do. 1, 1½, 2
Total ..	1,305 14 4	113	133	5	8	..	..	240 14 2	70 1 10	

* Head Master Rs. 16, First Assistant Master Rs. 10-8-0, Second Assistant Master Rs. 6.
† Do. Rs. 20, Assistant Master Rs. 6, Second Assistant Master Rs. 6.
†† Do. Rs. 20, First Assistant Master Rs. 10, Second Assistant Master Rs. 6.

The cost per boy taught at each school was—

	Rs.	A.	P.
At Kykalore	6	11	4
„ Nizampatam	9	9	7
„ Avanigadda	8	8	2
„ Polavaram	1	11	9
„ Krossur	2	2	4
„ Tadepalli	2	4	0
„ Ghantasalapalem	2	0	0
„ Pedagollapalem	1	15	6
At all 8 together	5	8	1

This result is arrived at by dividing the cost *minus* fees collected by the average attendance.

28. *Grants-in-aid.*—This amounted to—

	Rs.	A.	P.
Salary Grants	246	0	0
Results do.	2,415	9	0
Total ..	2,661	9	0

29. *Salary Grants.*—The only salary grant school in the circle is that of the Repalle School. Rupees 246 were paid at Rupees 20-8-0 per mensem.

30. *Results Grants.*—The amount assigned in the budget was Rupees 7,630, and the actual expenditure was Rupees 2,415-9-0.

The ratio of expenditure to the budget allotment fell from 50 per cent. in 1877-78 to 31·65 in 1878-79. This is due in a great measure to the action of the new rules brought into force in the year under review.

31. The particulars of the aided schools are given below :—

	Salary Grant Schools.			Result Grant Schools.		
	Number of Schools.	Number of Pupils.	Amount Paid.	Number of Schools.	Number of Pupils.	Amount Paid.
			Rs. A. P.			Rs. A. P.
1877-78	1	41	432 5 4	266	4,647	3,829 12 0
1878-79	1	32	246 0 0	*110	2,196	2,415 9 0

32. Books valued at Rupees 853-8-3 were purchased for the use of the results schools, and a commission of Rupees 8-13-0 was paid to the Inspecting Schoolmasters on their resale.

33. *Dispensaries.*—The dispensary at Bezwada is kept up at the joint cost of the Government and the Local Fund Board, while the dispensary at Jaggayyapet is

* Explanation of this large decrease has been called for from the Deputy Inspector of Schools.

supported entirely at the cost of Local Funds. The aggregate charges of the two dispensaries were—

	Rs.	A.	P.
Establishment	2,357	15	0
Diet of patients	173	13	6
Medicines and supplies	1,029	8	4
Rents	120	0	0
Furniture and sundries	272	7	5
Total ..	3,953	12	3

Their work for the year is shown below :—

Dispensaries.	In-Patients.	Out-Patients.				
		Number in 1877-78.	Number in 1878-79.	Discharged.	Died.	Remained.
Local Fund Dispensary at Bezwada ..	51	4,277	6,982	6,847	55	80
Local Fund Dispensary at Jaggayyapet	..	2,595	3,428	3,428	..	..
Total ..	51	6,872	10,410	10,275	55	80

The average daily attendance at the places was—

Dispensary.	1877-78.	1878-79.
Bezwada	73·21	83·41
Jaggayyapet	6·75	9·38

The cost per case treated was Annas 4-6 and Annas 6-6, respectively.

At neither station is there accommodation for in-patients, but at Bezwada the Local Fund Board have taken charge of the famine patients, the sheds constructed for the purpose having also been transferred to them.

The Local Fund Board as usual employed a number of itinerants to distribute quinine and cholera pills.

34. *Vaccination.*—The circle staff consists of—

	Salary per Mensem. Rs.
1 Deputy Inspector	70
3 First-class Vaccinators each	18
4 Do. do. „	15
7 Second-class do. „	10
2 Pupil do. „	5

Besides the above, seven Temporary Vaccinators on Rupees 10 each were entertained for three months during the year, their salaries being met from the allotment of Rupees 210 sanctioned in Miscellaneous Proceedings, No. 4,819, dated 15th May 1878.

The vaccination staff were also granted travelling batta amounting to Rupees 459-12-0—*vide* Proceedings, Miscellaneous No. 5,213, dated 22nd May 1878.

35. The usual table is subjoined—

Staff.	Salaries, &c.	Number of Persons Vaccinated.		Number of Successful Cases.		Cost per Case.	
		1877-78.	1878-79.	1877-78.	1878-79.	1877-78.	1878-79.
	RS. A. P.					RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.
Deputy Inspector ..	840 0 0						
14 Vaccinators ..							
7 Additional do. for three months.	2,498 8 3	13,958	10,423	12,110	8,670	0 4 3	0 7 2
2 Pupil Vaccinators.							
Batta to the above ..	459 12 0						
Contingencies ..	114 11 10						
Total ..	3,913 0 1	13,958	10,423	12,110	8,670	0 4 3	0 7 2

The percentage of successful cases was—

In 1874-75	89·58
„ 1875-76	88·88
„ 1876-77	87 37
„ 1877-78	86·76
„ 1878-79	83 18

36. The number of persons vaccinated in the year was 10,423 against 13,958 in 1877-78, showing a decrease of 3,535 due to the people refusing to be vaccinated on account of the excessive prevalence of fever. Small-pox however was not so virulent.

37. *Sanitation.*—The total grant for this purpose was Rupees 20,440, of which Rupees 8,561-12-4 were expended. The particulars are given below—

Items.	1877-78.	1878-79.
	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.
1. Cleansing tanks and wells	2,795 11 5	897 2 0
2. Improving village sites	146 6 8	809 3 10
3. Sanitary arrangements at fairs and festivals ..	170 5 11	107 0 2
4. Scavengering villages and towns	5,716 13 7	6,748 6 4
Total ..	8,829 5 7	8,561 12 4

38. *Travellers' Bungalows.*—The seven Travellers' Bangalows in the circle lie on the Hyderabad Road between Masulipatam and Nunagala. Their statistics as to fees, &c., are given below:—

Names of Bungalows.	Amount of Fees collected.	Number of Travellers halted.	Expenditure.		Condition of the Bungalows.
			Works.	Establishment and Contingent charges.	
	RS. A. P.		RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.	
1. Nidemole	15 8 0	27	13 14 0	85 0 0	Good order.
2. Kankipad	14 0 0	29	1 13 11	28 15 3	
3. Bezwada	143 8 0	61	33 2 5	86 9 6	
4. Kanchekacherla	23 4 0	39	..	95 7 2	
5. Nandigama	28 14 1	23	..	94 2 8	
6. Sheermahomedpet ..	13 12 0	13	..	85 0 0	
7. Nunagala	6 12 0	11	..	63 0 0	
Total ..	245 10 1	203	48 14 4	538 2 7	

39. *Contribution to Municipalities.*—Rupees 2,984-6-3 were paid to the Commissioners of the Masulipatam Town, as the Circle Board's contribution towards the expenses of the Municipal Dispensary against the budget estimate of Rupees 2,500. The increased expenditure was sanctioned in G.O., No. 709, dated 16th April 1879.

40. The Local Fund Board continue to support the Circle Lunatics at the Asylums of Madras and Vizagapatam. The particulars of the year under report are as follow:—

Name of Asylum.	Number of Lunatics.		Cost in Rupees.	
	1877-78.	1878-79.	1877-78.	1878-79.
			RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.
Madras	2	2	351 14 4	327 0 0
Vizagapatam	3	5	418 13 0	1,049 7 9
Total ..	5	7	770 11 4	1,376 7 9

The excess expenditure over the budget grant was in consequence of arrears having been paid to the Waltair Asylum from November 1877, and was met from the allotment of Rupees 764-11-5 sanctioned in Miscellaneous Proceedings, No. 2,139, dated 6th March 1879.

41. A sum of Rupees 1,290 was paid as contribution to Medical College (Revenue Board's Proceedings, No. 1,061, dated 17th April 1878).

42. *Local Fund Board.*—The working of the Board was satisfactory. There were fourteen meetings in the year, and their attendance was as follows:—

——	Number of Members.		Average Attendance.	
	Official.	Non-Official.	Official.	Non-Official.
1877-78	12	13	$3\frac{11}{14}$	$2\frac{3}{14}$
1878-79	11	13	$3\frac{5}{14}$	$3\frac{11}{14}$

THE Local Fund Report of the Masulipatam Circle for the year 1878-79 will be submitted for the orders of Government.

2. Owing to large receipts and short expenditure in 1877-78, the year 1878-79 opened with the large balance of Rupees 1,72,748, and owing to short expenditure it closed with the still larger balance of Rupees 1,91,569. The actual receipts of the year fell short of the estimate by Rupees 42,227 owing to collections from the Nuzvid Estate for Faslis 1286, 1287, and 1288 not having been made till after the close of the year. But for this the balance in hand would have been considerably larger than even the high figure above given.

3. The expenditure under Grant I, Public Works, amounted to no more than Rupees 66,659 against allotments aggregating, according to the registers in the Board's Office, as much as Rupees 1,73,260. This short outlay is attributed mainly to the restrictive orders issued by Government towards the close of the year, but although this may account for it in part, short expenditure by the Public Works Department is the yearly tale from this circle. The Kistna District is notoriously worse off for roads than any other in the Presidency, yet year after year there is the same failure to expend the funds provided, or even to submit estimates for the works selected for execution. The Board do not mean to impute blame to the local officers of the Public Works Department who have much other important work to deal with, but they think that some special steps should be taken to at least temporarily strengthen their hands. The usual percentage for supervision of the expenditure of the accumulated balance of Rupees 1,05,342 would pay the cost of a very considerable temporary establishment.

Road Fund Balance on 31st March.

	Rs.
1876	17,068
1877	59,637
1878	85,276
1879	1,05,342

4. The allotments for repairs to roads were much better worked out than those for new works and 316 miles of road are reported to have been maintained in good order out of a total mileage of 3481. Seven and-a-half miles of new road were completed and seven were in progress, besides about two miles of village road completed and one in progress.

From the General Fund Rupees 2,950 were spent by the Public Works Department on avenues out of an allotment of Rupees 4,400, but no information is supplied regarding their condition during the year. The other Public Works expenditure from the General Fund was trifling in amount.

5. *Education.*—The old rate schools at Kykalore, Nizampatam and Avanigadda are shown in the statement in paragraph 27 of the report as higher class schools, but from the report for 1877-78 it would appear that they are now lower class schools. If such be the case it is not right that the cost of educating each child attending them should be so high as Rupees 6-11-4, Rupees 9-9-7 and Rupees 8-8-2, and steps should be taken to provide a less costly staff. Out of thirty-six combined system schools provided for in the budget, it is reported that only five were started, but no explanation is offered. The cost of educating each child at these schools varied from Rupees 1-15-6 to Rupees 2-4-0, but this information is deprived of much of its value by the omission to state for what portion of the year the schools were open. From the salaries paid to the masters, however, it may be inferred that most of them were at work for eight months. Under results grants it would appear that only 110 schools were examined and drew grants of Rupees 2,416 against 266 schools with a grant of Rupees 3,830 in 1877-78. The short expenditure is attributed to the new rules and from a marginal note to paragraph 31 of the report it would appear that explanation has been called for from the Deputy Inspector of Schools with regard to the falling off in the number of schools. In submitting this explanation, the President will state whether all the schools ready for examination were actually examined, and the grants earned disbursed to them within the year. The average grant drawn per school examined for 1877-78 and 1878-79 should also be reported. From the figures given it would seem that the average grant per school drawn under the new rules in 1878-79 was Rupees 21-15-5 against Rupees 14-6-4 drawn under the old rules in

1877-78, but a reference to the report for 1877-78 shows that the objectionable practice of paying in arrears prevails in this circle, so that no inferences can be drawn from a consideration of the amounts disbursed.

6. The dispensaries at Bezwada and Jaggayyapet continued to do good work, and the attendance of out-patients rose during the year from 6,872 to 10,410. The other four dispensaries provided for in the budget were not opened for want of medical men. Quinine and cholera pills were distributed as usual by itinerant distributors.

7. The number of persons vaccinated during the year fell from 13,958 to 10,423, and the cost per successful case rose from Annas 4-3 to Annas 7-2 which is more than twice what it ought to be. It is noted that the percentage of successful cases has been steadily declining since 1874-75.

8. Under sanitary establishments, &c., only Rupees 8,562 were expended out of an aggregate allotment of Rupees 20,141, the allotment for scavengering being the only one which was worked up to. The Board consider that sanitary services generally receive too little attention in most circles. Nothing is said about the short expenditure in the report, but in the remark column of the comparative statement it is noted that there were not many applications for works for the improvement of water supply. This remark refers apparently to the statement in the report for 1877-78 that "water-works all over the country are generally being improved, and the people are coming in with applications with or without local contributions." The Board are disposed to believe that the experience thus recorded will be found to be true of all circles in which the Local Boards take a real interest in the matter.

(A true Copy and Extract.)

(Signed) C. A. GALTON,
Acting Secretary.

To the Chief Secretary to Government, Financial Department.
" President of the Local Fund Boards, Kistna District.

Exd. G. Freeman and W. J. Lewis.

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Board of Revenue, MADRAS.

To

THE CHIEF SECY. TO GOVT.,
FINANCIAL DEPARTMENT,
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Local Fund Report—of Masulipatam Circle, Kistna District, for 1878-79. — Submitting to Government the —.

Mem. No. 3224 dt. 15-12-79

GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.

FINANCIAL DEPARTMENT.

10th November 1879, No. 2150.

Local Funds Report.

Read the following paper :—

No. 63. *Proceedings of the Board of Revenue, dated 29th July* 1879, *No.* 2151.

ABSTRACT.—Submitting to Government the Local Fund Report of the Masulipatam Circle, Kistna District, for 1878-79.

No. 64. ORDER THEREON, 10th November 1879, No. 2150.

Excluding the large opening balance of Rs. 1,72,748-2-5 according to the audited results of 1877-78, the receipts of the Masulipatam Circle for the past year aggregated Rs. 1,18,363 against Rs. 1,60,590 estimated. The revenue from fishery rents was not as large as it once was, although considerably in excess of the estimate. The actual receipts were Rs. 2,875 against a regular estimate of Rs. 5,000. The land cess realized amounted to Rs. 91,982 only against Rs. 1,30,000 estimated and Rs. 1,44,000 entered in the regular estimate. A sum of Rs. 45,000 paid by the Nuzvid Estate since the close of the year raised the collections to an amount close upon the latter figure. The extent of arrears of cess still remaining to be collected, with particulars of years to which they belong, will in future be stated with reference to G.O., dated 19th July 1879, No. 1376, paragraph 4. The diminution in the tolls revenue caused by the systematic evasion by bandymen has already formed the subject of the correspondence noted in the margin. A sum of Rs. 432-11-7 is shown as collection on account of the old road cess. This cess having been abolished on the introduction of Act IV of 1871, the collection on its account after so many years by the side of the new land cess should not be continued. The outstandings when the cess ceased to be in force should have been ascertained, and its speedy collection arranged for, and irrecoverable amounts at once written off the accounts. The instructions of Government in paragraph 6 of their Order, dated 15th October 1878, No. 1839, will be attended to.

G.O., Finl. Dept., 3rd Sept. 1879, No. 1692.

2. The expenditure on roads is shown at Rs. 49,410 against Rs. 1,02,000 provided for in the regular estimate. The President's figures in paragraph 15 relating to the allotments in 1878-79 do not agree either with the budget or regular estimate. The short outlay is explained, but the progress made in the execution of the several new road works and the balance of the estimate remaining to be worked out are not stated. The state of the communications in the Circle in general is not commented on by the President; but the Board of Revenue animadvert upon the small outlay by the Public Works Department year after year and the accumulation of balances, and suggest the employment of an additional temporary staff to push forward more rapidly the public works in the Circle. The question will be dealt with thoroughly in the arrangements now being made for supervising the Local Fund works of the district.

	RS.
New Works	17,764
Repairs	31,646
	49,410

3. The notice of educational work in the President's report is meagre. The attendance at the three old rate schools is not compared with that in 1877-78, nor is the progress

made by the children in these and other schools reported. The desirability of continuing these schools on a special footing even after the standard of instruction has been lowered should receive early consideration. The imperfect nature of the information afforded in the President's report of the working of the combined system and results grants schools precludes further comment than that passed by the Board of Revenue. The President will at once furnish full information on the points noted by the Board. The early and earnest attention of the Local Board will also be directed to the educational requirements of the Circle, which seem but imperfectly met at present. The funds at their disposal are considerable; only Rs. 7,500 were expended in the year under review out of an allotment of Rs. 16,700. A sum of Rs. 853 was spent on the purchase of books, but only Rs. 103 appear to have been realized from their sale during the year. A similar disproportion of receipts to expenditure under this head appears in the previous year's accounts also, which should be explained. The work of the 5 Inspecting Schoolmasters was confined to 220 schools only, which gives an average of 44 schools in the year to each, or nearly 4 in the month. The pay and batta of each averages Rs. 28 and Rs. 12 respectively per mensem, or Rs. 40 in all. This amounts, it would appear, to Rs. 10 for each school visited and prepared for inspection. The principal duty of the Inspecting Schoolmasters lies in instructing managers and teachers in the best methods of training pupils for results grants. Unless these duties are efficiently performed, satisfactory results in results schools cannot be looked for.

4. The number of dispensaries in the Circle is still very small, but two existing institutions appear to be progressing satisfactorily. The vaccination work shows results far from commensurate with the expenditure incurred. The steady falling off in the proportion of successful cases to the total number vaccinated demands the serious consideration of the Sanitary Commissioner and of the President. Rural sanitation does not appear to be conducted on any satisfactory system, nor are sufficient funds devoted to the object. The Government desire that the question be referred to in some detail by the President when submitting the report for the current year.

5. The travellers' bungalows in the Circle brought in a revenue of Rs. 246, but the cost of their upkeep amounted to Rs. 587.

6. The Government are glad to learn that the attendance of the members of the Local Board was fairly satisfactory during the year. The average attendance of non-officials shows marked improvement, but it is still low.

(True Extract.)

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Acting Under Secy. to Govt.

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" Revenue Department,
" Public Works Department,
" Accountant-General,
" Sanitary Commissioner,
" Surgeon-General, Indian Medical Department,
" Director of Public Instruction,
" President of the Municipal Commissions, Kistna District,

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