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Local Funds — under Madras Act IV of 1871.
— Submitting report on the operations of the —
for 1878-79.

Circles.	1871 Census Population.	Rate at which Land- cess was collected on every Rupee of Assessment.	Income from Tax- ation.	Incidence of Tax- ation including Tolls.	Incidence of Tax- ation excluding Tolls.
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2. Chicacole ...	551,276	0 1 0	60,503	0 1 9	0 1 9
3. Vizagapatam ...	1,704,879	0 1 0	1,97,220	0 1 10	0 1 9
4. Cocanada ...	797,371	0 0 9	1,76,701	0 3 7	0 3 5
5. Ellore ...	669,440	0 0 9	1,33,207	0 3 2	0 3 1
6. Masulipatam ...	701,859	0 0 9	1,01,988	0 2 4	0 2 1
7. Guntur ...	642,073	0 0 9	1,24,597	0 3 1	0 3 1
8. Nellore ...	1,309,575	0 1 0	2,52,685	0 3 1	0 3 0
9. Cuddapah ...	768,475	0 1 0	1,34,771	0 2 10	0 2 10
10. Madanapalle ...	550,169	0 1 0	75,405	0 2 2	0 2 2
11. Bellary ...	543,406	0 1 0	64,441	0 1 11	0 1 7
12. Penukonda ...	376,715	0 1 0	49,232	0 2 1	0 2 1
13. Gooty ...	575,611	0 1 0	80,927	0 2 3	0 2 3
14. Kurnool ...	901,187	0 0 9	1,33,561	0 2 4	0 2 4
15. Saidápet ...	440,512	0 0 9	60,253	0 2 2	0 2 0
16. Chingleput ...	423,018	0 0 9	78,574	0 2 11	0 2 10
17. Chittoor ...	1,314,189	0 1 0	1,93,252	0 2 5	0 2 4
18. Vellore ...	600,839	0 1 0	1,48,536	0 3 11	0 3 10
19. Cuddalore ...	1,061,034	0 1 0	1,41,810	0 2 2	0 2 2
20. Vriddhachalam ...	583,165	0 1 0	1,26,526	0 3 6	0 3 0
21. Tanjore ...	855,416	0 1 0	1,47,483	0 2 9	0 2 9
22. Negapatam ...	750,291	0 1 0	1,25,477	0 2 8	0 2 8
23. Trichinopoly ...	1,024,806	0 1 0	1,64,189	0 2 7	0 2 4
24. Madura ...	1,194,811	0 0 9	1,13,819	0 1 6	0 1 5
25. Dindigul ...	942,100	0 0 9	1,15,480	0 1 11	0 1 10
26. Tinnevely ...	1,131,557	0 0 9	1,40,024	0 1 11	0 1 11
27. Shermádevi ...	463,294	0 0 9	54,565	0 1 11	0 1 11
28. Coimbatore ...	1,662,550	0 1 0	2,61,867	0 2 6	0 2 3
29. Nilgiris ...	23,421	0 1 0	33,427	1 6 10	0 1 11
30. Salem ...	1,313,075	0 1 0	1,77,266	0 2 1	0 1 11
31. Hosur ...	553,896	0 1 0	68,689	0 1 11	0 1 9
32. Canara ...	858,938	0 1 0	1,09,194	0 2 0	0 1 7
33. Calicut ...	1,389,475	0 2 0	1,83,341	0 2 1	0 1 7
34. Tellicherry ...	605,042	0 2 0	93,814	0 2 6	0 1 9
Total ...	28,046,651	...	42,60,330	0 2 5	0 1 10

(A true Extract.)

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with six statements and a file of President's reports.

" all Presidents of Local Fund Boards, with six statements.
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 " the Accountant-General, with do.
 " the Director of Public Instruction, with do.

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Circles.	Municipalities.	Purposes.	Amount.
			RS.
1. Chatrapur		Amount paid to Dr. Hargreaves, Surgeon at Chatrapur, for the purchase and distribution of medicines to the public	300
		Dispensary	800
2. Chicacole	Berhampore ...	Do.	900
	Chicacole ...	Do.	1,200
	Vizagapatam ...	Do.	300
3. Vizagapatam.	Bimlipatam ...	Dead-house at Vizianagram...	18
	Vizianagram ...	Dispensary	750
	Anakápalle ...	Do.	800
	Cocanada ...	Do.	1,190
4. Cocanada	Rajahmundry ...	Lying-in Ward	200
	Do.	Dispensary	1,113
5. Ellore	Ellore ...	Do.	2,985
6. Masulipatam	Masulipatam ...	Branch Dispensary	2,400
7. Nellore	Nellore ...	Civil do.	510
		Do. do.	1,600
8. Cuddapah	Cuddapah ...	Poor-house	250
	Do.	Dispensary	1,200
9. Bellary	Bellary ...	Do.	490
	Adóni ...	Do.	710
10. Gooty	Anantapur ...	Munro's Dispensary	1,180
		Dispensary	2,392
11. Kurnool	Kurnool ...	Lying-in Hospital	297
		Dispensary	1,400
12. Chingleput.	Conjeeveram ...	Sanitation	400
	Do.	Dispensary	750
13. Vellore	Vellore ...	Do.	2,330
14. Cuddalore	Cuddalore ...	Do.	1,500
15. Vriddhachalam	Chidambaram ...	Do.	3,810
	Tanjore ...	Do.	1,450
16. Tanjore	Combaconum ...	Do.	504
	Negapatam ...	Repairing Dispensary	860
17. Nagapatam.	Máyavaram ...	Dispensary	1,500
	Trichinopoly ...	Do.	200
	Srirangam ...	Sanitation	596
	Do.	Native Surgeon	105
18. Trichinopoly	Do.	Moiety of Midwife's pay	1,200
	Trichinopoly	Leper Hospital	360
	Do.	Erangul Dispensary	152
	Trichinopoly	One-fourth cost of Trichinopoly Dispensary building	200
19. Madura	Madura ...	Sanitation	1,406
20. Dindigul		Rev. E. Chester's Dispensary	460
	Palamcottah ...	Dispensary	530
	Tinnevelly ...	Do.	1,628
	Tuticorin ...	Do.	150
	Do.	Chattram	100
21. Tinnevelly.		Nagalapuram Mission Dispensary	200
		Sawyerpuram do.	200
		Nazareth do.	200
		Sakshiapuram do.	107
		Malapalayam do.	100
		Constructing a Dresser's room at Sivakasi	100

Circles.	Municipalities.	Purposes.	Amount.
			RS.
22. Shermádevi. }		Edingudi Dispensary	1,680
		Rhádápuram Dispensary	437
23. Coimbatore.. }	Coimbatore	Dispensary	1,548
	Erode	Do.	1,000
	Karúr	Do.	700
24. Salem ... }	Salem	Do.	200
	Do.	Poor-house	200
25. Canara ... }	Mangalore	Dispensary	600
26. Calicut ... }	Calicut	Do.	7,897
	Pálghat	Do.	
27. Tellicherry ... }	Tellicherry	Do.	1,166
Total ...			59,410

87. LOCAL FUND BOARDS.—Subjoined is a statement showing the number of members (official and non-official) in each Local Fund Board, the number of meetings held, and the average attendance of each class of members at the meetings:—

Circles.	TOTAL NUMBER OF MEMBERS.		Number of Meetings.	AVERAGE ATTENDANCE.	
	Official.	Non-Official.		Official.	Non-Official.
1. Chatrapur	10	10	15	5	2
2. Chicacole	8	9	13	5	3
3. Vizagapatam	12	11	10	2.9	1.7
4. Cocanada	14	14	13	2	3
5. Ellore	10	10	9	2.6	2
6. Masulipatam	11	13	14	3.3	3.8
7. Guntúr	9	9	14	2.8	3.4
8. Nellore	16	16	9	4	1
9. Cuddapah	12	13	6	5	3
10. Madanapalle	10	10	5	5	3
11. Bellary	17	17	13	3	4
12. Penukonda	11	13	10	3	2
13. Gooty	10	10	11	3.8	3.6
14. Kurnool	16	16	11	2.4	1
15. Saidápet	6	6	15	3	1
16. Chingleput	9	11	12	2.75	3.4
17. Chittoor	12	12	13	6	2
18. Vellore	12	12	12	2.41	2.91
19. Cuddalore	10	12	11	4.18	2.54
20. Vriddháchalam	9	10	14	2.5	2.5
21. Tanjore	13	15	8	5.25	2.6
22. Negapatam	13	15	11	4	3
23. Trichinopoly	9	8	14	3.6	4.3
24. Madura	14	14	17	4	4
25. Dindigul	15	16	15	4	4
26. Tinnevelly	14	17	13	4	6
27. Shermádevi	5	9	9	2	3
28. Coimbatore	17	17	16	4.3	3.5
29. Nilgiris	14	15	17	2.7	2.3
30. Salem	14	15	17	2.7	2.3
31. Hosúr	12	14	14	3.1	2.8
32. Canara	9	14	13	4	4
33. Calicut	12	10	13	5	5
34. Tellicherry	8	9	11	3.7	3.7
Total ...	384	416	417		
Average per Circle ...	11.3	12.2	12.2	3.3	2.6

88. It will be seen that there were on the several Local Fund Boards 384 official and 416 non-official members, and that there were 417 meetings held in the year. The average attendance of the former was 3.3 and that of the latter 2.6 against 3.2 and 2.3 of the previous year. There has been no material change in the attendance of the members.

2. There were three meetings postponed in the Ellore Circle for want of a quorum.

3. Presidents are generally satisfied with the remark that the working of the Boards was satisfactory and some observe that non-official members evinced much interest in the working of the Board excepting the few noticed below:—

In Ellore, the non-official element did not evince much interest in the Local Fund work.

In Nellore, the Board showed a poor average attendance.

In Kurnool, the working of the Board was not satisfactory.

In Saidápet, the President makes a very unfavorable mention of the attendance of some of the non-official members who did not take the slightest interest in the business of the Board and ascribes their "apathy to the frequent want amongst them of efficient education to comprehend the business which they are supposed to transact, and to popular feeling which is not far from the truth that the Local Fund Boards have little, if any, real power over the funds supposed to be under their control"—a state of things which the Board trust will have passed away for ever.

The Vice-President, Vellore Local Fund Board, states that meetings are held at Arcot every quarter to facilitate the attendance of the members from Arcot, Wandiwash and Arni.

The Vice-President, Negapatam Local Fund Board, remarks that the attendance of the non-official members was poor, but expects better results from the practice recently introduced of holding meetings at the more important stations in the Circle, from the grant of travelling batta to them, and from the steps taken for the substitution by more energetic and public-spirited gentlemen of a few of the members who have not attended on the Board once during the last few years.

89. As the several shortcomings noticed above have already come under the observation of Government in connection with the Board's reviews of the Circle reports, they have no particular suggestions now to make beyond remarking that ere long the Local Fund rules will have to be revised, when larger powers may be given to Local Fund Boards, and that the absence of the non-official members may be restricted to a certain number of consecutive meetings, after which they may be considered as having forfeited their appointments.

90. In the following statement will be seen the incidence of taxation in each Circle similar to that now prepared by Government for Municipalities. The rate at which the land-cess was collected is also noted. The Board request that Government will be pleased to order a similar statement to be submitted with the Annual Report of each Circle in future.

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that halted in them, and the charges incurred during the year:—

Circles.	Number of Bungalows.	Fees col- lected.	Number of Travellers halted.	EXPENDITURE.	
				Public Works.	Establish- ment.
1. Chatrapur ...	11	RS. 213	194	RS. 119	RS. 560
2. Chicacole ...	4	50	101	15	349
3. Vizagapatam ...	11	419	233	1,174	546
4. Cocanada ...	3	73	80	168	272
5. Ellore ...	3	64	64	567	179
6. Masulipatam ...	7	246	203	49	538
7. Guntūr ...	10	338	107	27	418
8. Nellore ...	15	570	227	...	1,140
9. Cuddapah ...	...	...	...	...	...
10. Madanapalle ...	7	205	89	144	244
11. Bellary ...	6	267	449	...	835
12. Penukonda ...	...	...	...	...	...
13. Gooty ...	...	...	...	...	...
14. Kurnool ...	4	310	424	...	349
15. Saidāpet ...	2	24	47	...	186
16. Chingleput ...	4	576	193	...	559
17. Chittoor ...	3	105	80	580	270
18. Vellore ...	...	...	...	108	...
19. Cuddalore ...	6	605	439	216	904
20. Vriddhāchalam ...	4	115	91	22	290
21. Tanjore ...	1	24	37	...	62
22. Negapatam ...	2	232	179	182	261
23. Trichinopoly ...	3	52	69	140	142
24. Madura ...	1	8	11	72	65
25. Dindigul ...	1	533	325	...	225
26. Tinnevely ...	3	512	114	22	269
27. Shermādevi ...	3	121	132	...	389
28. Coimbatore ...	9	240	110	147	250
29. Nilgiris ...	6	889	365	358	566
30. Salem ...	15	680	435	633	639
31. Hosūr ...	9	498	399	415	884
32. Canara ...	16	356	270	1,635	649
33. Calicut ...	22	613	431	1,104	902
34. Tellicherry ...	12	379	293	...	799
Total ...	203	9,317	6,191	7,897	13,741

85. There were 201 bungalows in existence at the beginning of the year, to which were added six new bungalows. Four of the old ones were transferred to other departments, making in all 203 bungalows at the close of the year. There was a considerable falling off in the number of travellers who halted in them, observable especially in the famine-stricken Circles.

86. The following are the particulars of the contribution paid to Municipalities, &c., on account of Dispensaries, &c.:—

76. The vaccination staff maintained during the year shows an increase of one Deputy Inspector and a decrease of eleven Vaccinators. The increase in the former is due to the entertainment of an additional Deputy Inspector in the Canara Circle while the decrease under latter is caused by the services of some of the additional probationary Vaccinators, who were at work during the previous year having been dispensed with in the year.

77. The results of the year's operations show a considerable decrease as compared with those of last year. This is mainly owing to the closing of the relief-camps and to prevalence of fever in some parts of the country which rendered children unfit subjects for operations. In Kurnool it is stated that the decrease in the number of cases vaccinated was due to remissness on the part of the Deputy Inspector who has been degraded and transferred to the Tinnevely District. Vaccination has, however, generally progressed satisfactorily. The opposition on the part of the people generally seems to be gradually disappearing. The cost of each successful case for the whole Presidency came to Rs. 0-5-4 while that of each case vaccinated was Rs. 0-4-11, which is high. In their several Proceedings submitting the Circle reports, the Board drew the attention of the Presidents to this fact, and they hope to see a large reduction in this item in the current year.

78. SANITATION.—A sum of Rs. 2,03,874, or Rs. 17,292 less than in the previous year, was spent on sanitation as detailed below compared with the figures of 1877-78:—

	1878-79.	1877-78.
	RS.	RS.
1. Cleansing of tanks and wells	57,107	82,304
2. Improving village-sites	12,161	12,957
3. Sanitary arrangements at fairs and festivals	6,065	7,918
4. Scavenging villages and towns	1,12,554	1,00,149
5. Miscellaneous	15,987	17,838
Total ...	2,03,874	2,21,166

79. The only item in which there was an increase over the outlay in the previous year is the cost of scavenging villages and towns due to the employment of additional maistries, scavengers, &c., in certain places. The sanitary administration of Circles is still in a very backward state, but the Board trust that the passing of the changes in Medical District administration now under the consideration of Government will soon produce a marked change in the aspect of the Presidency in this respect.

80. CHOULTRIES.—The total number of choultries, both endowed and unendowed, was 235 against 209 in 1877-78. The increase over last year is due to fresh additions made in some Circles. Of the total number of choultries, 182 were endowed, and their receipts and charges are shown in the Endowment Fund statement.

81. The following statement shows the particulars of the endowed and unendowed choultries in each Circle and the number of travellers who were fed at some of them:—

Circles.	Number of Choultries.	Number of Persons fed.	Cost of feeding.	Remarks.
			RS.	
1. Chatrapur	...	...	...	
2. Chicacole	...	...	...	
3. Vizagapatam	...	...	...	
4. Cocanada	5	43,123	7,283	
5. Ellore	...	...	...	
6. Masulipatam	1	...	...	

Circles.	Number of Choultries.	Number of Persons fed.	Cost of feeding.	Remarks.
			RS.	
7. Guntúr	2	...	...	
8. Nellore	...	...	...	
9. Cuddapah	...	...	...	
10. Madanapalle	...	...	...	
11. Bellary	7	...	...	
12. Penukonda	...	...	...	
13. Gooty	...	...	...	
14. Kurnool	3	...	...	
15. Saidápet	...	...	...	
16. Chingleput	2	...	...	
17. Chittoor	2	4,346	613	
18. Vellore	1	...	...	
19. Cuddalore	4	329	59	
20. Vriddhachalam	2	...	...	
21. Tanjore	32	1,784,970	14,491	Besides this, 127,985 persons were supplied with conjee.
22. Negapatam	8	15,307	1,053	
23. Trichinopoly	18	...	...	
24. Madura	7	21,239	2,725	
25. Dindigul	13	15,659	2,962	
26. Tinnevely	23	...	...	
27. Sermádevi	10	52,629	4,511	
28. Coimbatore	52	...	...	
29. Nilgiris	13	...	...	
30. Salem	4	...	...	
31. Hosúr	7	...	...	
32. Canara	7	...	...	
33. Calicut	7	...	...	
34. Tellicherry	5	...	...	
Total ...	235	1,937,692	33,697	

82. TRAVELLERS' BUNGALOWS.—The maintenance of the Travellers' Bungalows, including the annual repairs, cost Rs. 21,638 against Rs. 34,409 in the previous year, while the fees collected in them amounted to Rs. 9,317, or Rs. 12,321 less than the total outlay.

83. Except in the Chingleput, Dindigul, Tinnevely, and Nilgiris the cost exceeded the receipts in all Circles. This is not satisfactory. These institutions should be made, as far as practicable, self-supporting as directed by Government in their orders reviewing the several Local Fund Reports of 1878-79. The decrease in the expenditure as compared with the actuals of the previous year is attributable principally to the small amount spent in the year by the Public Works Department in repairing the bungalows, while that under receipts was chiefly due to the smaller number of travellers that halted in them.

84. The following statement shows the number of bungalows that remained under the control of Local Fund Boards, the fees collected, the number of travellers

that halted in them, and the charges incurred during the year:—

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10. Madanapalle ...	7	205	89	144	244
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12. Penukonda ...	...	...	...	...	...
13. Gooty ...	...	...	...	...	...
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32. Canara ...	16	356	270	1,635	649
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34. Tellichery ...	12	379	293	...	799
Total ...	203	9,317	6,191	7,897	13,741

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	2 Ponáni ...	181	2,838	3,019	
	3 Vayitri ...	1,093	5,123	6,216	
33. Tellicherry ...	1 Manantoddy ...	1,177	1,977	3,154	
	104-	20,296	507,101	527,397	

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				{Pithápuram.
				{Amalápuram.
Guntúr do.	...	...	...	{Narsaraopet.
				{Tumnerukotta.
Cuddapah do.	...	...	...	{Krósar.
Penukonda do.	...	...	...	{Chitvél.
Vriddhachalam do.	...	...	...	{Kalyándrug.
Tanjore do.	...	...	...	{Kallakurchi.
Coimbatore do.	...	...	...	{Tiruvachi.
Canara do.	...	...	...	{Female Hospital at Tanjore.
				{Palladam.
				{Bantvál.
				{Karkal.

75. VACCINATION.—The total strength of vaccine staff including the Deputy Inspectors of Vaccination aggregated 586, 35 of these being Deputy Inspectors of Vaccination and 551 Vaccinators. The number of Vaccinators in each Circle and the work turned out by them are given in the following statement:—

that halted in them, and the charges incurred during the year :—

Circles.	Number of Bungalows.	Fees collected.	Number of Travellers halted.	EXPENDITURE.	
				Public Works.	Establishment.
		RS.		RS.	RS.
1. Chatrapur ...	11	213	194	119	560
2. Chicacole ...	4	50	101	15	349
3. Vizagapatam ...	11	419	233	1,174	546
4. Cocanada ...	3	73	80	168	272
5. Ellore ...	3	64	64	567	179
6. Masulipatam ...	7	246	203	49	538
7. Guntūr ...	10	338	107	27	418
8. Nellore ...	15	570	227	...	1,140
9. Cuddapah ...	...	...	...	...	...
10. Madanapalle ...	7	205	89	144	244
11. Bellary ...	6	267	449	...	835
12. Penukonda ...	...	...	...	...	...
13. Gooty ...	...	...	...	...	...
14. Kurnool ...	4	310	424	...	349
15. Saidápet ...	2	24	47	...	186
16. Chingleput ...	4	576	193	...	559
17. Chittoor ...	3	105	80	580	270
18. Vellore ...	...	...	...	108	...
19. Cuddalore ...	6	605	439	216	904
20. Vriddhachalam ...	4	115	91	22	290
21. Tanjore ...	1	24	37	...	62
22. Negapatam ...	2	232	179	182	261
23. Trichinopoly ...	3	52	69	140	142
24. Madura ...	1	8	11	72	65
25. Dindigul ...	1	533	325	...	225
26. Tinnevely ...	3	512	114	22	269
27. Shermádevi ...	3	121	132	...	389
28. Coimbatore ...	9	240	110	147	250
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86. The following are the particulars of the contribution paid to Municipalities, &c., on account of Dispensaries, &c. :—

Circles.	SALARY GRANTS.			RESULTS GRANTS.		
	Number of Schools.	Attendance.	Amount paid.	Number of Schools.	Attendance.	Amount paid.
	NO.	NO.	RS.	NO.	NO.	RS.
23. Trichinopoly ...	...	...	...	67	1,049	1,864
24. Madura ...	...	...	...	171	2,700	2,238
25. Dindigul ...	...	...	...	81	2,000	1,410
26. Tinnevely ...	...	...	...	408	13,896	13,644
27. Shermádevi ...	...	...	...	188	6,346	10,324
28. Coimbatore ...	1	...	23	64	387	952
29. Nilgiris ..	2	57	300	...	...	...
30. Salem ...	2	...	101	45	706	487
31. Hosūr ...	...	...	...	18	245	293
32. Canara ...	...	...	...	20	918	514
33. Calicut ...	173	3,478	5,433	50	1,058	3,433
34. Tellicherry ...	...	...	3,802	105	7,684	7,810
Total ...	188	3,910	11,238	3,384	73,572	86,695

71. The results of the year compared with those of the last year show an increase in the number of Salary Schools, attendance and the amount paid, and a decrease in the number of Results Grants Schools, attendance and the amount paid. The increase in the case of the Salary Schools is due to the opening of a larger number of additional schools during the year, while the decrease in the Results Grants Schools is attributable to the following causes :—

1st.—To the introduction of the revised rules for results grants.

2nd.—To the non-submission of the Certifying Memoranda from the Deputy Inspectors of Schools.

3rd.—To fewer schools having been examined for results grants and to a large number of schools selected for examination having been either closed or withdrawn subsequently.

The Board have more than once drawn the attention of the Director of Public Instruction to the great delay in the submission of the Certifying Memoranda by the Deputy Inspectors of Schools, and they hope to see a better state of things for the future.

72. DISPENSARIES.—The maintenance of the Local Fund Dispensaries cost Rs. 1,82,984 against Rs. 1,50,404 in the previous year. The increase is principally caused by the dieting charges in the hospitals of the distressed Circles in consequence of a very great number of the sick poor, who were sent out of the relief-camp hospitals on their abolition, having had to be admitted as in-patients in the hospitals there and to the cost of medicines supplied in 1877-78 having in some cases been paid in this year.

73. The following statement shows the number and names of Dispensaries maintained in each Circle and the number of patients (in and out) treated in them.

Circles.	Dispensaries.	NUMBER OF PATIENTS TREATED DURING THE YEAR.			Remarks.
		In- pati- ents.	Out- patients.	Total.	
		NO.	NO.	NO.	
1. Chatrapur ...	1 Gopálpur ...	15	2,400	2,415	
	2 Ganjam ...	7	2,677	2,684	
	3 Aska ...	5	1,249	1,254	
2. Chicacole ...	1 Kimedi ...	198	5,973	6,171	
	1 Pálkonda ...	167	4,382	4,549	
	2 Srungavarupukota ...	89	3,183	3,272	
	3 Narsapatnam ...	203	2,414	2,617	
	4 Bobbili ...	68	4,782	4,850	
3. Vizagapatam...	5 Párvatipur ...	90	4,184	4,274	
	6 Ellamanchili ...	95	3,085	3,180	
	7 Sálúr ...	30	2,366	2,396	
	8 Chódavaram ...	43	1,756	1,799	
	9 Anakápalle ...	...	...	...	Transferred to Muni- cipality.
4. Cocanada ...	1 Rámachandrapur. ...	...	1,289	1,289	
5. Ellore ...	1 Narsápur ...	...	4,355	4,355	
		...	483	483	Treated by itinerating Hospital Assistants.
		...	860	860	Treated by the Hos- pital Assistant at- tached to the Head Assistant Collector's Office when on circuit.
6. Masulipatam...	1 Bezváda ...	...	6,982	6,982	
	2 Jaggayapet ...	...	3,428	3,428	
	1 Dátchepalle ...	...	5,504	5,504	
7. Guntúr ...	2 Vinukonda ...	...	4,509	4,509	
	3 Chirala ...	...	2,364	2,364	
8. Nellore ...	1 Ongole ...	287	1,942	2,229	
	1 Badvél ...	271	4,849	5,120	
9. Cuddapah ...	2 Proddutur ...	...	6,889	6,889	
	3 Pulivendla ...	...	4,587	4,587	
10. Madanapalle...	1 Madanapalle ...	1,276	11,932	13,208	
	2 Kadiri ...	141	9,024	9,165	
	1 Hospet ...	293	5,075	5,368	
11. Bellary ...	2 Harpanahalli ...	208	2,085	2,293	
12. Penukonda ...	1 Penukonda ...	359	3,736	4,095	
	1 Tádpatri ...	117	8,645	8,762	
13. Gooty ...	2 Alúr ...	...	2,291	2,291	
14. Kurnool ...	1 Nandyál ...	37	9,441	9,478	
	2 Cumbum ...	270	8,127	8,397	
15. Saidápet ...	1 Saidápet ...	...	8,356	8,356	
	2 Sembium ...	...	6,228	6,228	
16. Chingleput ...	1 Chingleput ...	1,039	6,282	7,321	
	2 Madurántakam ...	...	6,578	6,578	
	1 Tirupatti ...	431	7,866	8,297	
	2 Ranipett ...	812	8,771	9,583	
17. Chittoor ...	3 Chittoor ...	1,424	10,630	12,054	
	4 Palmanér ...	450	6,226	6,676	
	5 Lying-in Hospi- tal at Ranipett.	215	...	215	
18. Cuddalore ...	1 Tiruvannámalai...	...	5,450	5,450	
	2 Villupuram ...	163	5,540	5,703	
	3 Tindivanam ...	210	5,845	6,055	
	4 Tirukoilúr ...	168	4,987	5,155	

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		NO.	NO.	NO.	
19. Vriddháchalam.	1 Vriddháchalam ...	195	8,660	8,855	
	1 Vallam ...	...	6,057	6,057	
20. Tanjore ...	2 Patukóta Chat- tram Dispen- saries.	...	5,901	5,901	
	3 Nidámangalam...	385	4,007	4,392	
	4 Oratanad ...	620	3,483	4,103	
	1 Tranquebar ...	313	4,261	4,574	
21. Negapatam ...	2 Do. Branch ...	...	2,397	2,397	
	3 Tiruturaipánda ...	...	6,316	6,316	
	4 Shiyáli ...	...	5,946	5,946	
	5 Tiruválúr ...	...	4,465	4,465	
	6 Vedarniem ...	...	3,488	3,488	
	7 Nannilam ...	...	4,886	4,886	
22. Trichinopoly...	1 Ariyalúr ...	...	3,290	3,290	
	2 Musiri ...	...	4,100	4,100	
	1 Ramnad ...	964	17,556	18,520	
23. Madura ...	2 Pámban ...	156	7,095	7,251	
	3 Paramakudi ...	...	6,665	6,665	
	4 Tirushuli ...	96	5,901	5,997	
	5 Sivaganga ...	144	7,705	7,749	
24. Dindigul ...	1 Palni ...	135	4,857	4,992	
	2 Periyakulam ...	74	6,045	6,119	
	3 Uttamapolliem ...	18	8,408	8,426	
	4 Kodaiknál ...	...	1,843	1,843	
	5 Usilamputty ...	...	2,688	2,688	
25. Tinnevely ...	1 Srivilliputur ...	171	13,578	13,749	
	2 Virudupati ...	470	6,812	7,282	
	3 Sátúr ...	...	1,054	1,054	
	4 Sankaranainárkoil ...	...	606	606	
26. Shermádevi ...	1 Náangunéri ...	193	7,733	7,926	
	2 Edyangudi Aided Dispensary.	78	4,202	4,280	
	1 Polláchi ...	393	8,156	8,549	
	2 Satyamangalam...	35	4,268	4,303	
27. Coimbatore ...	3 Udamalpet ...	75	3,783	3,858	
	4 Dhárápuram ...	10	6,489	6,499	
	5 Bhaváni ...	94	5,371	5,465	
	6 Collegal ...	...	3,004	3,004	
	7 Mettupálaiyam ...	37	3,250	3,287	This dispensary came under the charge of Local Fund Board after the abolition of the Municipality.
28. Nilgiris ...	1 Gádalúr ...	1,718	2,000	3,718	
	1 Yercaud ...	172	3,327	3,499	
	2 Námakal ...	73	3,198	3,271	
29. Salem ...	3 Tirupatúr ...	178	5,264	5,442	
	4 Atúr ...	56	2,627	2,683	
	5 Sankaridrug ...	106	3,958	4,064	
	6 Harur ...	46	1,942	1,988	
30. Hosúr ...	1 Krishnagiri ...	355	5,323	5,678	
	2 Dharmapuri ...	185	4,504	4,689	
	3 Hosúr ...	221	4,890	5,111	
	1 Uppinangadi ...	86	1,782	1,868	
31. Canara ...	2 Udipi ...	47	4,413	4,460	
	3 Kundapur ...	84	4,367	4,451	
	4 Kásaragód ...	73	3,899	3,972	

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				{ Amalápuram.
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				{ Tummerukotta.
Cuddapah do.	...	...	...	{ Krósúr.
Penukonda do.	...	...	...	{ Chitvél.
Vridhdháchalam do.	...	...	...	{ Kalyándrúg.
Tanjore do.	...	...	...	{ Kallakurehi.
				{ Tiruvachi.
Coimbatore do.	...	...	...	{ Female Hospital at Tanjore.
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75. VACCINATION.—The total strength of vaccine staff including the Deputy Inspectors of Vaccination aggregated 586, 35 of these being Deputy Inspectors of Vaccination and 551 Vaccinators. The number of Vaccinators in each Circle and the work turned out by them are given in the following statement :—

68. From the above statement, it will be seen that the attendance in the Higher and Middle Class Schools was 2,895 and the cost was Rs. 39,168, while the fees realized amounted to only Rs. 6,410. The Lower Class Schools were attended by 35, 50 pupils, and the cost amounted to Rs. 1,59,946 with fees aggregating Rs. 14,070. These results do not show any improvement over those of the previous year. The Board having already noticed in their several reviews on the Circle reports the shortcoming in the Local Fund educational operations, they hope to see, with the change in the general administration of Local Funds and increased facilities for extension in this direction, an improvement in the ensuing year. But radical changes are needed in the educational administration to enable Circle Boards to administer their schools and regulate elementary education with economy and system.

69. GRANTS-IN-AID.—During the year under report, Rs. 11,238 were paid as salary grants to 188 schools and Rs. 86,695 as results grants to 3,384 schools, but the latter amount includes Rs. 21,363 paid on account of grants earned in 1877-78, as particularized in the margin. The Board have in their separate reviews on the Circle reports alluded to the pernicious practice of paying results grants in arrears, and it is hoped that this will be put a stop to, as its continuance will only discourage the managers of schools presenting boys for examination if they

are kept out of their dues for some months after their claims are passed. The Presidents should in future clearly distinguish the sums paid on account of results grants which appertain to former years from those which relate to the year under report.

70. The following statement shows the particulars of the number, attendance, and the amounts paid for the Salary and Results Grants Schools in each Circle :—

Circles.	SALARY GRANTS.			RESULTS GRANTS.		
	Number of Schools.	Attend-ance.	Amount paid.	Number of Schools.	Attend-ance.	Amount paid.
	NO.	NO.	RS.	NO.	NO.	RS.
1. Chatrapur ...	...	...	...	60	670	856
2. Chicacole ...	...	...	...	172	2,172	2,150
3. Vizagapatam ...	2	51	308	138	1,630	2,363
4. Cocanada ...	2	43	385	165	3,203	3,861
5. Ellore ...	...	...	...	40	444	1,269
6. Masulipatam ...	1	32	246	110	2,196	2,415
7. Guntúr ...	...	...	...	178	1,867	3,198
8. Nellore ...	...	...	...	371	5,200	2,250
9. Cuddapah ...	...	...	...	43	845	1,377
10. Madanapalle ...	...	...	...	17	354	250
11. Bellary ...	1	20	26	35	630	727
12. Penukonda ...	...	...	...	16	991	703
13. Gooty ...	...	...	...	30	467	539
14. Kurnool ...	...	...	...	15	181	217
15. Saidápet ...	...	...	...	74	1,500	1,458
16. Chingleput ...	3	205	504	71	1,706	2,274
17. Chittoor ...	...	...	...	103	4,122	4,903
18. Vellore ...	...	...	...	77	1,077	3,042
19. Cuddalore ...	...	...	...	98	1,800	1,566
20. Vridhdháchalam ...	...	...	...	59	1,500	1,303
21. Tanjore ...	...	...	...	151	1,705	3,246
22. Negapatam ...	1	24	110	144	2,323	3,759

Schools.

TOTAL COST OF		Rates of Salaries drawn by the Masters.	FEES COLLECTED IN		Rates of Fees.	AVERAGE COST PER PUPIL.		Remarks.
Schools.	Combined System Schools.		Schools.	Combined System Schools.		Schools.	Combined System Schools.	
RS.	RS.		RS.	RS.		RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.	
227	11,582	Rs. 15, 12, 8, 7, and 6.	..	..	As. 8, 4, 2, and 1.	5 13 6	4 15 5	
..	6,451	Rs. 8, 7, 6, 5, and 4.	..	..	As. 4, 3, 2, and 1.	..	3 4 2	
590	..	Rs. 25, 15, and 10 ..	50	..	Do. ..	15 6 10	..	
..	8,621	Rs. 12, 8, and 5 ..	..	1,014	As. 2, 1½, and 1 ..	..	8 14 8	
16,982	7,791	Rs. 15, 12, 10, 8, and 5.	..	..	..	7 11 1	5 6 2	
14,536	8,242	Rs. 15, 12, 10, 8, 7½, 6, 5, and 4.	*240	..	As. 4, 3, and 2 ..	5 6 11	7 8 9	* Rs. 19 were readmission fees.
900	..	Rs. 20, 16, 10½ 6, and 5.	241	..	As. 8, 6, and 2 ..	4 15 4	..	
..	704	Rs. 5 ..	..	70	As. 3, 2, 1½, and 1.	..	5 9 10	
..	828	Rs. 10, 7, 5, and 3 ..	..	57	As. 3, 2, 1½, and 1.	..	1 11 8	
6,832	..	Rs. 40, 30, 25, 20, 15, and 10.	617	..	As. 12, 8, 6, 4, 2, and 1.	6 13 7	..	
5,701	..	Rs. 30, 20, 15, and 10.	516	..	As. 12, 8, and 6 ..	9 2 9	..	
2,600	..	Rs. 20 and 10 ..	32	..	As. 4 and 2 ..	17 0 9	..	
407	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	
2,711	..	Rs. 30, 25, and 15 ..	848	..	..	3 2 11	..	
547	287	Rs. 25, 15, and 7 ..	114	117	As. 8, 6, 4, and 2 in combined system schools.	14 14 10	2 15 6	
..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	
576	..	Rs. 35, 10, and 8 ..	150	..	As. 8, 4, and 1 ..	11 8 2	..	
..	194	Rs. 15 ..	..	..	..	..	13 13 8	
659	..	Rs. 30, 15, and 12 ..	92	..	..	12 1 0	..	
739	..	Rs. 20, 15, and 8 ..	49	..	..	21 9 0	..	
2,760	..	Rs. 40, 25, 20, 15, 10, and 6.	196	..	As. 4, 2, and 1 ..	17 6 5	..	
..	10,310	Rs. 9, 8, 7, 6, 5, and 4.	..	995	As. 2, 1, and ½ ..	..	6 3 6	
1,028	..	Rs. 30, 15, 12, and 10.	443	..	As. 6 and 4 ..	6 3 7	..	
..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	
..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	
1,339	4,034	Rs. 15, 12, 10, 8, 7, 6, and 5.	258	1,068	As. 6, 4, 3, 2, and 1.	7 0 4	3 2 4	Exclusive of contributions from Zemindar and Poligar.
..	5,100	Rs. 10, 8, 7, 6, 5, and 4.	..	1,138	As. 4, 3, 2, and 1.	..	2 9 11	
349	7,258	Rs. 10, 7, 5, 3, and 2.	30	1,285	As. 2 and 1 ..	8 13 9	5 5 6	
2,641	3,064	Rs. 20, 15, 10, 8, and 7.	236	511	As. 1 ..	9 0 9	6 12 0	
2,167	..	Rs. 30, 20, 15, 12, and 10.	..	..	..	10 2 11	..	
336	4,238	Rs. 14, 7, and 5 ..	..	644	As. 4, 3, 2, and 1.	9 7 11	7 8 8	
373	..	Rs. 15 and 10 ..	..	..	..	6 10 6	..	
6,642	5,167	Rs. 15, 10, 8, 7, 6, and 5.	1,452	908	As. 4, 2, 2, and 1.	3 9 9	2 15 5	
..	4,709	Rs. 7, 6, and 5 ..	..	615	As. 4, 3, and 2 ..	..	3 2 6	
..	274	Rs. 7 to 4 ..	..	..	As. 4 and 2 ..	..	2 9 11	
..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	
390	..	Rs. 25 and 6 ..	35	..	As. 4, 2, and 1 ..	12 10 10	..	
..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	
1,178	712	Rs. 22, 20, 15, 8, 7, 6, and 5.	168	1,633	As. 6, 4, 3, 2, and 1.	6 6 11	4 8 8	
..	4,314	Rs. 7, 6, 5, and 4 ..	..	799	As. 5, 3, 2, and 1.	..	5 12 4	
5,139	..	Rs. 34, 19, 14½, and 12.	1,032	..	As. 8, 6, 4, and 2.	4 15 8	..	
..	5,602	Rs. 6 ..	..	1,943	As. 8 to 1 ..	..	2 10 10	
..	8,317	Rs. 30 to 3 ..	..	..	Re. 1 to As. 2 ..	..	1 10 10	
..	6,665	Rs. 30 to 4 ..	..	864	Re. 1 to As. 4 ..	..	1 2 9	
24,186	14,982	..	3,603	2,807	..	11 14 6	12 10 1	
54,164	1,05,782	..	3,203	10,867	..	6 1 7	3 7 2	
78,350	1,20,764	..	6,806	13,674	..	7 1 7	3 11 9	

Local Fund

Circles.	Number of Schools as per Budget.	Provincial and Special Grants.	NUMBER OF SCHOOLS MAINTAINED.					ATTENDANCE OF PUPILS IN	
			On the Salary System.		On the Combined System.		Total.	Salary Schools.	Combined System Schools.
			Old.	New.	Old.	New.			
1. Chatrapur .. { Middle Class	NO.	RS.	NO.	NO.	NO.	NO.	NO.	NO.	NO.
.. { Lower do. ..	96	..	..	1	105	..	106	39	2,332
2. Chicacole .. { Middle do. ..	83	..	..	..	86	..	86	..	1,978
3. Vizagapatam .. { Lower do. ..	40	..	1	..	..	..	1	..	..
4. Cocanada .. { Middle do. ..	..	..	..	..	40	3	43	..	..
.. { Lower do. ..	197	..	106	8	68	24	209	2,208	1,447
5. Ellore .. { Middle do. ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
.. { Lower do. ..	154	..	95	..	56	2	153	2,674	1,091
6. Masulipatam .. { Middle do. ..	..	340	3	..	..	..	3	133	..
.. { Lower do. ..	39	..	..	..	..	5	5	..	113
7. Guntur .. { Middle do. ..	25	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
.. { Lower do. ..	15	3,250	15	..	2	17	19	..	450
8. Nellore .. { Middle do. ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
.. { Lower do. ..	29	..	23	6	..	..	29	1,002	..
9. Cuddapah .. { Middle do. ..	3	1,350	3	..	..	..	3	80	..
.. { Lower do. ..	1	..	1	..	..	..	1	22	..
10. Madanapalle .. { Middle do. ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
.. { Lower do. ..	4	1,280	4	..	..	..	4	183	..
11. Bellary .. { Middle do. ..	5	..	1	..	4	..	5	29	57
.. { Lower do. ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
12. Penukonda .. { Middle do. ..	1	..	1	..	..	..	1	37	..
.. { Lower do. ..	1	..	..	..	1	..	1	..	14
13. Gooty .. { Middle do. ..	1	300	1	..	..	..	1	47	..
.. { Lower do. ..	2	..	2	..	..	..	2	32	..
14. Kurnool .. { Middle do. ..	4	440	4	..	..	..	4	122	..
.. { Lower do. ..	125	..	..	..	107	..	107	..	1,488
15. Saidapet .. { Middle do. ..	1	..	1	..	..	..	1	94	..
.. { Lower do. ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
16. Chingleput .. { Middle do. ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
.. { Lower do. ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
17. Chittoor .. { Do. do. ..	32	..	1	2	30	..	33	154	937
18. Vellore .. { Do. do. ..	65	..	..	..	53	..	53	..	1,546
19. Cuddalore .. { Do. do. ..	44	..	2	..	41	..	43	36	1,117
20. Vriddhachalam. { Do. do. ..	31	810	7	1	18	5	31	266	378
21. Tanjore .. { Middle do. ..	2	..	2	..	..	..	2	203	..
.. { Lower do. ..	16	..	1	..	15	..	16	34	476
22. Negapatam .. { Chatram Schools. Lower Class..	3	..	..	1	..	..	1	56	..
.. { Middle do. ..	42	..	21	..	20	..	41	1,437	889
23. Trichinopoly .. { Do. do. ..	55	..	..	..	38	14	52	..	1,296
24. Madura .. { Do. do. ..	14	..	..	..	8	..	8	..	129
25. Dindigul .. { Do. do. ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
26. Tinnevely .. { Do. do. ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
27. Shermadevi .. { Middle do. ..	1	..	1	..	..	..	1	28	..
28. Coimbatore .. { Lower do. ..	3	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
29. Nilgiris .. { Middle do. ..	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
30. Salem .. { Lower do. ..	63	270	2	1	46	..	49	157	1,206
31. Hosur .. { Lower do. ..	25	..	..	..	24	1	25	..	609
.. { Middle do. ..	5	2,350	5	..	..	..	5	353	..
32. Canara .. { Lower do. ..	65	..	..	..	38	16	54	..	2,092
.. { Middle do. ..	11	4,170	..	..	10	..	10	..	594
33. Calicut .. { Lower do. ..	..	..	..	..	148	74	222	..	5,090
.. { Middle do. ..	8	1,890	..	..	8	..	8	..	370
34. Tellicherry .. { Lower do. ..	70	..	..	..	70	8	78	..	2,969
Total .. { Middle do. ..	58	15,370	41	..	18	..	59	1,931	964
.. { Lower do. ..	1,325	1,080	262	20	1,018	169	1,469	8,146	27,704
Grand Total ..	1,383	16,450	303	20	1,036	169	1,528	10,077	28,668

In Kurnool the system did not work very satisfactorily.

67. The following statement shows in one view the details of the schools. An additional column showing the net average cost of educating each pupil under each system is opened in the statement as directed by Government.

Vide G.O., Financial Department, dated 15th October 1879, No. 1,839.

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| 3. Masulipatam. | 10. Hosūr. |
| 4. Guntūr. | 11. South Canara. |
| 5. Nellore. | 12. Calicut. |
| 6. Chittoor. | 13. Tellicherry. |
| 7. Vriddhachalam. | |

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|-----------------|---------------|
| † 1. Chatrapur. | 5. Cuddalore. |
| 2. Ellore. | 6. Tanjore. |
| 3. Kurnool. | 7. Negapatam. |
| 4. Vellore. | 8. Dindigul. |

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Combined system schools	...	...	...	...	18	1,187
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- (2),—the teachers being ordinarily unpassed men.

					Actuals of the pre- vious year.	Actual Expendi- ture.
PUBLIC WORKS.					RS.	RS.
<i>Civil Buildings.</i>						
New Works	...	...	...	...	66,144	37,939
Repairs	...	...	...	...	31,002	23,067
Total ...					97,146	61,006
<i>Miscellaneous Public Improvements.</i>						
New Works	...	...	...	...	45,505	35,244
Repairs	...	...	...	...	1,70,300	87,349
Total ...					2,15,805	1,22,589

60. The following are the works executed for the outlay shown above:—

Completed.	In Progress.	Repaired.
One dispensary. Five choultries. Six musaferkhanas. Seven travellers' bungalows. Fifteen school buildings. One tank. Three dead-houses. One Overseer's shed. One rest-house. Constructing a stable shed in the compound of the Apothecary's quarters at Palmaner and constructing a contagious disease ward. Adding a room to the dispensary building at Sātūr, masonry stair-case to the dispensary at Porayar, and out-houses to certain travellers' bungalows. Construction of a <i>post-mortem</i> room for the Kásaragód dispensary. Constructing bridge on the road leading to Mudagram school. Improvements to the Subramania chattram. Improvement to certain dispensary sheds. Construction of a jangar experimentally according to improved pattern in Canara. Fixing apparatus to jangar to lift the landing stage. Erecting a kitchen-room for the Parmagudi bungalow. Closing breaches in the Kistnen-colum tank attached to Velliyar chattram.	Three dispensaries. Eleven choultries. Two musaferkhanas. Two travellers' bungalows. Seven wells. Three school buildings. Two rest-houses. Restoration of the 1,000 pillars dome at Upper Tripati. Draining works at Ganjam. Levelling and turfing the Jacobundo tank. Adding verandah to a chattram. Extension of the compartments of do. Flooring the Kásaragód dispensary with pitch composite. Construction of new jangars in Canara. Putting wire fencing around the dispensary at Ramnad. Construction of steps to the tank at Kotalapuru. Constructing parapet walls to the slope at the river landing place at Narsapur. Clearing the side channels of roads in the Hospet cusbah. Excavating a drainage channel in Gudivada range and constructing a tunnel over it. Constructing a culvert over Pamarru village drainage across Pamarru road.	Eight dispensaries. Sixteen choultries. Twenty-six school buildings. Thirty-four travellers' bungalows. Fifteen rest-houses. Twenty-two wells. Repairing stables attached to certain travellers' bungalows. Tarring the wood-work of the dead-house at Párvatipur. Painting doors and windows of the dispensary at Pálconda. Eight bandypettahs. Repairing compound walls of certain choultries. Monsoon repairs to Karakal dispensary. Repairing certain musaferkhanas. Monsoon repairs to certain markets. Repairing the king-rod of Someshwar chattram. Repairing compound walls of certain Bandypettahs. Repairing the floor and white-washing the Velliyar chattram.

61. EDUCATIONAL INSPECTION:—The total cost of the Educational Inspecting establishments amounted to Rs. 67,608, from which if Rs. 3,343, the sum contributed by the several Municipalities be deducted the net cost to Local Funds amounts to Rs. 64,265. The actual expenditure fell short of the estimate by Rs. 8,192, but was larger than the actuals of the previous year by Rs. 2,743. The decrease as compared with the estimate occurs in almost all the Circles except in six and was due to the following causes:

(1),—to the full allotments in the budget not having been utilized owing to vacancies in the staff and to some Inspecting Schoolmasters not having been paid the full salary provided for in the budget, as well as to the non-entertainment of the additional Inspecting Schoolmasters until long after the commencement of the year;

(2),—to the amount of travelling batta provided in the budget not having been drawn to the full extent.

62. There were altogether 143 Inspecting Schoolmasters against 136 in the previous year and the increase is due to the entertainment of additional Inspecting Schoolmasters during the year in the Circles marginally noted.

63. The following statement shows the number of Inspecting Schoolmasters that were at work, the number of villages and schools visited by them, and the number of schools prepared for inspection:—

Circles.	Number of Inspecting School- masters.	Number of Villages visited.	NUMBER OF SCHOOLS VISITED AND PREPARED FOR INSPECTION.				Remarks.
			Salary.	Result.	Other.	Total.	
1. Chatrapur ..	4	277	..	172	107	279	An additional Inspecting Schoolmaster was entertained under G. O., F.D., 11th May 1877, No. 1,462.
2. Chicacole ..	4	47	..	..	781	781	Two additional Inspecting Schoolmasters were entertained under G.O., F.D., 29th May and 3rd August 1878, Nos. 949 and 1,370.
3. Vizagapatam ..	6	1,212	..	954	245	1,199	
4. Cocanada ..	6	1,404	369	585	398	1,352	Two additional Inspecting Schoolmasters were entertained under G.O., F.D., 17th December 1877, No. 2,907.
5. Ellore ..	4	68	..	263	697	960	
6. Masulipatam ..	5	704	..	197	23	220	One of the Inspecting Schoolmasters died in October 1878.
7. Guntūr ..	6	362	..	202	4	206	
8. Nellore ..	6	494	36	346	7	389	One additional Inspecting Schoolmaster was entertained in 1878-79.
9. Cuddapah ..	4	187	..	49	138	187	
10. Madanapalle ..	2	179	..	60	..	60	One additional Inspecting Schoolmaster was entertained in July 1878.
11. Bellary ..	3	88	..	123	..	125	
12. Penukonda ..	4	617	1	55	35	91	One additional Inspecting Schoolmaster was entertained in 1878-79.
13. Gooty ..	5	677	..	104	..	104	
14. Kurnool ..	8	1,415	..	201	86	287	One additional Inspecting Schoolmaster was entertained in July 1878.
15. Saidāpet ..	3	655	..	227	..	227	
16. Chingleput ..	4	274	..	328	..	328	One additional Inspecting Schoolmaster was entertained in July 1878.
17. Chittoor ..	5	1,117	..	282	76	358	
18. Vellore ..	3	202	54	80	67	201	One additional Inspecting Schoolmaster was entertained in July 1878.
19. Cuddalore ..	6	507	..	120	48	168	
20. Vriddhāchalam ..	3	378	32	241	..	273	One additional Inspecting Schoolmaster was entertained in July 1878.
21. Tanjore ..	4	444	6	264	170	440	
22. Negapatam ..	3	350	1	184	153	338	One additional Inspecting Schoolmaster was entertained in July 1878.
23. Trichinopoly ..	5	247	..	67	95	162	
24. Madura ..	6	407	..	337	37	374	One additional Inspecting Schoolmaster was entertained in July 1878.
25. Dindigul ..	3	248	..	238	8	246	
26. Tinnevely ..	2	329	..	433	51	484	One additional Inspecting Schoolmaster was entertained in July 1878.
27. Shermādevi ..	1	99	..	77	1	78	
28. Coimbatore ..	5	481	..	67	422	489	One additional Inspecting Schoolmaster was entertained in July 1878.
29. Nilgiris ..	1	22	3	7	5	15	
30. Salem ..	4	208	2	103	50	155	One additional Inspecting Schoolmaster was entertained in July 1878.
31. Hosūr ..	2	154	..	18	25	43	
32. Canara ..	3	152	76	32	22	130	One additional Inspecting Schoolmaster was entertained in July 1878.
33. Calicut ..	7	1,572	..	110	222	332	
34. Tellicherry ..	6	1,131	..	2,366	..	2,366	
Total ..	143	16,708	580	8,892	3,975	13,447	

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Circles.	Dispensaries.	Choultries.	Water-sheds.	Urani Inams.	Tanks.	Lungerkhanas.	Remarks.
	NO.	NO.	NO.	NO.	NO.	NO.	
Cocanada	..	3	..	..	..	..	
Masulipatam	..	1	..	..	..	..	
Guntúr	..	2	..	..	2	..	
Madanapalle	1	..	..	..	..	..	Madanapalle Dispensary.
Chingleput	1	..	..	..	..	..	Chingleput do.
Chittoor	2	2	..	..	..	..	Tirupati and Ranipet Dispensaries.
Vellore	..	..	..	..	..	1	Arcoet Lungerkhana.
Cuddalore	..	4	..	..	..	..	
Vridhachalam	..	2	..	..	..	..	
Tanjore	..	32	..	..	..	..	
Negapatam	3	8	..	..	..	..	There were 27 Choultries according to last year's return, but 5 more were transferred to the Local Fund Board during the year.
Trichinopoly	..	17	..	..	..	..	Tranquebar, Shiyáli, and Tiruturaipundi Dispensaries. There were 7 Chattrams according to last return, but 1 more was transferred to the Local Fund Board during the year.
Madura	..	5	3	7	..	..	
Dindigul	..	12	7	3	..	..	
Tinnevely	3	14	..	..	..	..	Srivilliputtur, Sátúr, and Sankaranainárkoil. The latter two Dispensaries were opened during the year.
Shermadevi	..	5	1	..	..	..	
Coimbatore	1	52	..	..	..	..	Polláchi Dispensary and Mettupálaiyam Choultry were retransferred to Local Fund Board, the Municipality at that place having been abolished.
Nilgiris	..	13	..	..	..	..	
Hosúr	..	1	..	..	..	..	
Calicut	1	7	..	..	..	..	Ponáni Dispensary. There were 5 Choultries according to last return, but 2 more Chattrams were transferred to Local Fund Board during the year.
Total	12	182	11	10	2	1	
			218				

56. The total number of endowed institutions at the close of the year under review was 218, or 11 more than at its commencement. The increase is explained in the column of remarks of the statement.

57. The following statement shows the receipts and charges of the General Fund compared with the actuals of 1877-78 :—

43. Nearly 61 miles of new village roads were constructed at a cost of Rs. 9,318 against 127 at Rs. 33,261 in the previous year, and 684 miles were repaired at a cost of Rs. 28,198 against 601 miles at Rs. 25,863 in the previous year. The Circles deserving mention for attention to these minor lines are Masulipatam, Cuddalore, Tinnevely, and Coimbatore.

44. The charges on account of establishment were as follow :—

	RS.
Public Works Department Supervision	8,87,491
Petty Establishment	475
Tolls and Ferry Establishment	12,793
Other Establishment	38,117
Total	9,38,876

45. The total cost of Public Works Department Supervision shown above, viz., Rs. 8,87,491, is debited to—

	RS.
Road Fund	8,59,223
General Fund	23,268
Endowment Fund	5,000
Total	8,87,491

46. The sum of Rs. 475 shown above as the cost of Petty Establishment represents the pay and travelling allowance of Local Fund Overseers, &c., of the Salem Circle for February 1879 when they were retransferred to the Revenue Department. The sum of Rs. 38,117 under other establishments includes certain adjustment charges on account of Public Works Establishment communicated by the Examiner of Public Works Accounts under G.O., Public Works Department, dated 6th August 1877, No. 236-W.

47. Rs. 96,147 were debited on account of Tools and Plant as hereunder detailed :—

	RS.
Road Fund	93,819
Endowment Fund	500
General Fund	1,828
Total	96,147

48. The deficits in the 7 Circles with which the transactions of the Road Fund closed in this year have been already explained in paragraph 31 *supra*.

49. ENDOWMENT FUND—*Statement No. 5.*—This fund is made up of the transactions of the endowed charitable institutions, of the Petrus Usan's Charity Fund in the Saidápet Circle and the Surplus Pagoda Fund, the Price Vaccination Fund, and the Toppur Chattram Fund in the Salem District.

50. The following statement shows the receipts and charges of the fund compared with those of 1877-78 :—

Receipts.	ACTUALS.		Expenditure.	ACTUALS.	
	1878-79.	1877-78.		1878-79.	1877-78.
1. Balance	Rs. 1,20,780	Rs. 1,00,272	1. Hospitals.. { Fixed Charges ..	Rs. 14,150	Rs. 18,129
2. Interest	16,845	24,247	{ Contingent Charges..	25,413	31,551
3. Rents, &c.	2,70,617	1,79,064	2. Choultries.. { Fixed Charges ..	42,199	43,123
4. Appropriation from the General Fund..	15,882	37,709	{ Contingent Charges..	2,28,024	1,82,998
5. Contributions, sales of Medicines, &c.	1,02,337	65,097	3. Expenditure on Public Works including cost of Supervision and Tools and Plant ..	33,059	7,919
6. Capital Allotments	1,632	10,466	4. Contribution for Education	2,540	3,154
			5. Sanitary and Miscellaneous	9,912	9,196
	5,28,093	4,16,855			
Deduct appropriation from the General Fund	15,882	37,709	*Deduct ..	3,55,297	2,96,075
				15,882	37,709
			Balance ..	3,39,415	2,58,366
				1,72,796	1,20,780
Total ..	5,12,211	3,79,146	Grand Total ..	5,12,211	3,79,146

51. The fund started with a balance at credit of Rs. 1,20,780 and the receipts of the year, including an appropriation of Rs. 15,882 from the General Fund, amounted to Rs. 4,07,313, making a total of Rs. 5,28,093. The expenditure aggregated Rs. 3,55,297, leaving a balance of Rs. 1,72,796. The transactions of the year resulted in deficit in the Tinnevely Circle in consequence of additional charges on account of the dispensaries at Sátúr and Sankaranainárkoil opened during the year, and the adjustment in the year of the cost of medicines supplied to the Sríviliputtur Dispensary during 1877-78.

52. The actual receipts, including the opening balance and the appropriation from the General Fund, exceeded the estimate of the year and the actuals of the previous year by Rs. 1,69,001 and Rs. 1,33,065, respectively. The increase in both cases was due to—

- (1),—larger opening balance ;
- (2),—larger receipts from rents and produce of lands, especially in the Tanjore Circle, by the prompt collection of arrears of Chattram revenue which were left uncollected in the previous year and the higher prices realized by the sale of the grains which the Chattram lands yielded ;
- (3), enhanced receipts under contributions, sales of medicines, &c., which are of a fluctuating nature.

53. The decrease under interest as compared with the estimate of the year and the actuals of the previous year is due to the interest on Government Promissory Notes in favor of the Kalyanamahal Chattram in the Tanjore Circle not having been drawn to its full extent during the year.

54. The expenditure amounted to Rs. 3,55,297, or Rs. 1,38,767 in excess of the estimate of the year, and Rs. 59,222 over the actuals of the previous year. The increase occurs under contingent charges of Chattrams, and is large in the Tanjore Circle, where charges on account of feeding were far in excess of the previous year owing to the closing of the Government relief houses that existed in the previous year, and also to a number of beggars of this and the neighbouring districts who were found wandering about the district in search of food, having been fed in the Chattrams.

55. Subjoined is a statement showing the endowed charitable institutions which appertain to this fund in each Circle :—

Circles.	Dispensaries.	Choultries.	Water-sheds.	Urani Inams.	Tanks.	Lungerkhana.	Remarks.
	NO.	NO.	NO.	NO.	NO.	NO.	
Cocanada	..	3	..	..	..	..	
Masulipatam	..	1	..	..	..	..	
Guntur	..	12	..	..	..	..	
Madanapalle	1	..	..	..	..	..	Madanapalle Dispensary.
Chingleput	1	2	..	..	..	..	Chingleput do.
Chittoor	2	2	..	..	..	..	Tirupati and Ranipet Dispensaries.
Vellore	..	..	..	..	..	1	Arcot Lungerkhana.
Cuddalore	..	4	..	..	..	..	
Vridhdachalam	..	2	..	..	..	..	
Tanjore	..	32	..	..	..	..	There were 27 Choultries according to last year's return, but 5 more were transferred to the Local Fund Board during the year.
Negapatam	3	8	..	..	..	..	Tranquebar, Shiyali, and Tiruturaipandi Dispensaries. There were 7 Chattrams according to last return, but 1 more was transferred to the Local Fund Board during the year.
Trichinopoly	..	17	..	..	..	..	
Madura	..	5	3	7	..	..	
Dindigul	..	12	7	3	..	..	
Tinnevely	3	14	..	..	..	..	Srivilliputtur, Satar, and Sankaranainarkoil. The latter two Dispensaries were opened during the year.
Shermadevi	..	5	1	..	..	..	
Coimbatore	1	52	..	..	..	..	Pollachi Dispensary and Mettupalaiyam Choultry were retransferred to Local Fund Board, the Municipality at that place having been abolished.
Nilgiris	..	13	..	..	..	..	
Hosur	..	1	..	..	..	..	
Calicut	1	7	..	..	..	..	Ponani Dispensary. There were 5 Choultries according to last return, but 2 more Chattrams were transferred to Local Fund Board during the year.
Total	12	182	11	10	2	1	
			218				

56. The total number of endowed institutions at the close of the year under review was 218, or 11 more than at its commencement. The increase is explained in the column of remarks of the statement.

57. The following statement shows the receipts and charges of the General Fund compared with the actuals of 1877-78 :—

Government in the latter part of the year in order to provide for the adjustment of famine expenditure on roads.

42. The following statement shows the number of miles of village roads newly formed and repaired during the year and the cost incurred on their account. The statement, however, is very defective, no information having been received from no less than 22 Circles. Until a Circle Board has accurate statistics of the roads, district, or village—under its control it will be difficult for it to administer its Road Fund with justice or efficiency. As directed in paragraph 6 of their order* an additional column has been opened in the statement showing the percentage of the outlay on village roads to the total outlay under the Road Fund. The names of the taluks in which the outlay was incurred not being available in this office the information will be obtained and furnished with the Report for 1879-80.

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Masulipatam	..	1	..	..	..	..	
Guntur	..	2	..	..	..	..	
Madanapalle	1	..	..	..	..	..	Madanapalle Dispensary.
Chingleput	1	2	..	..	..	..	Chingleput do.
Chittoor	2	2	..	..	..	..	Tirupati and Ranipet Dispensaries.
Vellore	..	..	..	..	..	1	Arcoi Lungerkhana.
Cuddalore	..	4	..	..	..	..	
Vridhachalam	..	2	..	..	..	..	
Tanjore	..	32	..	..	..	..	
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Madura	..	5	3	7	..	..	
Dindigul	..	12	7	3	..	..	
Tinnevely	3	14	..	..	..	..	Srivilliputtur, Sator, and Sankaranainarkoil. The latter two Dispensaries were opened during the year.
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57. The following statement shows the receipts and charges of the General Fund compared with the actuals of 1877-78 :—

36. The allotments sanctioned from the Road Fund and the expenditure incurred therefrom during the year were as follow :—

Communications.				Allotment.	Expenditure.
				RS.	RS.
New Works	By Public Works Department	..	..	6,47,214	12,27,126
	„ Other Agency	..	..	46,704	28,436
				6,93,918	12,55,562
Repairs	By Public Works Department	..	..	17,76,316	21,09,905
	„ Other Agency	..	..	1,74,700	65,524
				19,51,016	21,75,429
Total	..	..	..	26,44,934	34,30,991

37. It will be seen from these figures that the expenditure was far in excess of the allotment owing principally to the former including the adjustments made on account of famine expenditure debited to Local Funds. In the following statement in which the expenditure on road works (communications) is compared with the allotments sanctioned for them the Board hoped to be able to separate from the figures representing the actual expenditure in the Famine Circles the famine adjustments and refunds of Public Works expenditure, but the Government will have learnt from the marginally noted correspondence that they have not as yet obtained the necessary information called for from the Examiner of Public Works Accounts. It seems to them that it will be some time before it can be settled once for all what portion of the famine outlay is chargeable to Local Funds. They have therefore as usual taken the figures furnished by the Accountant-General :—

Circles.	ALLOTMENT.			EXPENDITURE.			Percentage of Expenditure to Allotment.
	New Works.	Repairs.	Total.	New Works.	Repairs.	Total.	
	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	
1. Chatrapur .. { By P. W. D. ..	19,840	45,186	65,026	25,291	66,417	91,708	141.03
.. { „ Other Agency. ..	..	1,550	1,550	..	1,534	1,534	98.96
2. Chicacole .. { „ P. W. D. ..	11,468	25,786	37,254	11,110	53,559	64,669	173.68
.. { „ Other Agency. ..	1,500	14,670	16,170	..	..	..	..
3. Vizagapatam .. { „ P. W. D. ..	53,038	69,108	1,22,146	21,933	54,652	76,585	62.69
.. { „ Other Agency. ..	16,380	17,071	33,451	1,510	9,921	11,431	84.17
4. Cocanada .. { „ P. W. D. ..	61,659	48,562	1,10,221	38,032	35,305	73,337	66.53
.. { „ Other Agency. ..	5,000	..	5,000	1,350	..	1,350	27.00
5. Ellore .. { „ P. W. D. ..	71,031	22,130	93,161	46,754	21,825	68,579	73.61
.. { „ Other Agency. ..	6,045	..	6,045	500	..	500	8.27
6. Masulipatam .. { „ P. W. D. ..	63,459	44,784	1,08,243	18,954	31,997	50,951	47.07
.. { „ Other Agency. ..	2,820	..	2,820	980	291	1,271	45.07
7. Guntur .. { „ P. W. D. ..	23,857	36,270	70,127	17,438	30,905	48,343	68.93
.. { „ Other Agency. ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
8. Nellore .. { „ P. W. D. ..	61,037	92,465	1,53,502	35,780	79,945	1,15,725	75.38
.. { „ Other Agency. ..	167	..	167	21	..	21	12.57
9. Cuddapah .. { „ P. W. D. ..	8,235	63,690	71,925	10,777	55,709	66,486	92.43
.. { „ Other Agency. ..	3,080	..	3,080	8,265	..	8,265	268.14
10. Madanapalle .. { „ P. W. D. ..	1,118	35,660	36,778	1,639	19,861	21,500	58.45
.. { „ Other Agency. ..	..	560	560	..	..	..	..
11. Bellary .. { „ P. W. D. ..	8,857	41,320	50,177	31,746	20,770	52,516	104.66
.. { „ Other Agency. ..	..	57	57	28	151	179	314.03
12. Penukonda .. { „ P. W. D. ..	3,500	7,620	11,120	1,631	6,286	7,917	71.19
.. { „ Other Agency. ..	..	3,630	3,630	..	596	596	16.31
13. Gooty .. { „ P. W. D. ..	8,315	47,340	55,655	20,034	56,476	76,510	137.47
.. { „ Other Agency. ..	..	100	100	..	..	..	..
14. Kurnool .. { „ P. W. D. ..	2,500	42,800	45,300	9,043	63,331	72,374	159.76
.. { „ Other Agency. ..	..	4,901	4,901	..	..	..	..
15. Saidapet .. { „ P. W. D. ..	25,935	61,050	86,985	8,833	53,142	61,975	71.07
.. { „ Other Agency. ..	15	300	315	15	343	358	113.65

Circles.	ALLOTMENT.			EXPENDITURE.			Percentage of Expenditure to Allotment.
	New Works.	Repairs.	Total.	New Works.	Repairs.	Total.	
16. Chingleput ..	Rs. 1,442	Rs. 31,670	Rs. 33,112	Rs. 4,925	Rs. 45,449	Rs. 50,374	152.13
17. Chittoor ..	990	110	1,100	697	523	1,220	110.90
18. Vellore ..	549	75,501	76,050	29,555	57,592	87,147	114.58
19. Cuddalore ..	983	4,320	5,303	2,306	5,628	7,934	149.69
20. Vriddhachalam ..	90	36,370	36,460	11,104	38,127	49,231	135.32
21. Tanjore ..	800	1,005	1,805	1,562	682	2,244	124.21
22. Negapatam ..	2,280	68,804	71,084	5,199	56,007	61,206	86.13
23. Trichinopoly ..	269	200	469	31	200	231	49.25
24. Madura ..	15,335	39,586	54,921	13,881	56,864	70,745	128.81
25. Dindigul ..	17,856	62,303	80,159	5,079	62,745	67,824	84.61
26. Tinnevely ..	1,308	8,000	9,308	150	150	300	3.23
27. Shermadevi ..	63,962	57,958	1,21,920	19,202	65,532	84,734	69.49
28. Coimbatore ..	5,050	5,765	10,815	2,184	1,831	4,015	37.12
29. Nilgiris ..	16,090	82,670	98,760	4,843	92,420	97,263	98.45
30. Salem ..	341	634	975	2,160	511	2,671	273.94
31. Hosur ..	7,524	80,292	87,816	10,693	80,187	90,880	103.48
32. Canara ..	880	880	1,760	3,000	678	3,678	417.95
33. Calicut ..	14,388	43,362	57,750	12,145	41,511	53,656	92.91
34. Tellicherry ..	1,470	1,470	2,940	130	130	260	8.84
Total ..	4,028	68,291	72,319	3,494	65,487	68,981	95.38
By P. W. D. ..	514	22,005	22,519	295	16,208	16,503	73.28
Other Agency ..	250	39,410	39,660	42	52,224	52,266	131.78
By P. W. D. ..	100	300	400	100	300	400	100.00
Other Agency ..	90,730	90,730	1,81,460	2,87,159	4,29,170	7,16,329	473.01
By P. W. D. ..	307	28,060	28,367	544	9,991	10,535	37.13
Other Agency ..	41,684	41,684	83,368	6,021	27,315	33,336	79.97
By P. W. D. ..	90	90	180	3,156	50,031	53,187	299.603
Other Agency ..	97	49,590	49,687	2,131	6,818	8,949	18.01
By P. W. D. ..	348	28,360	28,708	349	29,103	29,452	103.85
Other Agency ..	48,620	58,662	1,07,282	39,367	70,724	1,10,091	102.61
By P. W. D. ..	590	1,885	2,475	217	3,205	3,422	173.26
Other Agency ..	9,380	1,08,671	1,18,051	8,902	1,84,853	1,93,755	164.12
By P. W. D. ..	6,741	6,741	13,482	40	5,267	5,307	78.72
Other Agency ..	11,571	52,846	64,417	6,08,363	96,395	7,04,758	1094.05
By P. W. D. ..	1,280	1,280	2,560	350	716	1,066	83.28
Other Agency ..	6,47,214	17,76,316	24,23,530	12,27,126	21,09,905	33,37,031	137.69
Total ..	46,704	1,74,700	2,21,404	28,436	65,524	93,960	42.43
Grand Total ..	6,93,918	19,51,016	26,44,934	12,55,562	21,75,429	34,30,991	129.53

38. Leaving therefore out of consideration the excess expenditure over allotments in the Famine Circles that noticeable in the non-famine Circles noted in the margin was due to the recent changes in the Public Works Divisions by which nominal entries were made on both sides of the accounts simply for the purposes of adjustment.

39. *Statement No. 4.*—In this statement all the important new road works on which expenditure was incurred during the year and the progress made in the case of each work are shown; but it must, however, be remarked that it does not contain the works undertaken from Famine Funds as the famine adjustments were not completed at the close of the year.

40. The subjoined statement shows that there were 18,674 miles of road existing in the 34 Circles, of which 13,520 were maintained, 268 completed, and 616 in progress.

Chatrapur.	Calicut.
Chicacole.	Tellicherry.
Canara.	

Circles.	NUMBER OF MILES OF ROADS.			
	Existing.	Maintained.	Completed.	In Progress.
1. Chatrapur ..	374	345	...	18
2. Chicacole ..	312	307	2	13
3. Vizagapatam ..	698	394	30	66
4. Cocanada ..	373	373	14	34
5. Ellore ..	330	258	11	13
6. Masulipatam ..	349	316	8	7
7. Guntur ..	477	327	2	94
8. Nellore ..	934	613	40	23
9. Cuddapah ..	215	215	...	...
10. Madanapalle ..	434	414	...	...
11. Bellary ..	297	297	...	...
12. Penukonda ..	654	264	...	...
13. Gooty ..	427	309	...	9
14. Kurnool ..	528	307	...	8
15. Saidapet ..	334	314	11	33
16. Chingleput ..	336	336	7	...
17. Chittur ..	820	797	118	156
18. Vellore ..	253	249	...	...
19. Cuddalore ..	767	714	...	...
20. Vriddhachalam ..	383	383	...	...
21. Tanjore ..	823	683	...	...
22. Negapatam ..	568	496	...	...
23. Trichinopoly ..	538	519	5	15
24. Madura ..	576	484	...	37
25. Dindigul ..	518	508	17	17
26. Tinnevely ..	678	641	3	...
27. Shermadevi ..	266	266	...	...
28. Coimbatore ..	1,389	230	...	...
29. Nilgiris ..	293	205	...	...
30. Salem ..	1,094	...	...	...
31. Hosur ..	434	...	...	...
32. Canara ..	831	809	...	8
33. Calicut ..	843	785	...	54
34. Tellicherry ..	530	362	...	11
Total ...	18,674	13,520	268	616

41. Compared with the statistics of the previous year there is an increase in the total mileage of roads in existence and the number maintained and a decrease in the number completed and that in progress during the year. The Board, however, are not satisfied with the correctness of these returns, and would impress upon Presidents the importance of securing exact figures. A column should be opened showing the actual cost and maintenance of each line and the average for the Circle. In the reports of 20 Circles only opinions are expressed regarding the general state of the communications. In eight of these the roads are stated to have been kept in generally good or fair order. In the Chatrapur, Vizagapatam, Kurnool, and Tinnevely Circles the condition of the roads was reported to have been very bad in consequence of the damages done to them by floods and heavy rains. In the Saidapet Circle the condition of the roads was stated to be in very bad order due to lax and ineffective supervision by the Public Works Department. In the Coimbatore, Salem, and Hosur Circles the unsatisfactory condition of the roads is ascribed to the Public Works officers having in the early part of the year been employed almost exclusively on famine works and to the restrictive orders of

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| 1. Chicacole. | 5. Chittoor. |
| 2. Cocanada. | 6. Tanjore. |
| 3. Madanapalle. | 7. Negapatam. |
| 4. Chingleput. | 8. Tellicherry. |

Government in the latter part of the year in order to provide for the adjustment of famine expenditure on roads.

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or efficiency. As directed in paragraph 6 of their order* an additional column has been opened in the statement showing the percentage of the outlay on village roads to the total outlay under the Road Fund.

The names of the taluks in which the outlay was incurred not being available in this office the information will be obtained and furnished with the Report for 1879-80.

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(3.) The actual expenditure having exceeded the estimate.

Circles.	OPENING BALANCE.		RECEIPTS.		TOTAL.		Estimated expenditure including reserves.	Allotment.	Actual Expenditure.	Estimated closing Balances.	Deficit.
	Estimate.	Actuals.	Estimate.	Actuals.	Estimate.	Actuals.					
	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.
1. Nellore ..	17,240	—1,14,992	2,30,170	2,89,489	2,47,410	1,74,497	2,39,370	2,74,767	2,06,747	8,010	32,250
2. Bellary ..	2,500	—16,290	1,00,720	1,03,082	98,220	86,792	97,220	91,928	98,460	1,000	11,668
3. Gooty ..	2,840	—39,318	1,07,160	1,22,812	1,10,000	83,494	1,02,060	1,00,066	1,23,165	7,940	39,671
4. Kurnool ..	—12,320	—74,871	1,40,930	1,82,686	1,28,610	1,07,815	1,24,909	1,18,355	1,35,386	3,710	27,571
5. Chittoor ..	—49,280	—67,662	2,61,650	3,01,800	2,12,370	2,31,138	1,97,810	1,91,419	2,57,791	14,560	23,653

32. The causes which led to the large deficits at the beginning of the year have been fully explained in paragraph 35 of the Board's General Local Fund Report for 1877-78. Although the actual receipts were far in excess of the estimated receipts yet the adjustment of famine expenditure to the debit of Local Funds in the year, coupled with the unfavorable opening balances, resulted in deficit in the Circles.

33. ROAD FUND—Statement No. 3.—The followings statement shows the receipts and charges of the Road Fund compared with the actuals of the previous year:—

Receipts.	ACTUALS OF		Expenditure.	ACTUALS OF	
	1878-79.	1877-78.		1878-79.	1877-78.
	RS.	RS.		RS.	RS.
Balance ..	1,21,683	—1,89,779	New Works .. { By P. W. D. ..	12,27,126	7,62,428
Road-cess ..	790	228	{ " O. A. ..	28,436	3,55,535
Two-thirds Land-cess ..	26,45,558	19,47,356	Repairs .. { " P. W. D. ..	21,09,905	17,34,081
Additional Appropriation ..	..	78,034	{ " O. A. ..	65,524	2,43,933
Provincial Funds ..	2,17,017	1,18,230	Share of cost of General Establishment chargeable to Road Fund ..	8,59,223	6,23,742
Special Funds ..	2,08,211	2,03,559	Petty Establishment ..	475	4,563
Tolls ..	3,50,449	2,95,676	Share of cost of General Management chargeable to Road Fund ..	40,530	41,696
Contribution from Municipalities ..	11,140	1,403	Tolls and Ferries ..	12,793	8,285
Miscellaneous ..	19,92,347	16,49,305	Other Establishments ..	38,117	404
Do. Debt Account ..	98,005	44,795	Tools and Plant ..	93,819	1,39,645
			Contingencies ..	1,262	64
			Contribution to Municipalities ..	8,470	26,355
			Other contribution ..	3,287	3,567
			Miscellaneous ..	20,043	47,704
			Do. Debt Account ..	37,761	35,122
			Total ..	45,46,771	40,27,124
			Balance ..	10,98,459	1,21,683
Total ..	56,45,230	41,48,807	Grand Total ..	56,45,230	41,48,807

34. The total assets of the fund amounted to Rs. 56,45,230 and the expenditure to Rs. 45,46,771, leaving a balance of Rs. 10,98,459 at the close of the year. A sum of Rs. 10,135 was sanctioned by transfer from the General Fund for the purposes of the Road Fund in the Vriddhachalam and Trichinopoly Circles, but no transfer has been effected simply because there was no occasion for so doing.

35. The Municipal contributions are—

	RS.
From the Vellore Municipality for the restoration of the Pálár bridge ..	4,625
From Pálghat Municipality for roads ..	6,515
Total ..	11,140

(3.) The actual expenditure having exceeded the estimate.

Circles.	OPENING BALANCE.		RECEIPTS.		TOTAL.		Estimated expenditure including Reserves.	Allotment.	Actual Expenditure.	Estimated closing Balances.	Deficit.
	Estimate.	Actuals.	Estimate.	Actuals.	Estimate.	Actuals.					
	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.
1. Nellore ..	17,240	1,14,992	2,30,170	2,89,489	2,47,410	1,74,497	2,39,370	2,74,767	2,06,747	8,010	32,250
2. Bellary ..	2,500	16,290	1,00,720	1,03,082	98,220	86,792	97,220	91,928	98,460	1,000	11,668
3. Gooty ..	2,840	39,318	1,07,160	1,22,812	1,10,000	83,494	1,02,060	1,00,066	1,23,165	7,940	39,671
4. Kurnool ..	12,320	74,871	1,40,930	1,82,686	1,28,610	1,07,815	1,24,900	1,18,355	1,35,386	3,710	27,571
5. Chittoor ..	49,280	67,662	2,61,650	3,01,800	2,12,370	2,34,138	1,97,810	1,91,419	2,57,791	14,560	23,653

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	1878-79.	1877-78.		1878-79.	1877-78.
	RS.	RS.		RS.	RS.
Balance ..	1,21,683	1,89,779	New Works .. { By P. W. D. ..	12,27,126	7,62,428
Road-cess ..	790	228	{ " O. A. ..	28,436	3,55,535
Two-thirds Land-cess ..	26,45,558	19,47,356	Repairs .. { " P. W. D. ..	21,09,905	17,34,081
Additional Appropriation ..	78,034	78,034	{ " O. A. ..	65,524	2,43,933
Provincial Funds ..	2,17,017	1,18,230	Share of cost of General Establish- ment chargeable to Road Fund ..	8,59,223	6,23,742
Special Funds ..	2,08,211	2,03,559	Petty Establishment ..	475	4,563
Tolls ..	3,50,449	2,95,676	Share of cost of General Management chargeable to Road Fund ..	40,530	41,696
Contribution from Municipalities ..	11,140	1,403	Tolls and Ferries ..	12,793	8,285
Miscellaneous ..	19,92,347	16,49,305	Other Establishments ..	38,117	404
Do. Debt Account ..	98,005	44,795	Tools and Plant ..	93,819	1,39,645
			Contingencies ..	1,262	64
			Contribution to Municipalities ..	8,470	26,355
			Other contribution ..	3,287	3,567
			Miscellaneous ..	20,043	47,704
			Do. Debt Account ..	37,761	35,122
			Total ..	45,46,771	40,27,124
			Balance ..	10,98,459	1,21,683
Total ..	56,45,230	41,48,807	Grand Total ..	56,45,230	41,48,807

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	RS.
From the Vellore Municipality for the restoration of the Palar bridge ..	4,625
From Palghat Municipality for roads ..	6,515
Total ..	11,140

Circles.	TOLLS.			Remarks.
	Old.	New.	Total.	
	NO.	NO.	NO.	
Chatrapur ..	...	11	11	Eleven toll-gates were newly established in November 1878 under G.O., Financial Department, dated 23rd August 1878, No. 1,508.
Vizagapatam ..	1	...	1	
Masulipatam ..	4	...	4	There were 7 toll-gates in this circle according to last year's return, of which 3 were abolished in 1877-78.
Nellore ..	3	...	3	
Kurnool ..	1	...	1	
Saidápet ..	2	...	3	
Chingleput ..	2	...	2	
Vriddhachalam ..	...	7	7	These toll-gates were established under G.O., Financial Department, dated 27th March 1878, No. 586.
Trichinopoly ..	10	...	10	
Dindigul ..	1	...	1	
Tinnevely ..	1	...	1	
Coimbatore ..	4	2	6	Two new toll-gates were opened on the Bhavani bridge at Mettapolliem and on the Noyel bridge at Tirupur—G.Os., Financial Department, dated 14th August 1877, and 31st May 1878, Nos. 2,018 and 974.
Nilgiris ..	13	...	13	
Salem... ..	5	...	5	
Hósúr ..	5	...	5	
Canara ..	10	...	10	
Calicut ..	*17	6	23	Six new toll-gates were opened from 1st October 1878 under G.O., Financial Department, dated 19th August 1878, No. 1,470.
Tellicherry ..	15	...	15	One new toll-gate at Kalliarmulukaduvu bridge was opened in 1877-78 but which was omitted from the return of the year.
Total ...	95	26	121	

* There were 18 toll-gates in this circle according to last year's return, of which one at Karkur ghat was given up in 1878-79.

20. There were in all 121 toll-gates under the direct control of the Local Fund Boards, of which 26 were newly opened during the year. The unequal distribution of tolls in the Presidency deserves notice.

21. SCHOOL FEES.—The amount realized from this source was Rs. 20,480 or Rs. 970 less than the estimate and Rs. 168 more than the actuals of the previous year. The decrease is attributed to the non-opening of the schools budgeted for, to the opening of some of them late in the year, to the falling off in the number attending the schools, and to the irregularity of payment of the fees into the Treasury by the Local Fund Schoolmasters.

22. CONTRIBUTIONS FROM MUNICIPALITIES.—Rs. 15,407 were received from the several Municipalities during the year for the undermentioned purposes:—

	RS.
Roads ..	11,140
Educational Inspection ..	3,343
Dispensaries ..	650
Vaccination ..	274
Total ...	15,407

(3.) The actual expenditure having exceeded the estimate.

Circles.	OPENING BALANCE.		RECEIPTS.		TOTAL.		Estimated expenditure including Reserves.	Allotment.	Actual Expenditure.	Estimated closing Balances.	Deficit.
	Estimate.	Actuals.	Estimate.	Actuals.	Estimate.	Actuals.					
	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.
1. Nellore ..	17,240	1,14,992	2,30,170	2,89,489	2,47,410	1,74,497	2,39,370	2,74,767	2,06,747	8,010	32,250
2. Bellary ..	2,500	16,290	1,00,720	1,03,082	98,220	86,792	97,220	91,928	98,460	1,000	11,668
3. Gooty ..	2,840	39,318	1,07,160	1,22,812	1,10,000	83,494	1,02,060	1,00,066	1,23,165	7,940	39,671
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Out of the total demand (both arrears and current) of Rs. 60,03,770, Rs. 39,68,381 or 66.09 per cent. was collected, leaving a balance of Rs. 20,34,486 uncollected at the close of the year exclusive of a sum of Rs. 903 remitted as irrecoverable. The total arrear demand for the year amounted to Rs. 24,80,898, out of which

Rs. 18,65,391 or 75.19 per cent. was collected. Rs. 21,02,990 or 59.69 per cent. was realized out of the total current demand of Rs. 35,22,872. Compared with the previous year, the collections show an increase due to the prompt realization of the arrears as well as of the current dues. The Board are glad to find that a larger share of the collections is credited to the arrears, and they hope that Collectors will see that the arrears of land-cess are speedily realized and that the current collections are punctually credited within the year when received. A sum of Rs. 7,809 has been credited in the accounts of the Madura Circle for the year towards the adjustment of the over-credit to land revenue at the expense of land cess with reference to the instructions conveyed in Board's Proceedings, dated 19th December 1878, No. 3,421, a copy of which was furnished* to Govern-

* With Board's review of the Madura Local Fund Report for 1878-79, dated 19th June 1879, No. 1,766.

† In Board's Proceedings, dated 14th October 1879, No. 2,923, paragraph 2.

ment. As already stated by the Board,† the particulars of years to which the balance of land cess remaining uncollected at the close of the year refer will be furnished with the report for 1879-80.

19. TOLLS.—The amount realized from tolls aggregated Rs. 3,50,449 against an estimate of Rs. 4,01,570 and Rs. 2,95,676 the actuals of the previous year. Of the total sum credited, viz., Rs. 3,50,449, Rs. 2,91,159 were derived from tolls under the immediate management of the several Local Fund Boards and the remainder, Rs. 59,290, was the Local Fund share of tolls collected by Municipalities. The receipts compared with the estimate show a net decrease of Rs. 51,121 which resulted from a gross increase of Rs. 48,928 in 17 circles and a gross decrease of Rs. 1,00,049 in 15 circles. The increase was due to the payment by the Bellary and Salem Municipalities of the Local Fund share of tolls for the years 1877-78 and 1878-79, to larger sums paid by certain Municipalities than had been anticipated, to increased bids at auctions, and to the establishment of new toll-gates in some circles, the details of which will be given further on. The decrease was owing to the following causes:

- (1),—to the over-estimate of the toll collections in some circles more especially in Chatrapur, where it is stated that this was attributable to some extent to the unsuitability of the sites selected for toll-gates and to the evasion of tolls by carts making a circuit round the gates. It is reported that the matter is under the consideration of the Local Fund Board;
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- (3),—to the contributions from certain Municipalities on account of the Local Fund share of tolls collected by them not having been paid in full in the year;
- (4),—to the diversion of traffic by the extension of the Buckingham Canal and to the long continuance of the freshes in the Pennair river in the Nellore Circle;
- (5),—to a faulty estimate of income in the Vriddhachalam Circle under the erroneous impression that the same tickets would not serve for any number of gates passed within twenty-four hours.

19. Subjoined is a statement showing the number of toll-gates which existed at the commencement of the year and the new tolls established during the year.

(3.) The actual expenditure having exceeded the estimate.

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	Estimate.	Actuals.	Estimate.	Actuals.	Estimate.	Actuals.					
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No. 1.—Statement of Actual Receipts of Local Funds during 1878-79.

Circles.	BALANCES.										ALLOTMENT FROM GENERAL REVENUE.					
	BALANCES.			PROVINCIAL FUNDS.			SPECIAL FUNDS.									
	Road Fund.	Endowment Fund.	General Fund.	Total.	Grant for Roads.	Grant for Schools.	Grant for General Purposes.	Total.	Surplus Fund.	Ferry Rents.	Avenues.	Fish Rents.	Grass Rents.	Miscellaneous.	Total.	
1. Chattrapur ..	Rs. 30,266	..	..	Rs. 30,266	..	..	..	Rs. 30,266	..	..	..	..	..	..	Rs. 30,266	..
2. Chinnole ..	7,529	..	..	7,529	..	..	..	7,529	..	..	..	..	..	..	7,529	..
3. Viargapatam ..	46,229	..	..	46,229	..	..	..	46,229	..	..	..	..	..	..	46,229	..
4. Coimbatore ..	78,135	10,175	..	88,310	..	..	..	88,310	..	..	..	..	..	..	88,310	..
5. Ellore ..	35,662	..	..	35,662	..	..	..	35,662	..	..	..	..	..	..	35,662	..
6. Masulipatam ..	90,694	524	..	91,218	..	..	..	91,218	..	..	..	..	..	..	91,218	..
7. Guntur ..	8,517	703	..	9,220	..	..	..	9,220	..	..	..	..	..	..	9,220	..
8. Nellore ..	93,134	..	..	93,134	..	..	..	93,134	..	..	..	..	..	..	93,134	..
9. Cuddapah ..	9,694	..	..	9,694	..	..	..	9,694	..	..	..	..	..	..	9,694	..
10. Madanapalle ..	9,639	..	..	9,639	..	..	..	9,639	..	..	..	..	..	..	9,639	..
11. Bellary ..	8,477	..	..	8,477	..	..	..	8,477	..	..	..	..	..	..	8,477	..
12. Penakonda ..	2,838	..	..	2,838	..	..	..	2,838	..	..	..	..	..	..	2,838	..
13. Gooty ..	26,636	..	..	26,636	..	..	..	26,636	..	..	..	..	..	..	26,636	..
14. Kurnool ..	71,263	..	..	71,263	..	..	..	71,263	..	..	..	..	..	..	71,263	..
15. Suddipet ..	42,666	..	..	42,666	..	..	..	42,666	..	..	..	..	..	..	42,666	..
16. Chingelput ..	25,902	..	..	25,902	..	..	..	25,902	..	..	..	..	..	..	25,902	..
17. Chittoor ..	33,143	..	..	33,143	..	..	..	33,143	..	..	..	..	..	..	33,143	..
18. Vellore ..	15,799	..	..	15,799	..	..	..	15,799	..	..	..	..	..	..	15,799	..
19. Cuddalore ..	35,292	..	..	35,292	..	..	..	35,292	..	..	..	..	..	..	35,292	..
20. Vriddhachalam ..	25,145	..	..	25,145	..	..	..	25,145	..	..	..	..	..	..	25,145	..
21. Tanjore ..	16,576	..	..	16,576	..	..	..	16,576	..	..	..	..	..	..	16,576	..
22. Negapatam ..	1,07,935	..	..	1,07,935	..	..	..	1,07,935	..	..	..	..	..	..	1,07,935	..
23. Trichinopoly ..	16,520	..	..	16,520	..	..	..	16,520	..	..	..	..	..	..	16,520	..
24. Madurai ..	67,999	..	..	67,999	..	..	..	67,999	..	..	..	..	..	..	67,999	..
25. Dindigul ..	30,973	..	..	30,973	..	..	..	30,973	..	..	..	..	..	..	30,973	..
26. Tirunelveli ..	31,713	..	..	31,713	..	..	..	31,713	..	..	..	..	..	..	31,713	..
27. Shornadevi ..	31,924	..	..	31,924	..	..	..	31,924	..	..	..	..	..	..	31,924	..
28. Coimbatore ..	40,268	..	..	40,268	..	..	..	40,268	..	..	..	..	..	..	40,268	..
29. Nilgiris ..	30,903	..	..	30,903	..	..	..	30,903	..	..	..	..	..	..	30,903	..
30. Salem ..	22,087	..	..	22,087	..	..	..	22,087	..	..	..	..	..	..	22,087	..
31. Hosur ..	1,285	..	..	1,285	..	..	..	1,285	..	..	..	..	..	..	1,285	..
32. Canara ..	33,580	..	..	33,580	..	..	..	33,580	..	..	..	..	..	..	33,580	..
33. Calicut ..	8,418	..	..	8,418	..	..	..	8,418	..	..	..	..	..	..	8,418	..
34. Tellicherry ..	14,765	..	..	14,765	..	..	..	14,765	..	..	..	..	..	..	14,765	..
Total ..	1,21,683	1,20,780	3,40,074	5,82,537	70,000	16,450	14,510	1,00,960	57,414	1,09,126	38,555	85,924	147	4,629	2,95,895	

Statement of Actual Receipts of Local Funds during 1878-79—(Continued).

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No. 2.—Statement of Actual Expenditure from Local Funds in 1878-79.

Circles.	New Works.										Repairs.				
	Communications.					Civil Buildings.					Tolls and Ferries.				
	Public Improvements.					Communications.					Civil Buildings.				
	By P.W.D.	By Other Agency.	By P.W.D.	By Other Agency.	By P.W.D.	By Other Agency.	By P.W.D.	By Other Agency.	By P.W.D.	By Other Agency.	By P.W.D.	By Other Agency.	By P.W.D.	By Other Agency.	By Other Agency.
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1. Chattrapur ..	24,434	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
2. Chitavale ..	11,110	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
3. Vizagapatam ..	21,933	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
4. Cocanada ..	38,032	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
5. Ellore ..	46,754	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
6. Masulipatam ..	18,954	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
7. Guntur ..	17,438	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
8. Nellore ..	35,780	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
9. Cuddapah ..	10,777	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
10. Madanapalle ..	1,639	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
11. Bellary ..	31,746	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
12. Pennkonda ..	1,631	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
13. Gooty ..	20,034	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
14. Kurnool ..	9,043	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
15. Saidupe ..	8,533	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
16. Chingleput ..	4,925	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
17. Chittoor ..	29,555	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
18. Vellore ..	11,104	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
19. Cuddalore ..	5,199	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
20. Vriddhachalam ..	13,881	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
21. Tanjore ..	5,079	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
22. Negapatam ..	19,202	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
23. Trichinopoly ..	4,843	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
24. Madura ..	10,593	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
25. Dindigul ..	12,145	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
26. Tirunelveli ..	3,494	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
27. Shornadivi ..	42	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
28. Coimbatore ..	1,42,011	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
29. Nilgiris ..	6,021	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
30. Salem ..	3,156	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
31. Hosur ..	39,367	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
32. Canara ..	8,902	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
33. Calicut ..	6,08,363	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
34. Tellicherry ..	12,26,169	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Total ..	27,467	957	46,187	25,332	21,08,780	64,988	1,125	12,457	13,169	68	332	2,223	2,436	340	

Statement of Actual Expenditure from Local Funds in 1878-79—(Continued).

GRANT I—(Continued).														
Circles.	Repairs—(Continued).		Public Works Department Expenditure.	Public Works Department General Establishment.	Public Works Department Petty Establishment.	Tolls and Ferries.	Other Establishment.	Tools and Plant.	Contingencies.	Contributions to other Circles or Municipalities for Public Works.			Miscellaneous.	Total Grant I.
	By P.W.D.	By Other Agency.								From Circles to Circles.	From Circles to Municipalities.	To Other.		
16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	
1. Chattrapur ..	RS. 24	RS. ..	RS. 92,811	RS. 23,203	RS. ..	RS. 1,017	RS. ..	RS. 2,320	RS. 384	RS. 525	RS. ..	RS. ..	RS. 1,21,882	
2. Chitavale ..	2,044	..	70,142	17,535	..	..	..	2,143	..	..	..	..	89,820	
3. Vizagapatam ..	8,986	..	80,455	20,106	..	..	..	3,846	..	1,000	..	2	1,17,432	
4. Cocanada ..	9,711	..	90,065	22,516	..	..	..	2,252	..	..	..	76	1,16,259	
5. Ellore ..	4,366	..	81,119	20,279	..	..	..	2,028	..	..	..	28	1,04,123	
6. Masulipatam ..	6,788	..	56,353	14,088	..	2,884	..	1,439	..	..	..	3	76,046	
7. Guntur ..	142	20	55,991	13,988	..	..	..	1,400	..	..	..	15	72,014	
8. Nellore ..	..	1,402	1,21,228	30,705	..	2,376	..	3,079	..	..	..	95	1,57,537	
9. Cuddapah ..	..	1,060	66,977	16,744	..	..	..	1,674	..	..	..	473	95,585	
10. Madanapalle ..	..	33	2,762	5,441	..	..	..	548	..	..	..	96	28,907	
11. Bellary ..	2,866	..	55,878	20,140	..	..	..	2,014	..	4,707	..	15	78,443	
12. Pennkonda ..	52	2,871	7,969	1,988	..	..	..	199	..	..	..	..	18,330	
13. Gooty ..	2,352	..	79,447	22,651	..	..	..	2,265	..	..	..	..	1,04,669	
14. Kurnool ..	..	2,136	72,448	18,112	..	..	..	1,811	..	..	..	..	94,507	
15. Saidupe ..	..	1,282	62,070	15,557	..	1,251	..	1,554	..	..	..	9	82,181	
16. Chingleput ..	..	2,808	50,374	12,754	..	782	..	1,272	..	..	..	45	69,018	
17. Chittoor ..	..	11,598	1,04,771	30,097	..	..	710	3,081	..	693	..	1	1,73,860	
18. Vellore ..	..	2,256	49,339	15,571	..	..	185	1,674	..	..	..	15	78,215	
19. Cuddalore ..	..	1,206	61,577	15,394	..	..	..	1,925	..	..	..	15	80,956	
20. Vriddhachalam ..	..	25	76,944	19,236	..	2,771	..	1,966	..	..	..	142	1,01,678	
21. Tanjore ..	..	..	67,824	16,956	..	..	..	2,127	..	..	..	27	99,713	
22. Negapatam ..	..	..	85,033	21,272	..	..	..	2,372	..	375	..	227	1,19,646	
23. Trichinopoly ..	6,025	..	1,05,848	26,462	..	..	..	2,754	..	216	..	172	1,38,384	
24. Madura ..	3,831	40	94,896	23,724	..	..	..	2,872	..	..	..	3	1,25,047	
25. Dindigul ..	885	75	55,032	13,758	..	414	..	1,381	..	..	..	3	70,948	
26. Tirunelveli ..	1,490	1,982	70,785	17,547	..	240	..	2,004	..	..	..	29	1,11,347	
27. Shornadivi ..	18	1,145	52,284	13,071	..	..	..	1,328	..	150	..	98	69,330	
28. Coimbatore ..	144	1,397	4,34,396	1,11,750	..	694	27,661	14,094	..	440	..	..	6,02,205	
29. Nilgiris ..	..	..	33,694	8,423	..	..	..	710	..	..	..	..	42,827	
30. Salem ..	..	4,258	53,466	16,857	..	..	1,803	1,869	..	200	..	..	91,273	
31. Hosur ..	..	..	29,736	7,875	..	..	7,758	1,663	..	250	..	..	50,007	
32. Canara ..	..	22	1,12,879	28,220	..	..	..	2,868	..	..	..	402	1,49,275	
33. Calicut ..	..	..	1,87,164	49,291	..	302	..	6,259	..	2,670	..	4	2,63,495	
34. Tellicherry ..	..	..	7,04,758	1,76,190	..	62	..	17,665	..	2,984	..	308	9,05,548	
Total ..	49,898	37,447	34,55,485	8,87,491	475	12,793	38,117	96,147	1,262	6,880	8,470	3,287	47,01,357	
														6,880
														46,94,477
														Deduct contributions between Circles ..

Statement of Actual Expenditure from Local Funds in 1878-79—(Continued).

STATEMENT OF Actual Expenditure from Local Funds in 1878-79—(Continued).

Statement of Actual Expenditure from Local Funds in 1918-19 (Continued).

GRANT III.—(Continued).

GRANT IV.

Circles.	Sanitary Establish-ment.	Markets.	Choultries.	Contribu-tions.	Bunga-lows.	Miscella-neous.	Total Grant III.	Presidency Establish-ment.	Collector's Establish-ment.	Local Fund Board's Establish-ment.	General Contin-encies.	Total Grant IV.	Refunds of Cess and Mis-cellaneous.
	43	44	45	46	47	48	49	50	51	52	53	54	54
1. Chattrapur	RS. 5,429	RS. ..	RS. ..	RS. 800	RS. 560	RS. 1,732	RS. 19,206	RS. 508	RS. 672	RS. 265	RS. 265	RS. 1,680	RS. ..
2. Chiacole	5,624	..	..	900	349	630	14,650	356	336	324	388	1,104	..
3. Vizagapatam	6,632	..	..	768	546	3,070	31,747	793	345	1,181	788	3,107	131
4. Cocanada	10,054	..	8,544	2,190	272	776	27,958	1,925	531	864	371	2,791	360
5. Ellore ..	2,367	..	..	1,113	179	186	7,914	658	371	734	452	2,215	29
6. Masulipatam	8,981	..	114	2,985	179	2,667	23,294	786	646	864	66	2,362	21
7. Gunjur	7,686	..	..	418	418	1,370	18,589	608	520	555	288	1,971	20
8. Nellore	10,057	..	337	4,023	1,140	348	25,312	710	389	1,051	344	2,694	..
9. Cuddapah	1,896	..	..	1,850	..	201	21,862	478	278	506	35	1,298	39
10. Madanapalle	1,896	..	..	1,200	835	935	13,054	228	167	446	60	1,252	100
11. Bellary	2,053	..	84	1,200	835	935	13,054	228	167	446	60	1,252	100
12. Penakonda	1,403	..	103	2,490	..	375	5,280	224	190	300	42	667	..
13. Gooty	2,770	..	256	2,593	..	1,052	12,375	224	510	609	348	1,691	90
14. Kanirol	8,619	..	132	2,593	349	636	18,965	395	277	965	60	1,637	8,923
15. Chingaput	2,456	..	..	1,800	186	1,368	7,301	404	240	662	10	1,316	4
16. Chittoor	3,012	..	..	1,800	569	559	13,589	213	360	727	185	1,485	4
17. Vellore	8,458	..	1,142	1,750	270	1,807	43,895	495	382	636	408	1,921	24,271
18. Cuddalore	3,902	..	1,002	2,330	904	1,091	20,137	446	181	444	237	1,303	..
19. Vriddhachalam	11,849	..	291	1,500	290	560	19,816	480	454	387	127	1,414	..
20. Tanjore	10,311	..	2,32,091	3,810	62	1,313	2,56,104	1,680	730	772	220	3,402	760
21. Negapatam	29,657	..	2,157	2,554	261	1,180	49,346	97	513	437	205	2,112	378
22. Trichinopoly	8,367	..	680	4,613	142	1,111	21,046	573	420	924	93	2,010	119
23. Madurai	5,957	..	8,073	2,000	65	2,641	38,658	558	439	516	308	1,881	63
24. Dindigul	1,350	..	3,227	1,406	225	1,527	20,560	258	471	456	471	1,482	119
25. Tirunelveli	8,629	..	2,912	2,768	389	1,829	25,733	552	411	698	217	2,293	63
26. Sernadavai	3,281	..	12,186	3,281	250	1,210	22,415	329	181	756	177	1,435	128
27. Chinnai	12,322	..	3,197	3,248	250	1,210	55,677	931	1,136	795	177	3,039	..
28. Chinnai	410	..	427	..	..	..	4,657	152	..	576	229	957	..
29. Nilgiris	6,273	..	379	2,200	639	851	25,034	538	359	844	307	2,048	..
30. Salem	4,059	..	233	..	884	434	14,486	225	159	495	164	1,043	142
31. Hosur	1,051	..	258	600	649	711	11,473	509	300	1,224	233	2,266	..
32. Canara	1,860	..	760	7,897	902	711	25,751	662	576	384	1,086	2,708	3,360
33. Calicut	200	..	462	1,116	799	580	3,358	427	384	621	577	2,009	2,097
34. Tellicherry	2,05,809	13,542	2,79,418	58,704	13,741	34,653	9,41,395	17,942	13,928	22,223	9,253	63,346	41,750
Total ..	2,05,809	13,542	2,79,418	58,704	13,741	34,653	9,41,395	17,942	13,928	22,223	9,253	63,346	41,750
Deduct Contributions between Circles ..													
500													
58,204													

Statement of Actual Expenditure from Local Funds in 1878-79---(Continued).

Deduct Contributions between Circles

9,940

61,72,277

No. 3.—Statement of Actual Receipts and Expenditure of the Road Fund for 1878-79.

RECEIPTS.															
Circles.	Balance.	Cesses.					Provincial Funds.	Special Funds.	Tolls.	Contributions.			Miscellaneous.	Miscellaneous Debt Account.	Total.
		Road Cess.	Two-thirds of Land Cess.	Additional Appropriation from one-third Land Cess.	Total.	From Circles.				From Municipalities.	Total.				
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	
1. Chattrapur	RS. 30,266	96	RS. 87,415	RS. 87,511	RS. 7,975	RS. 6,288	RS. 7,975	RS. 6,288	RS. 4,707	RS. 49,990	RS. 1,401	RS. 1,22,899			
2. Chicaole	7,529	..	40,335	40,335	3,719	940	3,719	940	..	..	..	87,757			
3. Vizagapatam	46,229	57	1,25,161	1,25,218	1,545	16,705	1,545	16,705	..	..	..	2,18,003			
4. Cocanada	78,135	..	1,14,737	1,14,737	3,451	4,595	3,451	4,595	..	..	..	2,11,314			
5. Ellore	39,562	4	86,347	86,351	4,339	3,683	4,339	3,683	..	..	..	1,53,866			
6. Masulipatam	90,694	433	61,033	61,465	7,018	13,425	7,018	13,425	..	..	2,884	1,79,381			
7. Guntur	8,517	2	81,645	81,647	2,975	2,128	2,975	2,128	..	..	..	1,17,804			
8. Nellore	93,134	..	1,64,613	1,64,613	7,750	5,766	7,750	5,766	590	590	1,359	1,41,330			
9. Chidnapur	9,694	14	89,838	89,852	1,600	..	1,600	..	..	..	..	1,33,268			
10. Madanapalle	9,039	..	50,270	50,270	785	..	785	..	..	..	..	60,269			
11. Bellary	8,477	..	37,058	37,058	5,268	8,854	5,268	8,854	4,707	4,707	..	84,451			
12. Panukonda	2,838	..	32,821	32,821	361	2,091	361	2,091	..	..	..	34,176			
13. Gooty	26,536	..	53,218	53,218	388	4,687	388	4,687	..	..	..	86,551			
14. Kurnool	71,263	..	87,202	87,202	1,990	4,745	1,990	4,745	693	693	65,283	1,38,551			
15. Saktipet	42,666	157	36,901	37,058	3,447	4,004	3,447	4,004	..	..	450	63,153			
16. Chingelput	25,902	..	49,693	49,693	4,590	2,107	4,590	2,107	4,825	4,825	..	1,35,277			
17. Chittoor	33,143	17	1,27,419	1,27,436	5,073	3,549	5,073	3,549	..	..	..	1,25,606			
18. Vellore	15,799	..	96,658	96,658	6,188	3,320	6,188	3,320	..	..	..	82,376			
19. Cuddalore	35,292	..	94,540	94,540	5,563	15,873	5,563	15,873	..	..	..	1,11,573			
20. Vriddhachalam	25,143	..	73,769	73,769	12,374	23,448	12,374	23,448	..	..	..	1,71,890			
21. Tanjore	16,575	..	98,392	98,392	14,024	4,773	14,024	4,773	..	..	..	246,976			
22. Negapatam	1,07,935	..	83,651	83,651	17,445	14,782	17,445	14,782	..	..	..	36,593			
23. Trichinopoly	16,520	..	99,605	99,605	8,539	9,180	8,539	9,180	..	..	..	50,016			
24. Madura	57,999	10	69,763	69,763	8,840	4,414	8,840	4,414	..	..	..	15,220			
25. Dindigul	30,973	..	74,982	74,982	12,149	7,598	12,149	7,598	..	..	..	12,135			
26. Tinnevely	31,713	..	88,284	88,284	36,377	..	36,377	..	..	..	250	19,376			
27. Sernadevi	31,924	..	1,61,040	1,61,040	15,000	28,275	15,000	28,275	..	..	..	35,541			
28. Coimbatore	40,268	..	1,974	1,974	211	30,465	211	30,465	440	440	..	3,83,190			
29. Nilgiris	30,903	..	1,06,204	1,06,204	3,389	21,960	3,389	21,960	250	250	523	43,232			
30. Salem	22,087	..	41,082	41,082	56,520	7,066	56,520	7,066	200	200	409	1,52,269			
31. Hosur	1,285	..	56,520	56,520	17,011	24,415	17,011	24,415	..	..	349	56,183			
32. Canara	33,580	..	43,282	43,282	93,839	28,890	93,839	28,890	6,515	6,515	..	1,84,493			
33. Calicut	8,418	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2,70,768			
34. Tellicherry	14,765	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	9,08,885			
Total ..	1,21,683	790	26,45,588	..	26,46,378	2,17,017	2,08,211	3,50,449	6,880	11,140	18,020	19,94,907	98,005	56,54,570	
Deduct contributions between Circles..														9,440	
														56,45,220	
														19,92,347	

No. 4.—Statement showing all the new Roads undertaken by the Public Works Department and by Other Agency during 1878-79 out of the Road Fund.

Circles.	Number of the Item in the Budget.	Description of Work.	Amount of Estimate.	Date and Number of Sanction.	Allotment in the Budget.	EXPENDITURE				Remarks.
						From the commencement of the Work up to 31st March 1878.	In 1878-79		Total.	
							By P. W. D.	By Other Agency.		
Chattrapur.	1	Reformation of Trunk Road No. 6.	Rs. 1,25,000	G.O., F.D., 14th October 1874, No. 1,744.	Rs. 8,000	Rs. 30,148	Rs. 13,772	Rs. 43,920	Seventeen miles of road were completely reformed, another 17 miles partly reformed and materials collected for 5 miles.	
	2	Road from a point beyond the bridge on M. bendra Tanaya river to Goppili viz Mandasa.	60,600 6,050	G.O.s, F.D., 5th October 1874, No. 1,687, and 10th August 1877, No. 2,092.	5,590	24,734	6,585	31,319	1,270 yards of road completed, 160 yards spread with metal and gravel, 220 yards spread with gravel. A bridge of 3 vents of 20 feet span, 3 tunnels of one vent of 3 feet span, and 2 tunnels of 1 vent of 6 feet span completed.	
	4	Construction of two masonry bridges in lieu of wooden bridges, Nos. 1 and 2, on the 6th mile of Sonnapur road.	1,300	Revenue Board's Procs., 22nd August 1877, Mis. No. 11,761.	1,050	248	894	1,142	Foundations were laid and the abutments constructed.	
		Construction of a bridge over Wasthya Nala on the 25th mile of Balabhadra and Russellkonda road.	4,730	Revenue Board's Procs., 2nd August 1876, Mis. No. 6,503.	1,693	3,037	3,183	6,220	All the masonry works, with the exception of a few walls, were completed.	
Chitacole.	1	Improving Trunk Road No. 6 in the sandy portion near Madapam and Nowpadu.	23,400	G.O., 31st January 1876, No. 210, F.D.	6,500	11,128	7,693	18,821	Six miles and 506 yards of road were formed, 4 miles and 3 yards turfed, 1 mile and 1,692 yards metalled and gravelled, and 2 miles and 660 yards metalled; 112 cubic yards of metal and 93 cubic yards of gravel collected. 3 tunnels completed.	
	2	Road from the Trunk Road to Goppili viz Mandasa.	4,990	G.O., F.D., 5th October 1874, No. 1,687.	1,500	1,528	2,866	4,394	Work stopped for want of funds.	
		Emergent masonry works on Trunk Road.	2,240	Revenue Board's Procs., 5th July 1877, Mis. No. 9,622.	1,833	1,407	224	1,631	Materials collected.	
		Bench Road, Calingapatam	3,300	Revenue Board's Procs., 23rd August 1878, No. 3,369.	..		327	327	111 cubic yards of gravel and 1,027 cubic yards of metal collected.	
	1	Completing the Great Northern Trunk Road from Madras to Bengal frontier, from Korta to Chitacole.	45,910	G.O., No. 235, 22nd June 1875.	6,000	32,234	4,198	36,432	Some serious breaches have been made in the new work.	
	2	Completing the road from Palconda to Veeragottam.	17,090 20,640	G.O., No. 27, 8th January 1875. G.O., F.D., No. 270, of 8th January 1875.	890 7,600	23,105	906 2,750	26,761	{ This road bears an enormous traffic; less than half the grant expended. Is a miserable return.	

Vizagapatam.	3	Constructing a road from Vizianagrum to Nathavatsa.	30,840	Board's Proc., 22nd September 1877, Mis. No. 13,203.	5,000	1,059	3,167	4,226	Earth-work completed; the first two miles an masonry works are under construction.
		Completing the road between Chitrapalle and Palconda.	21,300	G.O., F.D., No. 1,692, 10th December 1872.	4,500	20,853	98	20,948	Nearly completed.
	7	Reconstructing the bridge over the Gumbhoram river.	7,840	G.O., No. 618, 12th April 1878.	7,840	..	3,461	3,461	Materials being collected.
	6	Improvement to Chitavalsah bridge.	15,400	Board's Proc., 4th June 1877, No. 2,561; G.O., F.D., 5th March 1878, No. 433.	15,400	..	1,083	1,083	Do.
Cocanada.		Completing the bridge on the Trunk Road across Verahaudy near Pengole.	14,280	G.O., F.D., 14th September 1877, No. 2,309, and No. 366 of 9th May 1877.	..	..	49	49	Work postponed.
		Completing the bridge on the 18th mile of Anakapalle branch road.	2,080	Board's Proc., No. 7,923, 1st June 1877.	..	1,491	415	1,906	Completed.
		Constructing 10 slab drains on Palvanam branch road.	1,040	Local Fund Board ..	1,040	..	974	974	Do.
		Constructing a road from Ramachandraloo to Kanastalam.	2,460		2,500	..	..	1,510	Do.
		Petty works ..	1,119		..	564	218	782	
	1	Road from Undar bridge <i>via</i> Ramachandrapuram to Modapadu on the Sanaklotah Canal, 17 miles and 170 yards.	59,550	G.O., R.D., 9th July 1869, No. 1,981, and Board's Proc., 22nd April 1870, No. 2,669.	2,300	41,326	392	41,718	Gravelling completed, with the exception of 12th and 13th miles. Earth-work and turling completed; so also masonry works.
	2	Gravelling road from Ramachandrapuram to Bikkavole.	22,820	G.O., No. 567, of 36th April 1872.	2,240	20,574	1,220	21,794	Gravelling completed throughout the whole length, with the exception of about 1 mile here and there; 6,000 cubic yards gravel on the road-side to finish the incomplete portion is in progress.
	3	Gravelling and arching wooden bridges on the road from Cocanada to Kottapalle, 23 miles, 2 furlongs.	68,720	G.O., F.D., 5th April 1872, No. 435, and 31st August 1872, No. 1,157.	7,000	52,736	3,892	56,628	Road gravelled from Cocanada to 7½ miles from 8½ to 14th, and from 15th to 22nd mile.
	4	Gravelling and arching wooden bridges on the road from Cocanada to Noelpalli.	38,183	G.O., R.D., 5th April 1872, No. 435, and G.O., F.W.D., No. 837-W., 20th March 1879.	2,950	13,966	..	13,966	Road in 1st mile from 4½ to 7½, 8th mile, ½ of 9th mile, ½ of 10th mile, ½ of 11th mile, and from 11½ to the end gravelled. The gravel-ling done according to original estimate was washed away in the cyclone of 6th Nov. last.
	5	Gravelling and arching wooden bridges on the road from Alamur to Thapavaram.	16,360	G.O., F.D., 11th Oct. 1875, No. 1,999.	2,000	10,938	1,251	12,209	Completed, with the exception of about ½ of 8th mile and the whole of the 9th mile. Gravel collected at the head of the Coringa Canal to finish off the non-gravelled portion of the road.
	6	Gravelling road from Dracharana to Ramachandrapuram.	6,730	G.O., F.D., 25th Feb. 1878, No. 332.	2,400	..	2,064	2,064	1,400 cubic yards of gravel collected at Venkatapuram bridge and on the road-side. Culvert completed with the exception of coping to a portion of parapet wall.
	7	Construction of road from Anala- pur to Yuderlunka opposite to Yanam, 17½ miles.	54,900	G.O., F.D., 31st July 1873, No. 1,078.	1,000	37,404	257	37,661	Fully completed both in earth-work and masonry through Amalapuri Island and Yuderlunka Ferry on Goutami branch. Thirty-one masonry works were constructed on the road varying in size from 40' iron girder bridges to 1½' span. Culverts have all been well built and are substantial.

Statement showing all the new Roads undertaken by the Public Works Department and by Other Agency during 1878-79, &c.—(Continued).

Number of the Item	Description of Work.	Amount of Estimate.	Date and Number of Sanction.	Allotment in the Budget.	EXPENDITURE				Remarks.
					From the commencement of the Work up to 31st March 1878.	In 1878-79			
						By P. W. D.	By Other Agency.	Total.	
8	Constructing Great Northern Road from Rajahmundry to Tuni.	Rs. 1,75,100	G.O., F.D., 28th Feb. 1878, No. 388.	Rs. 10,000	Rs. 1,04,866	Rs. 3,238	Rs.	Rs. 1,08,094	Gravelling, turfing, metalling, completed in 82 miles; 130 tunnels completed.
9	Gravelling road from Yerravaram to Jaddangi.	19,500	G.O., F.D., 28th April 1876, No. 758; Board's Procs., No. 4,891, 13th June 1876.	5,000	3,544	3,023		6,567	Five and a-half miles gravelling completed and 4 miles in progress.
	Road from Razole to Muktesvaram.	68,700	G.O., F.D., 6th March 1874, No. 373, and G.O., F.D., 12th May 1876, No. 851.	2,000	15,580	1,628		17,208	Gravelled nearly 2½ miles and materials collected for further work; 1,945 cubic yards of gravel remaining at site last using up.
	Road from Gonti to Kotapetta	19,000	G.O., F.D., 12th May 1876, No. 851.	1,000	14,145	580		14,725	Gravelled to 6½ miles, is now quite completed with the exception of 2 culverts and ridge work for about 2 miles.
	Constructing 20 additional tunnels on the road from Samalkotah to Bendapoodi.	1,870	Board's Procs., No. 15,293, 3rd November 1877.	931	939	761		1,700	All tunnels are completed except fixing stones to 14.
	Completing earth-work, gravelling, and bridging of the road from Jagumpettah to Kotapalli.	21,147	G.O., F.D., 22nd November 1877, No. 2,741.	5,000	507	4,998		5,505	Three and a-half miles of new road completed with gravelling, turfing and earth-work; 10 tunnels completed and 2 in progress.
	Completing road from Kotapalli to Gohavaram.	7,247	G.O., F.D., 22nd November 1877, No. 2,741.	1,000		475		475	1,800 cubic yards of earth-work done in first mile.
	Road from Ramachandrapuram to Bikkavole on the Samulcotah Canal with masonry works.	34,190	G.O., F.D., 13th and 31st August 1869, Nos. 2,330 and 2,461.	2,300	27,222	2,184		29,406	Earth-work completed and all sanctioned masonry works built. The portion of Bikkavole village road turfed.
	Road from Atmakur to Thapesvaram with masonry works.	22,430	G.O., R.D., 19th July and 31st August 1869, Nos. 2,091 and 2,461; Board's Procs., 3rd October 1873, No. 6,599.	3,000	19,445	2,458		21,903	Earth-work completed; also masonry works.
	Constructing an iron lattice girder bridge over Challangi salt creek on the road from Cocanada to Neelapalli.	7,810	G.O., F.D., 12th September 1876, No. 1,661, and G.O., P.W.D., 24th March 1877, No. 883-W.	2,460	4,542	2,354		6,896	Bridge 8 feet above basement. Division channel nearly completed.
	Constructing a raised bank of clay from the 7½ mile to 8½ mile of road from Cocanada to Kotapalli.	3,650	Board's Procs., No. 11,462, 18th August 1877.	275	3,375	177		3,552	Completed.
	Regravelling the first 5 miles of road from Cocanada to Kotapalli.	15,600	G.O., F.D., No. 2,740, 22nd November 1877.	1,000		204		204	172 cubic yards of Kadryam gravel collected at the Depot near Robertson's creek bridge, Cocanada.

Cocanada. — (Continued).

Circles.

Cocanada.—(Continued).

1	Constructing an iron lattice girder bridge over Tulihahaga drain on the road from Ramachandrapuram to Bikkavole.	9,600	G.O., F.D., 29th September 1873, No. 1,389.	100	9,275	44	..	9,319	Completed, with the exception of packing rough stone for the floor, for which stone has been brought to site and revetments fallen in, in the cyclone of 6th November 1878, properly made up.
	Constructing the Chozavaram channel head sluice on the road from Medusa bridge via Rana-chandrapuram to Medapadu on the Samalkotah canal.	1,044	Board's Procs., No. 6,702, 24th July 1875, and No. 6,389 of 28th June 1878.	72	450	41	..	491	Nearly completed.
	Constructing road from Neelapalli to Goringa.	35,500	G.O., F.D., No. 383, 27th March 1872.	18	33,586	18	..	33,604	Work completed. The small expenditure was due to an adjustment of compensation Bill.
	Constructing road from Neelapalli to Goringa.	7,516	G.O., P.W.D., 23rd Dec. 1864, No. 3,684.	1,148	7,510	1,148	..	8,658	Compensation paid.
	Road from Attili to Tadepally Gudem, Ellore Canal.	6,601		..	2,804	1,851	..	4,155	
	Road from Attili to Tadepally Gudem, Ellore Canal.	1,13,300	G.O., R.D., 28th March 1871, No. 566.	5,000	88,548	1,908	..	90,456	768 cubic yards of earth-work and 413 cubic yards gravelling near Yennadam bridge was finished, except coping done for pedestals and pillars; 17 small sluices are to be constructed. The rest of the masonry works to the road are completed.
	Road from Viravasaram to join Attili road near Pennumantla.	59,800	G.O., R.D., 17th March 1869, No. 729, and G.O., P.W.D., 28th March 1879, No. 952-W.	6,000	22,258	4,928	..	27,186	2,377 cubic yards of gravelling done and 1,750 cubic yards gravel collected at the sites of the road. Girders ready and materials collected for iron girder bridge over Basavarkodu.
	Continuation of Viravasaram road to Akced in Bhimavaram.	64,800	G.O., F.D., 20th June 1874, No. 1,039.	4,400	27,940	39	..	27,979	The whole work is completed according to the estimate, with the exception of a bridge over Undy aqueduct.
	Gravelling the road along the east bank of the Narsapur canal from Narsapur to Peravali.	59,400	G.O., F.D., 20th June 1874, No. 1,039.	4,600	18,586	4,600	..	23,186	Three-fourths mile were gravelled during the year.
	Gravelling road from Vasista Godavari at Koduru to Attili.	63,300	G.O., F.D., 20th June 1874, No. 1,039.	3,000	14,965	3,387	..	18,352	During the year gravel was spread over three-fourths mile of the road, 1,875 cubic yards of gravel was collected.
	Gravelling road from Palacole to Viravasaram.	28,550	G.O., F.D., 20th June 1874, No. 1,039.	4,000	18,983	4,001	..	22,984	Up to the end of the year 1,615 cubic yards of road gravelled.
	Gravelling road from Palacole to Doddepada.	32,450	G.O., F.D., No. 1,039, 20th June 1874.	2,000	..	2,006	..	2,006	Three-fourths mile of the road gravelled during the year.
	Road from Ellore to Hyderabad frontier via Chintalapudy.	1,20,000	G.O., No. 1,729, 8th Nov. 1870.	400	99,867	..	..	99,867	The road is finished and the only expenditure to be incurred from the estimate is payment of compensation.
	Road from Ellore to Gondugolum.	70,400	G.O., F.D., No. 652, 20th Nov. 1871.	400	7,080	..	..	7,080	The work abandoned; Rupees 400 is for compensation. The extent is 9½ miles.
	Road from Prakkilanka to Jagareddigoodem.	1,58,600	G.O., No. 169, 13th Jan. 1872.	6,000	79,011	5,025	..	84,036	The earth-work done in 9th and 14th miles where the embankment had to be considerably raised. Metal and gravel spread from 9th to 16th miles and collected in the 12th and 13th miles. The road is now completed for 6 miles; gravelled and metalled up to 12½ miles. Available for traffic in fair weather throughout the road.

Ellore.

Statement showing all the new Roads undertaken by the Public Works Department and by Other Agency during 1878-79, &c.—(Continued).

Circles.	Number of the Item in the Budget.	Description of Work.	Amount of Estimate.	Date and Number of Sanction.	Allotment in the Budget.	EXPENDITURE				Remarks.
						From the commencement of the Work up to 31st March 1878.	By P. W. D.	By Other Agency.	Total.	
Ellore—(Continued).	11	Road from Ellore to Mundur <i>vide</i> Yagavaram.	Rs. 40,500	G.O., F.D., 27th March 1872, No. 383, and 18th Aug. 1873, No. 1,170.	11,000	33,320	4,873	..	38,193	The road from Denduluru to Jangareddigoodem is a continuation of road from Ellore to Mundur. A joint allotment was made for the two in the Budget. The road from Ellore to Mundur is eight miles long, and is completed with the exception of a bridge over the Gunduru. Earth-work was done to the portion of the road from Mundur to Jangareddigoodem, and the gravel collected in the previous year was fully spread. Culverts from Nos. 20 to 26 were built. No. 19th culvert two-thirds completed. Earth-work at Mundur and in the 12th and 13th miles up to Tudikolapudi is done. The intermediate portion has not been commenced, as the land has not yet been given up by the Zamindar. Culvert No. 18 finished. Some work was done to 19 and 22 culverts. The allotment was spent in collecting materials for masonry works. The road-work completed. Materials being collected.
	12	Road from Tadepalligudem to Nallacherla.	45,800	G.O., R.D., No. 1,035, 12th June 1871.	2,000	34,083	1,180	..	35,272	Gravel spread for one-fourth of 1st mile, and is collected in the 1st and 11th miles and at quarry. The outlay of this year represents the payment of compensation.
	1	Road from Nuzvid to Perikeed, 14 miles.	68,900	G.O., R.D., 5th Feb. 1868, No. 326.	4,000	60,207	379	..	60,586	Nearly completed.
	2	Sanding the road from Masulipatnam to Kottapalem <i>vide</i> Challoppalli.	51,200	G.O., F.D., 9th March 1875, No. 529.	15,000	32,314	4,934	..	37,248	In rapid progress.

Masulipatnam—(Continued).	3	Improving the Hyderabad road from Bezvada to Hyderabad frontier.	60,450	G.O., F.D., 10th Sept. 1875, No. 1,816.	25,000	7,227	6,926	..	14,153	3 1/2 miles completed and 6 1/2 miles under construction. Building body walls to causeway over the Kesara river in 26th mile is in progress. 2,000 cubic yards of rough stone and 60 caddies of lime collected to work spot. Completed, but payment is still unsettled.
		Road from Vallore to Vallore slope.	14,534	G.O., F.D., 31st March 1875, No. 677.	549	13,985	209	..	14,194	Earth-work done. Road tunnels to be finished.
Guntur.	1	Improving the embanked road through Tamarisa Tank.	2,500	Board's Proc., 13th July 1877, No. 3,280.	2,461	39	1,855	..	1,894	Completed, with the exception of fitting girders.
	2	Constructing a masonry bridge on the west side channel of Masulipatnam canal on the Vallur road.	2,410	Board's Proc., 13th July 1877, No. 3,280, 20th April 1877, No. 5,761.	699	1,711	327	..	2,038	Completed.
	3	Road from Chilakalurpett to Neeatur.	66,170	G.O., F.D., 26th Aug. 1872, No. 1,123.	1,454	64,716	464	..	65,180	Earth-work completed.
	4	Road from Sattenapalle to Peddugurilla.	1,455	Board's Proc., 11th Dec. 1877, No. 5,207.	1,032	423	771	..	1,194	Do.
	5	Improvement to Trunk Road No. 7 from Brahmanapalli to Pondugal.	1,748	Board's Proc., No. 3,805, 10th April 1878.	1,748	..	773	..	773	Work stopped.
	6	Road from Narsaopet to Chinnapolakuloor road.	4,989		..	1,419	1,295	1,214	3,928	25 miles completed, 33 miles under construction.
Nellore.	1	Gravelling the portion of Great Northern Road between 33rd and 49th mile stone.	4,21,850	G.O., 8th May 1869, No. 1,503, and G.O., F.D., 18th April 1876, No. 705.	6,000	2,44,088	3,368	..	2,47,456	13 1/2 miles completed and 7 1/2 miles under construction.
	2	Road from Nellore to Kōdūr	46,060	G.O., 6th Aug. 1867, No. 1,805, and 26th Oct. 1868, No. 2,711.	4,000	36,087	2,728	..	38,815	19 1/2 miles completed; 2 miles under construction.
	3	Road from Nellore to Myrpad	57,320	G.O., R.D., 6th Aug. 1869, No. 2,277.	4,000	45,555	1,054	..	46,609	Two bridges and clearing jungles and brush-wood throughout the whole length of the road completed. Road embanked in 13 miles.
	4	Do. from Krishnapatnam to Great Northern Road at Venkatachalam Choultry, part from Survapalli to Krishnapatnam.	93,770	G.O., F.D., 31st July 1879, No. 2,009-W.	6,000	27,047	630	..	27,677	Do.
	5	Petty Works	46,500		4,000	23,679	1,899	..	25,578	Payment made for work done in the previous year.
	6	Gravelling the portion of Great Northern Road between 33rd and 49th mile stone.	9,080	G.O., F.D., 23rd Feb. 1875, No. 412.	2,000	4,488	964	..	5,452	Paid arrears of deductions.
	7	Road from Nellore to Baboorow Chuttram.	7,400	G.O., P.W.D., 31st July 1879, No. 2,009-W.	..	5,532	440	..	5,972	Do.
	8	Do. from Krishnapatnam to Great Northern Road at Venkatachalam Choultry, part from Survapalli to Krishnapatnam.	1,380		..	429	89	..	518	Balance of old accounts unsettled.
	9	Road from Nellore to Baboorow Chuttram.	18,500	G.O., No. 854, 16th April 1875.	947	..	604	..	604	Do.
	10	Do. from Nellore to Myrpad	49,200	G.O., No. 410, of 30th March 1870.	16,576	..	328	..	328	Do.
	11	Do. from Krishnapatnam to Great Northern Road at Venkatachalam Choultry, part from Survapalli to Krishnapatnam.	44,400	G.O., No. 410, 30th December 1870.	..	..	31	..	31	Do.
	12	Do. from Krishnapatnam to Great Northern Road at Venkatachalam Choultry, part from Survapalli to Krishnapatnam.	56,240	G.O., No. 766, 1st May 1871.	2,500	..	265	..	265	Do.
	13	Road from Nellore to Baboorow Chuttram.	15,500	G.O., No. 819, 10th May 1871.	5,478	..	205	..	205	Do.
	14	Do. from Nellore to Baboorow Chuttram.	15,500	G.O., No. 819, 10th May 1871.	5,478	..	205	..	205	Do.

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Nellore—(Continued).	2	Re-constructing road from Gúdar to North Arcot frontier, beyond Venkatagiri.	RS. 19,900	G.O., No. 2,001, 11th Oct. 1876.	RS. 5,000	..	RS. 4,904	..	RS. 4,904	4½ miles of road metalled and gravelled.
	7	Road from Kodavaloor to Butchireddipalem.	15,000	Local Fund Budget, 1878-79.	1,000	..	794	..	794	In adjustment of balance.
	8	Road from Gúdar to Tiklavaram ..	10,000	Do.	1,000	..	1,001	..	1,001	1 mile of road metalled and gravelled.
	9	Do. from Durgarajapatam to Naidupett.	54,000	Do.	1,000	..	51	..	51	In payment of old demand.
	5	Do. from Venkatagiri to Naidupett.	40,000	G.O., No. 1,046, 3rd Aug. 1872.	1,000	..	674	..	674	In payment for materials collected in previous year.
	6	Do. from do. to Rápur.	..		2,000	..	27	..	27	Do.
		Constructing road from Podalakur to Rápur.	33,030		2,000	..	841	..	841	Earth-work and ½ mile of road metalled and gravelled.
	1	Road from Great Northern Road from Madras to Bengal frontier.	2,61,990	G.O., No. 41, 7th January 1869, and No. 1,461, 15th June 1870, and No. 1,136, 8th July 1874.	10,000	..	8,866	..	8,866	Earth-work and masonry work completed and ¾ of gravelling and metalling finished on the whole line.
	3	Completing road from Kottapatam via Ongole to Cumbum.	2,56,000	G.O., No. 2,034, 26th Oct. 1875.	5,000	..	4,805	..	4,805	Earth-work and some metalling and gravelling finished.
	4	Metalling and improving certain portion of Great Northern Trunk Road.	23,140	G.O., 16th April 1875, No. 854.	2,500	..	2,322	..	2,322	13 miles of metalling and gravelling completed.
	Petty Works	..		105	..	20	..	20		
Cuddapah.		Completing unmade portion of road from Cuddapah to Vainpally.	11,940	G.O., F.D., 29th Feb. 1874, No. 222.	82	9,003	82	..	9,085	Work remains to be carried out on the 16th, 17th, 18th, and 19th miles.
		Re-metalling 191, 192, 193 miles of Chittoor and Kurmol road.	6,300	G.O., F.D., 6th Nov. 1876, No. 1,971.	203	4,719	—684*	..	4,035	* Recovery.
		Constructing slab stone drains on road from Mydekoor to Yeddadoogoo Pass.	4,280	G.O., R.D., 29th Aug. 1877, No. 2,603-B.	80	98	80	..	178	Work not done, there being no funds.
		Road from Kódúr to Chitwail, 1st Section.	29,258	G.O., R.D., 14th May 1878, No. 1,114, F. R.	120	..	120	..	120	Executed as Famine Relief Work in 1877-78.
	1	Completing the Kury Ghaut Road.	34,300	G.O., P.W.D., 25th Nov. 1879, No. 2990-W.	2,779	11,236	508	..	11,744	Payment made for work done in the previous year.
		Completing from Kury Ghaut Road, 2nd Section.	31,770	G.O., P.W.D., 25th Nov. 1879, No. 2,990-W.	63	..	63	..	63	The amount was paid from ordinary grant, being arrears to coolies.
		Road from Fortmamilla to Mydi-eoor.	31,320	Board's Procs., 23rd August 1877, No. 432.	164	..	164	..	164	Do.
										do.

Madanapalle.		Road from Cuddapah to Cumbum, Badvel Taluk.	21,230	G.O., R.D., 23rd July 1877, No. 2,364, M.F.R.	103	..	103	..	103	Do.
		Constructing a bridge of 1 arch over a Vunka crossing the Madras road at 61-4 mile, 3rd furlong.	2,490	Board's Procs., 9th April 1879, No. 940.	2,490	..	204	..	204	Stone and chunam for the foundation collected and excavation completed, stones for super-structure are being quarried and carted.
		Petty Works ..	1,597		145	..	1,102	..	1,303	
		Road dam on Rayachoti road, 1st mile, 7th furlong, from Rayachoti.	1,220	Board's Procs., 9th April 1875, and 8th December 1877, Nos. 2,789 and 17,124.	409	..	811	..	917	Coping slabs to body-wall and spreading metal on road surface and rolling remain to be done to complete as per estimate.
		Road from Rajampett to Kadiri via Rayachoti and Kadiri Taluks.	20,140	G.O., R.D., 24th September 1877, No. 2,876, F.R.	..	..	714	..	714	Work stopped.
		Petty Works ..	1,349		1,141	..	310	..	310	
	3	Re-metalling the Dharwar road ..	61,375	G.O., F.D., 17th Feb. 1877, No. 605.	2,960	..	812	..	31,073	In progress.
	1	Masonry works on road from Somunadapally via Hindupur to Mysore frontier.	15,190	G.O., F.D., 17th January 1876, No. 104.	1,800	..	656	..	5,759	Do.
	2	Diverting portion of road from Penukonda via Madakasira to Anampur.	6,355	G.O., F.D., 11th March and 31st July 1876, Nos. 487 and 1,366.	1,700	..	649	..	853	Do.
	1	Improving a portion of 2nd-Class Road from Bellary to Cuddapah.	22,270	G.O., F.D., 4th Feb. 1874, No. 181.	6,970	..	2,311	..	17,611	Do.
Bald.		Petty Works ..	905		905	..	479	..	479	
		Road from Tadicherla to Cuddapah frontier.	35,430	G.O., No. 502, 29th Sept. 1871.	1,500	..	1,500	..	35,430	Completed in 1876-77. This payment was made for work done in that year, vide Board's Proceedings Miscellaneous No. 7,706, 31st July 1878.
		Road from Cumbum to Dupand ..	16,600	G.O., No. 2,061, 9th Dec. 1874.	..	..	2,014	..	7,460	This work was commenced to afford labor to famine-stricken people and the amount debited to Local Funds; but the Government in G.O., No. 1,769, 17th August 1878, ordered the amount to be refunded to Local Funds.
		Road from the 13th mile-stone of the Great Southern Trunk Road to Thernumalay.	3,270	Board's Procs., 31st Oct. 1878, No. 2,907.	458	..	298	..	2,802	Work completed.
		Petty Works ..	..		..	..	6,364	15	6,379	Completed.
		Gravelling and metalling the road from Karunguli to Terukalikundam.	6,420	G.O., No. 455, 4th March 1876.	504	..	536	..	6,462	Do.
		Road from the 41st mile stone in the Great Southern Trunk Road to Tetty via Utramur.	50,640	G.O., No. 34, 8th June 1876.	300	..	48	..	47,611	Do.
		Road from Chingleput to Soorup-pen's Choultry on Trunk Road No. III, via Conjeevaram.	31,613	G.O., 3rd July 1876, No. 1,191, Board's Procs., No. 8,104, 7th Aug. 1878.	270	..	..	270	31,613	Do.

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			RS.		RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.
Chingleput (Contd.)		Completing the portion of the road from Carungooly to Tirukalkundram, north and south of the Palar. Petty Works	2,293 1,240	Board's Proc., No. 275, 1st February 1878.	2,293 1,240		1,846 44	.. 990		1,846 1,034
Chittoor.		Petty Works	350		350	..	..	350	..	350
Chittoor.		Petty Works	..		..	..	95	1,056	..	1,151
Vellore.		Protective works of the Ponnair bridge at Cuddalore. Petty Works	25,990 1,687	G.O., P.W.D., No. 9,311, 8th October 1877.	735 1,499	25,226 ..	351 1,485			25,577 1,485
Cuddalore.	1	Completing the Manimukta Nadi bridge at Vriddhachalam. Completing the Kallakurchi San- karapuram road.	55,700 24,350	G.O., F.D., 13th February 1874, No. 248. G.O., F.D., No. 2,922, 18th December 1877.	6,750 2,338	44,640 22,013	5,832 940			50,472 22,953
Vriddhachalam.		Forming Railway Feeder to Rail- way Station at Chidambaram.	1,195	Board's Proc., No. 12,152, 29th November 1878.	1,195	..	1,084	..	..	1,084
Tanjore.	1	Constructing Road No. 57 from Tirukattipalli to South Indian Railway Station at Badalur.	96,600	G.O., F.D., 30th July 1869, No. 2,219.	5,990	90,609	2,948	..	..	93,557
Tanjore.	2	Constructing a bridge across Shul- lanur on Road No. 6.	6,900	G.O., F.D., 5th June 1878, No. 992.	3,000	..	1,000	..	..	1,000
Tanjore.		Widening the north bank of the Vennar, east of Road No. 4, to Utharungalam.	3,900	Board's Proc., 17th May 1875, No. 4,366.	1,271	2,629	684	..	..	3,313
Tanjore.		Petty Works	1,318		655	663	147	208	..	1,018

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			RS.		RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.
Negapattam.	1	Constructing a bridge of 2 arches over the Mudican- dan river at Nannilam .. 6,700	7,250	G.O., F.D., 4th November 1876, No. 1,957.	2,500	3,853	2,432	..	..	6,285
Negapattam.	2	Forming road from Sambhar Covil on Road No. 31 to Nulladai, on Road No. 12.	40,200	G.O., F.D., No. 1,349, 24th June 1875.	15,000	21,072	4,583	..	..	25,655
Negapattam.		Widening the existing bridge over the Odampakkayur near Trivel- lore.	4,560	Revenue Board's Proc., No. 7,243, 17th May 1877.	4,550		1,527	..	..	1,527
Negapattam.		Reforming with clay and sand the first 6 miles of Road No. 28, from Tranquebar to Sheeyali.	5,532	G.O., F.D., 10th July 1877, No. 1,875.	4,982	550	2,277	..	..	2,827
Negapattam.		Reforming that portion of road from Vedarajam to Kodikarai, which lies in the swamp between Kodikarai and Kodikarai and providing culvert for the same.	1,690	Revenue Board's Proc., No. 4,142, 19th May 1876.	1,429	261	258	..	..	519
Negapattam.		Constructing a road from Road No. 47, at Pilavadi to Road No. 14 at Parthiyur, in contin- uation of Road No. 78.	17,950	G.O., F.D., 5th March 1875, and 4th Nov. 176, Nos. 506 and 1,957.	3,220	14,730	1,138	..	..	15,868
Negapattam.		Improving Road No. 12 from Aduturai to Tranquebar.	5,500	G.O., F.D., 1st September 1874, No. 1470.	349	5,150	268	..	..	5,418
Negapattam.		Reconstructing road from Tikta- cheri to Terumaboyenpatam.	4,480	Board's Proc., No. 2,787, 9th April 1875.	700	3,780	435	..	..	4,215
Negapattam.		Reforming a portion of Road No. 27 from Kottur to Seeganti.	13,700	G.O., F.D., 28th February 1879, No. 299.	901	13,484	676	..	..	14,160
Negapattam.		Petty Works	3,782		3,682		693	1,865	..	2,558
Trichinopoly.	1	Forming Road No. 2 from Silapila- puttur to Kattupalli.	7,980	G.O., No. 1,640, 8th Septem- ber 1876.	1,965	3,000	424	..	..	3,424
Trichinopoly.	2	Forming road along the Vyakodan, north bank from Alleturai to Mullikarambur, 6½ miles.	5,645	G.O., No. 1,344, 28th July 1876.	1,655	2,954	601	..	..	3,555
Trichinopoly.	3	Extending Road No. 15 from Ven- ganur to Salem frontier at Udumbiam, 3½ miles.	7,650	G.O., F.D., No. 1,640, 8th September 1876.	2,730	4,920	1,577	..	..	6,497
Trichinopoly.		Constructing Railway feeder from 3rd quarter, 12th mile stone, Din- digul Road, to Kolathoor Railway Station, distance 2 miles, 2 fur- longs, and 50 yards.	4,700	Board's Proc., No. 1,898, 3rd March 1876.	2,080	2,660	168	..	..	2,818
Trichinopoly.		Forming road from Manapalai to Puttanatam.	7,700	G.O., F.D., 17th July 1877, No. 1,917.	2,005	5,695	..	2,000	..	7,695
Trichinopoly.		Petty Works	90		90		80	..	..	80
Madura.	2	Metalling portion of Road No. 2 between Pugalore and Paramagudi.	77,400	G.O., F.D., No. 2,253, 11th Dec. 1876.	4,300	31,706	6,200	..	..	37,906
Madura.		Re-metalling road from Madura to Tirumangalam.	4,600	G.O., F.D., No. 2,866, 8th Dec. 1877.	1,000	515	1,362	..	..	1,877

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Madura—(Continued).		Constructing a rough stone causeway over the Vaigai at Melakul.	RS. 10,700	G.O., F.D., 26th Sept. 1874, No. 1,622.	RS. 1,109	RS. 9,153	RS. 1,109	RS. ..	RS. 10,262	The work is almost finished.
		Improving Road No. 27 from Thovarinon to Melakul.	9,400	G.O., F.D., 6th April 1875, No. 758.	298	8,383	328	..	8,711	In progress.
		Constructing Road No. 23, Kanupputty to Pandulgrudi.	48,309	G.O., P.W.D., No. 2,735, 23rd Nov. 1869.	10	46,147	10	..	46,157	The amount of the estimate has been nearly spent. The road was much damaged in some miles by floods, but the major portion of the repairs has been finished.
		Petty Works	855		57	790	56	..	846	
Dindigul.	1	Road No. 5, between Cheekaurani and Usilampatty.	35,000	G.O., F.D., No. 2,002, 4th Oct. 1875.	1,675	30,350	2,238	..	32,588	
	2	Road No. 32, Dindigul to Aravakarandy.	20,110	G.O., 8th July 1875, No. 1,445.	4,710	15,280	1,344	..	16,124	Three-fourths mile of road metalled and 2 miles and 2 furlongs gravelled this year.
		Road No. 34-A from Vedamadura to Vedasundur.	17,900	G.O., F.D., 31st Jan. 1876, No. 208.	630	8,669	630	..	9,299	Earth-work and masonry work completed throughout 13 miles.
		Road No. 36-A from Annayanayakunur to Silkwarputti.	5,400	G.O., F.D., No. 453, 27th Feb. 1875.	1,410	3,993	1,209	..	5,202	Certain masonry works improved and road widened here and there.
		Masonry works on Road No. — from Uppilipatti to Dharsapuram.	6,200	G.O., R.D., No. 2,307, 12th Oct. 1877.	2,529	2,000	2,448	..	4,448	Work stopped under restrictive order of Government.
		Gravelling Road No. 36-A, Annayanayanur to Silkwarputti.	1,300	Board's Procs., No. 8,106, 7th Aug. 1878.	1,300	..	1,300	..	1,300	Completed.
		Petty Works	..		720	490	910	..	1,400	
Tinnevely.	1	Tinnevely to Rajapollim, <i>vid</i> Sankraminarakol, 32 miles.	68,500	G.O., P.W.D., No. 152-W, 11th Jan. 1879.	1,938	48,560	2,493	..	51,053	Twenty-two miles of road completed including masonry works. The earth raising of miles 14 to 16 completed, and broken stones and gravel for metalling the same collected and partly spread. Four culverts on the 14th, one road-dam on the 18th, and three others on the 16th mile have been completed.
		Constructing a road-dam across Sarakal Odai on Road No. IV-B. Petty Works	1,660 1,025	Board's Procs., Mis. No. 876, 26th Feb. 1877.	1,560 460	.. 566	954 46	.. 389	954 1,002	Materials collected and works commenced.

	Petty Works	..	..	..	100	..	..	100	100	
Shet. madevi.		..	..	..	100	..	..	100	100	
Columba.	Petty Works	..	..	..	716	..	716	..	716	
Salem.	<i>Nil.</i>	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	
Osoor.	<i>Nil.</i>	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	
Nileghis.	<i>Nil.</i>	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	
		27,250	G.O., F.D., 21st June 1872, No. 1,798.	4,000	23,208	..	..	3,106	26,314	31½ miles have been completed.
1	Metalling Road No. 1 from Mangalore to the Mysore frontier <i>via</i> the Sampaghi Ghaut.	9,850	G.O., P.W.D., 16th July 1879, No. 2,321.	2,500	1,100	..	..	315	1,415	Earth-work in reducing the gradients and widening has been executed in portion of the road near Seerady, and further work is in progress.
3	Improvement to Road No. 2 from Manzarabad Ghaut to Mani <i>via</i> Uppinangadi.	28,000	G.O., F.D., 27th Dec. 1875, No. 2,507.	8,500	781	..	..	3,023	3,804	Materials for masonry works collected and preparation made for laying the foundations.
4	Construction of an iron lattice girder bridge across the Chinnahole stream on Road No. 2 from Manzarabad Ghaut to Mani <i>via</i> Uppinangadi.	11,240	G.O., F.D., 6th Nov. 1874, No. 1,881.	800	9,961	..	..	129	10,090	The work is completed with the exception of constructing rough stone culvert and opening approaches to the Benhatti bridge.
	Construction of a road from Collur Ghaut to Benhatti.	24,700	G.O., F.D., 12th Feb. 1879, No. 237.	15,109	9,591	..	..	11,243	20,855	The masonry work has been completed fully and the iron work paid for except the flooring plates which have not yet been received from Madras. The work will be completed about the end of December.
	Construction of an iron lattice girder bridge of 35 feet span over the Benglar stream on Road No. 2 from Manzarabad Ghaut to Mani <i>via</i> Uppinangadi.	5,700	G.O., F.D., 20th April 1874, No. 638.	64	5,636	..	..	17	5,653	The bridge was completed in 1877-78, with the exception of the roadway. This, however, was done early in March 1879.
	Minor bridges below the Mysore frontier and the head of the Collur Ghaut on Road No. 17.	9,500	G.O., P.W.D., 3rd Nov. 1868, No. 3,444, and G.O., F.D., 18th Jan. 1873, No. 84.	2,217	4,873	..	..	474	5,347	Out of the twelve bridges six have been fully completed. Two have been abandoned owing to new traces having been opened. Materials being collected for two and one not yet commenced. Abutments and wing walls have been raised to 8½ feet high to No. 6, or Gaggi bridge.

Statement showing all the new Roads undertaken by the Public Works Department and by Other Agency during 1878-79, &c.—(Continued).

Circles.	Number of the Item in the Budget.	Description of Work.	Amount of Estimate.	Date and Number of Sanction.	Allotment in the Budget.	EXPENDITURE				Remarks.
						From the commencement of the Work up to 31st March 1878.	In 1878-79			
							By P. W. D.	By Other Agency.	Total.	
Canara—(Continued).		Construction of a road from Mangalore to Mulky <i>via</i> Sheddé Baghi and Tarepady.	RS. 21,450	G.O., F.D., 12th Feb. 1878, No. 268.	RS. 8,460	RS. 2,953	RS. 5,314	RS. 8,267	Except a mile of road at Katil and about 2 miles on the plain between Yekkar and Bhaggi, the rest of the road has been fully widened to 18 feet breadth. The Bajpe masonry bridge has been completed with the exception of arch work and parapets; none of the culverts have been fully completed. Iron work put up. The only work remaining to be done is the building of rough granite buttresses. Materials collected.	
		Construction of an iron bridge at Arival on road from Mulky to Mudabidy.	2,760	Board's Proc., 27th March 1878, Mis. No. 3,126, and 16th Jan. 1879, No. 102.	759	2,001	521	2,522		
		Constructing the Elmody bridge on Road No. 1.	1,660	Board's Proc., No. 4,600, 8th May 1878.	1,660	..	554	554		
		Petty Works	2,426		2,426	..	948	948		
		Tambercherry ghaut and road ..	6,97,671	G.O., F.D., 26th Jan. 1878, No. 156.	..	6,50,114	1,903	..	6,52,017	In progress.
Calicut.		Road from Culpetta to Ponnava-ran.	31,000	G.O., F.D., 29th Nov. 1875, No. 2,326.	1,000	..	..	494	494	
		Constructing three wooden bridges on the road from Calicut to Malapuram with masonry ones.	1,697	Board's Proc., 11th No. 1878, Mis. No. 9,640.	1,097	..	..	294	294	Do.
		Reconstructing timber bridge over Noolpoya river.	3,080	Board's Proc., 29th Dec. 1873, No. 8,761.	..	1,999	131	..	2,130	Do.
		Renewing the roadway of Kanumpoya bridge.	..	Board's Proc., No. 51, 6th Jan. 1879.	3,155	..	..	185	185	
		Petty Works	..		..	..	733	..	733	
Tellicherry.	1	Periah Ghaut and road to Mysore frontier including retrace.	2,51,283	G.O., P.W.D., 16th Dec. 1879, No. 3,248-W.	10,790	2,40,944	..	..	2,49,310	In progress.
		Reconstructing bridges and culverts on road between Mannantoddy and Terriote.	21,235	G.O., No. 163, 14th Jan. 1870.	..	12,218	1,681	..	13,899	Do.
		Constructing a fair weather road from Periah to Koroth.	9,556	G.O., 29th Oct. 1877, No. 2,610.	781	9,559	784	..	10,343	Do.

No. 5.—Statement of Actual Receipts and Expenditure of Endowment Fund for 1878-79.

Circles.	RECEIPTS.						EXPENDITURE.			
	Balance.	Interest, &c.	Rents, &c.	Capital Allotments.	Appropriation of Local Fund Boards.	Contributions, Sale of Medicines, &c.	Hospitals.		Total.	Remarks.
							Fixed Charges.	Contingent Charges.		
1. Chattrapur ..	Rs. 10,175	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
2. Chicacole ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
3. Vizagapatam ..	..	..	5,956	..	..	..	..	..	16,131	..
4. Cocanada ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
5. Ellore ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	794	..
6. Masulipatam ..	..	..	16	..	..	..	..	..	719	..
7. Gunfar ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
8. Nellore ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
9. Cuddapah ..	..	..	758	..	1,547	..	..	..	2,305	..
10. Madanapalle ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
11. Bellary ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
12. Penukonda ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
13. Gooty ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
14. Kurnool ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
15. Saidapet ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
16. Chingleput ..	..	..	78	..	371	4,531	..	..	5,681	..
17. Chittoor ..	..	..	60	..	1,773	32,940	..	..	37,328	..
18. Vellore ..	..	..	..	1,200	..	..	..	..	1,559	..
19. Cuddalore ..	..	..	335	..	..	..	..	..	1,233	..
20. Vriddhachalam ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
21. Tanjore ..	..	..	2,34,620	..	..	..	..	..	126	..
22. Negapatam ..	..	..	2,642	..	4,314	46,867	..	..	3,74,480	..
23. Trichinopoly ..	..	..	2,763	..	..	1,236	..	..	15,178	..
24. Madura ..	..	..	2,936	..	..	2,156	..	..	18,589	..
25. Dindigul ..	..	..	622	..	..	5,594	..	..	10,223	..
26. Tinnevely ..	..	..	940	..	..	2,515	..	..	4,056	..
27. Salem ..	..	..	17,434	..	..	780	..	..	866	..
28. Chembatore ..	..	..	..	..	3,349	766	..	..	14,281	..
29. Nilgiris ..	..	..	108	..	..	4,883	..	..	12,133	..
30. Hosur ..	..	..	..	..	1,955	..	..	..	815	..
31. Canara ..	..	..	..	..	2,222	..	..	..	3,508	..
32. Calicut ..	..	..	401	..	372	..	..	..	4,880	..
33. Tellicherry ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2,750	..
34. ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	372	..
Total ..	1,30,780	16,845	2,70,617	1,632	15,882	1,02,837	14,150	25,413	5,28,593	
						500			500	
						1,02,337			5,28,093	

Deduct Contribution between Circles ..

Statement of Actual Receipts and Expenditure of Endowment Fund for 1878-79—(Continued).

EXPENDITURE—(Continued).

Circles.	Chattrams.		Expenditure on Public Works.	Public Works Supervision.	Tools and Plant.	Contributions for Education.	Other Purposes.	Total.	Balance.
	Fixed Charges.	Contingent Charges.							
		11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18
1. Chattrapur ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	Rs.
2. Chicacole ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
3. Vizagapatam ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
4. Cocanada ..	1,042	7,302	..	..	..	..	200	8,544	7,587
5. Ellore ..	91	23	..	..	..	..	..	114	680
6. Masulipatam ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	719
7. Gunthar ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
8. Nellore ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
9. Cuddapah ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
10. Madanapalle ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
11. Bellary ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
12. Penakonda ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2,305	..
13. Gooty ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
14. Kurnool ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
15. Saidapet ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
16. Chingleput ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
17. Chittoor ..	..	..	17,599	4,400	..	..	..	..	681
18. Vellore ..	515	627	..	..	..	..	..	5,098	483
19. Cuddalore ..	131	817	..	..	..	..	..	34,651	2,677
20. Vriddhachalam ..	249	123	..	..	..	..	..	1,448	111
21. Tanjore ..	99	23	..	..	..	..	..	372	861
22. Negapatam ..	27,997	2,04,094	5,725	..	..	2,540	2,710	2,43,065	1,31,414
23. Trichinopoly ..	708	1,449	228	..	60	..	..	9,824	5,354
24. Madura ..	413	267	2,586	..	..	..	..	3,925	14,663
25. Dindigul ..	3,063	1,937	..	600	..	..	..	3,073	2,150
26. Tinnevely ..	955	266	..	..	..	..	..	3,161	895
27. Sernadévi ..	1,277	493	..	..	..	..	..	4,808	332
28. Coimbatore ..	1,828	9,928	71	..	..	..	..	13,949	4,613
29. Nilgiris ..	2,522	609	..	..	..	..	..	7,520	388
30. Salem ..	437	..	650	..	..	..	51	437	1,320
31. Hosur ..	192	56	..	..	..	..	..	2,158	1,801
32. Canara ..	42	10	..	..	..	..	..	3,079	..
33. Calicut ..	..	..	309	..	..	..	..	..	..
34. Tellicherry ..	408	..	132	..	..	..	..	2,750	..
	240	..	..	..	..	..	..	372	..
Total ..	42,199	2,28,024	27,559	5,000	500	2,540	10,412	3,55,797	1,72,796
Deduct Contribution between Circles ..									
								500	
								9,912	
								3,55,297	

No. 6.—Statement of Actual Receipts and Expenditure of the General Fund for 1878-79.

Circles.	RECEIPTS.																	
	Provincial Funds			Avenues.	One-third Land Cess.		House Tax.	School Fees.	Contributions.				Receipts on account of				Sale of materials.	Travellers' Bungalows.
	Balance.	2	3		4	5			6	7	For Education.	Other.	Total.	Education.	Hospitals.	Choultries.		
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17		
1. Chattrapur ..	RS.	20,927	RS.	11	RS.	43,707	RS.	100	RS.	100	RS.	672	RS.	..	..	RS.	213	
2. Chicacole ..	..	20,051	..	..	..	20,168	..	180	..	200	..	1,005	..	..	..	..	50	
3. Vizagapatam ..	..	11,027	..	217	..	62,581	..	504	64	568	..	97	..	10	..	..	419	
4. Cocanada ..	..	90,961	..	3,342	..	57,369	..	60	..	60	..	605	..	7,541	..	..	73	
5. Ellore ..	..	..	..	758	..	43,173	..	20	..	20	..	24	..	2,702	..	..	64	
6. Masulipatam ..	..	..	..	..	..	30,516	..	50	..	50	..	30	..	..	..	..	246	
7. Gunthar ..	..	80,590	..	..	..	40,822	..	281	..	281	..	48	..	515	..	..	388	
8. Nellore ..	..	3,250	..	..	..	82,305	..	..	..	..	..	20	..	..	..	..	570	
9. Cuddapah ..	..	2,120	..	187	..	44,919	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	205	
10. Madanapalle ..	..	20,160	..	186	..	23,135	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	267	
11. Bellary ..	..	24,767	..	..	..	18,529	..	200	120	320	..	17	..	..	..	..	..	
12. Penakonda ..	..	10,383	..	..	..	16,411	..	..	..	..	..	39	..	..	..	..	..	
13. Gooty ..	..	..	..	1	..	26,609	..	20	..	20	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	
14. Kurnool ..	..	3,608	..	28	..	43,601	..	20	..	20	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	
15. Saidapet ..	..	1,647	..	116	..	18,450	..	..	..	..	..	13	..	..	..	..	..	
16. Chingleput ..	..	3,564	..	537	..	24,847	..	100	..	100	..	5	..	..	..	..	..	
17. Chittoor ..	..	..	..	775	..	63,709	..	..	450	510	..	1,884	..	872	..	..	576	
18. Vellore ..	..	11,910	..	341	..	48,829	..	180	..	180	..	..	..	6	..	..	105	
19. Cuddalore ..	..	3,633	..	956	..	47,370	..	120	..	120	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	
20. Vriddhachalam ..	..	20,342	..	368	..	36,884	..	150	..	150	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	
21. Tanjore ..	..	41,960	..	2,451	..	49,161	..	80	10	90	..	159	..	..	..	..	605	
22. Negapatam ..	..	68,955	..	1,938	..	41,826	..	180	80	260	..	5	..	1,851	..	..	115	
23. Trichinopoly ..	..	6,306	..	1,433	..	49,892	..	..	..	..	..	3	..	8,041	..	..	24	
24. Madura ..	..	10,563	..	1,095	..	34,876	..	50	..	50	..	..	..	..	..	..	232	
25. Dindigul ..	..	526	..	1,498	..	37,492	..	..	..	..	..	1,753	..	60	..	..	52	
26. Tirunelveli ..	..	3,811	..	2,882	..	44,142	..	..	..	..	..	42	..	399	..	..	8	
27. Sernadévi ..	..	6,615	..	1,042	..	18,188	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	358	..	..	533	
28. Coimbatore ..	..	26,252	..	1,312	..	80,619	..	104	..	104	..	185	..	1,110	..	..	512	
29. Nilgiris ..	..	1,266	..	..	..	988	..	340	..	340	..	..	..	..	..	..	121	
30. Salem ..	..	..	..	4,795	..	53,102	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	240	
31. Hosur ..	..	32,365	..	3,666	..	20,541	..	..	..	..	..	166	..	842	..	..	889	
32. Canara ..	..	15,850	..	..	..	799	..	..	..	..	..	71	..	2,040	..	..	680	
33. Calicut ..	..	23,507	..	1,032	..	28,259	..	..	..	..	..	32	..	..	..	..	498	
34. Tellicherry ..	..	30,571	..	7,740	..	46,920	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	356	
Total ..	..	17,071	..	673	..	21,542	..	544	..	544	..	171	..	..	..	..	613	
	..	13,090	..	..	..	864	..	..	..	..	..	12	..	..	..	..	379	
	..	52,788	..	38,555	..	20,480	..	3,343	924	4,267	999	7,005	31	27,806	528	9,317		

Statement of Actual Receipts and Expenditure of the General Fund for 1878-79.—(Continued).

Circles.	Receipts—(Continued).						EXPENDITURE.									
	Sale of Books.	Public Works Receipts and Expenditure.	Miscellaneous.	Miscellaneous Debt Account.	Total.	Appropriation to Road Fund for Roads.	Appropriation to Endowment Fund.		Hospitals.	Cholentrics.	Travellers' Bungalows.	Avenues.	Tanks and Wells.	Miscellaneous Public Works.	Public Works Department General Estab-lishment.	
							Hospitals.	Cholentrics.								
18.	19.	20.	21.	22.	23.	24.	25.	26.	27.	28.	29.	30.	31.	32.	33.	
1. Chattrapur ..	Rs. 138	Rs. 720	Rs. 661	Rs. ..	Rs. 67,059	Rs. ..	Rs. ..	Rs. ..	Rs. ..	Rs. ..	Rs. 119	Rs. 958	Rs. 54	Rs. 60	Rs. 284	
2. Chitacole ..	205	3,026	424	..	45,681	..	..	..	..	..	15	4,764	..	694	1,368	
3. Vizagapatnam ..	301	2,159	118	290	79,386	..	196	..	445	..	1,174	497	..	1,090	960	
4. Cocanada ..	144	1,707	1,110	8	1,62,815	..	..	..	..	7,574	1,68	6,317	1,211	1,458	4,182	
5. Ellore ..	99	2,739	525	..	1,17,326	..	168	..	..	..	567	6,248	1,437	4,289	3,134	
6. Masulipatam ..	103	1,889	767	92	1,16,024	..	7	..	..	732	49	2,060	58	1,614	1,350	
7. Guntur ..	90	1,067	799	1	1,24,887	..	..	..	99	3,957	27	3,664	3,113	865	1,912	
8. Nellore ..	490	..	..	..	65,417	..	..	..	..	..	..	1,759	..	1,579	..	
9. Cuddapah ..	117	..	2,510	..	47,531	..	..	..	..	..	144	1,060	..	134	123	
10. Madanapalle ..	77	..	203	..	5,646	..	..	..	..	..	..	1,060	..	118	65	
11. Bellary ..	196	4,179	7,341	1	14,009	..	..	..	35	..	..	1,285	..	2,259	841	
12. Penakonda ..	62	1,981	825	240	9,325	..	..	..	..	..	..	1,174	..	1,749	13	
13. Gooty ..	103	3,786	170	..	18,448	..	7	..	..	127	..	1,143	..	1,766	734	
14. Kurnool ..	344	..	1,818	4,943	48,831	..	..	..	..	..	..	2,136	..	74	..	
15. Saidapet ..	625	..	..	382	21,600	..	..	..	120	..	..	1,282	..	295	74	
16. Chingelput ..	325	..	113	..	22,939	..	..	..	..	..	..	2,808	..	..	..	
17. Chittoor ..	361	13,580	28,852	374	86,988	..	6	..	75	..	580	16,580	..	10,050	5	
18. Vellore ..	248	3,178	188	..	41,698	..	175	..	..	..	108	9,113	..	185	27	
19. Cuddalore ..	546	..	436	45	54,990	..	..	..	..	..	216	2,055	..	93	..	
20. Vriddhachalam ..	286	..	66	..	64,964	..	4,440	..	..	1,744	92	6,874	7	176	1,550	
21. Tanjore ..	197	..	3,114	1,000	1,00,492	..	..	..	191	..	..	..	..	..	..	
22. Negapatam ..	194	..	9,857	..	1,33,648	..	..	..	128	..	182	3,184	..	176	75	
23. Trichinopoly ..	638	2,214	573	80	61,135	..	998	..	96	..	140	6,025	..	..	1,546	
24. Madura ..	265	..	512	18	50,519	..	..	..	419	..	72	3,633	..	887	1,004	
25. Dindigul ..	..	..	660	2	40,465	..	..	..	..	100	..	802	..	213	344	
26. Tinnevely ..	..	172	320	70	62,787	..	..	..	1,004	372	22	3,406	..	890	451	
27. Shermadevi ..	..	24	26	1	27,157	..	60	..	..	..	..	1,145	970	18	5	
28. Coimbatore ..	165	913	1,696	45	1,36,415	..	..	..	397	2,493	147	1,650	..	2,699	1,344	
29. Nilgiris ..	..	..	153	..	4,895	..	..	..	..	..	358	..	..	83	..	
30. Salem ..	329	1,034	7,042	1,387	39,341	..	234	..	..	6	633	2,168	..	3,346	69	
31. Hosur ..	169	605	722	1,189	14,476	..	67	..	380	415	..	1,283	..	964	77	
32. Canara ..	..	1,798	117	..	58,072	..	209	..	755	240	1,635	22	..	1,313	697	
33. Calicut ..	1,462	..	18,053	..	51,122	..	680	..	267	223	1,101	..	..	3,312	832	
34. Tellicherry ..	670	..	18,167	..	39,140	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	208	..	
Total ..	9,170	46,771	1,03,020	14,538	20,25,434	..	7,197	5,365	17,568	7,897	6,850	93,747	42,971	23,268		

Statement of Actual Receipts and Expenditure of the General Fund for 1878-79.—(Continued).

Circles.	EXPENDITURE—(Continued).															
	Tools and Plant.	Contributions for Public Works.	Miscellaneous.	Total Grant I.	Inspection.	Local Schools.	Contributions to Government Normal Schools.	Local Fund Training Schools.	Salary Grants.	Results Grants.	Arrears of Pay to Rate Schoolmasters.	Purchase of Books, &c.	Contributions.	Other.	Total Grant II.	Appropriation to Endowment Fund.
1. Chattrapur ..	Rs. 28	Rs.	Rs.	Rs. 1,503	Rs. 2,076	Rs. 11,800	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs. 856	Rs.	Rs. 442	Rs.	Rs.	Rs. 15,185	Rs.
2. Chitacole ..	137	..	..	6,978	1,424	6,451	..	..	..	2,150	..	902	..	..	10,927	..
3. Vizagapatnam ..	96	..	..	5,518	2,396	9,212	..	..	..	308	..	1,554	..	..	15,833	..
4. Cocanada ..	418	..	..	21,328	2,504	24,773	..	..	..	385	..	639	..	..	32,162	..
5. Ellore ..	313	..	..	16,156	1,795	22,778	..	..	..	1,269	..	118	..	..	25,960	..
6. Masulipatnam ..	135	..	3	6,898	2,428	1,604	..	..	..	246	..	863	..	..	7,556	..
7. Guntur ..	191	..	15	9,786	3,083	828	..	..	..	3,198	..	250	..	..	7,359	..
8. Nellore ..	..	..	95	5,631	2,848	12,533	..	..	..	2,250	..	1,257	..	..	19,888	..
9. Cuddapah ..	..	..	..	2,066	1,511	3,007	..	..	..	1,377	..	617	..	..	6,512	..
10. Madanapalle ..	..	..	..	1,420	825	..	..	..	..	250	..	70	..	..	1,145	1,547
11. Bellary ..	..	..	..	4,420	1,324	3,545	..	..	26	727	..	8	..	..	5,630	..
12. Pennakonda ..	..	..	..	2,936	1,708	770	..	..	..	703	..	188	..	..	3,369	..
13. Gooty ..	..	..	..	3,777	2,208	1,398	..	..	..	539	..	170	..	..	4,315	..
14. Kurnool ..	..	..	..	2,210	3,658	13,070	..	..	..	217	..	29	..	..	16,974	..
15. Saidapet ..	..	..	..	1,779	1,591	1,028	..	..	..	1,458	..	194	..	..	4,271	..
16. Chingelput ..	..	..	..	2,808	2,139	..	..	..	..	2,274	..	550	..	..	5,467	371
17. Chittoor ..	..	..	..	27,997	2,745	5,373	..	..	..	4,903	..	449	..	..	13,470	1,772
18. Vellore ..	..	..	..	9,437	1,682	6,100	..	..	..	3,042	..	162	..	..	9,986	..
19. Cuddalore ..	..	..	..	2,559	3,197	7,607	..	..	..	1,566	..	1,194	..	..	13,564	..
20. Vriddhachalam ..	..	..	142	8,091	1,616	5,705	..	..	..	1,303	..	473	..	..	9,097	..
21. Tanjore ..	..	..	..	7,959	2,223	4,674	..	..	..	3,246	..	438	..	..	10,481	..
22. Negapatnam ..	..	..	..	4,750	1,602	11,809	..	..	110	3,759	..	441	..	..	17,721	4,314
23. Trichinopoly ..	..	..	153	7,959	2,104	4,709	..	..	..	1,864	..	..	..	..	8,677	..
24. Madura ..	..	..	..	5,365	2,926	..	..	..	..	2,238	..	1,731	..	1,037	7,832	..
25. Dindigul ..	..	..	..	1,950	1,465	..	..	..	..	1,410	..	454	..	221	3,824	..
26. Tinnevely ..	..	..	..	6,141	827	..	..	..	..	13,644	..	..	..	..	14,471	..
27. Shermadevi ..	..	..	..	2,198	544	..	..	..	..	10,324	..	..	..	..	10,868	..
28. Coimbatore ..	..	..	..	8,730	2,585	..	..	850	23	952	..	..	..	..	5,198	3,349
29. Nilgiris ..	..	..	..	447	492	..	..	..	300	..	..	..	..	..	792	..
30. Salem ..	..	..	..	6,927	1,882	8,190	..	..	101	487	..	..	..	..	11,224	..
31. Hosur ..	..	..	..	3,193	865	4,314	..	..	..	293	..	..	..	..	5,721	1,935
32. Canara ..	..	..	..	4,941	887	10,741	..	..	..	514	..	249	..	..	13,218	..
33. Calicut ..	..	..	..	6,474	3,412	8,317	..	..	..	3,433	..	1,076	..	296	22,439	2,223
34. Tellicherry ..	..	..	..	208	3,036	6,665	..	..	..	3,802	..	618	..	155	22,086	372
Total ..	1,828	..	255	2,08,946	67,608	1,96,574	..	850	11,238	86,695	..	17,646	1,000	1,711	3,83,322	15,882

Statement of Actual Receipts and Expenditure of the General Fund for 1878-79.—(Continued).

Circles.	EXPENDITURE—(Continued).													
	Unendowed Hos- pitals.	Unendowed Cholentrics.	Vaccination.	Medical Practi- tioners.	Sanitary Estab- lishment.	Markets.	Bungalows.	Miscellaneous.	Contributions.	Total Grant III.	Share of Cost of General Ma- nagement.	Miscellaneous.	Debt Account.	Total.
1. Chattrapur	Rs. 6,777	Rs. 3,908	Rs. 3,239	Rs. 36	Rs. 2,053	Rs. 935	Rs. 800	Rs. 1,732	Rs. 800	Rs. 19,206	Rs. 389	Rs. 36,283	Rs. 30,776	
2. Chitanole	4,914	2,333	1,140	..	1,403	375	560	1,732	800	19,206	389	32,822	32,869	
3. Vizagapatnam	11,829	8,902	2,151	..	2,770	1,052	349	3,070	900	14,650	762	32,822	32,869	
4. Cocanada	1,347	4,775	2,512	..	8,619	636	546	3,070	768	31,747	1,314	54,098	54,098	
5. Ellore	964	2,405	1,651	..	2,466	186	272	776	2,190	19,414	983	74,398	74,398	
6. Masulipatam	4,092	3,912	3,867	5	8,981	179	179	1,866	1,113	7,214	990	50,323	50,323	
7. Guntur	5,853	3,362	3,498	..	7,686	538	538	2,667	2,985	23,180	990	38,668	38,668	
8. Nellore	6,908	3,297	4,098	..	10,957	418	418	1,270	4,023	18,589	1,181	36,922	36,922	
9. Cuddapah	6,457	3,297	3,297	..	10,057	1,140	1,140	348	4,023	25,312	1,485	32,316	32,316	
10. Madanapalle	..	2,695	2,695	..	1,896	244	244	201	1,850	21,862	597	31,016	31,016	
11. Bellary	4,672	84	3,239	..	2,053	835	835	935	1,200	13,054	240	23,445	23,445	
12. Penukonda	2,260	102	1,140	..	1,403	..	..	375	..	5,280	93	11,918	11,918	
13. Gooty	3,656	256	2,151	..	2,770	..	..	1,052	2,490	12,375	447	20,939	20,939	
14. Karnool	4,124	132	2,512	..	8,619	349	349	636	2,693	18,965	650	42,042	42,042	
15. Saidapet	1,753	..	1,651	..	2,466	186	186	1,368	..	7,301	183	14,360	14,360	
16. Chingleput	905	..	1,651	..	8,012	559	559	559	1,800	8,862	471	17,610	17,610	
17. Chittoor	17,281	..	3,867	..	8,458	270	270	1,807	..	33,455	1,019	99,550	99,550	
18. Vellore	7,487	54	2,768	..	3,902	904	904	261	1,250	8,235	466	28,124	28,124	
19. Cuddapah	7,487	..	3,237	..	4,716	..	..	1,091	2,330	19,765	594	36,482	36,482	
20. Virudhachalam	3,720	169	3,237	..	11,849	290	290	1,660	1,600	19,694	543	27,522	27,522	
21. Tanjore	5,105	..	3,412	..	10,311	62	62	1,313	1,100	21,303	2,237	37,442	37,442	
22. Negapatam	3,982	..	3,096	..	29,877	261	261	1,800	2,564	44,064	883	67,418	67,418	
23. Trichinopoly	2,638	..	3,595	..	8,367	142	142	1,111	4,613	20,366	734	38,112	38,112	
24. Madura	15,764	..	5,958	..	5,957	65	65	2,641	200	30,585	832	45,754	45,754	
25. Dindigul	9,440	66	3,385	..	1,350	225	225	1,527	1,406	17,399	808	24,110	24,110	
26. Tinnevely	2,407	1,142	4,140	..	8,629	269	269	1,829	2,768	21,184	703	42,612	42,612	
27. Shernadevi	..	430	1,795	..	3,281	389	389	2,642	..	5,637	668	22,272	22,272	
28. Coimbatore	10,176	15	7,394	..	12,322	250	250	1,210	3,248	51,506	527	65,992	65,992	
29. Nilgris	2,408	..	646	..	410	566	566	200	..	4,230	99	5,568	5,568	
30. Salem	11,060	131	3,652	..	4,983	639	639	851	2,200	28,496	628	43,309	43,309	
31. Hosur	4,280	181	2,914	..	3,414	884	884	434	..	13,342	443	23,698	23,698	
32. Canara	5,089	258	3,115	..	1,051	649	649	711	600	11,473	729	30,361	30,361	
33. Calicut	10,424	352	1,875	..	1,860	902	902	..	7,897	25,532	674	55,119	55,119	
34. Tellicherry	5,312	222	919	..	200	799	799	580	1,116	5,620	78	31,892	31,892	
Total	1,82,984	3,931	1,12,932	46	2,03,874	13,542	13,741	34,653	55,494	6,37,079	22,816	8,156	7,38,343	12,86,091

No. 736.

PROCEEDINGS OF THE BOARD OF REVENUE, dated 28th May 1880.

THE Board beg to submit their report on the operations of the Local Funds constituted under Madras Act IV of 1871 for 1878-79 with the usual statements marginally noted, and a file of printed reports furnished by the Presidents of Local Fund Boards.

- No. 1.—Statement showing the Actual Receipts of the Local Fund.
 No. 2.—Statement showing the Actual Expenditure of the Local Fund.
 No. 3.—Statement showing the Actual Receipts and Expenditure of the Road Funds.
 No. 4.—Statement showing the Progress of all important New roads.
 No. 5.—Statement showing the Actual Receipts and Expenditure of the Endowment Fund.
 No. 6.—Statement showing the Actual Receipts and Expenditure of the General Fund.

* Vide paragraph 8 of Board's Proceedings, dated 14th October 1879, No. 2,923.

† Statement of Receipts, 26th February 1880.
 Do. of Charges, 12th March "

2. The Circle reports for the year with the unaudited figures have been severally reviewed by the Board and Government for administrative purposes. Under these circumstances, the Board have, as already intimated,* delayed the submission of their general report in order that it might be rendered complete by the adoption of the audited figures, which were furnished by the Accountant-General on the dates marginally noted†. Without audited figures the report would have been of little value. To obviate the delay which must have occurred in making references to the Presidents regarding the differences between their figures and those of the Accountant-General after the receipt of his statements, the Board have, in their Circular Memorandum, dated 22nd November 1879, No. 2,030, called upon the Presidents to furnish them with statements showing the figures as given in their reports and those adopted under advices from the Accountant-General on the final audit of accounts, explaining in detail the cause of any variations between the two sets of figures. The replies having all been received in time, each case of discrepancy has been gone into and correct figures have been adopted in the report. There is however still a large demand against Local Funds on account of famine expenditure which will be referred to later in this report.

3. CHANGES IN THE YEAR.—Under instructions from the Government of India, Local Funds were charged with a fixed rate of $2\frac{1}{2}$ per cent. on actual outlay on Public Works on account of "Tools and Plant" with retrospective effect from 1st April 1877 instead of the actual charges incurred on this account.

In consequence of the insufficiency of funds to meet the pressing requirements of the two circles of the Malabar District, and to equalize the incidence of local taxation in this district to that existing in other districts, it having been unduly light in consequence of the peculiarity of the land tenure in Malabar, a draft bill for doubling the land-cess was introduced into the local Legislative Council and became law as Act I of 1878. Under this Act, the levy of two annas instead of one anna in the rupee on the rent value of land in the district was enforced from 1st July 1878.

4. The following statement shows the actual receipts and charges compared with the estimate and the actuals of the previous year:—

RECEIPTS.

Heads.	Actuals, 1877-78.	Estimate, 1878-79.	Actuals, 1878-79.	Increase over Estimate.	Decrease under Estimate.
	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.
Balance ..	6,16,093	4,45,630	5,82,337	1,36,907	..
Provincial Grant for Roads ..	1,18,230	90,000	70,000	..	20,000
Do. for Schools ..	23,230	18,100	16,450	..	1,650
Do. for general purposes ..	9,410	14,510	14,510	..	..
Surplus Pound Fund ..	47,065	66,220	57,414	..	8,806
Ferry Rents ..	91,025	98,470	1,09,126	10,656	..
Avenues ..	29,070	30,460	38,655	8,195	..
Fish Rents ..	61,485	88,630	85,924	..	2,706
Grass do. ..	89	100	147	47	..
Miscellaneous ..	4,015	3,890	4,629	739	..
Road Cess ..	228	400	790	390	..
Land Cess ..	29,21,032	39,34,190	39,68,381	34,191	..
Tolls ..	2,95,676	4,01,570	3,50,449	..	51,121
House Tax ..	4	..	..	..	..
School Fees ..	20,312	21,450	20,480	..	970
Contribution from Municipalities ..	4,320	11,740	15,407	3,667	..
Cess under Act VI of 1863 ..	45	..	..	..	..
Other Educational Receipts ..	384	190	999	809	..
Hospitals and Dispensaries ..	18,487	14,654	26,231	11,577	..
Choultries ..	2,52,165	2,23,046	3,44,015	1,20,969	..
Miscellaneous ..	3,540	5,800	4,156	..	1,644
Travellers' Bungalow fees, &c. ..	11,728	7,890	9,317	1,427	..
Sale proceeds of School Books ..	8,898	20,420	9,170	..	11,250
Market Rents ..	24,288	23,460	26,519	3,059	..
Fines and Penalties ..	6,062	5,540	4,033	..	1,507
Sale of materials ..	2,176	1,130	552	..	578
Sale of other property ..	1,108	1,070	1,512	442	..
Public Works receipts and refunds of expenditure.	16,39,847	2,620	20,53,186	20,50,566	..
Contribution from private individuals in aid of works ..	34,119	33,980	51,378	17,398	..
Miscellaneous ..	30,685	14,240	35,520	21,280	..
Capital account of Loan ..	..	10,790	..	..	10,790
Miscellaneous Debt Account ..	64,861	..	1,12,543	1,12,543	..
Contribution from Provincial Services to meet the deficit in some circle ..	..	..	1,58,845	1,58,845	..
Total ..	63,39,677	55,90,190	81,82,875	27,03,707	1,11,022

EXPENDITURE.

Heads.	Actuals, 1877-78.	Estimate of 1878-79 in- cluding sub- sequent allotments.	Actuals, 1878-79.	Increase over Estimate.	Decrease under Estimate.
	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.
GRANT I.					
New Works.					
Communications ..	7,62,428	6,47,214	12,27,126	5,79,912	..
{ By P. W. D. ..	..	..	..	..	..
{ Other Agency ..	3,55,535	46,704	28,436	..	18,268
Civil Buildings ..	43,220	1,16,922	46,187	..	69,735
{ By P. W. D. ..	..	..	..	..	..
{ Other Agency ..	22,924	31,153	16,752	..	14,401
Miscellaneous Public ..	21,775	12,603	9,912	..	2,691
Improvements ..	23,730	17,000	25,332	8,332	..
Repairs					
Communications ..	17,34,081	17,76,316	21,09,905	3,33,589	..
{ By P. W. D. ..	..	..	..	..	..
{ Other Agency ..	2,43,933	1,74,700	65,524	..	1,09,176
Civil Buildings ..	16,963	28,602	12,457	..	16,145
{ By P. W. D. ..	..	..	..	..	..
{ Other Agency ..	14,039	18,766	13,169	..	5,597
Miscellaneous Public ..	62,748	52,502	49,898	..	2,604
Improvements ..	1,07,552	50,786	37,447	..	13,339
Public Works Supervision ..	6,65,272	6,50,363	8,87,491	2,37,128	..
Petty Establishment ..	4,563	9,860	475	..	9,385
Other do. ..	404	..	38,117	..	..
Tolls and Ferries ..	8,285	15,765	12,793	..	2,972
Tools and Plant ..	1,47,186	69,672	96,147	26,475	..
Contingencies ..	64	3,684	1,262	..	2,422
Contributions to Municipalities ..	30,587	9,490	8,470	..	1,020
Do. to other Governments ..	3,618	30,010	3,287	..	26,723
Miscellaneous ..	19,426	250	4,290	4,040	..
Total Grant I ..	42,88,333	37,61,362	46,94,477	12,27,593	2,94,478
GRANT II.					
Inspection ..	61,865	77,152	67,608	..	9,544
Local Fund Training Schools ..	..	2,500	850	..	1,650
Do. Schools ..	2,01,497	2,69,849	1,69,114	..	70,735
Salary Grants ..	9,470	12,063	11,238	..	825
Results do. ..	1,57,846	1,83,663	86,695	..	96,968
Purchase of books ..	10,649	24,355	17,646	..	6,709
Contributions ..	1,240	1,000	1,000	..	..
Miscellaneous ..	817	7,805	1,711	..	6,094
Total Grant II ..	4,46,384	5,78,387	3,85,862	..	1,92,525
GRANT III.					
Hospitals and Dispensaries ..	2,00,084	2,56,499	2,22,547	..	33,952
Vaccination ..	1,07,204	1,23,478	1,12,935	..	10,543
Medical Practitioners ..	1,107	8,105	46	..	8,059
Sanitary Establishment ..	2,21,166	2,92,478	2,05,809	..	86,669
Markets ..	9,152	19,100	12,542	..	5,558
Choultries ..	2,38,925	2,21,416	2,79,418	58,002	..
Bungalows ..	16,561	15,865	13,741	..	2,124
Contributions ..	62,305	75,839	58,204	..	17,635
Miscellaneous ..	13,756	25,418	34,653	9,235	..
Total Grant III ..	8,70,260	10,38,198	9,40,895	67,237	1,64,540
GRANT IV.					
Presidency Establishment ..	18,380	18,650	17,943	..	707
Collectors' do. ..	14,008	14,540	13,928	..	612
Local Fund Boards do. ..	21,251	23,150	22,223	..	927
General Contingencies ..	8,780	16,080	9,252	..	6,828
Total Grant IV ..	62,419	72,420	63,846	..	9,074
Refund of Cess and Miscellaneous ..	34,951	1,050	41,780	40,730	..
Advances Recoverable ..	45,245	..	40,113	40,113	..
Suspense Account ..	9,177	..	5,715	5,715	..
Cash Recoveries ..	..	..	..	..	..
Permanent advances ..	370	15	89	74	..
Capital Account of Loan ..	..	27,593	..	..	27,593
Total ..	54,792	27,578	45,917	45,902	27,563
Total Expenditure ..	57,57,139	54,78,995	61,72,277	13,81,462	6,88,180
Balance ..	5,82,538	1,11,195	20,10,598	18,99,403	..
Grand Total ..	63,39,677	55,90,190	81,82,875	32,80,865	6,88,180

5. The year commenced with a balance at credit of Rs. 5,82,537—Rs. 1,36,907 over estimate—and the actual receipts aggregated Rs. 76,00,338, making a total of Rs. 81,82,875 or Rs. 25,92,685 over estimate, due mainly to an excess of Public Works Department refunds amounting to Rs. 20,50,566. Excluding balances, Public Works Department receipts and the fictitious item of refunds, the actual receipts were Rs. 55,47,152 against actuals in 1877-78, Rs. 40,83,737, and excluding Provincial grants and contributions to meet deficits in seven circles Rs. 52,77,347 against Rs. 39,32,867 or Rs. 50,19,330 estimate. The expenditure amounted to Rs. 61,72,277, leaving a balance at the close of the year of Rs. 20,10,598 which is made up of—

	RS.
Road Fund	10,98,459
Endowment Fund	1,72,796
General do.	7,39,343
Total ...	20,10,598

1. Nellore.
2. Bellary.
3. Gooty.
4. Kurnool.

5. Chittoor.
6. Nilgiris.
7. Calicut.

6. The transactions of the year resulted in deficit in the seven circles marginally noted. Explanation of the causes which led to these results will be noticed further on.

7. PROVINCIAL GRANT FOR ROADS.—The total Provincial grant for roads brought to credit is Rs. 70,000 against the provision of Rs. 90,000 in the budget. The decrease of Rs. 20,000 is caused by the withdrawal of the special grant of Rs. 20,000 for the Chatrapur Circle in consequence of the equalization of the price of salt all over the Presidency.

	As per Budget, 1878-79.	Actuals, 1878-79.
	RS.	RS.
Chatrapur	20,000	...
Saidāpet	55,000	55,000
Nilgiris	15,000	15,000
Total ...	90,000	70,000

8. PROVINCIAL GRANT FOR SCHOOLS.—The grant for schools credited in the accounts amounted to Rs. 16,450 against the budget provision of Rs. 18,100. The decrease is owing to the discontinuance of Rs. 1,650, the grant for the Kongayam Middle-class School in the Coimbatore Circle, the school having been converted into a lower-class combined system school.

9. PROVINCIAL GRANT FOR GENERAL PURPOSES.—The grant for this purpose was Rs. 14,510 and is the same as that provided for in the budget.

10. SURPLUS POUND FUND.—The sum credited to Local Funds under this head represents the moiety of the surplus collections of the Cattle Pound Fund. The total amount credited during the year aggregated Rs. 57,414 or Rs. 8,806 less than the estimate and Rs. 10,349 more than the actuals of the previous year. The decrease under estimate was due principally to the small collections under Pound Fund owing to the decrease in the number of cattle during the famine. In some circles, however, it is stated that the contributions from the Pound Fund for the last quarter of the year were not made within the year. This should not be allowed to occur in future. Presidents must see that funds creditable to Local Funds in each year are duly brought to account within the year. In Kurnool, the decrease was owing to a large amount having been contributed from the Surplus Pound Fund to the Jungle Conservancy Fund of the district to meet the deficit existing therein. In Vellore, it was due to the small number of cattle impounded, grass on waste land being abundant and consequently trespass rare. In several circles the receipts from the Pound Fund exhibit an increase. In Chatrapur, the increase is ascribed to the adjustment of the whole of the available balances under Cattle Pound

Fund at the close of each quarter by crediting them to the head "Surplus Pound Fund." As regards the Cuddalore and Vriddhachalam Circles, it is attributed in the first to the amount credited to Local Funds having included a sum of Rs. 2,509 transferred from the Surplus Pound Fund, accumulated in the Chingleput Treasury; and in the second to the large share which the circle appears to have obtained at the general annual distribution of the surplus collections of the Pound Fund over the Presidency. These explanations are unintelligible, as, under the existing rules, the distribution of the surplus collections of the Pound Fund are made at the close of each quarter. The Collectors concerned will explain.

11. FERRY RENTS.—The receipts from ferry rents amounted to Rs. 1,09,126 against Rs. 98,470 the estimate of the year and Rs. 91,025 the actuals of the previous year. The increase in both cases was due to the realization in the year of the outstanding arrears of 1877-78. The receipts in the Tellicherry Circle were greater than the estimate and the actuals of the previous year, owing, it is stated, to the wrong entry of the toll receipts under this head, and also to an unexpected increase in the ferry rents. Again, in paragraph 7 of his report, the Vice-President attributes the increase to the non-appropriation of the ferry rents as estimated in the budget for the year to the General Fund. The recurrence of the irregularities brought to light in the above explanations should be carefully guarded against in future.

12. AVENUES.—Rs. 38,655 were derived from avenues. The receipts show a net increase of Rs. 8,195 over the estimate of the year and of Rs. 9,585 over the actuals of the previous year and were due to,

- (1),—the sale proceeds of a great number of trees blown down in the Vizagapatam and Cocanada Circles in the cyclone of December 1878;
- (2),—Collection of arrears of the previous years and to the more systematic management of avenues in some circles and to the heavy crop of tamarinds in the Chittoor Circle.

13. FISH RENTS.—The fisheries yielded Rs. 85,924 or Rs. 24,439 more than the actuals of the previous year, the result of a gross increase of Rs. 32,077 in sixteen circles against a gross decrease of Rs. 7,638 in seven circles. The increase was due to the realization of the arrears of past years and the punctual collection of the year's demand based on higher bids at auction sales, while the decrease was attributable to,

- (a),—continued deficiency of water in the tanks in some circles and uncertain prospect of the season in others;
- (b),—failure to pay on the part of some Contractors.

In Tanjore, it is remarked that the decrease may be due to the fact that in the present state of the law it is impossible to punish persons who catch fish in rivers which have been rented out by Government.

In their Proceedings,* dated 14th June 1879, No. 1,674, the Board recommended that their Third Member should be allowed to give his undivided attention for about a month to the subject of fisheries and prepare for submission to Government a *resume* of the several proposals together with his opinion thereon and a draft Act with a statement of Objects and Reasons, but the Government declined to sanction the arrangement proposed and expressed a desire to be furnished with Mr. Thomas' views on the points on which he considers legislation advisable.

14. GRASS RENTS.—The income derived from this source is small and aggregated Rs. 147 against Rs. 100 the estimate and Rs. 89 the actuals of the previous year. The

*Recorded in G.O., Revenue Department, dated 20th August 1879, No. 1,730.

amount estimated was expected from the Chittoor Circle alone, but the receipts of the year show small sums credited to this head in the circles noted in the margin. No definite explanation can be given of the variations in the receipts as they do not appear to be of a permanent nature.

15. ROAD CESS.—The receipts from the outstanding arrears of the road-cess under the Repealed Act III of 1866 collected in nine circles amounted to Rs. 790. In paragraph 6 of their Order, dated 15th October 1879, No. 1,839, the Government considered it undesirable to retain in the accounts the petty collections of the cess, and directed the Board to issue instructions to realize the balance due, or, if irrecoverable, to strike the arrears off. The attention of the Presidents was called to the order, and they were requested to report the amount of the outstanding arrears, the circumstances under which they have remained uncollected, and whether the whole or any portion thereof is irrecoverable, and should therefore be written off the accounts. The Board have received replies from some of the Presidents only, but they hope soon to see the the item expunged altogether from the accounts.

16. LAND CESS.—The collections from land-cess amounted to Rs. 39,68,381 against Rs. 39,34,190 the estimate and Rs. 29,21,032 the actuals of 1877-78. The increase over the estimate is small and calls for no remark, except that compared with the actuals of the previous year it was very great and resulted from a gross increase of Rs. 12,09,086 in 25 circles and a gross decrease of Rs. 1,61,737 in nine circles. The large excess in the collections of the year was due to,

- large collection of the arrears, which had accumulated during the famine;
- the punctual collection of the current dues;
- the enhancement of the rate of cess in the two circles of the Malabar District from one anna to two annas noticed above.

The decrease may be attributed to,

- slackness in the collection of the arrears of former years in some circles,
- season not having been favorable enough to admit of larger collections being made.

17. The following statement shows the demand, collection, and balance of land cess in the year under report and the percentage which the collections bore to the demand:—

Circles.	DEMAND.		COLLECTION.		Amount remitted as irrecoverable.	BALANCE.			Percentage of Collections to the Demand.
	Arrears.	Current.	Total.	Arrears.	Current.	Total.	Arrears.	Current.	Total.
	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
1. Chattrapur ..	66,881	1,08,426	1,75,307	56,417	74,705	1,31,122	9,821	33,721	43,542
2. Chitroole ..	16,267	61,861	78,128	14,772	45,731	60,503	1,495	16,130	17,625
3. Vizagapatam ..	37,138	1,99,544	2,36,682	20,672	1,67,079	1,87,751	16,466	32,474	48,940
4. Cocanada ..	28,686	1,68,734	1,97,420	25,817	1,46,289	1,72,106	2,869	22,445	25,314
5. Ellore ..	17,001	1,28,438	1,45,439	15,162	1,14,338	1,29,500	1,839	14,080	15,919
6. Masulipatam ..	46,962	1,09,230	1,56,192	16,520	75,029	91,549	29,442	34,201	63,643
7. Guntur ..	38,999	1,24,891	1,63,890	32,499	89,968	1,22,467	6,600	34,923	41,523
8. Nellore ..	2,68,532	2,21,402	4,79,934	2,10,920	35,999	2,46,919	47,612	1,85,403	2,33,015
9. Chidambaram ..	1,82,607	1,70,911	3,53,518	1,43,767	66,395	2,10,162	38,763	1,04,616	1,43,379
10. Madanapalle ..	65,760	75,081	1,40,841	31,612	23,975	55,587	34,148	51,105	85,254
11. Bellary ..	45,072	37,280	82,352	34,657	14,575	49,232	10,415	22,703	33,120
12. Penmkonda ..	82,895	1,01,346	1,84,241	50,965	28,862	79,827	31,930	72,484	1,04,414
13. Gooty ..	1,50,340	1,09,755	2,60,095	99,943	30,860	1,30,803	60,397	74,875	1,35,272
14. Kurnool ..	42,907	51,745	94,652	27,972	27,379	55,351	14,933	24,366	39,301
15. Saidpet ..	46,085	68,679	1,14,764	40,102	34,438	74,540	5,983	34,241	40,224
16. Chingelput ..	1,71,740	1,17,880	2,89,620	1,28,918	62,210	1,91,128	42,832	54,210	97,038
17. Chittoor ..	87,934	91,168	1,79,102	81,047	63,940	1,44,987	44,741	77,978	1,22,719
18. Vellore ..	1,19,374	1,39,055	2,58,429	74,633	67,177	1,41,810	16,302	55,507	71,809
19. Chidambaram ..	88,052	1,46,331	2,34,383	71,750	38,903	1,10,653	585	7,437	8,022
20. Tirunelveli ..	10,174	1,26,243	1,36,417	9,589	1,20,912	1,30,501	703	5,331	6,034
21. Tanjore ..	1,24,425	69,229	1,93,654	66,144	83,263	1,49,407	21,749	35,195	56,944
22. Negapatam ..	5,268	1,18,458	1,23,726	91,162	13,467	1,04,629	33,263	55,792	89,055
23. Trichinopoly ..	87,945	1,33,436	2,21,381	89,088	23,386	1,12,474	21,899	16,697	38,596
24. Madura ..	1,10,987	1,33,436	2,44,423	43,963	88,623	1,32,586	2,717	44,913	47,630
25. Dindigul ..	46,620	1,33,436	1,80,056	11,704	42,861	54,565	15	11,832	11,847
26. Tirunelveli ..	2,13,225	1,98,953	4,12,178	1,72,828	68,731	2,41,559	40,397	1,30,222	1,70,619
27. Shornale ..	661	4,876	5,537	601	2,361	2,962	60	2,515	2,575
28. Coimbatore ..	1,71,058	1,25,344	2,96,402	1,15,903	43,403	1,59,306	55,155	81,941	1,37,096
29. Nilgiris ..	63,570	43,348	1,06,918	40,126	21,497	61,623	23,444	21,851	45,295
30. Salem ..	29,768	86,674	1,16,442	29,301	55,478	84,779	326	31,196	31,522
31. Hosur ..	11,148	1,35,280	1,46,428	10,247	1,30,512	1,40,759	901	4,768	5,669
32. Canara ..	2,108	66,318	68,426	2,085	62,839	64,924	23	2,479	2,502
33. Calicut ..									
34. Tellicherry ..									
Total ..	24,80,898	35,22,872	60,03,770	18,65,321	21,07,990	39,68,381	6,14,604	14,19,882	20,34,486

Out of the total demand (both arrears and current) of Rs. 60,03,770, Rs. 39,68,381 or 66.09 per cent. was collected, leaving

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The total arrear demand for the year amounted to Rs. 24,80,898, out of which

Rs. 18,65,391 or 75.19 per cent. was collected. Rs. 21,02,990 or 59.69 per cent. was realized out of the total current demand of Rs. 35,22,872. Compared with the previous year, the collections show an increase due to the prompt realization of the arrears as well as of the current dues. The Board are glad to find that a larger share of the collections is credited to the arrears, and they hope that Collectors will see that the arrears of land-cess are speedily realized and that the current collections are punctually credited within the year when received. A sum of Rs. 7,809 has been credited in the accounts of the Madura Circle for the year towards the adjustment of the over-credit to land revenue at the expense of land cess with reference to the instructions conveyed in Board's Proceedings, dated 19th December 1878, No. 3,421,

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19. TOLLS.—The amount realized from tolls aggregated Rs. 3,50,449 against an estimate of Rs. 4,01,570 and Rs. 2,95,676 the actuals of the previous year. Of the total sum credited, viz., Rs. 3,50,449, Rs. 2,91,159 were derived from tolls under the immediate management of the several Local Fund Boards and the remainder, Rs. 59,290, was the Local Fund share of tolls collected by Municipalities. The receipts compared with the estimate show a net decrease of Rs. 51,121 which resulted from a gross increase of Rs. 48,928 in 17 circles and a gross decrease of Rs. 1,00,049 in 15 circles. The increase was due to the payment by the Bellary and Salem Municipalities of the Local Fund share of tolls for the years 1877-78 and 1878-79, to larger sums paid by certain Municipalities than had been anticipated, to increased bids at auctions, and to the establishment of new toll-gates in some circles, the details of which will be given further on. The decrease was owing to the following causes:

- (1),—to the over-estimate of the toll collections in some circles more especially in Chatrapur, where it is stated that this was attributable to some extent to the unsuitability of the sites selected for toll-gates and to the evasion of tolls by carts making a circuit round the gates. It is reported that the matter is under the consideration of the Local Fund Board;
- (2),—to the extension of the South Indian Railway which has drawn a portion of the traffic in certain circles;
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N^o 72.Madras 17th February 1881

From,
Ernest Barclay
Government Solicitor
Madras

To
The General Superintendent
Public Works Workshops
Madras.

Sir,
With reference to the Decree obtained in the High Court at Madras dismissing the suit noted in the margin C. S. N^o 56 of 1879. C. Sabapathy Pillay Vs. The Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India in Council, I beg to request that you will be good enough to let me know whether the Plaintiff has any property by which I could attach and recover the amount of Costs payable by him, namely Rupees 1456-7. If he has any property, please furnish me with particulars.
I am, Sir

Your Obedient Servant
(Signed) Ernest Barclay
Government Solicitor

N^o 2948 W

Presidency Public Works Workshops
Madras 19th Febry 1881

From
The General Superintendent
Public Works Workshops.

To
The Government Solicitor
Madras.

Sir
With reference to your letter N^o 72 of 17th Febry/81

I have the honor to state that I have in my possession,
A 500^{rs} security of C. Sabapathy Pillay for the due
fulfilment of his timber Contract for 1878/79

I have the honor to do
Sir
Your most Obedient Servant
(Signed) W. L. C. Baddelley, Lieut. Col.
Genl. Supt. Presy. P. Workshops

N^o 80

Madras 22nd February 1881

From, Ernest Barclay,
Government Solicitor
Madras
To, The General Superintendent
Presidency Public Works Workshops
Madras

Sir,
With reference to your letter dated 19 instant
N^o 2948 W, I request you will if possible let me know
whether C. Sabapathy Pillay has any other property
besides the Government Promissory Note for Rupees 500^{rs}
deposited with you as security for the due fulfilment
his timber Contract and which I propose to attach

I am, Sir
Your Obedient Servant
(Signed) Ernest Barclay
Government Solicitor

Presidency Public Works Workshops
Madras 23rd February 1881

N^o 3002 W

From

The General Superintendent
Public Works Workshops.

To

The Government Solicitor
High Court Annex
Madras

Sir,

With reference to your letter N^o 80 of 22nd February 1881

I have the honor to state that I do not know whether

C. Sabapathy Pillay has any other property

I am informed that he resides in Calcutta.

The security of 500^{rs} should I think go to the
credit of the Workshops if it is considered that he failed
in his Contract.

I have the honor to do

Sir,
Your most Obedient Servant
(Signed) W. L. C. Baddelley, Lieut. Col.
Genl. Supt. Presy. P. Workshops

N^o 88

Madras 28th February 1881

From

Ernest Barclay
Government Solicitor
Madras

To

The General Superintendent
Public Works Workshops
Madras

Sir,

With reference to your letter dated 23rd instant

N^o 3002 W. I beg to request that you will be good enough
to let me know the actual amount of damages
Government has sustained by reason of C. Sabapathy
Pillay's breach of contract with Government.

I am, Sir,
Your Obedient Servant
Signed Ernest Barclay
Government Solicitor

Encl.
M. 1705/81

Presidency Public Works Workshops
Madras 3rd March 1881.

N^o 3105 W

From

The General Superintendent
Public Works Workshops

To

The Government Solicitor
Madras.

Sir,
With reference to your letter N^o 88. d/28th February/81.
I have the honor to state that Government has sustained
no loss by reason of C. Sabapathy Pillay's breach of Contract.
I have the honor to be

Sir
Your Most Obedient Servant
Signed W. C. Baddeley, Lieut. R. E.
Genl. Supt. Presy. P. W. Workshops

Two Copies/
Ernest Barclay
Government Solicitor

N^o 112.

Madras 12th March 1881.

From.

Ernest Barclay
Government Solicitor
Madras.

To

R. Davidson Esq^r
Chief Secretary to Government
Fort. St. George.

Sir,
1. I beg to forward herewith Copy of Correspondence
had between myself and the General Superintendent
Public Works Workshops, Madras. Having reference
to the Execution of the Decree in the Suit noted in
the margin.

C. S. N^o 56 of 1879.

C. Sabapathy Pillay

Is—
The Right Honorable
the Secretary of State
for India in Council

2. The Suit was dismissed with Costs and
the Plaintiff was ordered to pay the Defendants
taxed Costs, amounting to Rupees 1456. 7. The
Plaintiff is said not to be now in Madras, but in
Columbo, and as far as I am able to ascertain
at present, he has no property in India except a
Government Promissory Note for Rupees 500 deposited
by him as security for the due performance of his
Contract with Government for the supply of timber.
It will be observed from the General Superintendent's
letter to me dated 3rd March 1881. N^o 3105 W, that
the Government has sustained no loss by
reason of the Plaintiff's breach of Contract and
the Government Promissory Note ought therefore,
I submit, be liable to attachment and sale in
execution.

execution of the Decree for Cook. I have therefore
to request the orders of Government as to whether
I am to take the necessary steps to attach the Govern-
ment Promissory Note now in the hands of the
General Superintendent, Public Works, Workshops.

I am, Sir,
Your Obedient Servant
Lucretia Barclay
Government Solicitor

C.E. No. 2791. 26-6-78.
 " " 3288. 23-7-78.
 " " 3726. 23-8-78.
 " " 5147. 14-11-78.
 " " 797. 1-3-79.
 A.O. " 502 W. 25-3-79 (orig)
 " " 642 W. 4-5-79
 C.E. " 3164. 10-10-79

P.W. No. 1705
 Judicial (1881) Department
 R.D.
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 From
 The Government Solicitor
 Madras
 To
 The Chief Secretary to Government
 Fort St George.

No 535

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No 112
 Dated 12th } March 1881.
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Forwarding Copies of Correspondence
 between himself and the General
 Superintendent, Public Works Workshops
 regarding the suit brought by C.
 Sabapathy Pillay - against the Secretary
 of State and requesting the sanction
 of Government to attack the Govern-
 ment Security in the hands of the
 General Superintendent, Public Works
 Workshops.

K.C. 22.2.12.28.3.
 19.3.12.21.3.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Endorsement Judicial Dept. No 535 d/17
 March 81 on letter from the Government
 Solicitor Madras, No 112 d/12 March 1881.

FOR ORDERS.

For Secretary to Govt.
 P.W.D.

Is sanction to attack?
 Is Spence is legal
 as the Govt. do? suppose
 it. The contractor broke
 his contract & then
 sued us for making
 the arrangement to supply
 his books.

Spence that when
 W. Badley says Govt. sustained
 holers by means of contract
 he cannot mean that he did
 not have to pay him for the time he
 promised from him than the
 contract date. L.R.

Don't remember
 the case. Show
 papers relating to
 it. M.H.

Transferred

1705

Dy. W.

It considered necessary
the inquiry in clause 2 of
the H. W. note might be
made by D. M.

Letter from the Genl Supt
No 766 of 12 June 1878 shows
that the cost of the timber
obtained from Bourmah
was higher than the
Contract rate.

CH
29/3.

Yes S

FOR ORDERS.

Hon W. H. H. H. H.

Recirculated with
previous papers.

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22.3.87.

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PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

PROCEEDINGS OF THE MADRAS GOVERNMENT.

UNDER date the 31st March 1881.
Read the following:—

Enst. from the J. & L. Dept H.S. No 535 of 17th March 1881.

The attachment of
the J. & L. Promissory note
for Rs 500, deposited by
C. Saliapathy Pillay with
the Genl Supt. P. W. Workshops,
is sanctioned as proposed
by the J. & L. Solicitor -

Sigs

To the J. & L. Solicitor ✓

- Genl Supt. P. W. Workshops ✓

Desd
31-3-87 CH

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