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Read the following paper :—

No. 39. *Proceedings of the Board of Revenue, dated 26th August* 1880, *No.* 1226.

ABSTRACT.—Reviewing the Local Fund Report of the Calicut Circle, Malabar District, for 1879-80.

No. 40. ORDER THEREON, 21st February 1881, No. 291.

The population of the Calicut Circle is 1,389,475, being the highest figure of all the Circles excepting Vizagapatam and Coimbatore, which include entire districts. The incidence of taxation at the opening of the year under notice stood at As. 2-1 per head of population, which is below the average ; but the additional anna in the rupee of land-cess taxation had then been in force for three parts only of a twelvemonth. Tolls in this Circle bear a larger proportion to the remaining forms of taxation than they do in any other Circle ; looking to population, they amount to twice as much as they do elsewhere. The receipts from endowments are insignificant. Travellers' bungalows yield a rather larger income than is usual. Sales of books show a much larger revenue than elsewhere. Under allotments from other revenues this Circle receives a much larger contribution than any other Circle, but chiefly from the rents of local ferries levied under Act I of 1870. This Circle contracted a loan of Rs. 89,000 at $4\frac{1}{2}$ per cent. interest in 1874 under the provisions of the Public Works Loan Act of 1871, and at the beginning of the year Rs. 69,979 were still unliquidated. The object of the loan was the completion of the Támrachéri Ghât road and approach in Wynaad, but the loan funds were exhausted in 1875-76.

2. The position of the finances at the beginning and end of the year now reviewed by the Board was in equilibrium. The total receipts, excluding fictitious items, showed progress. The increased rate of land-cess was in force throughout the year, and the Circle was independent of any contribution from Provincial Funds. With reference to the President's remarks at paragraph 9, the question of exhibiting tolls as a separate item of Local Fund receipts is about to be referred to the Government of India.

3. The outlay on Public Works was 78·1 of the total expenditure of the year, and of this outlay viewed as 100, 7·7 per cent. was for new works and 62·8 per cent. was for maintenance. The expenditure on sanitary works and village roads either in the current or the previous years was very trifling ; the Circle Board will doubtless give this matter their attention.

4. Educational expenditure was 12·3 per cent. of the total expenditure of the year and shows progress. The number of schools was nearly stationary. The combined system schools showed as follows :—

(1) Middle-class schools	11
(2) Lower-class schools	283

against 10 and 223 respectively in 1878-79. Pure results grants schools were 42 in number against 110 in the previous year. The decrease in the latter is accounted for by the increase in the former, as many results grants schools were

converted into combined system schools during the year. There is an error in the abstract account at paragraph 2 of the Board's Proceedings, the pure results grants payments having been included in the results grants made to combined system schools. These should be kept distinct, the entries being (*a*) middle-class schools and the sum expended on their maintenance, (*b*) lower-class schools and the aggregate sum spent on their maintenance. Against each of the heads just mentioned the amounts paid as salary grants and results grants may also be inserted as an additional entry. The heading itself of salary grants and results grants should be reserved for schools conducted purely on those systems. The attention of the Director of Public Instruction is drawn to the fact that 157 of the lower-class schools were not examined for results grants during the year.

5. Sanitary expenditure was 8·7 of the total expenditure. Vaccination showed progress in numbers operated on, but the cost per operation rose from As. 3-10 in the previous year to As. 4-6. The travellers' bungalows worked at a loss of 70 per cent., and it is observed that no fees at all were realized at the Beypore and Ketur (Támrachéri) bungalows.

(True Extract.)

R. DAVIDSON,
Chief Secretary.

To the Board of Revenue,
" Revenue Department,
" Public Works Department,
" Surgeon-General with the Government of Madras,
" Sanitary Commissioner,
" Director of Public Instruction,
" Accountant-General,
" President of the Municipal Commissions, Malabar District,

with copy of Revenue Board's Proceedings, No. 1226, dated 26th August 1880.

Exd. J. W. Fischer.

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on the combined system of salary and result grants. Of the 283 lower class schools, 126* with 3,600 pupils against 49 with 1,612 pupils in the previous year were examined for grants, while 157 schools were not examined and consequently received salary grants only. It is not stated why so many schools were unexamined, nor whether the entire amount of the grants earned by the 126 schools was paid to them. The information should now be furnished. A Normal school was opened at Betutnad from the 15th February 1880 for training Mappila Schoolmasters, all of whom are uncertificated.

*Hindu	55
Mappila	71
Total ...	126

11. The cost of educating a pupil in the higher class schools came to Rs. 9-14-0 and in the lower class to Rs. 1-15-11. The number of purely result grant schools was 42 against 110 in the previous year. The decrease is attributed to two causes—the closing of some schools owing to reduction in the rate of grant and the transfer of others to the head of "combined system" schools.

12. The number of Inspecting Schoolmasters remained the same as in the previous year. They visited 2,487 villages and prepared 375 schools for inspection. The Local Board are generally satisfied with the work done by them. In the statement showing the work performed by these officers, the number of times each school was visited is not stated. The omission should be supplied.

13. *Dispensaries.*—Three Dispensaries were at work during the year. The number of in and out patients treated at these institutions contrasted with those of the past year shows a decrease of 1,048 in-patients and an increase of 219 out-patients. The large decrease in the number of in-patients was due to admission having been restricted to such persons only as were in absolute need.

14. *Vaccination.*—The Vaccine Staff consisted of one Deputy Inspector, eight Vaccinators besides three Temporary Vaccinators, and cost Rs. 2,257. The total number of operations performed by the Vaccinators was 9,683 against 6,788 in the previous year. Of the total number vaccinated, 8,003 cases, or 82·6 per cent., were successful. The cost per case was Annas 4-6 or Pies 8 over last year. The large increase in the number of operations is attributed to the efficient supervision exercised by the Deputy Inspector of Vaccination since he was relieved of the charge of the Tellicherry Circle. The Board note with satisfaction that this important matter is receiving careful attention.

15. Bungalows, of which there were 22 in the Circle, cost Rs. 872, while the receipts in fees amounted to Rs. 667. The total number of travellers who used them was 526.

16. *Sanitation.*—The expenditure on sanitation was smaller than in last year, Rs. 484 having been spent for cleansing tanks and wells, and Rs. 1,101 for scavenging establishments against Rs. 417 and 1,437, respectively, in 1878-79.

17. *Local Fund Board.*—The Local Board consisted of 22 members—12 non-officials and 10 officials. There were 11 meetings held during the year, and the average attendance of the non-official members was nearly three while that of the official was four. It is reported that some of the non-official members did not attend a single meeting during the year. The President should report the names of habitual absentees in view to their being replaced by other gentlemen who would take a more lively interest in the affairs of the Circle.

(True Copies and Extract.)

(Signed) E. GIBSON,
Acting Sub-Secretary.

To the Chief Secretary to Government, Financial Department.
„ the President of the Local Fund Boards, Malabar District.
„ the Director of Public Instruction.

Exd. A. S. Rodgers, J. Tulloch, and A. Grubert.

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Board of Revenue,

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2. The following is a statement of the receipts and charges compared with the estimate of the year and the actuals of 1878-79 :—

Receipts.	Actuals, 1878-79.	Estimate, 1879-80.	Actuals, 1879-80.
	RS.	RS	RS.
Balance	—38,873	70	..
Provincial Funds	14,618	..	..
Surplus Pound Fund ..	407	100	182
Ferry Rents	32,864	35,000	41,847
Avenues	7,740	2,000	3,971
Miscellaneous	1,463	1,000	931
Land-cess	1,40,759	1,52,610	1,56,233
Tolls	42,401	45,000	38,050
Fees in Schools	1,943	2,180	2,533
Contributions—			
From Municipality for roads	6,515	6,000	5,990
From Cochin Government	830	1,000	164
Educational receipts ..	12	..	38
Hospitals	82	50	143
Choultries	353	360	320
Miscellaneous	741	..	..
Sale of Materials	16	100	..
Sale of other property ..	..	50	..
Bungalow Fees	612	500	686
Public Works Receipts and Refunds	1,07,592	..	12,692
Miscellaneous	..	..	583
Nuisance Fines	331	500	..
Sale of Books	1,462	1,000	2,589
Contribution from private individuals in aid of works	550	..	..
Grand Total ..	3,22,418	2,47,520	2,66,952

Expenditure.	Actuals, 1878-79.	Estimate, 1879-80.	Actuals, 1879-80.
GRANT I.	RS.	RS.	RS.
New Works.			
Communications	8,942	20,460	14,209
Civil Buildings	535	..	20
Miscellaneous Public Improvements.	2,874	..	..
Repairs.			
Communications	1,90,120	1,03,420	1,13,540
Civil Buildings	2,436	2,740	1,934
Miscellaneous Public Improvements.	..	300	..
Public Works Department Supervision	49,291	28,410	28,995
Tolls and Ferries	302	1,000	1,236
Tools and Plant	5,259	3,170	2,996
Refunds of Receipts	..	..	303
Contingencies	4	..	30
Contributions to Circles and Municipalities	3,732	3,670	2,120
Interest and Capital on account of Loan	8,025	7,810	7,814
Repayment of Loan	..	..	10,448
Total Grant I ..	2,71,520	1,70,980	1,83,645
GRANT II.—*Education.*			
Inspection	3,412	3,390	3,101
Local Fund Schools	8,317	10,494	7,771
Salary Grants	5,433	8,376	7,035
Results do.	3,433	7,000	8,036
Purchase of Books and Commission on Sale of Books	1,844	1,540	2,928
Miscellaneous	..	60	..
Total Grant II ..	22,439	30,860	28,871
GRANT III.—*Sanitation.*			
Hospitals	12,457	9,840	8,239
Vaccination	1,875	2,520	2,257
Sanitary Establishment	1,860	1,750	1,585
Choultries	760	900	738
Bungalows	902	1,050	872
Contributions	7,897	6,400	4,551
Miscellaneous	..	1,660	2,270
Total Grant III ..	25,751	24,170	20,512
GRANT IV.—*Miscellaneous.*			
Presidency Establishment	662	730	723
Collector's do.	576	640	576
Local Fund Board Establishment ..	384	390	384
Miscellaneous	1,086	700	568
Total Grant IV ..	2,708	2,460	2,251
Total Expenditure	3,22,418	2,28,470	2,35,279
Balance	..	19,050	31,673
Grand Total ..	3,22,418	2,47,520	2,66,952

3. *Opening Balance.*—According to the President's accounts, the year opened with no balance which agrees with the Accountant-General's final figures for 1878-79, but in the distribution between the Road and General Funds the credit balance of Rs. 3,997 under the Road Fund and the debit balance of Rs. 3,997 under the General Fund shown in the statement attached to the Board's Circular Memorandum, dated 18th May 1880, No. 748, were not taken into account. The figures have now been inserted in the President's accounts, so that they may agree with those exhibited in the Board's General Local Fund Report for 1878-79.

was re-employed in lieu of the sweeper-woman, as the toty is a most useful servant for rendering his aid to bed-ridden cases and cleaning the dispensary.

The dispensary building is the property of Local Fund occupied from 8th June 1876.

There were three Europeans and six Eurasians treated during the year as out-patients, the account of which will be seen in the accompanying Table C.

The following are the number of cases treated among all classes of persons for the year :—

	In-patients.	Out-patients.
Remained	5	33
Admitted	64	2,627
Total	69	2,660
Discharged	55	2,628
Died	11	..
Remaining	3	32

showing a decrease of 174 admissions among the out-patients than the previous year, and a decrease of 102 admissions and one death among the in. From the eleven deaths that occurred among the in-patients during the year there were two from small-pox, one from ague, two from dropsy, one from dysentery, one from diarrhœa, one from fracture, and three from other diseases.

The castes of in and out patients will be seen separately in Form C.

The following is a comparative table for the last twelve years :—

Years.	In-patients.	Out-patients.	In-patients.		Out-patients.	
			Increase.	Decrease.	Increase.	Decrease.
1868-69	25	885	...	...	...	...
1869-70	129	1,490	104	...	607	...
1870-71	142	2,386	13	...	869	...
1871-72	142	1,974	...	2	...	412
1872-73	163	2,119	23	...	145	...
1873-74	201	2,009	40	...	...	110
1874-75	231	2,337	30	...	328	...
1875-76	226	2,418	...	5	81	...
1876-77	146	3,060	...	80	643	...
1877-78	133	3,367	...	13	207	...
1878-79	166	2,801	33	...	...	566
1879-80	64	2,627	...	102	...	174

viii. Number of self-supported sick treated at the dispensary were nineteen, being four less than the last, and this could be attributed to the people being very poor and unable to afford themselves :—

	Rs.	A.	P.
Balance on the 1st April 1879	1,120	0	0
Received from Local Fund	1,292	0	5
Total ...	2,412	0	5
Expended on account of Establishment, European Medicines, Diet, Miscellaneous Repairs	1,292	0	5
Balance on the 1st April 1880	1,120	0	0

ix. *General Remarks.*—In my last report I applied for a trained Midwife for the use of this Moplah Town, but it has not yet been complied, and that I beg to solicit the favor of recommending for one for this station, as the services of such servants are absolutely necessary for Moplah females who die in great many instances for want of a proper assistance.

2. The sanitary condition of the town is far from being satisfactory. There is one Nuisance Inspector appointed by the Local Fund Board to look after the sanitary state, not only of this town, but also of three other stations, *Edpaul* Bettethpooding andy, and Tanoor, situated at a distance of 6, 10, and 16 miles respectively; hence it is not possible for this officer to supervise the work of the scavengers so efficiently as necessary. The scavengers simply engage themselves in cleaning the public road and a portion of the Bazaar Street without attending the town, and that if I be allowed to superintend the work carried on by these scavengers much improvement may be expected as I am always here.

3. There is an extra thatched ward in the dispensary compound for contagious disease capable of accommodating for four persons, and that as the people of Malabar are much afraid of cholera and small-pox, and does not like to remain at the dispensary as in-patients; if there be any such case I think it is better to make a separate small hut near the dead-house for the treatment of such cases which is at a distance of 500 yards from the dispensary.

(Signed) DAVOOD BEG,
1st-Class Hospital Assistant,
In Charge of Dispensary.

PONANI,
1st April 1880.

Concise Medical Report of the Civil Dispensary, Vayitri, for the official year 1879-80.

THE climate during the past official year has been on the whole better than in former years. It has been noticed that in each succeeding year the health of the Wynaad population is found to improve, and this has been attributed to the immense forests being cut down yearly and coffee cultivation taking their place. This materially lessens the vegetation about the place, thus diminishing vegetable decomposition, which is said to give rise to fevers, so prevalent in this part of India.

Malarious fevers are prevalent throughout the year, more especially during the months of February, March, April, and May. These are not attributed to malarial influence, but to hepatic and dyspeptic disorders and the free use of alcoholic drinks which are obtained at so many petty shops and for little or nothing. During the monsoons, chest affections are very prevalent and are brought on by exposure to the rain, and in the case of the poorer classes, by insufficient clothing to enable them to change when wet, having through want and poverty to keep on the wet clothes.

There were 141 admissions (both in and out patients) amongst the Europeans and East Indians and 5,259 admissions amongst the Natives, showing on the whole a decrease of 816 admissions as compared with 1878-79 and an increase of 1,334 as compared with 1877-78. There were three deaths amongst the Europeans and East Indians, and all three cases were admitted in an hopeless state. Amongst the Natives there were 87 deaths, making in all a total of 90 deaths, being 201 less than in the previous year. The most fatal diseases have been dropsy, diarrhœa, and dysentery, and they may well be so, for the climate of Wynaad is against them.

There were three cases of cholera about the beginning of January 1880, two were from out-stations and one from Vayitri. All three proved fatal. There were also three cases of small-pox, of which one proved fatal. The first case occurred about the middle of April 1879, the second about the end of May, and the third about the middle of August. Measles were very prevalent in Maypaudie last November and December. Every precaution was taken to prevent the spread of the disease in the town and suburbs.

The hospital premises were whitewashed in the month of November last, but the state of the roofing and floor in some parts of the hospital is deplorable, otherwise the building as regards site and aspect is good. The latrines which are built on the cesspool system are useless, on account of the impossibility of clearing the night soil; the patients are therefore allowed to resort to the waste land adjoining the hospital. There is a good dead-house attached, but the contagious shed, which was frequently reported to be in a dilapidated state and subsequently fell in, has not been re-erected. Cases of a contagious nature are consequently kept in one of the wards of the main building, and after discharge or death the walls are scraped, washed, and whitewashed, subsequently disinfected and allowed to remain empty, the doors and windows being left open for sometime before it is again used for ordinary purposes. With regard to the latrines, when the dispensary was inspected last December by Surgeon-Major W. H. Roberts, M.D., Civil Surgeon of Malabar, he suggested that they could admirably be converted into contagious wards, the pits in them being filled in and closed. These two latrines could hold at least eight patients and are very well ventilated.

(Signed) N. A. WRAY,
Civil Apothecary, in Medical charge,
Vayitri Civil Dispensary.

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Annual Concise Report of the Civil Dispensary at Manjeri for the year 1879-80.

Observation on the Climate and Season of the past year and the Condition of the Public Health and surrounding District.—No marked change in the climate has been experienced during the past year. The condition of the public health was very good and satisfactory, and there was no epidemic form whatever in this station as well as in the surrounding suburbs during the past year ; the town and villages being kept clean as much as possible by the Magisterial authorities of the place as well as by my personal advice to the public at large. The hospital is situated on an elevated place. It is airy and spacious with verandahs all around. There are five good airy and well-ventilated wards with out-houses for cooking, &c.

2. *Detailed Narrative of any Epidemic Diseases.*—There was no epidemic disease, but eye affections prevailed to a greater extent than the last year which can be seen from the return.

3. *The Principal Diseases.*—The principal diseases that had been prevailed and treated during the past year were fevers, rheumatism, chronic, anæmia, general dropsy, ophthalmia, respiratory affections, dysentery, diarrhœa, worms, ulcer, other skin diseases and wounds, &c.

4. *Statistics.*—The total admission for the whole year amongst European and Native in-patients was 2 Europeans and 340 Natives against 4 Europeans and 604 Natives of last year.

The total number of deaths amongst in-patients was 20 against 42 last year. The total number of admissions amongst European and Native out-patients for the past year was 37 Europeans as well as Eurasians and 12,222 Natives against 11,707 Natives and 29 Europeans as well as Eurasians of 1878-79. Thus there is an increase of 523 out-patients during the year 1879-80.

There were twelve deaths amongst out-patients during the year.

5. *Chief Causes of Deaths.*—The chief causes of deaths in each disease are as follows :—

	DEATHS DURING THE YEAR.		
	In.	Out.	Total.
Ague	5	3	8
Respiratory affections	...	3	3
General dropsy	11	3	14
Diarrhœa	...	1	1
Ulcer	1	...	1
Debility	1	1	2
Injuries	2	1	3
Total ...	20	12	32

6. *Surgical Operations performed during the year.*—Twelve major and seventy-six minor operations were performed during the year, of which two of them died and all the other proved successful.

7. *The management of the Hospital.*—The whole expenditure for the diet, &c., is entirely borne by the Local Fund Board.

8. *Self-dieting Patients.*—During the year 1876-77 the number of self-dieting patients was four, in 1877-78 thirty-two, in 1878-79 sixty, and the present year forty-eight ; this gradual increase proves that the hospital is becoming more and more popular.

9. *Vaccination.*—In addition to the operation carried on by the Local Fund Vaccinator of this place, I myself have tried my best to vaccinate in Munjeri. The hospital building is the property of the Local Fund Board.

MUNJERI,
1st April 1880.

(Signed) J. VENCATACHELLUM NAIDU,
1st-Class Hospital Assistant,
Civil Dispensary, Munjeri.

Statement showing the Allotments from the several Local Funds under all the Budget (Major) heads, &c.—(*Continued*).

Heads.	Budget Estimate, 1879-80, Major Heads.	Subsequent Additions.	Subsequent Deductions.	Works for which Allotments had to be made.	Remarks.
1	2	3	4	5	6
	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	
(*d*) Contingencies including travelling allowance to Local Fund Clerk.	400	...	...	...	
(*e*) Travelling allowance to Local Fund Members.	300	...	...	...	
(*f*) Miscellaneous	...	...	...	...	
(*g*) Pensionary Allowance	...	...	...	...	
Total Grant IV ...	2,460	...	...	...	
Advance Recoverable	...	...	...	...	
General Reserve	...	...	...	...	
Grand Total Expenditure ...	2,42,560	...	...	...	
Balances.					
(*a*) Road Fund	4,960	...	...	...	
(*b*) Endowment Fund	...	...	...	...	
(*c*) General Fund	...	...	...	...	
Total ...	4,960	...	...	...	

10. Detailed Statement of Receipts and Expenditure on account of Road Fund for the Official Year 1879-80.

Receipts.	Amount.	Remarks.	Expenditure.	Amount.	Remarks.
	Rs. A. P.			Rs. A. P.	
1. Balance	..		1. New Works	14,209 1 7	
2. Two-thirds Land-cess ..	1,04,155 1 5		2. Repairs	1,13,539 12 2	
3. Grant from Government—			3. Expenditure by Public Works Department	..	
(*a*) Provincial Fund ..	..		4. Establishment—		
(*b*) Special Fund ..	..		(*a*) Petty Establishment ..	28,995 9 8	
4. Tolls and Ferries	79,897 7 2		(*b*) Share of Public Works Supervision		
5. Contributions from Circles and Municipalities for Roads	6,154 0 10		(*c*) Tolls and Ferries	1,236 2 7	
6. Miscellaneous	12,692 1 5		(*d*) Share of Establishment at the Presidency, in the Collector's Office, and Local Fund Board Office ..	876 14 6	
7. Loan	..		5. Contingencies	30 5 7	
			6. Tools and Plant	2,994 10 0	
			7. Contribution to other Circles and Municipalities for Roads.	2,120 0 0	
			8. Miscellaneous	303 0 10	
			9. Instalment of Loan and Interest and Repayment to Provincial	18,262 1 5	
			Total ..	1,82,567 10 4	
			Balance ..	20,331 0 6	
Total ..	2,02,898 10 10			2,02,898 10 10	

11. Detailed Statement of Receipts and Expenditure on account of Education for the Official Year 1879-80.

Receipts.	Amount.	Remarks.	Expenditure.	Amount.	Remarks.
	Rs. A. P.			Rs. A. P.	
1. Balance (half of General Fund)	..		1. Public Works	627 10 6	
2. Provincial Grant for Education	..		2. Cost of Public Works Supervision	..	
3. One-fifth Land-cess ..	26,038 12 4		3. Tools and Plant	..	
4. Fees in Schools	2,532 12 7		4. Appropriation to the Road Fund	..	
5. Contributions	..		5. Inspection	3,101 7 4	
6. Receipts from Endowment	..		6. Local Fund Schools	7,771 3 4	
7. Miscellaneous	2,589 0 3		7. Grants-in-aid—		
			(*a*) Salary Grants	15,070 11 4	
			(*b*) Results Grant		
			8. Schools aided on the combined system	..	
			9. Miscellaneous	2,927 10 2	
			10. Share of the cost of the General Management	325 3 2	
			Total ..	29,823 13 10	
			Balance .	1,336 11 4	
Total ..	31,160 9 2			31,160 9 2	

12. Detailed Statement of Receipts and Expenditure on account of Sanitation for 1879-80.

Receipts.	Amount.	Remarks.	Expenditure.	Amount.	Remarks.
	Rs. A. P.			Rs. A. P.	
1. Balance—			1. Public Works	1,326 11 11	
(*a*) Endowment Fund ..	..		2. Supervision	..	
(*b*) Half of General Fund	..		3. Tools and Plant	..	
2. Provincial Grant	..		4. Establishment—		
3. Special Funds	..		(*a*) Hospital	3,019 11 3	
4. One-sixth Land-cess ..	26,038 12 4		(*b*) Vaccination	2,256 13 11	
5. Endowments—			(*c*) Sanitation	1,581 8 1	
(*a*) Interest			(*d*) General Management and Supervision	325 3 2	
(*b*) Rents	374 8 0		5. Hospital—General Charges ..	5,219 6 6	
(*c*) Contribution, sale of Medicines, &c.			6. Vaccination — Do. ..	..	
6. Contribution from other Circles	..		7. Sanitation— Do. ..	..	
7. Miscellaneous	6,479 5 8		8. Choultries and Bungalows, &c.	1,610 6 9	
			9. Miscellaneous	6,821 5 9	
			Total ..	22,164 3 4	
			Balance ..	10,728 6 8	
Total ..	32,892 10 0			32,892 10 0	

Annual Concise Report of the Civil Dispensary at Munjeri for the year 1879-80.

Observation on the Climate and Season of the past year and the Condition of the Public Health and surrounding District.—No marked change in the climate has been experienced during the past year. The condition of the public health was very good and satisfactory, and there was no epidemic form whatever in this station as well as in the surrounding suburbs during the past year ; the town and villages being kept clean as much as possible by the Magisterial authorities of the place as well as by my personal advice to the public at large. The hospital is situated on an elevated place. It is airy and spacious with verandahs all around. There are five good airy and well-ventilated wards with out-houses for cooking, &c.

2. *Detailed Narrative of any Epidemic Diseases.*—There was no epidemic disease, but eye affections prevailed to a greater extent than the last year which can be seen from the return.

3. *The Principal Diseases.*—The principal diseases that had been prevailed and treated during the past year were fevers, rheumatism, chronic, anæmia, general dropsy, ophthalmia, respiratory affections, dysentery, diarrhœa, worms, ulcer, other skin diseases and wounds, &c.

4. *Statistics.*—The total admission for the whole year amongst European and Native in-patients was 2 Europeans and 340 Natives against 4 Europeans and 604 Natives of last year.

The total number of deaths amongst in-patients was 20 against 42 last year. The total number of admissions amongst European and Native out-patients for the past year was 37 Europeans as well as Eurasians and 12,222 Natives against 11,707 Natives and 29 Europeans as well as Eurasians of 1878-79. Thus there is an increase of 523 out-patients during the year 1879-80.

There were twelve deaths amongst out-patients during the year.

5. *Chief Causes of Deaths.*—The chief causes of deaths in each disease are as follows :—

	Deaths during the Year.		
	In.	Out.	Total.
Ague	5	3	8
Respiratory affections	...	3	3
General dropsy	11	3	14
Diarrhœa	...	1	1
Ulcer	1	...	1
Debility	1	1	2
Injuries	2	1	3
Total ...	20	12	32

6. *Surgical Operations performed during the year.*—Twelve major and seventy-six minor operations were performed during the year, of which two of them died and all the other proved successful.

7. *The management of the Hospital.*—The whole expenditure for the diet, &c., is entirely borne by the Local Fund Board.

8. *Self-dieting Patients.*—During the year 1876-77 the number of self-dieting patients was four, in 1877-78 thirty-two, in 1878-79 sixty, and the present year forty-eight ; this gradual increase proves that the hospital is becoming more and more popular.

9. *Vaccination.*—In addition to the operation carried on by the Local Fund Vaccinator of this place, I myself have tried my best to vaccinate in Munjeri. The hospital building is the property of the Local Fund Board.

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MUNJERI,
1st April 1880.

No. 15.—Statement showing the Allotments from the several Local Funds under all the Budget (Major) heads, with subsequent Additions and Deductions as per Revenue Board's Proceedings, paragraph 6, dated 5th May 1879, No. 577.

Heads.	Budget Estimate, 1879-80, Major Heads.	Subsequent Additions.	Works for which Allotments had to be made.	Remarks.
1	2	3	4	5	6
	Rs.	Rs.			
GRANT I.—*Public Works.*					
(*a*) New Works—					
Communications	12,700	7,760	...	Remetalling Támrachéri Ghat road.	Addition made—*Vide* paragraph 4 of Revenue Board's Proceedings, No. 3,131, dated 6th November 1879, and Board's Proceedings, No. 2,242, dated 20th March 1880.
CIVIL BUILDINGS.					
Miscellaneous Public Improvements.					
(*b*) Repairs—					
Communications	1,07,180	...	...		Deductions made—*Vide* first order quoted above.
Civil Buildings	2,740	...	...		
Miscellaneous Public Improvements ...	...	...	...		
(*c*) Establishments—					
Cost of General Establishment, Public Works Department, Petty Establishment.	27,600	...	288		Do. do. do. do.
Tolls and Ferries	1,000	...	...		
Tools and Plant	3,070	...	...		
Contingencies	...	...	...		
Road Fund Reserve	19,000	...	15,000		
Contribution to other Circles and Municipalities for Public Works, &c.	3,670	...	...		
Payment on account of instalment of Interest on the Loan.	7,810	...	...		
Do. do. repayment of Provincial Grant ...	...	10,448	...		As per paragraph 4 of Revenue Board's Proceedings, No. 3,131, dated 6th November 1879.
Total Grant I ...	1,85,070	...	...		

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1	2	3	4	5	6
GRANT I.—*Public Works.*	RS.	RS.	RS.		
(*a*) New Works—					
Communications	12,700	7,760	...	Remetalling Támrachéri Ghat road.	Addition made—*Vide* paragraph 4 of Revenue Board's Proceedings, No. 3,131, dated 6th November 1879, and Board's Proceedings, No. 2,242, dated 20th March 1880.
CIVIL BUILDINGS.					
Miscellaneous Public Improvements.					
(*b*) Repairs—					
Communications	1,07,180	...	3,760	...	Deductions made—*Vide* first order quoted above.
Civil Buildings	2,740	...	...		
Miscellaneous Public Improvements ...	...	...	...		
(*c*) Establishments—					
Cost of General Establishment, Public Works Department, Petty Establishment.	27,600	...	288	...	Do. do. do. do.
Tolls and Ferries	1,000	...	...		
Tools and Plant	3,070	...	...		
Contingencies	...	...	...		
Road Fund Reserve	19,000	...	15,000		
Contribution to other Circles and Municipalities for Public Works, &c.	3,670	...	...		
Payment on account of instalment of Interest on the Loan.	7,810	...	...		
Do. do. repayment of Provincial Grant ...	...	10,448	...	...	As per paragraph 4 of Revenue Board's Proceedings, No. 3,131, dated 6th November 1879.
Total Grant I ...	1,85,070	...	...		
(*h*) Payment on account of instalment of Loan received up to 31st December 1879, and of Interest.	8,024	7,810	7,814	4	...	
(*i*) Repayment of contribution from Provincial...	...	...	10,448	10,448	...	As per Accountant-General's letter, No. 341, dated 31st January 1880.
Total Grant I ...	1,61,902	1,85,070	1,83,645	...	1,425	
GRANT II.—*Educational.*					
(*a*) Payment for Inspection	3,412	3,390	3,101	...	289	Decrease due to increase of salary sanctioned not having been availed of.
(*b*) Local Fund Schools—					
Salaries of Masters... Fixed	5,466	7,320	6,123	...	1,197	Do. do. do. do.
Salaries of Masters... Result Grants ...	1,709	1,700	...	...	1,700	This item is included under Result Grants to Hindu Schools as per Accountant-General's instructions.
Servants	604	660	623	...	37	
Miscellaneous	538	814	1,025	211	...	Increase due to charges on account of Moplah Normal School.
(*c*) Stipends—					
Hindu Schools	2,404	3,744	2,841	...	903	Due to smaller payments than was estimated for.
Moplah Schools	3,029	4,632	4,194	...	438	Do. do. do. do.
(*d*) Result Grants—					
Hindu Schools	2,653	4,000	5,449	1,449	...	Due to Local Fund School Result Grant having been included under this head.
Moplah Schools	780	3,000	2,589	...	411	
(*e*) For Gazette and Journal of Education ...	...	60	...	...	60	
(*f*) Book Hawkers	407	540	509	...	31	
(*g*) Purchase of Books	1,439	1,000	2,419	1,419	...	Due to larger purchases.
(*h*) Miscellaneous	...	...	...	...	...	
Total Grant II ...	22,439	30,860	28,871	...	1,989	
GRANT III.—*Sanitation, Medical Services, and Public and Charitable Institutions.*					
(*a*) Hospitals and Dispensaries—					
Salaries of Medical Subordinates... ...	2,064	2,010	1,884	...	126	Varies according to the class of Medical Subordinates posted to Local Fund Dispensaries.

Heads.	Actuals of 1878-79.	Estimate for 1879-80.	Actuals of 1878-79.	Increase over Estimates.	Decrease under Estimates.	Explanation of Variations.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	
Clerks and Servants	1,325	1,320	1,136	...	184	Due to certain servants temporarily dispensed with in the beginning of the year not having been entertained, though provision was made in the budget.
Diet of Patients	4,414	3,080	2,183	...	897	Due to smaller number of in-patients admitted.
Medicines and Surgical Apparatus ...	1,862	1,500	1,748	248	...	
Contingencies	1,699	1,930	1,288	...	642	Do. do. do. do.
Miscellaneous—Rent, Furniture, &c. ...	1,003					
(*b*) Vaccination	1,910	2,520	2,257	...	263	
(*c*) Sanitary Establishment and cleansing tanks, wells, &c.	1,854	1,750	1,585	...	165	
(*d*) Choultries (Endowed)—						
Establishment	761	410	364	...	86	
Contingencies	...	40				
(*e*) Public Bungalows—						
Establishment	902	912	872	...	40	
Contingencies	...	138	...	...	138	
(*f*) Musaferkhanas (Unendowed Choultries)—						
Establishment	...	456	374	...	126	
Contingencies	...	44			44	
(*g*) Miscellaneous—						
Cholera Charges	5	400	...	...	400	Having had no necessity for any outlay under this.
Contribution to Calicut and Pálghat Municipalities for Dispensary.	7,897	6,400	4,551	...	1,849	Owing to the amount of contribution calculated with reference to the actual charges of the Dispensaries having been less than was estimated for.
Contribution to the Medical College, Madras.	580	1,260	2,270	1,010	...	Increase due to payment of arrears for past year as per Accountant-General's advices.
Total Grant III ...	26,276	24,170	20,512	...	3,658	
GRANT IV.—*Miscellaneous.*						
(*a*) Contribution for Controlling Establishment at the Presidency.	...	730	...	...	...	
(*b*) Contribution for Controlling Establishment in the Collector's office.	576	640	576	...	64	
(*c*) Establishment of Local Fund Board's office..	385	390	384	...	6	
(*d*) Contingencies including travelling allowance to Local Fund Clerks.	487	400	455	...	...	
(*e*) Travelling allowance to Local Fund Members.	...	300	455	...	245	Due to less travelling of Clerks.
(*f*) Miscellaneous	...	...	38	38	...	
(*g*) Pensionary Allowance	84	...	75	75	...	Due to budget provision having been made under this item.
Total Grant IV ...	1,532	2,410	1,527	...	883	
Advance Recoverable	...	...	...	...	...	
General Reserve	...	...	...	...	...	
Grand Total Expenditure ...	2,12,149	2,42,560	2,34,556	...	8,004	
Balances.						
(*a*) Road Fund	12,194	4,960	20,331	...	...	
(*b*) Endowment Fund	...	...	...	...	...	
(*c*) General Fund	— 9,516	...	12,065	...	...	
Total ...	2,14,827	2,47,520	2,66,952	...	...	

No. 15.—Statement showing the Allotments from the several Local Funds under all the Budget (Major) heads, with subsequent Additions and Deductions as per Revenue Board's Proceedings, paragraph 6, dated 5th May 1879, No. 577.

Heads.	Budget Estimate, 1879-80, Major Heads.	Subsequent Additions.	Subsequent Deductions.	Works for which Allotments had to be made.	Remarks.
1	2	3	4	5	6
GRANT I.—*Public Works.*	RS.	RS.	RS.		
(*a*) New Works—					
Communications	12,700	7,760	...	Remetalling Támrachéri Ghat road.	Addition made—*Vide* paragraph 4 of Revenue Board's Proceedings, No. 3,131, dated 6th November 1879, and Board's Proceedings, No. 2,242, dated 20th March 1880.
CIVIL BUILDINGS.					
Miscellaneous Public Improvements.					
(*b*) Repairs—				...	Deductions made—*Vide* first order quoted above.
Communications	1,07,180	...	3,760		
Civil Buildings	2,740	...	...		
Miscellaneous Public Improvements ...	...	...	...		
(*c*) Establishments—					
Cost of General Establishment, Public Works Department, Petty Establishment.	27,600	...	288	...	Do. do. do. do.
Tolls and Ferries	1,000	...	...		
Tools and Plant	3,070	...	...		
Contingencies	...	...	...		
Road Fund Reserve	19,000	...	15,000		
Contribution to other Circles and Municipalities for Public Works, &c.	3,670	...	...		
Payment on account of instalment of Interest on the Loan.	7,810	...	...		
Do. do. repayment of Provincial Grant ...	...	10,448	...	...	As per paragraph 4 of Revenue Board's Proceedings, No. 3,131, dated 6th November 1879.
Total Grant I ...	1,85,070	...	...		

I-B.—*Expenditure.*

Heads.	Actuals of 1878-79.	Estimate for 1879-80.	Actuals of 1879-80.	Increase over Estimates.	Decrease under Estimates.	Explanation of Variations.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
GRANT I.—*Public Works.*	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	
(*a*) New Works—						
Communications	3,784	12,700	14,209	1,509	...	Due to certain emergent works provided for partly by subsequent transfer from repair allotments and partly from reserve.
Civil buildings	367	...	20	20	...	
Miscellaneous Public Improvements ...	...	...	...	...	...	
(*b*) Repairs—						
Communications	1,14,623	1,07,180	1,13,540	6,360	...	The increase under this item is due to its being exclusive of recoveries. The difference has been refunded and taken credit for under receipts as per Department of Public Works Examiner's advices.
Civil buildings	2,426	2,720	1,934	...	786	Decrease due to allotments made for the repair of certain bungalows not having been utilized.
Miscellaneous Public Improvements ...	...	300	...	...	300	
(*c*) Establishment—						
Cost of General Establishment, Public Works Department, and Petty Establishment.	28,342	27,600	28,996	796	...	Owing to increase under (*a*) and (*b*) above.
Tolls and Ferries	302	1,000	1,236	236	...	Owing to additional tolls maintained under Amani.
(*d*) Tools and Plant	302	3,070	2,995	...	75	
(*e*) Refunds	...	...	303	303	..	
(*f*) Contingencies	...	...	30	30	...	
Road Fund Reserve	...	19,000	...	19,000	...	This is an item independently shown. The appropriation out of this is included in the actuals for Public Works.
(*g*) Contributions to other Circles and Municipalities for Public Works.	3,732	3,670	2,120	...	1,550	Increase due to contributions to Pálghat Municipality for tolls and to Cochin Government for ferries having been debited to Public Works instead of Local Fund Accounts.

CALICUT CIRCLE.

No. 14.—Comparative Statement showing the Actuals of the previous year and the Estimate and Actuals of the year 1879-80 under Budget heads.

I-A.—*Receipts.*

Heads.	Actuals of 1878-79.	Estimate for 1879-80.	Actuals of 1879-80.	Increase over Estimate.	Decrease under Estimate.	Explanation of Variations.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	
1. Balances—						
(*a*) Road Fund	— 10,529	...	...	...	...	
(*b*) Endowment	...	...	...	...	...	
(*c*) General Fund	— 22,543	70	...	...	...	
2. Allotments from General Revenue—						
(*a*) Provincial Funds—						
For Roads	...	...	...	...	...	
For Schools	4,170	...	...	...	...	
For General Purposes	...	...	...	...	...	
(*b*) Special Funds—						
Surplus Pound Fund	407	100	182	82	...	
Ferry Rents	32,863	35,000	...	...	35,000	The receipts under this are included under tolls.
Avenues	7,740	2,000	3,971	1,971	...	Owing to sale of more loppings.
Miscellaneous...	1,463	1,000	931	...	69	Calls for no remark.
3. Rates and Taxes—						
(*a*) Cess on Land	1,40,759	1,52,610	1,56,233	3,623	...	Increase due to larger collections of arrears than was anticipated.
(*b*) Tolls	42,401	45,000	79,897	34,897	...	Due to the inclusion of ferry receipts.
(*c*) House Tax	...	...	...	...	...	
4. Fees in Schools	1,943	2,180	2,533	353	...	Due to fees in certain schools having been raised towards the close of the year.
5. Contribution from other Circles and Municipalities—						
(*a*) For Inspection	...	...	...	...	...	
(*b*) From Pálghat Municipality for Roads.	6,515	6,000	5,990	...	10	
(*c*) From Tellicherry Circle for Book Depôt.	...	...	...	...	...	
(*d*) From Cochin Government for Ferries...	830	1,000	164	..	836	Decrease due to the contribution received from Cochin Government on account of ferries having been credited to Public Works instead of Local Fund Accounts.
(*e*) Do. do. for maintenance of the Cochin Canal.						
(*f*) From Mysore Government on account of bridge.	...	...	...	...	...	
6. Receipts from Endowments, Contributions, &c.—						
(*a*) Educational	12	...	38	38	...	
(*b*) Hospitals	82	50	143	93	...	
(*c*) Choultries	353	360	320	...	40	
(*d*) Miscellaneous	741	...	...	...	...	
7. Miscellaneous—						
(*a*) Sale of Materials, Tools and Plant ...	16	100	...	...	100	
(*b*) Sale of other Property	...	50	...	...	50	
(*c*) Bungalow Subscription and Fees ...	612	500	686	186	...	Due to increase in the number of persons halted.
(*d*) Public Works Receipts and Refunds ...	4,534	...	12,692	12,692	...	As per advice from the Examiner, Public Works Department.
(*e*) Loan under Act XXIV of 1871 ...	...	...	...	...	...	
(*f*) Miscellaneous	49	...	583	583	...	Calls for no remark.
(*g*) Nuisance Fines	331	500	...	...	500	The estimate was framed with reference to past years, but there were no collections during the year.
(*h*) Sale of Books	1,462	1,000	2,589	1,589	...	Owing to larger sales.
(*i*) Advances Recoverable	...	...	...	...	...	
(*j*) Cash Recoveries	616	...	...	...	...	
(*k*) Permanent Advance	...	...	...	...	...	
Total Receipts ...	2,14,827	2,47,520	2,66,952	19,432	...	

I-B.—*Expenditure.*

Heads.	Actuals of 1878-79.	Estimate for 1879-80.	Actuals of 1879-80.	Increase over Estimates.	Decrease under Estimates.	Explanation of Variations.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
GRANT I.—*Public Works.*	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	
(*a*) New Works—						
Communications	3,784	12,700	14,209	1,509	...	Due to certain emergent works provided for partly by subsequent transfer from repair allotments and partly from reserve.
Civil buildings	367	...	20	20	...	
Miscellaneous Public Improvements ...	...	...	...	...	...	
(*b*) Repairs—						
Communications	1,14,623	1,07,180	1,13,540	6,360	...	The increase under this item is due to its being exclusive of recoveries. The difference has been refunded and taken credit for under receipts as per Department of Public Works Examiner's advices.
Civil buildings	2,426	2,720	1,934	...	786	Decrease due to allotments made for the repair of certain bungalows not having been utilized.
Miscellaneous Public Improvements ...	...	300	...	...	300	
(*c*) Establishment—						
Cost of General Establishment, Public Works Department, and Petty Establishment.	28,342	27,600	28,996	796	...	Owing to increase under (*a*) and (*b*) above.
Tolls and Ferries	302	1,000	1,236	236	...	Owing to additional tolls maintained under Amani.
(*d*) Tools and Plant	302	3,070	2,995	...	75	
(*e*) Refunds	...	...	303	303	..	
(*f*) Contingencies	...	...	30	30	...	
Road Fund Reserve	...	19,000	...	19,000	...	This is an item independently shown. The appropriation out of this is included in the actuals for Public Works.
(*g*) Contributions to other Circles and Municipalities for Public Works.	3,732	3,670	2,120	...	1,550	Increase due to contributions to Pálghat Municipality for tolls and to Cochin Government for ferries having been debited to Public Works instead of Local Fund Accounts.

39. The number of dispensaries in the circle under the management of the Local Fund Board were three, as in last year.

40. A statement of the in and out-patients treated at each of the hospitals is given below :—

—	In-patients.				Out-patients.			
	Number in 1878-79.	Number in 1879-80.	Discharged.	Died.	Remaining.	Number in 1878-79.	Number in 1879-80.	Discharged.	Died.	Remaining.
1. Manjeri	608	842	298	20	24	11,736	12,259	12,152	12	95
2. Ponáni	181	69	65	11	3	2,838	2,660	2,628	..	32
3. Vayitri	1,093	423	317	88	18	5,123	4,977	4,950	2	25
Total ..	1,882	834	670	119	45	19,697	19,896	19,730	14	152

41. There is a decrease in the number of in-patients admitted into each of the hospitals during the year owing to this form of relief being confined, as far as possible, to such persons only as were in absolute need of it.

42. There is also a slight falling off in the number of out-patients in the hospitals at Ponáni and Vayitri which is more than counterbalanced by the increase in the Manjeri Hospital. The detailed reports on the working of these institutions furnished by the medical officers in charge are herewith submitted. There is every reason to believe that these institutions, especially that at Manjeri, are very much appreciated by the people.

43. *Epidemic Diseases.*—No epidemic diseases of any kind prevailed in the circle during the year under report. A few cases of cholera are reported to have occurred in Vayitri about the beginning of January last. Small-pox also was prevalent in certain localities, but the public health of the circle was, on the whole, very good.

44. *Vaccination.*—The following tabular statement shows the number of vaccinators in the circle and the work done by them together with the charges incurred on their account :—

	Number.	Name of Local Fund Circle.	Taluk.	Number of Vaccinators employed in each Taluk.	Total Number of Cases vaccinated.	Successful.	Unsuccessful.	Unknown.	Salary.	Contingencies.	Total Cost.	Cost of each Successful Case.
									RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.
1	Calicut.	Calicut ..		1	1,214	877	127	210				
2		Ernád ..		1	1,079	801	132	146				
3		Ponáni ..		2	2,288	1,900	130	258				
4		Walawanád ..		2	2,220	1,814	152	254				
5		Pálghat ..		1	2,492	2,169	81	172	2,160 13 1	96 0 10	2,256 13 11	0 4 6
6		South-East Wynaad ..		1	460	442	7	11				
		Total ..		8	9,683	8,003	629	1,051	2,160 13 1	96 0 10	2,256 13 11	0 4 6

45. In addition to the eight vaccinators shown above three temporary vaccinators were also employed in the Ponáni and Pálghat Taluks when small-pox made its appearance in those taluks. The total number of persons vaccinated during the year was 9,683 against 6,788, of which 8,003 cases are reported to have been successful against 5,446 in the past year. This increase in the operations performed during the year appears to be due to more efficient supervision exercised by the Deputy Inspector of Vaccination over the working of vaccinators since he was relieved of the charge of the Tellicherry Circle by the appointment of a separate Deputy Inspector for that circle in June 1879.

27. The total charges under Grant III show a decrease of Rs. 5,950, which is due mainly to less expenditure under the head of Diet of Patients in Local Fund hospitals and contributions paid to Municipal Funds which are fixed according to the actual working charges of the Municipal dispensaries in each year.

28. Having thus shown the financial condition of each of the Local Funds separately I will now proceed to review generally the operations of the year under report. The most important purposes for which the Funds raised under the Local Funds Act are devoted are Communications, Education, and Sanitation.

The following is a general statement showing the percentage of expenditure to allotments under each of these principal heads during the year under report and the previous two years :—

—	Communications.			Education.			Sanitation.		
	Allotment.	Expenditure.	Percentage.	Allotment.	Expenditure.	Percentage.	Allotment.	Expenditure.	Percentage.
	Rs.	Rs.		Rs.	Rs.		Rs.	Rs.	
1877-78 ..	1,34,800	1,20,964	89·73	31,270	28,934	92·52	24,560	29,126	118·59
1878-79 ..	1,23,940	1,18,406	95·54	26,352	23,069	87·50	22,576	28,506	126·25
1879-80 ..	1,38,880	1,27,749	92·01	31,500	29,498	93·35	25,840	21,550	83·32

29. *I, Communications.*—It will be seen from the above statement that only 92 per cent. of the allotment for Communications was spent in the year under report. The reason for this decrease is due to the amount available for expenditure out of the reserve provided in the Budget having been reduced from Rs. 19,000 to Rs. 4,000, as per Revenue Board's Proceedings, No. 3,131, dated 6th November 1879, and this amount was appropriated towards remetalling the Támrachéri Ghât sanctioned in G.O., dated 3rd July 1879, No. 2,267-W.

30. The original allotment for new works in the circle was Rs. 12,700 ; a sum of Rs. 7,760 was subsequently added on account of remetalling the Támrachéri Ghât, Rs. 4,000 being from the reserve and Rs. 3,760 from the maintenance allotment of the Támrachéri Road. Out of the total allotment of Rs. 20,460 thus made up for new works Rs. 14,209 were actually expended on the several works detailed in Statement No. 4, from which it will be seen that Rs. 7,760 were spent on the construction of bridges and Rs. 6,449 on roads. The number of miles of road and communications in the circle for which maintenance was provided in the Budget for the year is $1,089\frac{1}{8}$, of which $957\frac{3}{4}$ miles were actually maintained at a cost of Rs. 1,13,426 ; no expenditure was incurred on the remaining $131\frac{3}{8}$ miles during the year.

31. No village roads were opened or maintained during the year.

32. *II, Education.*—The expenditure under Education was 93 per cent. against 87 per cent. last year. The increase was due to larger payments under salary and results grant, as already stated.

33. The number of Inspecting Schoolmasters was seven, the same as last year, of whom one was for Moplah schools.

34. The total charges incurred on account of the Inspecting Agency was Rs. 3,102. The duty of these officers consists chiefly in going from village to village to explain to the people the Grant-in-aid Code and to point out to them the advantages of education generally and making clear the differences between the system adopted by Government and the old method in vogue in unaided pial schools. They impart instruction both to teachers and their pupils. Whatever success attends the inducing of pial teachers to undergo training at the Normal schools is also due, in a great measure, to the exertions of the Inspecting Schoolmasters.

35. The subjoined statement furnished by the Deputy Inspector shows the work done by the Inspecting staff during the year :—

Name.	Designation.	The Number of Villages visited.*	The Total Number of Visits paid to the several Villages.	Number of Schools prepared for inspection.			Total.
				Combined System.	Result Grant.	Other.	
1. P. Karunakara Menon ..	Inspecting Schoolmaster, Calicut	216	Particulars not yet received.	4	13	..	17
2. A. Sivarama Ayyan ..	Do. Pálghat ..	420		38	5	..	43
3. T. Subba Rao	Do. Ernád ..	285		6	26	..	32
4. L. A. Vydianathayan ..	Do. Walawanád ..	288		12	16	..	28
5. K. Chathu Menon ..	Do. North Ponáni.	204		14	9	..	23
6. T. Gopala menon ..	Do. South Ponáni.	330		8	23	..	31
7. M. Mahomed Khan ..	Do. Moplah ..	744		201	..	..	201

* The term "villages" do not mean amshoms alone. Every tara, deshom, gramom visited is considered a village (*vide* Deputy Inspector's demi-official dated 10th June 1880).

36. The work done by the Inspecting Schoolmasters appears to have been, on the whole, satisfactory. The total number of lower-class schools in the circle visited by them was, according to the above statement, 375, of which 325 schools are stated to have been aided by the Local Fund Board. Of these 325, 283 were on the combined system and 42 purely result-grant schools against 222 and 110, respectively, in 1878-79. The number of combined-system schools examined for grant during the year was 126 with 3,600 pupils against 49 with 1,612 pupils in the previous year. The increase appears both under Hindu and Moplah schools, being 55 and 71, respectively, against 35 and 14 in the previous, year ; the remaining 157 combined-system schools with 2,666 pupils (of which 27 were Hindu and 130 Moplah) were not examined for results grants but only received salary grants. The number of purely result-grant schools shows a decrease, there being only 42 against 110 in 1878-79, all of which received grants during the year. This decrease appears to be due partly to some of the schools having been closed owing to the reduced rate of result grant that was in force in the year, and partly and mainly to certain schools having been brought under the combined system, under which there is a satisfactory increase, as pointed out.

37. *Middle-class Schools.*—There were altogether 11 Local Fund schools in the circle during the year against 10 in 1878-79, as detailed in Statement No. 6 appended to this report. The school at Ponáni, which was maintained by subscriptions raised for the purpose, was taken over by the Local Fund Board during the year under report. All these schools are intended to be middle-class schools, but only seven† of them teach up to that standard. The schools at Koduvayur, Kongad, Ponáni, and Tánúr have not been able to form classes teaching for the Middle Examination, and of these the schools at Kongad and Tánúr have since the close of the year been recommended to be closed. The total number of attendance in these schools on the 31st March 1880 is reported to be 722 with an average daily attendance of 548. In addition to the above the Local Fund Board have also started a Normal school at Bettatnad from the 15th February last for training Moplah schoolmasters. This institution is intended to prepare the way for putting an end to the present anomalous system of giving salary grants to uncertificated Moplah indigenous schoolmasters while corresponding grants are only given in the case of Hindu indigenous teachers to men who must be both certificated and trained. But as the institution has been in existence only for a few days towards the close of the year under report nothing worthy of remark can be said of its work in this report.

† Alatúr, Kolangód, Kottai, Manjeri, Cherpalcheri, Angádipuram, and Bettatnad.

38. *III, Sanitation.*—The total expenditure under this head, which includes charges on account of hospitals, public and charitable institutions, &c., amounted to Rs. 21,550 against Rs. 28,506 in 1878-79. This decrease is due to less expenditure incurred during the year on account of diet of patients as well as contributions paid to Municipalities.

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3		Ponáni ..	2	2,288	1,900	130	258				
4		Walawanád ..	2	2,220	1,814	152	254				
5		Pálghat ..	1	2,422	2,169	81	172				
6		South-East Wynaad ..	1	460	442	7	11				
		Total ..	8	9,683	8,003	629	1,051	2,160 13 1	96 0 10	2,256 13 11	0 4 6

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ferries were credited, as per orders of the Accountant-General referred to in paragraph 9 *supra*.

15. The loan of Rs. 10,448 received from Provincial Funds in 1878-79 for the purpose of meeting the deficit at the close of that year, as stated in paragraph 2 above, was repaid during the year under report.

16. *II, Endowment Fund.*—The number of endowed institutions under the management of the Circle Board remained the same as in the past year. These were—

1. Ponáni Dispensary, and
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3. Sultan's Battery,
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5. Nilambúr,
6. Pattámbi,
7. Támrachéri, and
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The transactions connected with these institutions are detailed in Statement No. 7 appended to this report, from which it will be observed that the actual receipts on account of them during the year amounted to Rs. 374-8-0 while the charges for the same period amounted to Rs. 1,896-6-8, or Rs. 1,521-14-8 over receipts, which are mainly on account of the Ponáni Dispensary, and have been met by appropriations from General Funds.

17. The subjoined statement exhibits the particulars of receipts under this Fund during the year as compared with the estimates of the year and the actuals of the previous four years :—

—	Actuals of 1875-76.	Actuals of 1876-77.	Actuals of 1877-78.	Actuals of 1878-79.	Actuals of 1879-80.	Estimate of 1879-80.	Increase or Decrease in Actuals as compared with Actuals of 1878-79.	
							Increase.	Decrease.
	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.
Appropriation from General Funds ..	6,079 3 0	1,969 11 1	1,438 7 2	2,338 8 11	1,521 14 8	20 0 0	..	816 10 3
Rent on Lands, &c.	262 1 5	..	504 10 0	411 14 6	374 8 0	360 0 0	..	37 6 6
Total ..	6,341 4 5	1,969 11 1	1,943 1 2	2,750 7 5	1,896 6 8	380 0 0	..	854 0 9

18. The amount appropriated from General Funds to meet the excess expenditure over this Fund shows a decrease of Rs. 816-10-3. This is due mainly to smaller expenditure incurred during the year on account of dieting charges of patients, &c., in the Ponáni Hospital. The details of the working of this dispensary will be noticed below along with the other medical institutions under the management of the Circle Board.

19. The total charges of this Fund were Rs. 1,896-6-8, which consisted of the following items :—

	1879-80. RS. A. P.	1878-79. RS. A. P.
Pay of the Establishment	1,210 11 0	1,368 0 0
Contingencies	603 8 6	1,073 0 0
Public Works	85 3 0	309 0 6

The decrease under Establishment as compared with the previous year is due to the reduction of the staff of servants to one compounder and a sweeper in the Ponáni Hospital with reference to President's memorandum recorded in G.O., No. 479, dated 13th March 1880. The entertainment of a toty on Rs. 6 in lieu of the sweeper on 1 rupee was since sanctioned by the Local Fund Board in July 1879.

20. No repairs were necessary for this hospital; this as well as the smaller expenditure incurred on account of dieting charges as stated above account for the decrease in the other two items.

21. *General Fund.*—The details of receipts and charges under this Fund are exhibited in Statement No. 9 appended to this report. The accounts of the year, as has been already pointed out, opened without any balance on hand. The receipts of

4. The total receipts of all the Funds in the year as per above abstract amounted to Rs. 2,68,474 and the total expenditure to Rs. 2,36,078 leaving a balance of Rs. 32,396.

5. The total receipts and charges shown in the above statement include, however, Rs. 1,521-14-8, the sum appropriated from the General Funds to meet the expenditure in excess of receipts under the Endowment Fund, and is consequently entered in the above statement under both General Fund and Endowment Fund. Deducting this sum from both sides of the account the actual receipts and expenditure during the year under all the heads of Local Funds amount to Rs. 2,66,951-14-0 and Rs. 2,34,555-11-6, respectively. The several items of receipts and charges under all the Funds are shown in Statement No. 14 in comparison with the estimates of the year and the actuals of the previous year with full explanations for the variations between the estimates and actuals under each item.

6. The following is a brief account of the transactions connected with each Fund.

7. *Road Fund.*—The transactions connected with this Fund are shown in detail in Statement No. 3. As stated above, there was no balance at the commencement of the year. The total receipts during the year amounted to Rs. 2,02,898 against Rs. 1,82,901, the actuals in 1878-79. The subjoined statement exhibits the particulars of the aggregate receipts as compared with the estimate of the year and the actuals of the previous four years :—

—	Actuals of 1875-76.	Actuals of 1876-77.	Actuals of 1877-78.	Actuals of 1878-79.
1	2	3	4	5
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
1. Land-cess	50,289 8 6	53,917 9 7	50,923 4 5	93,839 6 10
2. Government Grant	1,26,105 0 0	3,953 0 0	25,000 0 0	..
3. Ferry Rent and Toll	62,119 6 8	61,673 9 8	63,421 5 5	75,264 10 10
4. Surplus Pound Fund	6,548 5 4	6,279 0 0	80 0 0	407 4 9
5. Loan	77,315 15 5	..	..	..
6. Miscellaneous	85,095 4 6	9,086 4 5	26,095 8 10	13,389 10 2
Total	4,07,373 8 5	1,34,909 7 8	1,65,520 2 8	1,82,901 0 7
Net	..	..	..	..

—	Actuals of 1879-80.	Estimate of 1879-80.	Increase or Decrease in Actuals as compared with Actuals of 1878-79.	
			Increase.	Decrease.
	6	7	8	9
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
1. Land-cess	1,04,155 1 5	1,01,740 0 0	10,315 10 7	..
2. Government Grant	..	..	..	..
3. Ferry Rent and Toll	79,897 7 2	80,000 0 0	4,632 12 4	..
4. Surplus Pound Fund	..	..	..	407 4 9
5. Loan	..	..	..	..
6. Miscellaneous	18,846 2 3	7,100 0 0	5,456 8 1	..
Total	2,02,898 10 10	1,88,840 0 0	20,404 15 0	407 4 9
Net	..	..	19,997 10 3	..

8. The principal item of receipt under the Road Fund is Land-cess. The total amount collected under this head during the year is Rs. 1,56,233, of which Rs. 1,04,155, being two-thirds of the total collections, are shown under Road Fund and the rest under the General Fund. The increase as compared with the actuals of the previous year 1878-79 is due mainly to the enhanced rate of Land-cess under Act I of 1878 having been collected throughout the year instead of only a portion in 1878-79.

9. *Ferry Rents and Tolls.*—The receipts and charges under these heads were formerly shown in the Local Fund accounts, but since the introduction of the Canal and Ferry Act (I of 1870) from the commencement of the year under report a separate Canal and Ferry Fund has been constituted to which the ferry rents are now credited, and the surplus receipts at the end of each year are to be transferred to Local Funds.

The collections both on account of the ferries and tolls on roads and bridges are, however, shown in the first instance under Public Works, Miscellaneous, in the Imperial Account, under instructions from the Accountant-General. And the amount, viz., Rs. 79,897-7-2, shown above is that advised by the Public Works Examiner as having been transferred to the accounts of this circle, the details of which, however, have not been furnished. The contribution paid by the Pálghat Municipality on account of Tolls amounts to Rs. 5,990, as shown in Statement No. 3.

10. There is an increase of Rs. 5,457 under Miscellaneous which on a reference to the detailed Statement No. 3 will be found to be due to larger refunds of expenditure advised by the Public Works Department.

11. The total expenditure under Road Fund amounted to Rs. 1,82,567, which is below the estimate by Rs. 1,312-9-8, as shown in the subjoined statement :—

—	Actuals of 1875-76.	Actuals of 1876-77.	Actuals of 1877-78.	Actuals of 1878-79.
1	2	3	4	5
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Grant I	2,66,677 10 9	1,61,690 9 6	1,62,255 9 3	1,59,041 7 1
Do. IV	1,861 6 3	1,460 15 3	1,610 5 10	1,136 0 2
Total	2,68,539 1 0	1,63,151 8 9	1,63,865 15 1	1,60,177 7 3
Net	..	..	..	..

—	Actuals of 1879-80.	Estimate of 1879-80.	Increase or Decrease of Actuals as compared with Actuals of 1878-79.	
			Increase.	Decrease.
	6	7	8	9
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Grant I	1,81,690 7 10	1,81,960 7 10	22,649 0 9	..
Do. IV	876 14 6	1,920 0 0	..	259 1 8
Total	1,82,567 6 4	1,83,880 0 0	22,649 0 9	259 1 8
Net	..	..	22,389 15 1	..

12. The expenditure under Grant I shown above is as per Public Works Range Officer's schedule, and it may differ from the actual figures arrived at after audit by the Public Works Examiner, which have not yet been received.

13. Under this Fund the charges are principally on "Roads and Communications." A sum of Rs. 1,27,750 was actually spent on Roads and Communications during the year, viz., Rs. 14,209 on new works and Rs. 1,13,540 on repairs. The details of work in which the above outlay was expended are shown in Statement No. 4. The cost of Public Works Supervision including the pay of the Local Fund Engineering Establishment for the month of March amounted to Rs. 28,996 against Rs. 28,275 in the previous year. The amount debited to this Fund on account of Tools and Plant is, as usual, calculated on the actual outlay incurred by the Department of Public Works and amounts to Rs. 2,995 ; but it is observed that this amount is considerably in excess of the value of tools and plant actually supplied during the year. This subject has already been brought to the notice of the Revenue Board with a view to the amount debited under this head during the year being, as a special case, reduced to the actual cost of the articles supplied ; but the final orders of Government on the subject have not yet been received.

14. The small decrease under Contributions made from this Fund during the year is due to the amount paid to the Cochin Government on account of Frontier Ferries having been debited to the Public Works, Miscellaneous, to which the receipts from

ferries were credited, as per orders of the Accountant-General referred to in paragraph 9 *supra*.

15. The loan of Rs. 10,448 received from Provincial Funds in 1878-79 for the purpose of meeting the deficit at the close of that year, as stated in paragraph 2 above, was repaid during the year under report.

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The transactions connected with these institutions are detailed in Statement No. 7 appended to this report, from which it will be observed that the actual receipts on account of them during the year amounted to Rs. 374-8-0 while the charges for the same period amounted to Rs. 1,896-6-8, or Rs. 1,521-14-8 over receipts, which are mainly on account of the Ponáni Dispensary, and have been met by appropriations from General Funds.

17. The subjoined statement exhibits the particulars of receipts under this Fund during the year as compared with the estimates of the year and the actuals of the previous four years :—

—	Actuals of 1875-76.	Actuals of 1876-77.	Actuals of 1877-78.	Actuals of 1878-79.	Actuals of 1879-80.	Estimate of 1879-80.	Increase or Decrease in Actuals as compared with Actuals of 1878-79.	
							Increase.	Decrease.
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19. The total charges of this Fund were Rs. 1,896-6-8, which consisted of the following items :—

	1879-80. Rs. A. P.	1878-79. Rs. A. P.
Pay of the Establishment	1,210 11 0	1,368 0 0
Contingencies	603 8 6	1,073 0 0
Public Works	85 3 0	309 0 6

The decrease under Establishment as compared with the previous year is due to the reduction of the staff of servants to one compounder and a sweeper in the Ponáni Hospital with reference to President's memorandum recorded in G.O., No. 479, dated 13th March 1880. The entertainment of a toty on Rs. 6 in lieu of the sweeper on 1 rupee was since sanctioned by the Local Fund Board in July 1879.

20. No repairs were necessary for this hospital; this as well as the smaller expenditure incurred on account of dieting charges as stated above account for the decrease in the other two items.

21. *General Fund.*—The details of receipts and charges under this Fund are exhibited in Statement No. 9 appended to this report. The accounts of the year, as has been already pointed out, opened without any balance on hand. The receipts of