BUILDINGS AND ROADS.
CIVIL WORKS.

Govt. of {1892} Works.

PUBLIC WORKS.

Dated May, 27th.

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G.O., 27th May 1892, No. 1621 W.

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Buildings

List of vacant Government — transferred temporarily to Local Fund Boards, Municipalities and others for semi-public uses, circulated to Superintending Engineers for verification and report.

List of vacant Government buildings transferred temporarily to Local Fund Boards, Municipalities and others for semi-public uses—*cont.*

Districts.	Names of buildings.	To whom transferred.	Conditions of transfer.	Authority.	Remarks.
South Canara—*cont.*	Police station at Pannumangalore ..	Local Fund Board	To be kept in repair and given up when required.	G.O., No. 2022 W., dated 26th July 1889.	
	Do. at Kerumangeshwar ..	Do.	Do. do. do. ..	Do. do. ..	
	Eastern and middle block of the old taluk cutcherry at Mangalore.	Municipality	Do. do. do. ..	G.O., No. 2912 W., dated 4th November 1890.	
	Western block of the old taluk cutcherry at Mangalore.	Local Fund Board	Do. do. do. ..	Do. do. ..	
Malabar ..	Overseer's bungalow at Manantoddy ..	Do.	Do. do. do. ..	G.O., No. 862 W., dated 5th April 1880.	
	Old medical stores at Cannanore ..	Government chaplain for use as a charity school.	Do. do. do. ..	G.O., No. 410 W., dated 23rd February 1880.	
	Two rooms adjoining the Manantoddy hospital.	Local Fund Board	To be kept in repair and surrendered when required.	G.O., No. 839 W., dated 28th March 1881.	
	A portion of the Royal Artillery barracks at Cannanore.	Municipality	To be used as hospital and kept in repair ..	G.O., No. 458 W., dated 11th February 1890.	
	Fives court at Cannanore	Do.	To be kept in repair and surrendered when required.	G.O., No. 652 W., dated 29th February 1892.	
Coimbatore ..	Public Works office, Ramapuram ..	Local Fund Board	Do. do. do. ..	G.O., No. 1489 W., dated 25th June 1880.	
	Overseer's shed, Erode				
	Do. Bhavani ..		Do. do. do. ..	G.O., No. 1489 W., dated 29th February 1884.	
	Guard room at Trichinopoly	Church Committee and Trustees of the Trichinopoly Vestry school.			
	Portion of the old taluk cutcherry at Perambalúr.	Local Fund Board for use as school and dispensary.	To be handed back when no longer used for the purpose.	G.O., No. 2275 W., dated 1st October 1885.	
	Place of arms at Puttur	Municipality for conversion into a public market.	Free gift	G.O., No. 1492 W., dated 3rd June 1887.	
	Old District jail buildings at Trichinopoly with the land attached but without the jailor's house.	Municipality for use as corn market.	Any part of the land liable to be resumed on three months' notice; the building to be kept in repair during occupation.	G.O., No. 949 W., dated 29th March 1889.	
	Racquet court at Trichinopoly	Trichinopoly Gymkhana Club ..	To be kept in repair and to be free of rent as long as it is not required for a public purpose.	G.O., No. 1172 W., dated 21st April 1890.	
	Vacant building in the Nawab's palace at Trichinopoly.	Local Fund Board	To be resumed by Government when required..	G.O., No. 1790 W., dated 27th June 1890.	
	Courtyard of the late Muhammadan school in the Nawab's palace at Trichinopoly.	Do.	Do. do. do. ..	G.O., No. 2957 W., dated 8th November 1890.	
	Portion of the new Collector's office at Trichinopoly.	Do.	For Local Fund Engineer and his office. The arrangement was allowed for public convenience	G.O., No. 3355 W., dated 17th December 1890.	
	Mungammal's audience hall in the old palace buildings at Trichinopoly.	Town Hall committee ..	The hall to be put in order and used by the committee whenever it is not required by Government.	G.O., No. 1790 W., dated 27th June 1890.	
	Vacant Government buildings at Puttur ..	Municipality for a school for Pallars and Pariahs.	To be kept in repair and handed back when required for a Government purpose.	G.O., No. 1411 W., dated 5th May 1892.	

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Districts.	Names of buildings.	To whom transferred.	Conditions of transfer.	Authority.	Remarks.
Madura ..	Bungalow at Ammayanáyakanúr ..	Local Fund Board ..	To be kept in repair and restored to Government when required.	G.O., No. 241 W., dated 31st January 1880.	
	Do. at Pulkandoth	Do.	To be resumed by Government when required ..	G.O., No. 2727 W., dated 28th September 1883.	
	Old jail at Pámban	Manager of the Hindu High school.	To be kept in repair and handed back on six months' notice.	G.O., No. 2739 W., dated 30th September 1889.	
	School building at Periyakulam ..	Municipality for a school ..	To be kept in repair and re-transferred if the school ceases to exist or if the premises are required by Government.	G.O., No. 2996 W., dated 11th November 1890.	
	Government Middle school, Dindigul ..				
	Portion of the old taluk cutcherry at Tirumangalam.	Local Fund Board for use as dispensary and Union Panchayat office.	Conditions not stated	G.O., No. 1205 W., dated 11th April 1892.	
Tinnevelly ..	Tools shed at Valliyur, halting bungalow at Ambásamudram.	Local Fund Board ..	To be kept in repair and restored to Government when required.	G.O., No. 1579 W., dated 6th July 1880.	
	Travellers' bungalow at Tuticorin ..	Municipality	To be kept in repair and handed back when required.	G.O., No. 951 W., dated 21st April 1885.	
	Sub-Magistrate's cutcherry at Palamcottah.	Do.	To be kept in repair and surrendered when required.	G.O., No. 2624 W., dated 30th September 1891.	
..	986 * buildings consisting of bungalows and	Local Fund Boards	[illegible]	17th March 1890.	
	Public Works Department bungalow at Kalkoda.	Local Fund Board for school ..	To be kept in repair and surrendered on six months' notice.	G.O., No. 883 W., dated 25th March 1891.	
	Old taluk office at Badvél	New Town committee ..	Rent for three years on the condition of being kept in repair.	G.O., No. 251 W., dated 28th January 1892.	
	Government girls' school-house at Madanapalle.	Local Fund Board for use as dispensary	Conditions not stated	G.O., No. 2130 W., dated 10th August 1887.	
Kurnool ..	A portion of the famine tools shed at Atmakúr.	Local Fund Board for a *post-mortem* house.	Do. do.	G.O., No. 795 W., dated 14th March 1887.	
	Overseer's shed at Pattikonda	Municipality for use as office ..	Do. do.	G.O., No. 159 W., dated 16th January 1888.	
	Old store shed at Kurnool	Local Fund Board for use as dispensary	To be vacated when required	G.O., No. 393 W., dated 12th February 1889.	
	Old Deputy Tahsildar's office at Pyápalli ..	Local Fund Board for use as a chuttram.	Conditions not stated	G.O., No. 263 W., dated 27th January 1890.	
	Old taluk cutcherry at Cumbum ..	Local Fund Board for school ..	To be kept in repair and surrendered when required.	G.O., No. 1038 W., dated 2nd April 1890.	
	Old District Munsif's court at Cumbum ..	Local Fund Board	To be kept in repair and vacated when required.	G.O., No. 1147 W., dated 6th April 1892.	
	Sub-divisional lodge at Nandyál ..	Do.	Conditions not stated	G.O., No. 1751 W., dated 22nd June 1883.	
South Canara ..	Old place of arms at Puttur	Do.	To be kept in repair and given up when required.	G.O., No. 1925 W., dated 17th July 1889.	
	Old police station at Shiryar	Do.	Do. do. do. ..	Do. do. ..	
	Do. at Mulliyar	Do.			

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Vizagapatam—*cont.*	Building in the old fort at Pálkonda ..	Local Fund Board	Conditions not stated	G.O., No. 1524 W., dated 18th June 1881.	
	Police powder magazine at Vizagapatam ..	Municipality	To be kept in repair and relinquished when required.	G.O., No. 610 W., dated 6th March 1884.	
	Old Sub-Magistrate's office at Sálúr ..	Local Fund Board for school ..	Do. do. do. ..	G.O., No. 3275 W., dated 7th December 1891.	
	Old regimental hospital building at Vizagapatam.	Local Fund Board for use as vaccine depôt.	To be kept in repair and surrendered on due notice.	G.O., No. 779 W., dated 9th March 1892.	
Godávari ..	Portion of place of arms at Ellore ..	Local Fund Board	To be kept in repair and restored to Government when required.	G.O., No. 2660 W., dated 22nd November 1880.	
	Police station at Bhímavaram	Do.	Free of charge as long as the building is used as girls' school.	G.O., No. 3062 W., dated 30th October 1889.	
	Police station-house at Vontimamidi ..	Do.	To be kept in repair and given up on two months' notice.	G.O., No. 2030 W., dated 29th July 1889.	
	Bungalow at the Dowlaishweram barracks.	Lay Trustee, Dowlaishweram ..	To be vacated on a month's notice	GO., No. 1140 W., dated 18th April 1890.	
	Old taluk cutcherry at Viravasaram	Local Fund Board for a choultry.	Rent free for such time as it is used as a choultry.	G.O., No. 1573 W., dated	
	One of the ro[illegible]	Municipality ..	For use as office free of rent	G.	

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(Signed) G. U. B.

P. E. W. Circle.

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	Do. at Pulkandoth ..	Do. ..	To be resumed by Government when required.	G.O., No. 2727 W., dated 28th September 1883.	
	Old jail at Pámban ..	Manager of the Hindu High school.	To be kept in repair and handed back on six months' notice.	G.O., No. 2739 W., dated 30th September 1889.	
	School building at Periyakulam ..	Municipality for a school ..	To be kept in repair and re-transferred if the school ceases to exist or if the premises are required by Government.	G.O., No. 2996 W., dated 11th November 1890.	
	Government Middle school, Dindigul ..	Local Fund Board for use as dispensary and Union Panchayat office.	Conditions not stated	G.O., No. 1206 W., dated 11th April 1892.	
	Portion of the old taluk cutcherry at Tirumangalam.	Local Fund Board ..	To be kept in repair and restored to Government when required.	G.O., No. 1579 W., dated 6th July 1880.	
Tinnevelly ..	Tools shed at Valliyúr, halting bungalow at Ambásamudram.	Municipality ..	To be kept in repair and handed back when required.	G.O., No. 951 W., dated 21st April 1885.	
	Travellers' bungalow at Tuticorin ..	Do. ..	To be kept in repair and surrendered when required.	G.O., No. 2624 W., dated 30th September 1891.	
	Do. Taluk cutcherry at Palamcotta ..	Do. ..	Do. ..	G.O., No. 1336 W., dated 7th June 1880.	
Vizagapatam ..	Shed at Maradam ..	Do. ..	Do. ..	Do.	
	Do. Bobbili ..	Do. ..	Do. ..	Do.	
	Do. Nagore ..	Do. ..	Do. ..	Do.	
	Do. Rajam ..	Do. ..	Do. ..	Do.	
	Do. Gurlah ..	Do. ..	Do. ..	Do.	
	Do. Korlám ..	Do. ..	Do. ..	Do.	
	Do. Modavalsa ..	Do. ..	Do. ..	Do.	
	Do. Pendoor ..	Do. ..	Do. ..	Do.	
	Do. Salavarapukóta ..	Do. ..	Do. ..	Do.	
	Do. Bhogapuram ..	Do. ..	Do. ..	Do.	
	Do. Korpoda ..	Do. ..	Do. ..	Do.	
	Do. Geeta ..	Do. ..	Do. ..	Do.	
	Do. Chilakapalem ..	Do. ..	Do. ..	Do.	
	Do. Kotavalsa ..	Do. ..	Do. ..	Do.	
	Do. Polavaram ..	Do. ..	Do. ..	Do.	
	Do. Srungavarapukóta ..	Do. ..	Do. ..	Do.	
	Public bungalow at Waltair ..	Do. ..	Do. ..	Do.	
	Do. at Chittivalsa ..	Do. ..	Do. ..	Do.	
	Do. at Konada ..	Do. ..	Do. ..	Do.	
	Do. at Nuckapally ..	Do. ..	Do. ..	Do.	
	Do. at Vizianagrum ..	Do. ..	Do. ..	Do.	
	Do. at Kásimkóta ..	Do. ..	Do. ..	Do.	
	Do. at Kotapollum ..	Do. ..	Do. ..	Do.	
	Do. at Chodaveram ..	Do. ..	Do. ..	Do.	

6TH MAY 1892, No. 365, EDUCATIONAL.

GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.

EDUCATIONAL DEPARTMENT.

READ—the following papers:—

From H. B. GRIGG, Esq., M.A., C.I.E., Director of Public Instruction, Madras, to the Chief Secretary to Government, dated 22nd March 1892, No. 4086.

I have the honour to submit the budget estimate of the Lawrence Asylum, Ootacamund, for 1892–93 with the following remarks. The budget was received on the 29th ultimo and I had subsequently to refer it to the Inspector and the Inspectress for remarks, which reached me only on the 17th instant. Hence the delay in its submission to Government.

2. *Actuals of* 1890–91.—Detailed budget figures of the year not being available in the printed report, it is not possible to remark on the variations between the budget and the actuals. Owing mainly to the disproportionate distribution of Government grants between the male and the female branches, on which final orders have not yet been passed, and the absence of any contribution from the Asylum Press, the year opened with a large deficit balance of Rs. 11,235 so far as the male branch was concerned, which necessitated the absorption of Rs. 10,000 of the fixed deposits in favour of the asylum, which it must be remembered resulted from the large contributions from the Press in former years. The year closed with a deficit balance of Rs. 2,316. In the female branch, on the contrary, there was a large surplus, viz., Rs. 5,852 at the beginning and Rs. 7,055 at the close of the year. The average strength of the branches remained at 276 and 57 respectively, against 284 and 65 for whom provision had been made, and it is presumed that the general actual expenditure bears more or less the same proportion to the budget.

MALE BRANCH.

3. *Revised Estimate*, 1891–92.—Including a *minus* balance of Rs. 2,316, the total assets are calculated at Rs. 93,687 against a budget estimate of Rs. 88,973. The increase is due mainly to the increased subsistence allowance taken credit for under Special Funds owing to increase in attendance from 288 to 330, and to a sum of Rs. 2,097 expected to be realized from the Public Works Department, being the unexpended balance of the cost of the water-supply scheme and the new latrines. The latter amount is entered as refunds and repayments under general head V, Miscellaneous. The estimated fall in the fee-income is due to a smaller number of paying students being on the rolls. In future it would be well to give the exact number of paying pupils—children of soldiers as well as those of civilians in the school. Items IV (1) and (4) under receipts were referred to in paragraph 4 of my letter submitting the last budget, and the propriety of the Public Works budget contributing to the cost of repairs and petty construction in its present or a modified form is still under correspondence with the Public Works Department (*vide* G.O., dated 5th February 1892, No. 117). Credit has been taken for a contribution of

Rs. 5,000 from the Asylum Press during the current year and in the next. I believe the Press funds will admit of this payment being made and hence the items may stand. The total expenditure, which includes the marginally noted special extra charges, is estimated at Rs. 1,02,381 against a budget allotment of Rs. 89,492. The variations have been explained by the Secretary. Increased attendance accounts mainly for the additional cost under several of the items, especially "Clothing and Victualling." The sum of Rs. 850 under I (*a*) 2. Books, prizes, &c., includes the wages of a book-binder; this part of the expenditure should come more appropriately under VI, Miscellaneous. The employment of two additional scullery servants from the savings may be approved. A large supply of home exercise and class books is proposed to be made, which is satisfactory. The decrease under "Lighting" and "Sanitation" is made out with reference to the actual expenditure up to date under those heads and may stand; the decrease under "Scholarships" is due to one of them having lapsed. Gratuity to Reverend Mr. Dene was sanctioned in G.O., dated 28th August 1891, No. 679, and travelling allowance to Mr. Atkinson for joining his appointment from Calcutta has already been recommended, and these charges are provided for in the revised estimate. The payment of Rs. 601 as commission to Mrs. Dene for the purchase of goods in England is a new item, sanction for which does not appear to have been applied for and obtained through this office. The Committee should be called upon to explain the authority under which the expenditure was sanctioned.

	Rs.
Extra travelling allowance	500
Gratuity	3,360
Agent's commission	601
Advances, &c.	508
Total ..	4,909

4. *Budget Estimate for* 1892–93.—The budget opens with a *minus* balance of Rs. 8,694, and including this item the total receipts are estimated at Rs. 92,543. Credit is taken for the Press donation of Rs. 5,000, and it is also proposed to absorb Rs. 10,000, being the balance of the fixed deposit. It is further suggested that an additional donation of Rs. 5,000 may be applied for from the Asylum Press, though actual credit has not been taken for the same. I do not think that the Press can afford to pay this additional grant considering its present financial position. The increase under "Subsistence allowance" and the decrease under "Fee-receipts" are due to circumstances explained in the preceding paragraph. In my letter No. 3058, dated 5th March 1892, I have recommended a higher rate of fees for children of civilians with reference to paragraph 2 of G.O., dated 2nd February 1891, No. 76, Educational. If the scale recommended be adopted, the budget figure for 1891–92, viz., Rs. 1,944, may be safely repeated. As already suggested, it would be better for purposes of budget calculation also to state the probable number of paying pupils—civilian and soldier—the asylum is likely to have. The total charges are estimated at Rs. 95,921, which is much less than the current year's revised estimate. Increased allotment under "Shoeing," "Provisions," and "Bedding and Travelling" is due to the rise in attendance as noticed already. The very large supply of "Clothing" provided for in the revised estimate accounts for the decrease of about Rs. 3,400 in next year's budget. The item of Rs. 780 under I (*a*) 2 includes the wages of a book-binder, Rs. 120. This amount should come under VI, Miscellaneous. In this connection, I think the Committee may be invited to consider the desirability of introducing book-binding as an industry in the school. This will not involve any extra expenditure, as in any case there has to be a book-binder on the establishment. The industry is, I believe, remunerative, whilst the course (two years) is short. It is suitable to boys whose physique is poor. The increased rate of pay to the new Principal and his increments have also been provided for. I propose an additional allotment of Rs. 2,500 for the undermentioned items noticed by Dr. Duncan in his review of the report for 1890–91 recorded in G.O., dated 15th December 1891, No. 923, Educational:—

(1) Walls of the gymnasium to be raised by 9 feet. It is not known whether this has been done already. If not, probably the Public Works Department will bear the charge.

(2) Furniture, library and gymnastic apparatus should be improved.

(3) A drawing master should be appointed to teach drawing.

(4) One of the teachers should be sent to the Teachers' College for training in drawing, book-keeping, commercial correspondence, &c., and should be paid an extra allowance besides the usual stipend that will be paid to him from Provincial funds. If this is not practicable, a separate teacher should be employed. In a school of this description drawing should be taught as a class subject in all the classes.

(5) Introduction of blacksmith's work has to be considered when a sufficient number of pupils physically fit to learn it are available and as soon as the new Principal is able to submit a scheme for the purpose.

5. The following alterations seem to have been contemplated in the strength of the inferior establishment:—

Tailors	7	instead of	8
Scavengers	8	"	5
Coolies (household)	7	"	5
Coolies (sanitation)	4	"	5
Cart-drivers	3	"	4
Grass-cutters	5	"	6

I press again for the consideration of His Excellency in Council the desirability of substituting civilians for the present Sergeant Assistants and for working the institution not as a *quasi*-military school, but for the end it has in view—training boys to make their living in various branches of civil life. As few of the pupils become soldiers, its military character is, to say the least, anomalous. The change should result in appreciable savings and considerable improvement in the *morale* of the school.

The Committee object to the introduction of the salary-results system. I have the matter under consideration.

FEMALE BRANCH.

6. *Revised Estimate for* 1891–92.—Including the opening balance, the total receipts are estimated at Rs. 26,082 and charges at Rs. 19,335. The attendance having remained stationary, very few variations are presented between the revised estimate and the original budget. The decrease under "Clothing—Material" from Rs. 1,900 to Rs. 900, and the increase under "Victualling—Provisions" from Rs. 5,600 to Rs. 6,140, have not been explained. Thirty-four per cent. of the gratuity to Mr. Dene and of the increased pay to the Principal has been duly provided for. The allotment of Rs. 480 under "Scholarships" has, it is observed, not been utilized.

7. *Budget*, 1892–93.—An opening balance of Rs. 6,747 is expected, including which the total assets are calculated at Rs. 25,345 and the total charges at Rs. 20,138, leaving thus a closing balance of Rs. 5,207. The budget estimate differs very little from the current year's allotment, except under "Provisions," in which a larger outlay is proposed but not accounted for. The strength of the branch being constant, it is probably intended to provide for an anticipated rise in the price of food-grains. The Inspectress recommends again the appointment of an additional teacher on Rs. 40 a month, and I strongly recommend that effect be given to this suggestion. As no expenditure is expected under "Scholarships," the amount usually set apart for this purpose, Rs. 480, may be utilized in giving effect to this suggestion.

ENCLOSURE.

From Brigadier-General G. ROWLANDSON, Chairman, Ootacamund Lawrence Asylum, to the Chief Secretary to Government (through the Director of Public Instruction), dated Ootacamund, 26th February 1892, No. 1823.

I have the honour to forward herewith, for submission to Government, the budget and report of the male and female branches of this institution for 1892–93.

REVISED ESTIMATE FOR 1891–92.

Male Branch—Receipts.

The opening balance is *minus* Rs. 2,316, the actual closing balance for 1890–91, against a *minus* balance of Rs. 1,526 in the budget for 1891–92.

II. The revised estimated receipts amount to Rs. 93,687, against Rs. 88,973 budget for 1891–92, owing to improved receipts under *major* heads *III. Special Funds, IV. Industries, and V. Miscellaneous.*

2. There is a falling off in the anticipated payments under *III. Special Funds*—4. *Fees*, owing to the number of paying pupils at the present time being less than at the beginning of the official year.

3. The following entry requires explanation: *V. Miscellaneous*—3. *Fines, deductions and refunds*, Rs. 2,572. It includes Rs. 325, amounts overdrawn and subsequently returned to the Bank and some petty fines; Rs. 150, a credit payment by Mr. W. Whiteley for goods returned; and Rs. 2,097, refunded by the Public Works Department as the unexpended balance from the estimated cost of the water-supply scheme and new latrines.

4. *VI. Advances*—3. *Deposits*, Rs. 300.—The amount includes the forfeited deposit (Rs. 200) of the mutton butcher, whose contract was annulled, and a deposit of Rs. 100 made by the market contractor.

Male Branch—Expenditure.

III. *I. Education*—(*a*) *Scholastic*—

	RS.
Budget	10,990
Revised estimate	11,592

The increase is Rs. 602, being Rs. 550 under 2. *Books, prizes, &c.*, and Rs. 72 under 4. *Examination Fees.* Under the former the increase is chiefly owing to deficiencies in school-books for each class being made up, and for a large supply of exercise-books required by the Educational rules. It also includes the wages of a book-binder and the cost of some material for binding (Rs. 91). The number of books rebound and repaired, and the exercise-books made, more than compensate for the additional outlay.

4. *Examination Fees.*—The excess is Rs. 52 over the budget, the payments being as follows:—

	RS.	A.	P.
Medical, Military	25	0	0
Arts and Industries, lower grade	11	4	0
Lower Secondary examination	45	8	0
Honorarium to Examiner in Band music	20	0	0
Total	101	12	0

2. (*b*) *Artistic.*—The increase is Rs. 30 under 2. *Musical instruments, &c.*, the actual cost of some band instruments being a little over the sum put down.

IV. *II.* (*a*) *Clothing*—

	RS.
Budget	13,996
Revised estimate	16,116

The latter is Rs. 2,120 over the budget allotment, caused chiefly by enhanced rates paid for clothing material, and for supplementary indents to provide the required clothing for the additional number of boys admitted during the year, the number having steadily risen from 288 to 330. Under 3. *Shoeing* the increase is Rs. 470, which allows for the increase in strength and a little over for contingencies.

2. (*b*) *Victualling*—1. *Establishment.*—Half the pay of the Quartermaster Sergeant (Rs. 37–8–0) is charged under this head, Rs. 25 for 3 native cooks and Rs. 16 for 2 scullery servants. The latter is no additional expense, being met from savings in the pay of the two junior Sergeants (pensioners), whose monthly salary is Rs. 100, their predecessors (effective soldiers) receiving not less than Rs. 122 per mensem. Relieving the boys of the scullery work has resulted in less losses and breakages, less damage to clothing, and gives more leisure to those who were so engaged.

2. *Provisions*—

	RS.
Budget	28,842
Revised estimate	33,732

The difference is Rs. 4,890, an increase to allow for the dieting of 42 additional boys, the budget being calculated for 288 boys only. The average monthly cost for 1890–91 was Rs. 2,319; from April to September 1891, Rs. 2,683; and from April to December 1891, Rs. 2,711.

3. *Kitchen and Dining-room utensils, &c.*—Allowance has been made for fresh upper plates for both the stoves and for putting new bottoms to four copper boilers; hence the increase over the budget allotment.

V. *III.* (*a*) *Household*—

	RS.
Budget	11,442
Revised estimate	12,077

The increase is Rs. 635. Under 1. *Establishment* is included half the salary of the Quartermaster Sergeant (Rs. 37–8–0), as is done in the cases of the Band Sergeant and the Sergeant Instructor of Gymnastics; and allowance has been made under 2. *Washing* for the increased number of boys.

3. *Lighting.*—From April to December 1891 the actual cost under this head was Rs. 489, so that the allotment in column 3 is deemed sufficient.

4. *Firewood*, 5. *Bedding and towelling, and* 6. *Hardware, &c.*, show an increase respectively over the budget allotments, which, it is anticipated, will not be sufficient for the year's requirements.

2. (*b*) *Hospital.*—The revised estimate is Rs. 300 less than the budget, the sums set down for the year in the third column being considered sufficient, as under 2. *Medicines, Wines, &c.*, the actuals for nine months have been Rs. 151, and under 4. *Extra Nursing* Rs. 14 only.

3. (*c*) *Sanitation*—

	RS.
Budget	1,116
Revised estimate	966

The latter is Rs. 150 less than the budget owing chiefly to a less sum being expended up to date on 3. *Repairs to drains, roads, water-courses, &c.* The charges under 2. *Tar, Phenyle, &c.*, are more than were anticipated.

VI. *General*—1. *Establishment.*—The actual expenditure to December 1891 under this head is Rs. 5,797, so that the sum set down in the revised estimate column will not be exceeded, being Rs. 1,968 for the next three months, allowance being made for the higher salary to the present Principal.

VII. *V. Industries*—(*a*) *Carpenters and Smiths.*—In the revised estimate the allotment under 1. *Establishment* is Rs. 38 less; but it is Rs. 150 more under 2. *Material*, the allotment being insufficient for the requirements of the shop, timber being also required for the covered way to the new latrines.

2. (*b*) *White-washing and repairs.*—The revised estimates are deemed sufficient for the year and are Rs. 276 less than the budget.

3. (*c*) *Garden, &c.*—The allotment is the same as in the budget.

VIII. *VI. Miscellaneous.*—The revised estimate allows for the travelling expenses of the present Principal from Calcutta at about Rs. 500; hence the increase under 1. *Carrying charges, &c.*

3. *Agent's Commission.*—A new charge, and not anticipated, the amount is the sum paid to Mrs. Dene for the purchase of goods in England for the asylum.

IX. *VII. Other Charges.*—There is a decrease under 3. *Scholarships*, one of them having lapsed.

4. *Outfits.*—The expenditure to date has been Rs. 137 only, so that the amount in the revised estimate is deemed ample.

(*b*) *Gratuity.*—A charge not anticipated, being part *bonus* of Rs. 5,000 granted to the Reverend O. Dene on his retirement, as sanctioned in G.O., dated 28th August 1891, No. 679—see Female Branch report for the difference.

X. *VIII. Advances.*—An advance of Rs. 500 was made to the boot contractor and subsequently recovered—*vide* Receipts. Rupees 8 represents a refund of subsistence allowance overdrawn.

XI. The total expenditure of the revised estimates is Rs. 1,02,381, which is Rs. 12,049 in excess of the budget for 1891–92. But if the following items of extraordinary expenditure are deducted, viz.:—

	Rs.
Gratuity	3,300
Extra travelling allowance	500
Agent's commission	601
Advances, &c.	508
Total ..	4,909

the amount left is Rs. 97,472, which is Rs. 7,980 over the budget allotments, a sum not out of proportion, considering that the number of boys has increased from 288—on which number the budget was framed—to 330.

BUDGET ESTIMATE FOR 1892–93.

Male Branch—Receipts.

XII. *Opening balance.*—The closing balance of the revised estimate for 1891–92 (*minus* Rs. 8,694) is taken as the opening balance for 1892–93.

2. *II. Profits on Asylum Property*—3. *Donation from the Lawrence Asylum Press.*—As the payment in 1891–92 was Rs. 5,000, a similar sum is entered in the budget for 1892–93; but it will be seen, at the close of this report, that a further sum of at least Rs. 5,000 will be required in order to meet the *minus* balance with which the year closes.

4. *Fixed Deposit.*—The amount (Rs. 10,000) with its interest (Rs. 400) will be required to clear off the *minus* opening balance. The Male Branch will then have no reserve fund.

3. *III. Special Funds.*—A less sum compared with the revised estimate is entered, but Rs. 888 more than in the sanctioned budget. Several children for whom subsistence allowance was drawn have been removed from school, so that a larger receipt under this head is not anticipated. The remark applies equally to the entry under 3. *Fees.*

4. *IV. Industries.*—The amounts in the sanctioned budget are repeated, as, excepting the recoveries for petty repairs from the Public Works Department, the receipts under the several heads are very uncertain.

5. *VI. Miscellaneous.*—It is intended to limit the *Sale of stores* to goods not required and to unserviceable articles; hence the reduction under this heading.

6. The total estimated receipts are Rs. 1,01,237 against Rs. 90,499 sanctioned budget. The increase is Rs. 10,738, and is due to the remaining portion of the fixed deposit being brought into current account, and to Rs. 738, improved receipts under *III. Special Funds* (Rs. 888), less decrease (Rs. 150) under *V. Miscellaneous.*

Male Branch—Expenditure.

XIII. *I. Education*—(*a*) *Scholastic*—1. *Establishment*—

	Rs.
Salary of Headmaster	300
„ of Second Master	150
„ of Third „	85
„ of Fourth „	75
„ of Fifth „	70
„ of Sixth „	65
„ of Nursery Teacher	60
„ of Assistant „	50
Per mensem ..	855
„ annum ..	10,260

The allotments are the same as in the previous year's budget. The question of introducing the salary-results system of payments, noted in paragraph 8 of the Director's letter embodied in G.O., dated 26th May 1891, No. 401, and again in paragraph 9 of the order, will be separately reported upon.

2. *Books, prizes, stationery, &c.*—The allotment is to cover the cost of—

	Rs.
New books and stationery	210
Wages of a book-binder	120
Prizes	145
Founder's-day gifts	305
Per annum ..	780

The cost is Rs. 480 in excess of that for 1891–92, but Rs. 70 less than the revised estimates. The classes are now well supplied with books, so that a large outlay is not anticipated. The services of a book-binder have been engaged at a monthly cost of Rs. 10, the saving thereby, by immediate repairs of books, more than covering this extra charge.

3. *Library.*—The allotment is to cover the following subscriptions :—

	Rs.	A.	P.
To the *Madras Mail*	23	4	0
„ S.P.C.K., Madras	10	0	0
To Messrs. Steel and Jones for English magazines	162	0	0
Per annum ..	195	4	0

The Female Branch is charged with half the annual cost of the two former.

4. *Examination Fees.*—The allotment is Rs. 30 in excess of that for 1891–92, but Rs. 42 less than the revised estimate, and is intended to cover the fees for the Lower Secondary examination and the Examination in Industries. It also allows for the honorarium to the Examiner of the Band classes.

2. (*b*) *Artistic*—1. *Music—Establishment*—

	Rs.	A.	P.
Half salary of Band Sergeant	42	8	0
Part salary of Organist	20	0	0
Per mensem ..	62	8	0
„ annum ..	750	0	0

2. *Musical Instruments and Music*—

	RS.	A.	P.
Subscription to Boosey's Band Journal	20	0	0
One new cornet	70	0	0
Reeds, pads, drum heads, ropes, &c.	30	0	0
Per annum ..	120	0	0

3. *Gymnastic Establishment*—

	RS.	A.	P.
Half salary of Sergeant-Instructor	37	8	0
Per annum ..	450	0	0

4. *Apparatus, games, &c.*—Rs. 130. The allotment is for cricket bats, balls and foot-balls.

3. (*c*) *Industries*—

	RS.	A.	P.
1. Tailoring—Half salary of Master Tailor	42	8	0
2. Carpentry— do. Carpenter	50	0	0
3. Boot-making—Salary of Boot Instructor	50	0	0
Per mensem ..	142	8	0
„ annum ..	1,710	0	0

4. *Boot-making material.*—The sum of Rs. 50 has been allotted for the purchase of some tools for the classes receiving instruction in boot-making.

XIV. *II.* (*a*) *Clothing*—1. *Establishment*—

	RS.	A.	P.
Half Master Tailor's salary	42	8	0
1 Native Tailor	22	0	0
2 „ Tailors	32	0	0
2 „ „	28	0	0
2 „ „	24	0	0
Per mensem ..	148	8	0
„ annum ..	1,782	0	0

The allotment is Rs. 84 less than in 1891-92.

2. *Material.*—The allotment is Rs. 3,379 less than the revised estimates, there being a large stock of clothing material left for use in the forthcoming year. Besides, there will be a saving in the clothing of the Staff Sergeants, who will in future be supplied with military clothing from the Army Clothing Department in accordance with G.O., dated 19th November 1891, No. 6546.

3. *Shoeing.*—The allotment is for shoeing 330 boys at the rate of one rupee per boy per mensem, with 5 per cent. more for boots for new admissions and extras.

2. (*b*) *Victualling*—1. *Establishment*—

	RS.	A.	P.
Half salary of Quartermaster Sergeant	37	8	0
Salary of Cook Sergeant	40	0	0
3 Native cooks	25	0	0
2 Scullery servants	16	0	0
Per mensem ..	118	8	0
„ annum ..	1,422	0	0

The reasons for the employment of the two scullery servants have been given above.

2. *Provisions.*—The allotment is Rs. 500 in excess of the revised estimates, and is for an average strength of 330 boys. Allowance has been made for the extra milk diet for boys under ten years of age, about 100, and also an anticipated higher rate in

the bread supply for next year. Compared with the actual cost for 1890-91, the difference is Rs. 1-8 per head per annum. The sale of provisions from the stores will be discontinued for the future.

3. *Kitchen and Dining-room utensils.*—The allotment is for the purchase of a small supply of coffee bowls, knives, forks, spoons and plates.

XV. *III.* (*a*) *Household*—1. *Establishment*—

	RS.	A.	P.
Salary of Sergeant-Major	86	0	0
„ of 2 Junior Sergeants	100	0	0
„ of Upper School Matron	50	0	0
„ of Nursery „	40	0	0
Half salary of Quartermaster Sergeant	37	8	0
„ of Sergeant-Instructor of Gymnastics	37	8	0
„ of Band Sergeant	42	8	0
Allowance for hair-cutting	10	0	0
Nursery maty	9	0	0
Per mensem ..	412	8	0
„ annum ..	4,950	0	0

The increase over the budget for 1891-92 is Rs. 186, this amount being the difference between half the salary of the Quartermaster Sergeant (Rs. 450) charged to this head and the saving effected in the pay of the two junior Sergeants (Rs. 264).

2. *Washing.*—The allotment is at the rate of 9 annas per boy per mensem and for an average strength of 330 boys.

3. *Lighting.*—The allotment is Rs. 260 less than the budget for the previous year, but Rs. 90 over the revised estimates, and is thus calculated :—

	RS.	A.	P.
Fifteen tins of kerosine oil at Rs. 3 each	45	0	0
Lamp oil	4	0	0
Mussalchi	10	0	0
Per mensem ..	59	0	0
Per annum ..	708	0	0
Add cost of lamp chimneys	32	0	0
Total ..	740	0	0

More lamps are now used at night-school and in the hospital than formerly. The selling of kerosine oil from the stores will be discontinued.

4. *Firewood.*—The allotment is intended to cover charges as follows :—

	RS.	A.	P.
Compensation to staff in lieu of firewood	60	0	0
Seven wood-cutters at Rs. 8 each	56	0	0
Per mensem ..	116	0	0
„ annum ..	1,392	0	0

5. *Bedding and Towelling.*—The allotment is for supplies as follows :—

	RS.	A.	P.
Sheeting	750	0	0
Bed-ticking	400	0	0
Towelling	178	0	0
300 woollen rugs	1,125	0	0
Per annum ..	2,453	0	0

It is proposed to substitute woollen rugs for the cotton counterpanes now in use.

6. *Hardware, Soap, Brushes, Combs, &c.*—The allotment is Rs. 110 over the budget for 1891–92, but Rs. 90 less than the revised estimates, and is to meet the cost of—

	RS.
Soap	135
Blacking and hair brushes	135
Combs	50
Basins	40
Per annum ..	360

7. *Furniture, Carpets, &c.*—The allotment is to cover the cost of papering the rooms in the Principal's quarters.

2. (*b*) *Hospital*—1. *Establishment*—

	RS.
Part allowance to Consulting Physician	33
„ Apothecary	33
Salary of Matron	50
Hospital maty	8
„ cook	8
Per mensem ..	132
„ annum ..	1,584

2. *Medicines, Wines, &c.*—The allotment is Rs. 50 less than the budget for 1891–92, but Rs. 50 more than the revised estimates.

3. (*c*) *Sanitation*—1. *Establishment*—

	RS.
Eight scavengers at Rs. 8	64
Per annum ..	768

For the general conservancy work in the station the services of two extra scavengers are much needed and their services will also be utilized when latrines for native servants are erected. The building of these cannot be undertaken for want of funds.

2. *Tar, Phenyle, &c.*—The allotment in 1891–92 was insufficient. The amount for 1892–93 has therefore been increased chiefly for an extra supply of tar.

XVI. *IV. General*—1. *Establishment*—

	RS.
Part salary of Principal	462
„ of Office Manager	170
Peon	8
Two gardeners	16
Per mensem ..	656
Per annum ..	7,872
Add part of first year's increment to Principal's salary for three months.	50
Total ..	7,922

The allotment allows for the enhanced salary of the present Principal, which is divided between the Male and Female Branches.

XVII. *V. Industries*—(*a*) *Carpenters and Smiths*—

	RS.
Half salary of Master Carpenter	50
Two native Carpenters	52
One Smith	29
One bellows boy	8
Per mensem ..	139
„ annum ..	1,668

2. *Materials.*—The allotment is to cover the cost of some tools, tin, hinges, screws, paint, turpentine, sand-paper, &c. (Rs. 440), and of timber for the use of the classes under instruction and for contingencies which may arise (Rs. 500).

2. (*b*) *Whitewashing and Repairs*—1. *Establishment*—

	RS.	A.	P.
Pay of maistry	26	0	0
„ 2 bricklayers	45	0	0
„ 2 do.	32	8	0
„ 4 coolies	19	8	0
Per mensem ..	123	0	0
„ annum ..	1,476	0	0

XVIII. *VI. Miscellaneous.*—The allotments are similar to those in the budget for 1891–92, except that the cost of Founder's-day gifts has been transferred to *I. Education*—2. *Books, prizes, &c.*, and Rs. 10 have been entered under 9. *Contingencies.*

XIX. *VII. Other Charges*—3. *Scholarship.*—The allotment is Rs. 240 less, there being only one award under this head, at Rs. 30 per mensem.

4. *Outfits.*—Not much expenditure is anticipated under this head, hence the reduction of the allotment.

XX. The total expenditure for 1892–93 is estimated at Rs. 95,921, being Rs. 6,429 more than the budget for 1891–92, but Rs. 6,460 less than the revised estimates for the same year.

XXI. The calculations are based upon an average strength of 330 boys.

REVISED ESTIMATES FOR 1891–92.

Female Branch—Receipts.

I. *Opening balance.*—The actual closing balance of 1890–91 has been taken as the opening balance of the revised estimates for 1891–92, and is Rs. 950 in excess of the sanctioned budget.

The revised total receipts, excluding the opening balance, are estimated at Rs. 19,027 against Rs. 18,524 sanctioned budget, an increase of Rs. 503, owing chiefly to the payment under III.

2. *Special Funds*—4. *Donation.*—Being the sum paid under Rule 30 for the immediate admission of a girl, and to improved receipts under 1. *Subsistence allowance*, and also under *IV. Miscellaneous*—1. *Sale of stores.*

2. *Fines and Refunds.*—Include a return to the Bank of Rs. 10–8–0 overdrawn for pupils to be presented at the forthcoming Lower Secondary examination.

Female Branch—Expenditure.

II. The revised estimates amount to Rs. 19,335 against 19,447 sanctioned budget. It includes Rs. 1,700 part of the *gratuity* sanctioned to the late Principal. The current expenditure has been kept within the amount allotted in the budget.

2. An increase of about Rs. 540 is anticipated under *II. Victualling*—2. *Provisions*. Under *V. General*—1. *Establishment* allowance has been made for the higher salary paid to the present Principal, 34 per cent. being charged to the girls' branch.

3. The increase under *VI. Miscellaneous*—2. *Postage, Telegrams, &c.*, is chiefly for advertisements, the Female Branch bearing its share of the total cost.

4. The *closing balance* of the revised estimates is Rs. 6,747, and has been adopted as the opening balance of the budget for 1892–93.

Budget Estimate for 1892–93.

Receipts.

III. For opening balance, see above.

2. The amounts under *III. Special Funds*—1. *Subsistence allowance* and 2. *Pensions from Funds*, are the only items which differ from those of the sanctioned budget. A slight increase in the former and a decrease in the latter are anticipated.

3. Including the opening balance, the total receipts are estimated at Rs. 25,345 against Rs. 26,082 revised estimates and Rs. 24,629 sanctioned budget.

Expenditure.

IV. *I. Education*—1. *Establishment*—

	Rs.
Half salary of Head Mistress	65
„ Second „	25
Capitation grant to Head Mistress	10
Two Pupil Teachers at Rs. 5	10
Organist	10
Drill Sergeant	5
Teacher, Kindergarten singing	10
Per mensem	135
Per annum	1,620
Add third year's increment on account of two pupil teachers at Rs. 2 for each for six months	24
Total	1,644

The increase over the sanctioned budget for 1891–92 is Rs. 84. The salary of the Second Mistress has been reduced from Rs. 60 to Rs. 50 per mensem, the balance being paid to the senior Nursery teacher of the Male Branch for instructing the girls in Kindergarten singing.

Under 2. *Books, &c.*, the allotment for Founder's-day gifts is included, and the amount under 3. *Library* has been increased by Rs. 35.

V. *II.* (*a*) *Clothing*—1. *Establishment*—

	Rs.
Half salary of Head Mistress	65
„ Second „	25
Per mensem	90
„ annum	1,080

The other allotments are similar to the amounts entered in the sanctioned budget.

3. *Shoeing* is calculated for an average strength of 65 girls at Re. 1 per head per month *plus* 5 per cent. for extras.

2. (*b*) *Victualling*—1. *Establishment*—

	Rs.
Half Matron's salary	25
Native help	8
Per mensem	33
„ annum	396

As the revised estimates show a rise in the cost under 2. *Provisions*, it has been deemed advisable to increase the allotment for 1892–93 from Rs. 5,600 sanctioned budget to Rs. 6,100 for 1892–93.

VI. *III.* (*a*) *Household*—1. *Establishment*—

	Rs.
Half Matron's salary	25
Two men servants	16
Orderly	1
Per mensem	42
„ annum	504

2. The allotments in the sanctioned budget under *III.* (*a*) *Household*, (*b*) *Sanitation*, (*c*) *Hospital, and IV. Repairs* have been repeated for 1892–93.

VII. *V. General*—1. *Establishment.*—The allotment is Rs. 501 in excess of the revised estimate, and Rs. 612 of the sanctioned budget, to allow for the increased salary of the present Principal, a part of which is borne by the Girls' branch.

VIII. *VI. Miscellaneous.*—The several-allotments have been repeated.

IX. *VII. Other Charges.*—The *Scholarship* has lapsed. The usual allotment for one *out-boarder* has been made.

X. The Female Branch closes with a credit balance of Rs. 5,207.

XI. The calculations are for an average strength of 65 girls.

XII. The matters calling for notice in respect of the Male Branch noted in paragraph 7 (*a*), (*b*) and (*e*), page 14 of G.O., dated 26th May 1891, No. 401, Educational, have been explained in the Chairman's letter No. 506, dated 13th July 1891.

2. A special report on paragraph 7 (*c*) and paragraph 9 will be submitted as soon as the present Principal obtains an insight into the working of the institution.

(Signed) A. W. ATKINSON,
Principal and Secretary.

26th February 1892.

Budget Statement for 1892–93.

—	Actuals, 1890–91.	Budget, 1891–92.	Revised estimates, 1891–92.	Budget, 1892–93.
Male Branch.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
Receipts.				
Opening balance	— 11,235	— 1,526	— 2,316	— 8,694
I. From Government—				
1. Grant-in-aid	31,680	31,680	31,680	31,680
II. Profits on Asylum Property—				
1. Donation and interest on Government securities	38,828	38,828	38,806	38,828
2. Interest on fixed deposit	975	400	400	400
3. Donation from the Lawrence Asylum Press	..	5,000	5,000	5,000
4. Portion of Fixed Deposit brought into current account	10,000	..	..	10,000
III. Special Funds—				
1. Subsistence allowance	8,769	8,600	9,937	9,768
2. Pensions from funds	413	312	316	308
3. Fees	2,155	1,944	1,760	1,668
IV. Industries—				
1. Carpenter's and Smith's shop	897	1,400	1,786	1,400
2. Tailor's shop	58	60	120	60
3. Garden, Pigs, Carts, &c.	890	600	630	600
4. Recoveries on account of white-washing and repairs	461	1,200	1,668	1,200
V. Miscellaneous—				
1. Sale of stores	446	350	468	200
2. Do. firewood	152	125	60	125
3. Fines and deductions	21	..	..	..
4. Refunds and repayments	333	..	2,572	..
5. Compensation for boots, N. V. cadets	180	..	..	..
VI. Advances Recoverable—				
1. Advances	200	..	509	..
2. Charges recoverable	..	..	..	..
3. Deposits	..	..	300	..
Total ..	85,223	88,973	93,687	92,543

Budget statement for 1892–93—*cont.*

—	Actuals, 1890–91.	Sanctioned budget, 1891–92.	Revised estimates, 1891–92.	Budget, 1892–93.
MALE BRANCH—*cont.*	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.
Expenditure.				
I. Education—				
(*a*) Scholastic—				
1. Establishment	10,190	10,260	10,260	10,260
2. Books, prizes and stationery	771	300	850	780
3. Library	195	380	380	195
4. Examination fees	28	50	102	80
(*b*) Artistic—				
1. Music establishment	664	750	750	750
2. Do. instruments and repairs	95	270	300	120
3. Gymnastic establishment	449	450	450	450
4. Do. apparatus, games, toys, &c.	105	70	60	130
(*c*) Industries—				
1. Tailoring	510	510	510	510
2. Carpentry	600	600	600	600
3. Boot-making	600	600	600	600
4. Do. tools	..	..	..	50
II. Clothing and Victualling—				
(*a*) Clothing—				
1. Establishment	1,782	1,866	1,866	1,782
2. Material	6,155	8,500	10,200	6,821
3. Shoeing	3,548	3,580	4,050	4,280
4. Dyeing	40	50	..	..
(*b*) Victualling—				
1. Establishment	1,495	1,692	1,482	1,422
2. Provisions	27,827	27,000	32,000	32,500
3. Kitchen and Dining-room utensils	245	150	250	300
III. Household, Hospital and Sanitation—				
(*a*) Household—				
1. Establishment	4,211	4,764	5,124	4,950
2. Washing	1,911	1,920	2,173	2,228
3. Lighting	952	1,000	650	740
4. Firewood	1,306	1,300	1,380	1,392
5. Bedding and towelling	1,363	2,008	2,150	2,453
6. Hardware, soap, brushes, combs, &c.	691	250	450	360
7. Furniture, carpets and curtains	151	150	100	300
8. Contingencies	40	50	50	50
(*b*) Hospital—				
1. Establishment	1,622	1,584	1,584	1,584
2. Medicines, Wines, &c.	242	300	200	250
3. Extra nursing	39	300	100	300
(*c*) Sanitation—				
1. Establishment	561	576	516	768
2. Tar, Phenyle, &c.	235	40	100	100
3. Repairs to drains, roads, water-channels	585	500	350	400
IV. General—				
1. Establishment	7,708	6,888	7,765	7,922
V. Industries—				
(*a*) Carpenters and Smiths—				
1. Establishment	1,758	1,668	1,650	1,668
2. Material	953	550	700	940
(*b*) Whitewashing and repairs—				
1. Establishment	926	1,476	1,200	1,476
2. Material	118	150	150	150
(*c*) Garden, pigs, carts, &c.	3,055	2,900	2,900	2,900
VI. Miscellaneous—				
1. Carrying charges and travelling expenses	913	850	1,350	850
2. Cases, freight, insurance, &c.	738	850	850	850
3. Agent's commission	..	..	601	..
4. Postage, advertisements, telegrams	145	150	150	150
5. Founder's day	..	250	..	..
6. Printing	22	50	30	50
7. Audit fee	..	230	230	230
8. Interest on overdrafts	128	..	..	..
9. Contingencies	2	..	10	10
VII. Other charges—				
1. Pensions	495	600	600	600
2. Out boarders	60	60	60	60
3. Scholarships	575	600	490	360
4. Outfits	496	400	200	200
5. Headstones for graves	38	..	..	..
6. Gratuity	..	..	3,300	..
VIII. Advances—				
1. Advances proper	200	..	500	..
2. Charges recoverable	..	..	8	..
	87,539	89,492	1,02,381	95,921
Closing balance	— 2,316	— 519	— 8,694	— 3,378
Total	85,223	88,973	93,687	92,543

Budget statement for 1892–93—*cont.*

—	Actuals, 1890–91.	Budget, 1891–92.	Revised estimates, 1891–92.	Budget, 1892–93.
FEMALE BRANCH.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.
Receipts.				
Opening balance	5,852	6,105	7,055	6,747
I. From Government—				
1. Grant-in-aid	16,320	16,320	16,320	16,320
II. Profits on Asylum Property—				
1. Interest on fixed deposit	800	800	800	800
III. Special funds—				
1. Subsistence allowance	1,246	1,092	1,162	1,176
2. Pensions from funds	198	222	212	212
3. Fees	..	..	3	..
4. Donations	600	..	300	..
IV. Miscellaneous—				
1. Sale of stores	121	90	212	90
2. Fines and refunds	2	..	18	..
V. Advances recoverable	62	..	..	..
Total	25,201	24,629	26,082	25,345

	Actuals, 1890–91.	Sanctioned budget, 1891–92.	Revised estimates, 1891–92.	Budget, 1892–93.
Expenditure.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.
I. Education—				
1. Establishment	1,513	1,560	1,560	1,644
2. Books, stationery	194	300	260	400
3. Library	108	65	65	100
4. Examination fees	75	70	59	70
5. Organist and Music	22	.. 50	.. 25	.. 50
6. Games	..			
II. Clothing and Victualling—				
(*a*) Clothing—				
1. Establishment	1,112	1,140	1,140	1,080
2. Material	1,535	1,900	900	1,900
3. Shoeing	802	820	810	820
4. Tailor hire	1	5	5	5
(*b*) Victualling—				
1. Establishment	396	396	396	396
2. Provisions	5,891	5,600	6,140	6,100
3. Kitchen and Dining-room utensils	181	250	150	250
III. Household, Sanitation and Hospital—				
(*a*) Household—				
1. Establishment	510	504	502	504
2. Washing	568	585	577	585
3. Lighting	88	150	143	150
4. Firewood	48	110	65	110
5. Furniture and repairs	51	120	80	120
6. Bedding and towelling	164	250	50	250
7. Hardware, soap, brushes, &c.	32	250	160	250
8. Contingencies	10	10	10	10
(*b*) Sanitation—				
1. Establishment	150	144	144	144
2. Roads, drains and water-channels	73	90	45	90
3. Tar, Phenyle, &c.	1	30	20	30
(*c*) Hospital—				
1. Establishment	408	408	402	408
2. Medicines, brandy, wines	8	70	25	70
3. Extra nursing	106	100	50	100
IV. Buildings and Repairs—				
1. Whitewashing, &c.	11	50	50	50
V. General—				
1. Establishment	3,000	2,700	3,111	3,612
VI. Miscellaneous—				
1. Carrying charges and travelling expenses	230	250	125	250
2. Postage, telegrams and advertisements	23	30	60	30
3. Founder's day	..	100	..	..
4. Audit fee	..	120	120	120
5. Cases, freight, insurance, &c.	147	230	130	230
6. Agent's commission	..	..	46	..
7. Contingencies	..	10	10	10
8. Printing	9	..	..	..
9. Repayments and refunds	8	..	..	..
VII. Other charges—				
1. Scholarship	400	480	..	..
2. Out-boarder	200	200	200	200
3. Outfits	70	..	..	..
4. Gratuity	..	..	1,700	..
	18,146	19,147	19,335	20,138
Closing balance	7,055	5,482	6,747	5,207
Total	25,201	24,629	26,082	25,345

LIST of establishments with salaries.

Head or heads to which debited.	Number.	Designation.	Salary per mensem.	Special allowances.	Remarks.
			Rs.	Rs.	
MALE BRANCH.					
I. Education	1	Head Master	300	..	
Do.	1	Second Master	150	..	
Do.	1	Third do.	85	..	
Do.	1	Fourth do.	75	..	
Do.	1	Fifth do.	70	..	
Do.	1	Sixth do.	65	..	
Do.	1	Nursery Teacher	70	..	
Do.	1	Assistant do.	50	..	Rs 10 debited to F. B. Education.
Do. and III. Household	1	Organist	30	..	Rs. 10 debited to F. B.
Do.	1	Band Sergeant	85	..	,, 42½ to Education and Rs. 42½ to Household.
I. Education and II. Clothing	1	Sergeant Master of Gymnastics.	80	..	,, 37½ to Education and Rs. 37½ to Household and Rs. 5 to F. B. Education.
I. Education and V. Industrial	1	Master Tailor	85	..	,, 42½ to Education and Rs. 42½ to Clothing.
I. Education	1	Do. Carpenter	100	..	,, 50 to Education and Rs. 50 to Carpentry.
II. Victualling and III. Household	1	Boot-making Instructor	50	..	Paid to the Boot Contractor.
II. Victualling	1	Quartermaster Sergeant	75	10	Rs. 37½ to Victualling and Rs. 37½ to Household.
III. Household	1	Cook Sergeant	40	..	Rs. 10 for hair-cutting.
Do.	1	Sergeant-Major	86	..	
Do.	2	Junior Sergeants	100	..	
Do.	1	Upper School Matron	50	..	At Rs. 50 each.
III. Hospital	1	Nursery do.	40	..	
Do.	1	Matron	50	..	
Do.	1	Consulting Physician	..	50	Rs. 33 to M.B. and Rs. 17 to F. B.
IV. General	1	Apothecary	..	50	Do. do.
Do.	1	Principal	700	..	Rs. 238 debited to F. B.
	1	Office Manager	200	..	,, 30 do. do.
Native Establishment.					
II. Clothing	7	Tailors	106	..	
II. Victualling	3	Cooks	25	..	2 Scullery Servants at Rs. 8 each, Rs. 16.
III. Household	1	Nursery Maty	9	..	
Do.	1	Mussalchi	10	..	
III. Hospital	1	Cook	8	..	
Do.	1	Maty	8	..	
III. Sanitation	8	Scavengers	64	..	
III. Household	7	Coolies	56	..	
IV. General	1	Peon	8	..	Engaged as required for cutting firewood.
III. Sanitation	2	Gardeners	16	..	
	4	Coolies	32	..	
V. Industries	2	Carpenters	52	..	Engaged as required for bush-cutting, drainage, water-courses, roads, &c.
Do.	1	Smith	29	..	
Do.	1	Bellows boy	8	..	
Do.	5	Bricklayers	103	..	Workshops.
	4	Do. Coolies	20	..	
Do.	1	Maistry	..	..	Whitewashing and repairs.
Do.	3	Cart-drivers	20	..	Garden, live stock, plantation, &c., &c.
Do.	5	Grass-cutters	25	..	
Do.	1	Swineherd	25	..	
Do.	4	Garden Coolies	8	..	
	440	Coolies	32	..	
FEMALE BRANCH.			..	..	For Tea Garden. Engaged as required. Cost about Rs. 140 per annum.
I. Education and II. Clothing	1	Head Mistress	130	10	Rs. 75 to Education and Rs. 65 to Clothing.
Do.	1	Second do.	50	..	Half to Education and half to Clothing.
II. Victualling and III. Household	1	Matron	50	..	Half to Victualling and half to Household.
I. Education	2	Pupil Teachers	8	..	
Native Establishment.					
II. Victualling	1	Kitchen help	8	..	
III. Household	2	Men Servants	16	..	
III. Sanitation	2	Scavengers	12	..	

1st *March* 1892.

(Signed) A. W. ATKINSON,
Principal and Secretary.

ORDER—dated 6th May 1892, No. 365, Educational.

The budget estimate of the Lawrence Asylum, Ootacamund, was due with Government on the 1st March but was not received until more than three weeks after that date. The Government must insist on punctuality in future; it would save time if the Committee of the Asylum forwarded the budget to the Director of Public Instruction through the Inspector and Inspectress of Schools of the circle.

2. The Director of Public Instruction remarks in paragraph 2 of his letter that as detailed budget figures for 1890–91 are not available in the printed report it is not possible to make any observations on the differences between the estimated and actual figures for that year. This statement is not understood; the revised estimate for 1890–91 is printed in detail in G.O., dated 26th May 1891, No. 401, Educational, and the actuals for that year are given in the statement now submitted; a comparison of the two shows that the small increase on the revised estimate in the deficit closing balance of the Male branch for 1890–91 was mainly due to diminished receipts under heads III and IV. In the same paragraph Mr. Grigg remarks that final orders have not yet been passed regarding the distribution of Government grants between the Male and Female branches; but the matter was disposed of in G.O., dated 30th July 1890, No. 548, Educational, paragraph 9.

3. *Male Branch.*—The year 1891–92 opened with a deficit of Rs. 2,316 against Rs. 1,526 estimated; the revised estimates of receipts and charges for that year are Rs. 93,687 and Rs. 1,02,381 respectively against Rs. 88,973 and Rs. 89,492 the original budget allotments. The causes of the increase in receipts and expenditure have been explained and do not call for detailed notice. The revised estimate of expenditure for 1891–92 includes Rs. 601 commission paid to Mrs. Dene and Rs. 500 travelling allowance to the present Principal. The former item will be permitted to stand pending full explanation of the nature of the payment and of the authority under which it was made; the latter item will be excluded with reference to G.O., dated 27th April 1892, No. 346, Educational. The deficit closing balance for 1891–92 will thus be reduced from Rs. 8,694 to Rs. 8,194. The wages of the book-binder employed during 1891–92 should have appeared under VI—Miscellaneous as remarked by the Director. The Committee had no authority to entertain two scullions without reference to Government; the charges on this account will however be passed. In a separate communication the Committee has reported that the Accountant-General deducted apparently in February last a sum of Rs. 1,020 from the Government grant-in-aid of Rs. 4,000 *per mensem* on account of the salary of the Telegraph Instructor for the months of July to October 1891 but the fact is not referred to in the papers under disposal. The question of relieving the Asylum of this charge is under separate consideration but if it has already been met the deficit closing balance of 1891–92 will be raised to Rs. 9,214. The budget figures will now be revised on the assumption that the deduction of Rs. 1,020 was made in 1891–92 and that the amount will not be made good to the Asylum.

4. The estimated opening balance for 1892–93, raised as shown in paragraph 3 *supra*, amounts to *minus* Rs. 9,214. The contribution expected from the Lawrence Asylum Press is put at Rs. 5,000, this will be increased to Rs. 7,000 with reference to G.O., dated 5th April 1892, No. 301, Educational. The Government has recently, in G.O., dated 21st April 1892, No. 332, Educational, rejected Mr. Grigg's proposed scale of fees for children of civilians as being too low and otherwise objectionable and the estimated receipts from fees may safely, the Government considers, be raised to Rs. 2,000 from Rs. 1,668 the figure estimated. The result of these changes is to raise the estimate of receipts for 1892–93 to Rs. 94,355. In future budgets the number of paying pupils of each class likely to be under instruction during the year to which the budget relates should be stated, as suggested by the Director.

5. The charges for 1892–93 are estimated at Rs. 95,921. Under II (*b*) 2—Provisions—a sum of Rs. 32,500 is entered against Rs. 32,000 the revised estimate for 1891–92 and Rs. 27,827 the actuals for 1890–91; the figure will be allowed to stand pending report of the actual outlay on this account in 1891–92. It is observed that the estimate includes Rs. 120 on account of the wages of a book-binder; from this

it appears that the book-binder is to be retained permanently; the necessity for this should be reported. The question of introducing book-binding into the school as a subject of instruction can be considered in connection with the general question of technical training in the Asylum in respect of which report was called for in G.O., dated 15th December 1891, No. 923, Educational. The charge of Rs. 300 under III (*a*) 7—Furniture, Carpets and Curtains—represents the cost of papering the walls of the rooms occupied by the Principal; this figure will be allowed to stand pending* decision by Government of the question of the source from which this and similar charges should be met. Provision will also be made with reference to G.O., dated 5th April 1892, No. 301, Educational, for a charge of Rs. 2,200 on account of the repair and improvement of certain buildings attached to the Asylum. The proposed charges on account of establishment are passed; there seem to be several unimportant changes in the strength of the establishment as compared with 1891–92; changes of this nature should not be made in the budget; distinct proposals should be separately submitted to Government before any alteration in the strength or pay of the establishment takes place. In view of the above remarks the estimate of charges will be raised to Rs. 98,121 from Rs. 95,921 and the year will close with a deficit balance of Rs. 3,766 against a deficit of Rs. 3,378 anticipated by the Committee.

* *Vide* G.O., dated 27th April 1892, No. 346, Educational.

6. In G.O., dated 25th September 1891, No. 747, Educational, the Government sanctioned the expenditure of Rs. 701 for raising the walls of the gymnasium and in G.O., dated 9th February 1892, No. 128, Educational, the construction of a contagious ward at a cost of Rs. 4,000 was approved. The Committee has rightly abstained from proposing any expenditure on these two items during the forthcoming year. The Director's proposal to make a further allotment of Rs. 2,500 for certain items specified in paragraph 4 of his letter is one which in view of the present financial condition of the Asylum cannot be entertained. The necessity for the most rigid economy must be strongly impressed upon the Committee; although the estimated receipts for 1892–93, as revised, include a contribution from the Press of Rs. 7,000 and a sum of Rs. 10,000 withdrawn from fixed deposit and although no charges of an unusual character appear on the expenditure side, it is found impossible to produce equilibrium. For the present it will be sufficient to draw attention to the serious state of the finances of the institution; whether it will be necessary to take any active steps towards reducing the outlay must depend upon the final disposal of the question of the future of the Lawrence Asylum Press. One thing the Government must insist upon and that is the strict observance of Rule 58; the expenditure must be in conformity with the budget and when the Committee desires to incur charges on objects not provided for therein the previous sanction of Government must be sought unless the charge is of the pettiest character and can be met from savings in other directions.

7. *Female Branch.*—The accounts of the Female branch for the current year are expected to open and close with a balance of Rs. 6,747 and Rs. 5,207 respectively. As noted by the Director of Public Instruction the budget figures for the current year are in the majority of instances mere repetitions of last year's allotments. The Committee's attention will be invited to the Director's observations in paragraphs 6 and 7 of his letter regarding the variations in the allotments under "Clothing Material" and "Provisions."

8. It is observed that the pay of the Second Mistress has been reduced from Rs. 60 to Rs. 50, that is by the sum of Rs. 10, in order to raise the salary of the Senior Nursery teacher of the Male branch by an equivalent amount as remuneration for instructing the girls in kindergarten singing; this change ought not to have been carried out without the sanction of Government.

9. The Director of Public Instruction has again re-opened the question of strengthening the Female branch of the Asylum which was decided in the negative by G.O., dated 9th February 1891, No. 96, Educational; the Government is not prepared to reconsider that decision in the present condition of the Asylum. The reports in

regard to the introduction of the salary-result system and the employment of Serjeant Assistants promised in paragraph 2 of the Principal's letter are awaited. The date fixed in Rule 59 of the Asylum Rules for the submission of the annual report to Government should be altered from 1st June to 30th August with reference to G.O., dated 23rd March 1892, No. 264, Educational, and the amendment of Rule 47 suggested in paragraph 5 of G.O., dated 15th December 1891, No. 923, Educational, should be reported on.

10. The following is a Summary of the budget statements for 1892–93:—

		Rs.
Male Branch.		
Opening balance		— 9,214
Receipts		1,03,569
	Total	94,355
Expenditure		98,121
	Closing balance	— 3,766
Female Branch.		
Opening balance		6,747
Receipts		18,598
	Total	25,345
Expenditure		20,138
	Closing balance	5,207

(True Extract.)

J. F. PRICE,
Chief Secretary.

To the Director of Public Instruction, for communication to the Lawrence Asylum Committee.
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Reviewing the budget estimate of the — for 1892–93.

GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.

EDUCATIONAL DEPARTMENT.

READ—the following papers:—

From H. B. GRIGG, Esq., M.A., C.I.E., Director of Public Instruction, Madras, to the Chief Secretary to Government, dated 22nd March 1892, No. 4086.

I have the honour to submit the budget estimate of the Lawrence Asylum, Ootacamund, for 1892–93 with the following remarks. The budget was received on the 29th ultimo and I had subsequently to refer it to the Inspector and the Inspectress for remarks, which reached me only on the 17th instant. Hence the delay in its submission to Government.

2. *Actuals of* 1890–91.—Detailed budget figures of the year not being available in the printed report, it is not possible to remark on the variations between the budget and the actuals. Owing mainly to the disproportionate distribution of Government grants between the male and the female branches, on which final orders have not yet been passed, and the absence of any contribution from the Asylum Press, the year opened with a large deficit balance of Rs. 11,235 so far as the male branch was concerned, which necessitated the absorption of Rs. 10,000 of the fixed deposits in favour of the asylum, which it must be remembered resulted from the large contributions from the Press in former years. The year closed with a deficit balance of Rs. 2,316. In the female branch, on the contrary, there was a large surplus, viz., Rs. 5,852 at the beginning and Rs. 7,055 at the close of the year. The average strength of the branches remained at 276 and 57 respectively, against 284 and 65 for whom provision had been made, and it is presumed that the general actual expenditure bears more or less the same proportion to the budget.

MALE BRANCH.

3. *Revised Estimate*, 1891–92.—Including a *minus* balance of Rs. 2,316, the total assets are calculated at Rs. 93,687 against a budget estimate of Rs. 88,973. The increase is due mainly to the increased subsistence allowance taken credit for under Special Funds owing to increase in attendance from 288 to 330, and to a sum of Rs. 2,097 expected to be realized from the Public Works Department, being the unexpended balance of the cost of the water-supply scheme and the new latrines. The latter amount is entered as refunds and repayments under general head V, Miscellaneous. The estimated fall in the fee-income is due to a smaller number of paying students being on the rolls. In future it would be well to give the exact number of paying pupils—children of soldiers as well as those of civilians in the school. Items IV (1) and (4) under receipts were referred to in paragraph 4 of my letter submitting the last budget, and the propriety of the Public Works budget contributing to the cost of repairs and petty construction in its present or a modified form is still under correspondence with the Public Works Department (*vide* G.O., dated 5th February 1892, No. 117). Credit has been taken for a contribution of

Rs. 5,000 from the Asylum Press during the current year and in the next. I believe the Press funds will admit of this payment being made and hence the items may stand. The total expenditure, which includes the marginally noted special extra charges, is estimated at Rs. 1,02,381 against a budget allotment of Rs. 89,492. The variations have been explained by the Secretary. Increased attendance accounts mainly for the additional cost under several of the items, especially "Clothing and Victualling." The sum of Rs. 850 under I (*a*) 2. Books, prizes, &c., includes the wages of a book-binder; this part of the expenditure should come more appropriately under VI, Miscellaneous. The employment of two additional scullery servants from the savings may be approved. A large supply of home exercise and class books is proposed to be made, which is satisfactory. The decrease under "Lighting" and "Sanitation" is made out with reference to the actual expenditure up to date under those heads and may stand; the decrease under "Scholarships" is due to one of them having lapsed. Gratuity to Reverend Mr. Dene was sanctioned in G.O., dated 28th August 1891, No. 679, and travelling allowance to Mr. Atkinson for joining his appointment from Calcutta has already been recommended, and these charges are provided for in the revised estimate. The payment of Rs. 601 as commission to Mrs. Dene for the purchase of goods in England is a new item, sanction for which does not appear to have been applied for and obtained through this office. The Committee should be called upon to explain the authority under which the expenditure was sanctioned.

	Rs.
Extra travelling allowance	500
Gratuity	3,300
Agent's commission	601
Advances, &c.	508
Total ..	4,909

4. *Budget Estimate for* 1892–93.—The budget opens with a *minus* balance of Rs. 8,694, and including this item the total receipts are estimated at Rs. 92,543. Credit is taken for the Press donation of Rs. 5,000, and it is also proposed to absorb Rs. 10,000, being the balance of the fixed deposit. It is further suggested that an additional donation of Rs. 5,000 may be applied for from the Asylum Press, though actual credit has not been taken for the same. I do not think that the Press can afford to pay this additional grant considering its present financial position. The increase under "Subsistence allowance" and the decrease under "Fee-receipts" are due to circumstances explained in the preceding paragraph. In my letter No. 3058, dated 5th March 1892, I have recommended a higher rate of fees for children of civilians with reference to paragraph 2 of G.O., dated 2nd February 1891, No. 76, Educational. If the scale recommended be adopted, the budget figure for 1891–92, viz., Rs. 1,944, may be safely repeated. As already suggested, it would be better for purposes of budget calculation also to state the probable number of paying pupils—civilian and soldier—the asylum is likely to have. The total charges are estimated at Rs. 95,921, which is much less than the current year's revised estimate. Increased allotment under "Shoeing," "Provisions," and "Bedding and Travelling" is due to the rise in attendance as noticed already. The very large supply of "Clothing" provided for in the revised estimate accounts for the decrease of about Rs. 3,400 in next year's budget. The item of Rs. 780 under I (*a*) 2 includes the wages of a book-binder, Rs. 120. This amount should come under VI, Miscellaneous. In this connection, I think the Committee may be invited to consider the desirability of introducing book-binding as an industry in the school. This will not involve any extra expenditure, as in any case there has to be a book-binder on the establishment. The industry is, I believe, remunerative, whilst the course (two years) is short. It is suitable to boys whose physique is poor. The increased rate of pay to the new Principal and his increments have also been provided for. I propose an additional allotment of Rs. 2,500 for the undermentioned items noticed by Dr. Duncan in his review of the report for 1890–91 recorded in G.O., dated 15th December 1891, No. 923, Educational:—

(1) Walls of the gymnasium to be raised by 9 feet. It is not known whether this has been done already. If not, probably the Public Works Department will bear the charge.

(2) Furniture, library and gymnastic apparatus should be improved.

(3) A drawing master should be appointed to teach drawing.

(4) One of the teachers should be sent to the Teachers' College for training in drawing, book-keeping, commercial correspondence, &c., and should be paid an extra allowance besides the usual stipend that will be paid to him from Provincial funds. If this is not practicable, a separate teacher should be employed. In a school of this description drawing should be taught as a class subject in all the classes.

(5) Introduction of blacksmith's work has to be considered when a sufficient number of pupils physically fit to learn it are available and as soon as the new Principal is able to submit a scheme for the purpose.

5. The following alterations seem to have been contemplated in the strength of the inferior establishment:—

Tailors	7	instead of	8
Scavengers	8	,,	5
Coolies (household)	7	,,	5
Coolies (sanitation)	4	,,	5
Cart-drivers	3	,,	4
Grass-cutters	5	,,	6

I press again for the consideration of His Excellency in Council the desirability of substituting civilians for the present Sergeant Assistants and for working the institution not as a *quasi*-military school, but for the end it has in view—training boys to make their living in various branches of civil life. As few of the pupils become soldiers, its military character is, to say the least, anomalous. The change should result in appreciable savings and considerable improvement in the *morale* of the school.

The Committee object to the introduction of the salary-results system. I have the matter under consideration.

FEMALE BRANCH.

6. *Revised Estimate for* 1891–92.—Including the opening balance, the total receipts are estimated at Rs. 26,082 and charges at Rs. 19,335. The attendance having remained stationary, very few variations are presented between the revised estimate and the original budget. The decrease under "Clothing—Material" from Rs. 1,900 to Rs. 900, and the increase under "Victualling—Provisions" from Rs. 5,600 to Rs. 6,140, have not been explained. Thirty-four per cent. of the gratuity to Mr. Dene and of the increased pay to the Principal has been duly provided for. The allotment of Rs. 480 under "Scholarships" has, it is observed, not been utilized.

7. *Budget*, 1892–93.—An opening balance of Rs. 6,747 is expected, including which the total assets are calculated at Rs. 25,345 and the total charges at Rs. 20,138, leaving thus a closing balance of Rs. 5,207. The budget estimate differs very little from the current year's allotment, except under "Provisions," in which a larger outlay is proposed but not accounted for. The strength of the branch being constant, it is probably intended to provide for an anticipated rise in the price of food-grains. The Inspectress recommends again the appointment of an additional teacher on Rs. 40 a month, and I strongly recommend that effect be given to this suggestion. As no expenditure is expected under "Scholarships," the amount usually set apart for this purpose, Rs. 480, may be utilized in giving effect to this suggestion.

ENCLOSURE.

From Brigadier-General G. ROWLANDSON, Chairman, Ootacamund Lawrence Asylum, to the Chief Secretary to Government (through the Director of Public Instruction), dated Ootacamund, 26th February 1892, No. 1823.

I have the honour to forward herewith, for submission to Government, the budget and report of the male and female branches of this institution for 1892–93.

REVISED ESTIMATE FOR 1891-92.

Male Branch—Receipts.

The opening balance is *minus* Rs. 2,316, the actual closing balance for 1890-91, against a *minus* balance of Rs. 1,526 in the budget for 1891-92.

II. The revised estimated receipts amount to Rs. 93,687, against Rs. 88,973 budget for 1891-92, owing to improved receipts under *major* heads *III. Special Funds, IV. Industries, and V. Miscellaneous.*

2. There is a falling off in the anticipated payments under *III. Special Funds*—4. *Fees*, owing to the number of paying pupils at the present time being less than at the beginning of the official year.

3. The following entry requires explanation: *V. Miscellaneous*—3. *Fines, deductions and refunds*, Rs. 2,572. It includes Rs. 325, amounts overdrawn and subsequently returned to the Bank and some petty fines; Rs. 150, a credit payment by Mr. W. Whiteley for goods returned; and Rs. 2,097, refunded by the Public Works Department as the unexpended balance from the estimated cost of the water-supply scheme and new latrines.

4. *VI. Advances*—3. *Deposits*, Rs. 300.—The amount includes the forfeited deposit (Rs. 200) of the mutton butcher, whose contract was annulled, and a deposit of Rs. 100 made by the market contractor.

Male Branch—Expenditure.

III. *I. Education*—(*a*) *Scholastic*—

	RS.
Budget	10,990
Revised estimate	11,592

The increase is Rs. 602, being Rs. 550 under 2. *Books, prizes, &c.*, and Rs. 72 under 4. *Examination Fees.* Under the former the increase is chiefly owing to deficiencies in school-books for each class being made up, and for a large supply of exercise-books required by the Educational rules. It also includes the wages of a book-binder and the cost of some material for binding (Rs. 91). The number of books rebound and repaired, and the exercise-books made, more than compensate for the additional outlay.

4. *Examination Fees.*—The excess is Rs. 52 over the budget, the payments being as follows:—

	RS.	A.	P.
Medical, Military	25	0	0
Arts and Industries, lower grade	11	4	0
Lower Secondary examination	45	8	0
Honorarium to Examiner in Band music	20	0	0
Total ..	101	12	0

2. (*b*) *Artistic.*—The increase is Rs. 30 under 2. *Musical instruments, &c.*, the actual cost of some band instruments being a little over the sum put down.

IV. *II.* (*a*) *Clothing*—

	RS.
Budget	13,996
Revised estimate	16,116

The latter is Rs. 2,120 over the budget allotment, caused chiefly by enhanced rates paid for clothing material, and for supplementary indents to provide the required clothing for the additional number of boys admitted during the year, the number having steadily risen from 288 to 330. Under 3. *Shoeing* the increase is Rs. 470, which allows for the increase in strength and a little over for contingencies.

2. (*b*) *Victualling*—1. *Establishment.*—Half the pay of the Quartermaster Sergeant (Rs. 37-8-0) is charged under this head, Rs. 25 for 3 native cooks and Rs. 16 for 2 scullery servants. The latter is no additional expense, being met from savings in the pay of the two junior Sergeants (pensioners), whose monthly salary is Rs. 100, their predecessors (effective soldiers) receiving not less than Rs. 122 per mensem. Relieving the boys of the scullery work has resulted in less losses and breakages, less damage to clothing, and gives more leisure to those who were so engaged.

2. *Provisions*—

	RS.
Budget	28,842
Revised estimate	33,732

The difference is Rs. 4,890, an increase to allow for the dieting of 42 additional boys, the budget being calculated for 288 boys only. The average monthly cost for 1890-91 was Rs. 2,319; from April to September 1891, Rs. 2,683; and from April to December 1891, Rs. 2,711.

3. *Kitchen and Dining-room utensils, &c.*—Allowance has been made for fresh upper plates for both the stoves and for putting new bottoms to four copper boilers; hence the increase over the budget allotment.

V. *III.* (*a*) *Household*—

	RS.
Budget	11,442
Revised estimate	12,077

The increase is Rs. 635. Under 1. *Establishment* is included half the salary of the Quartermaster Sergeant (Rs. 37-8-0), as is done in the cases of the Band Sergeant and the Sergeant Instructor of Gymnastics; and allowance has been made under 2. *Washing* for the increased number of boys.

3. *Lighting.*—From April to December 1891 the actual cost under this head was Rs. 489, so that the allotment in column 3 is deemed sufficient.

4. *Firewood*, 5. *Bedding and towelling, and* 6. *Hardware, &c.*, show an increase respectively over the budget allotments, which, it is anticipated, will not be sufficient for the year's requirements.

2. (*b*) *Hospital.*—The revised estimate is Rs. 300 less than the budget, the sums set down for the year in the third column being considered sufficient, as under 2. *Medicines, Wines, &c.*, the actuals for nine months have been Rs. 151, and under 4. *Extra Nursing* Rs. 14 only.

3. (*c*) *Sanitation*—

	RS.
Budget	1,116
Revised estimate	966

The latter is Rs. 150 less than the budget owing chiefly to a less sum being expended up to date on 3. *Repairs to drains, roads, water-courses, &c.* The charges under 2. *Tar, Phenyle, &c.*, are more than were anticipated.

VI. *General*—1. *Establishment.*—The actual expenditure to December 1891 under this head is Rs. 5,797, so that the sum set down in the revised estimate column will not be exceeded, being Rs. 1,968 for the next three months, allowance being made for the higher salary to the present Principal.

VII. *V. Industries*—(*a*) *Carpenters and Smiths.*—In the revised estimate the allotment under 1. *Establishment* is Rs. 38 less; but it is Rs. 150 more under 2. *Material*, the allotment being insufficient for the requirements of the shop, timber being also required for the covered way to the new latrines.

2. (*b*) *White-washing and repairs.*—The revised estimates are deemed sufficient for the year and are Rs. 276 less than the budget.

3. (*c*) *Garden, &c.*—The allotment is the same as in the budget.

VIII. *VI. Miscellaneous.*—The revised estimate allows for the travelling expenses of the present Principal from Calcutta at about Rs. 500; hence the increase under 1. *Carrying charges, &c.*

3. *Agent's Commission.*—A new charge, and not anticipated, the amount is the sum paid to Mrs. Dene for the purchase of goods in England for the asylum.

IX. *VII. Other Charges.*—There is a decrease under 3. *Scholarships*, one of them having lapsed.

4. *Outfits.*—The expenditure to date has been Rs. 137 only, so that the amount in the revised estimate is deemed ample.

(*b*) *Gratuity.*—A charge not anticipated, being part *bonus* of Rs. 5,000 granted to the Reverend O. Dene on his retirement, as sanctioned in G.O., dated 28th August 1891, No. 679—see Female Branch report for the difference.

X. *VIII. Advances.*—An advance of Rs. 500 was made to the boot contractor and subsequently recovered—*vide* Receipts. Rupees 8 represents a refund of subsistence allowance overdrawn.

XI. The total expenditure of the revised estimates is Rs. 1,02,381, which is Rs. 12,049 in excess of the budget for 1891–92. But if the following items of extraordinary expenditure are deducted, viz.:—

	Rs.
Gratuity	3,300
Extra travelling allowance	500
Agent's commission	601
Advances, &c.	508
Total ..	4,909

the amount left is Rs. 97,472, which is Rs. 7,980 over the budget allotments, a sum not out of proportion, considering that the number of boys has increased from 288—on which number the budget was framed—to 330.

BUDGET ESTIMATE FOR 1892–93.

Male Branch—Receipts.

XII. *Opening balance.*—The closing balance of the revised estimate for 1891–92 (*minus* Rs. 8,694) is taken as the opening balance for 1892–93.

2. *II. Profits on Asylum Property*—3. *Donation from the Lawrence Asylum Press.*—As the payment in 1891–92 was Rs. 5,000, a similar sum is entered in the budget for 1892–93; but it will be seen, at the close of this report, that a further sum of at least Rs. 5,000 will be required in order to meet the *minus* balance with which the year closes.

4. *Fixed Deposit.*—The amount (Rs. 10,000) with its interest (Rs. 400) will be required to clear off the *minus* opening balance. The Male Branch will then have no reserve fund.

3. *III. Special Funds.*—A less sum compared with the revised estimate is entered, but Rs. 888 more than in the sanctioned budget. Several children for whom subsistence allowance was drawn have been removed from school, so that a larger receipt under this head is not anticipated. The remark applies equally to the entry under 3. *Fees.*

4. *IV. Industries.*—The amounts in the sanctioned budget are repeated, as, excepting the recoveries for petty repairs from the Public Works Department, the receipts under the several heads are very uncertain.

5. *VI. Miscellaneous.*—It is intended to limit the *Sale of stores* to goods not required and to unserviceable articles; hence the reduction under this heading.

6. The total estimated receipts are Rs. 1,01,237 against Rs. 90,499 sanctioned budget. The increase is Rs. 10,738, and is due to the remaining portion of the fixed deposit being brought into current account, and to Rs. 738, improved receipts under *III. Special Funds* (Rs. 888), less decrease (Rs. 150) under *V. Miscellaneous.*

Male Branch—Expenditure.

XIII. *I. Education*—(*a*) *Scholastic*—1. *Establishment*—

	Rs.
Salary of Headmaster	300
„ of Second Master	150
„ of Third „	85
„ of Fourth „	75
„ of Fifth „	70
„ of Sixth „	65
„ of Nursery Teacher	60
„ of Assistant „	50
Per mensem ..	855
„ annum ..	10,260

The allotments are the same as in the previous year's budget. The question of introducing the salary-results system of payments, noted in paragraph 8 of the Director's letter embodied in G.O., dated 26th May 1891, No. 401, and again in paragraph 9 of the order, will be separately reported upon.

2. *Books, prizes, stationery, &c.*—The allotment is to cover the cost of—

	Rs.
New books and stationery	210
Wages of a book-binder	120
Prizes	145
Founder's-day gifts	305
Per annum ..	780

The cost is Rs. 480 in excess of that for 1891–92, but Rs. 70 less than the revised estimates. The classes are now well supplied with books, so that a large outlay is not anticipated. The services of a book-binder have been engaged at a monthly cost of Rs. 10, the saving thereby, by immediate repairs of books, more than covering this extra charge.

3. *Library.*—The allotment is to cover the following subscriptions :—

	Rs.	A.	P.
To the *Madras Mail*	23	4	0
„ S.P.C.K., Madras	10	0	0
To Messrs. Steel and Jones for English magazines	162	0	0
Per annum ..	195	4	0

The Female Branch is charged with half the annual cost of the two former.

4. *Examination Fees.*—The allotment is Rs. 30 in excess of that for 1891–92, but Rs. 42 less than the revised estimate, and is intended to cover the fees for the Lower Secondary examination and the Examination in Industries. It also allows for the honorarium to the Examiner of the Band classes.

2. (*b*) *Artistic*—1. *Music—Establishment*—

	Rs.	A.	P.
Half salary of Band Sergeant	42	8	0
Part salary of Organist	20	0	0
Per mensem ..	62	8	0
„ annum ..	750	0	0

2. *Musical Instruments and Music*—

	RS.	A.	P.
Subscription to Boosey's Band Journal	20	0	0
One new cornet	70	0	0
Reeds, pads, drum heads, ropes, &c.	30	0	0
Per annum ..	120	0	0

3. *Gymnastic Establishment*—

	RS.	A.	P.
Half salary of Sergeant-Instructor	37	8	0
Per annum ..	450	0	0

4. *Apparatus, games, &c.*—Rs. 130. The allotment is for cricket bats, balls and foot-balls.

3. (*c*) *Industries*—

	RS.	A.	P.
1. Tailoring—Half salary of Master Tailor	42	8	0
2. Carpentry— do. Carpenter	50	0	0
3. Boot-making—Salary of Boot Instructor	50	0	0
Per mensem ..	142	8	0
„ annum ..	1,710	0	0

4. *Boot-making material.*—The sum of Rs. 50 has been allotted for the purchase of some tools for the classes receiving instruction in boot-making.

XIV. *II.* (*a*) *Clothing*—1. *Establishment*—

	RS.	A.	P.
Half Master Tailor's salary	42	8	0
1 Native Tailor	22	0	0
2 „ Tailors	32	0	0
2 „ „	28	0	0
2 „ „	24	0	0
Per mensem ..	148	8	0
„ annum ..	1,782	0	0

The allotment is Rs. 84 less than in 1891-92.

2. *Material.*—The allotment is Rs. 3,379 less than the revised estimates, there being a large stock of clothing material left for use in the forthcoming year. Besides, there will be a saving in the clothing of the Staff Sergeants, who will in future be supplied with military clothing from the Army Clothing Department in accordance with G.O., dated 19th November 1891, No. 6546.

3. *Shoeing.*—The allotment is for shoeing 330 boys at the rate of one rupee per boy per mensem, with 5 per cent. more for boots for new admissions and extras.

2. (*b*) *Victualling*—1. *Establishment*—

	RS.	A.	P.
Half salary of Quartermaster Sergeant	37	8	0
Salary of Cook Sergeant	40	0	0
3 Native cooks	25	0	0
2 Scullery servants	16	0	0
Per mensem ..	118	8	0
„ annum ..	1,422	0	0

The reasons for the employment of the two scullery servants have been given above.

2. *Provisions.*—The allotment is Rs. 500 in excess of the revised estimates, and is for an average strength of 330 boys. Allowance has been made for the extra milk diet for boys under ten years of age, about 100, and also an anticipated higher rate in

the bread supply for next year. Compared with the actual cost for 1890–91, the difference is Rs. 1-8 per head per annum. The sale of provisions from the stores will be discontinued for the future.

3. *Kitchen and Dining-room utensils.*—The allotment is for the purchase of a small supply of coffee bowls, knives, forks, spoons and plates.

XV. *III.* (*a*) *Household*—1. *Establishment*—

	RS.	A.	P.
Salary of Sergeant-Major	86	0	0
„ of 2 Junior Sergeants	100	0	0
„ of Upper School Matron	50	0	0
„ of Nursery „	40	0	0
Half salary of Quartermaster Sergeant	37	8	0
„ of Sergeant-Instructor of Gymnastics	37	8	0
„ of Band Sergeant	42	8	0
Allowance for hair-cutting	10	0	0
Nursery maty	9	0	0
Per mensem ..	412	8	0
„ annum ..	4,950	0	0

The increase over the budget for 1891–92 is Rs. 186, this amount being the difference between half the salary of the Quartermaster Sergeant (Rs. 450) charged to this head and the saving effected in the pay of the two junior Sergeants (Rs. 264).

2. *Washing.*—The allotment is at the rate of 9 annas per boy per mensem and for an average strength of 330 boys.

3. *Lighting.*—The allotment is Rs. 260 less than the budget for the previous year, but Rs. 90 over the revised estimates, and is thus calculated :—

	RS.	A.	P.
Fifteen tins of kerosine oil at Rs. 3 each	45	0	0
Lamp oil	4	0	0
Mussalchi	10	0	0
Per mensem ..	59	0	0
Per annum ..	708	0	0
Add cost of lamp chimneys	32	0	0
Total ..	740	0	0

More lamps are now used at night-school and in the hospital than formerly. The selling of kerosine oil from the stores will be discontinued.

4. *Firewood.*—The allotment is intended to cover charges as follows :—

	RS.	A.	P.
Compensation to staff in lieu of firewood	60	0	0
Seven wood-cutters at Rs. 8 each	56	0	0
Per mensem ..	116	0	0
„ annum ..	1,392	0	0

5. *Bedding and Towelling.*—The allotment is for supplies as follows :—

	RS.	A.	P.
Sheeting	750	0	0
Bed-ticking	400	0	0
Towelling	178	0	0
300 woollen rugs	1,125	0	0
Per annum ..	2,453	0	0

It is proposed to substitute woollen rugs for the cotton counterpanes now in use.

6. *Hardware, Soap, Brushes, Combs, &c.*—The allotment is Rs. 110 over the budget for 1891–92, but Rs. 90 less than the revised estimates, and is to meet the cost of—

	RS.
Soap	135
Blacking and hair brushes	135
Combs	50
Basins	40
Per annum	360

7. *Furniture, Carpets, &c.*—The allotment is to cover the cost of papering the rooms in the Principal's quarters.

2. (*b*) *Hospital*—1. *Establishment*—

	RS.
Part allowance to Consulting Physician	33
„ Apothecary	33
Salary of Matron	50
Hospital maty	8
„ cook	8
Per mensem	132
„ annum	1,584

2. *Medicines, Wines, &c.*—The allotment is Rs. 50 less than the budget for 1891–92, but Rs. 50 more than the revised estimates.

3. (*e*) *Sanitation*—1. *Establishment*—

	RS.
Eight scavengers at Rs. 8	64
Per annum	768

For the general conservancy work in the station the services of two extra scavengers are much needed and their services will also be utilized when latrines for native servants are erected. The building of these cannot be undertaken for want of funds.

2. *Tar, Phenyle, &c.*—The allotment in 1891–92 was insufficient. The amount for 1892–93 has therefore been increased chiefly for an extra supply of tar.

XVI. *IV. General*—1. *Establishment*—

	RS.
Part salary of Principal	462
„ of Office Manager	170
Peon	8
Two gardeners	16
Per mensem	656
Per annum	7,872
Add part of first year's increment to Principal's salary for three months.	50
Total	7,922

The allotment allows for the enhanced salary of the present Principal, which is divided between the Male and Female Branches.

XVII. *V. Industries*—(*a*) *Carpenters and Smiths*—

	RS.
Half salary of Master Carpenter	50
Two native Carpenters	52
One Smith	29
One bellows boy	8
Per mensem	139
„ annum	1,668

2. *Materials.*—The allotment is to cover the cost of some tools, tin, hinges, screws, paint, turpentine, sand-paper, &c. (Rs. 440), and of timber for the use of the classes under instruction and for contingencies which may arise (Rs. 500).

2. (*b*) *Whitewashing and Repairs*—1. *Establishment*—

	RS.	A.	P.
Pay of maistry	26	0	0
„ 2 bricklayers	45	0	0
„ 2 do.	32	8	0
„ 4 coolies	19	8	0
Per mensem	123	0	0
„ annum	1,476	0	0

XVIII. *VI. Miscellaneous.*—The allotments are similar to those in the budget for 1891–92, except that the cost of Founder's-day gifts has been transferred to *I. Education*—2. *Books, prizes, &c.*, and Rs. 10 have been entered under 9. *Contingencies.*

XIX. *VII. Other Charges*—3. *Scholarship.*—The allotment is Rs. 240 less, there being only one award under this head, at Rs. 30 per mensem.

4. *Outfits.*—Not much expenditure is anticipated under this head, hence the reduction of the allotment.

XX. The total expenditure for 1892–93 is estimated at Rs. 95,921, being Rs. 6,429 more than the budget for 1891–92, but Rs. 6,460 less than the revised estimates for the same year.

XXI. The calculations are based upon an average strength of 330 boys.

REVISED ESTIMATES FOR 1891–92.

Female Branch—Receipts.

I. *Opening balance.*—The actual closing balance of 1890–91 has been taken as the opening balance of the revised estimates for 1891–92, and is Rs. 950 in excess of the sanctioned budget.

The revised total receipts, excluding the opening balance, are estimated at Rs. 19,027 against Rs. 18,524 sanctioned budget, an increase of Rs. 503, owing chiefly to the payment under III.

2. *Special Funds*—4. *Donation.*—Being the sum paid under Rule 30 for the immediate admission of a girl, and to improved receipts under 1. *Subsistence allowance*, and also under *IV. Miscellaneous*—1. *Sale of stores.*

2. *Fines and Refunds.*—Include a return to the Bank of Rs. 10–8–0 overdrawn for pupils to be presented at the forthcoming Lower Secondary examination.

Female Branch—Expenditure.

II. The revised estimates amount to Rs. 19,335 against 19,447 sanctioned budget. It includes Rs. 1,700 part of the *gratuity* sanctioned to the late Principal. The current expenditure has been kept within the amount allotted in the budget.

2. An increase of about Rs. 540 is anticipated under *II. Victualling*—2. *Provisions*. Under *V. General*—1. *Establishment* allowance has been made for the higher salary paid to the present Principal, 34 per cent. being charged to the girls' branch.

3. The increase under *VI. Miscellaneous*—2. *Postage, Telegrams, &c.*, is chiefly for advertisements, the Female Branch bearing its share of the total cost.

4. The *closing balance* of the revised estimates is Rs. 6,747, and has been adopted as the opening balance of the budget for 1892–93.

Budget Estimate for 1892–93.

Receipts.

III. For opening balance, see above.

2. The amounts under *III. Special Funds*—1. *Subsistence allowance* and 2. *Pensions from Funds*, are the only items which differ from those of the sanctioned budget. A slight increase in the former and a decrease in the latter are anticipated.

3. Including the opening balance, the total receipts are estimated at Rs. 25,345 against Rs. 26,082 revised estimates and Rs. 24,629 sanctioned budget.

Expenditure.

IV. *I. Education*—1. *Establishment*—

	Rs.
Half salary of Head Mistress	65
„ Second „	25
Capitation grant to Head Mistress	10
Two Pupil Teachers at Rs. 5	10
Organist	10
Drill Sergeant	5
Teacher, Kindergarten singing	10
Per mensem	135
Per annum	1,620
Add third year's increment on account of two pupil teachers at Rs. 2 for each for six months	24
Total	1,644

The increase over the sanctioned budget for 1891–92 is Rs. 84. The salary of the Second Mistress has been reduced from Rs. 60 to Rs. 50 per mensem, the balance being paid to the senior Nursery teacher of the Male Branch for instructing the girls in Kindergarten singing.

Under 2. *Books, &c.*, the allotment for Founder's-day gifts is included, and the amount under 3. *Library* has been increased by Rs. 35.

V. *II.* (*a*) *Clothing*—1. *Establishment*—

	Rs.
Half salary of Head Mistress	65
„ Second „	25
Per mensem	90
„ annum	1,080

The other allotments are similar to the amounts entered in the sanctioned budget.

3. *Shoeing* is calculated for an average strength of 65 girls at Re. 1 per head per month *plus* 5 per cent. for extras.

2. (*b*) *Victualling*—1. *Establishment*—

	Rs.
Half Matron's salary	25
Native help	8
Per mensem	33
„ annum	396

As the revised estimates show a rise in the cost under 2. *Provisions*, it has been deemed advisable to increase the allotment for 1892–93 from Rs. 5,600 sanctioned budget to Rs. 6,100 for 1892–93.

VI. *III.* (*a*) *Household*—1. *Establishment*—

	Rs.
Half Matron's salary	25
Two men servants	16
Orderly	1
Per mensem	42
„ annum	504

2. The allotments in the sanctioned budget under *III.* (*a*) *Household*, (*b*) *Sanitation*, (*c*) *Hospital, and IV. Repairs* have been repeated for 1892–93.

VII. *V. General*—1. *Establishment.*—The allotment is Rs. 501 in excess of the revised estimate, and Rs. 612 of the sanctioned budget, to allow for the increased salary of the present Principal, a part of which is borne by the Girls' branch.

VIII. *VI. Miscellaneous.*—The several-allotments have been repeated.

IX. *VII. Other Charges.*—The *Scholarship* has lapsed. The usual allotment for one *out-boarder* has been made.

X. The Female Branch closes with a credit balance of Rs. 5,207.

XI. The calculations are for an average strength of 65 girls.

XII. The matters calling for notice in respect of the Male Branch noted in paragraph 7 (*a*), (*b*) and (*e*), page 14 of G.O., dated 26th May 1891, No. 401, Educational, have been explained in the Chairman's letter No. 506, dated 13th July 1891.

2. A special report on paragraph 7 (*c*) and paragraph 9 will be submitted as soon as the present Principal obtains an insight into the working of the institution.

(Signed) A. W. ATKINSON,
Principal and Secretary.

26th February 1892.

Budget Statement for 1892–93.

—	Actuals, 1890–91.	Budget, 1891–92.	Revised estimates, 1891–92.	Budget, 1892–93.
Male Branch.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
Receipts.				
Opening balance	— 11,235	— 1,526	— 2,316	— 8,694
I. From Government—				
1. Grant-in-aid	31,680	31,680	31,680	31,680
II. Profits on Asylum Property—				
1. Donation and interest on Government securities	38,828	38,828	38,806	38,828
2. Interest on fixed deposit	975	400	400	400
3. Donation from the Lawrence Asylum Press	..	5,000	5,000	5,000
4. Portion of Fixed Deposit brought into current account	10,000	..	..	10,000
III. Special Funds—				
1. Subsistence allowance	8,769	8,600	9,937	9,768
2. Pensions from funds	413	312	316	308
3. Fees	2,155	1,944	1,760	1,668
IV. Industries—				
1. Carpenter's and Smith's shop	897	1,400	1,786	1,400
2. Tailor's shop	58	60	120	60
3. Garden, Pigs, Carts, &c.	890	600	630	600
4. Recoveries on account of white-washing and repairs	461	1,200	1,668	1,200
V. Miscellaneous—				
1. Sale of stores	446	350	468	200
2. Do. firewood	152	125	60	125
3. Fines and deductions	21	..	..	..
4. Refunds and repayments	333	..	2,572	..
5. Compensation for boots, N. V. cadets	180	..	..	..
VI. Advances Recoverable—				
1. Advances	200	..	509	..
2. Charges recoverable	..	..	..	..
3. Deposits	..	..	300	..
Total	85,223	88,973	93,687	92,543

Budget statement for 1892-93—*cont.*

—	Actuals, 1890-91.	Sanctioned budget, 1891-92.	Revised estimates, 1891-92.	Budget, 1892-93.
MALE BRANCH—*cont.*				
Expenditure.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
I. Education—				
(*a*) Scholastic—	10,190	10,260	10,260	10,260
1. Establishment	771	300	850	780
2. Books, prizes and stationery	195	380	380	195
3. Library	28	50	102	80
4. Examination fees				
(*b*) Artistic—	664	750	750	750
1. Music establishment	95	270	300	120
2. Do. instruments and repairs	449	450	450	450
3. Gymnastic establishment	105	70	60	130
4. Do. apparatus, games, toys, &c.				
(*c*) Industries—	510	510	510	510
1. Tailoring	600	600	600	600
2. Carpentry	600	600	600	600
3. Boot-making	..	..	..	50
4. Do. tools				
II. Clothing and Victualling—	1,782	1,866	1,866	1,782
(*a*) Clothing—	6,155	8,500	10,200	6,821
1. Establishment	3,548	3,580	4,050	4,280
2. Material	40	50	..	..
3. Shoeing				
4. Dyeing	1,495	1,692	1,482	1,422
(*b*) Victualling—	27,827	27,000	32,000	32,500
1. Establishment	245	150	250	300
2. Provisions				
3. Kitchen and Dining-room utensils				
III. Household, Hospital and Sanitation—	4,211	4,764	5,124	4,950
(*a*) Household—	1,911	1,920	2,173	2,228
1. Establishment	952	1,000	650	740
2. Washing	1,306	1,300	1,380	1,392
3. Lighting	1,363	2,008	2,150	2,453
4. Firewood	691	250	450	360
5. Bedding and towelling	151	150	100	300
6. Hardware, soap, brushes, combs, &c.	40	50	50	50
7. Furniture, carpets and curtains				
8. Contingencies	1,622	1,584	1,584	1,584
(*b*) Hospital—	242	300	200	250
1. Establishment	39	300	100	300
2. Medicines, Wines, &c.				
3. Extra nursing	561	576	516	768
(*c*) Sanitation—	235	40	100	100
1. Establishment	585	500	350	400
2. Tar, Phenyle, &c.				
3. Repairs to drains, roads, water-channels	7,708	6,888	7,765	7,922
IV. General—				
1. Establishment	1,758	1,668	1,650	1,668
V. Industries—	953	550	700	940
(*a*) Carpenters and Smiths—				
1. Establishment	926	1,476	1,200	1,476
2. Material	118	150	150	150
(*b*) Whitewashing and repairs—	3,055	2,900	2,900	2,900
1. Establishment				
2. Material	913	850	1,350	850
(*c*) Garden, pigs, carts, &c.	738	850	850	850
VI. Miscellaneous—	..	..	601	..
1. Carrying charges and travelling expenses	145	150	150	150
2. Cases, freight, insurance, &c.	..	250	..	..
3. Agent's commission	22	50	30	50
4. Postage, advertisements, telegrams	..	230	230	230
5. Founder's day	128	..	..	..
6. Printing	2	..	10	10
7. Audit fee				
8. Interest on overdrafts	495	600	600	600
9. Contingencies	60	60	60	60
VII. Other charges—	575	600	490	360
1. Pensions	496	400	200	200
2. Out-boarders	38	..	..	..
3. Scholarships	..	..	3,300	..
4. Outfits	..	..	..	..
5. Headstones for graves	200	..	500	..
6. Gratuity	..	..	8	..
VIII. Advances—				
1. Advances proper	87,539	89,492	1,02,381	95,921
2. Charges recoverable	— 2,316	— 519	— 8,694	— 3,378
Closing balance	85,223	88,973	93,687	92,543
Total				

Budget statement for 1892-93—*cont.*

—	Actuals, 1890-91.	Budget, 1891-92.	Revised estimates, 1891-92.	Budget, 1892-93.
FEMALE BRANCH.				
Receipts.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
Opening balance	5,852	6,105	7,055	6,747
I. From Government—				
1. Grant-in-aid	16,320	16,320	16,320	16,320
II. Profits on Asylum Property—				
1. Interest on fixed deposit	800	800	800	800
III. Special funds—				
1. Subsistence allowance	1,246	1,092	1,162	1,176
2. Pensions from funds	198	222	212	212
3. Fees	..	..	3	..
4. Donations	600	..	300	..
IV. Miscellaneous—				
1. Sale of stores	121	90	212	90
2. Fines and refunds	2	..	18	..
V. Advances recoverable	62	..	..	..
Total	25,201	24,629	26,082	25,345

	Actuals, 1890-91.	Sanctioned budget, 1891-92.	Revised estimates, 1891-92.	Budget, 1892-93.
Expenditure.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
I. Education—				
1. Establishment	1,513	1,560	1,560	1,644
2. Books, stationery	194	300	260	400
3. Library	108	65	65	100
4. Examination fees	75	70	59	70
5. Organist and Music	22	..	..	..
6. Games	..	50	25	50
II. Clothing and Victualling—				
(*a*) Clothing—	1,112	1,140	1,140	1,080
1. Establishment	1,535	1,900	900	1,900
2. Material	802	820	810	820
3. Shoeing	1	5	5	5
4. Tailor hire				
(*b*) Victualling—	396	396	396	396
1. Establishment	5,891	5,600	6,140	6,100
2. Provisions	181	250	150	250
3. Kitchen and Dining-room utensils				
III. Household, Sanitation and Hospital—				
(*a*) Household—	510	504	502	504
1. Establishment	568	585	577	585
2. Washing	88	150	143	150
3. Lighting	48	110	65	110
4. Firewood	51	120	80	120
5. Furniture and repairs	164	250	50	250
6. Bedding and towelling	32	250	160	250
7. Hardware, soap, brushes, &c.	10	10	10	10
8. Contingencies				
(*b*) Sanitation—	150	144	144	144
1. Establishment	73	90	45	90
2. Roads, drains and water-channels	1	30	20	30
3. Tar, Phenyle, &c.				
(*c*) Hospital—	408	408	402	408
1. Establishment	8	70	25	70
2. Medicines, brandy, wines	106	100	50	100
3. Extra nursing				
IV. Buildings and Repairs—	11	50	50	50
1. Whitewashing, &c.				
V. General—	3,000	2,700	3,111	3,612
1. Establishment	230	250	125	250
VI. Miscellaneous—	23	30	60	30
1. Carrying charges and travelling expenses	..	100	..	..
2. Postage, telegrams and advertisements	..	120	120	120
3. Founder's day	147	230	130	230
4. Audit fee	..	..	46	..
5. Cases, freight, insurance, &c.	..	10	10	10
6. Agent's commission	9	..	..	..
7. Contingencies	8	..	..	..
8. Printing				
9. Repayments and refunds	400	480	..	..
VII. Other charges—	200	200	200	200
1. Scholarship	70	..	..	..
2. Out-boarder	..	..	1,700	..
3. Outfits	18,146	19,147	19,335	20,138
4. Gratuity	7,055	5,482	6,747	5,207
Closing balance	25,201	24,629	26,082	25,345
Total				

LIST of establishments with salaries.

Head or heads to which debited.	Number.	Designation.	Salary per mensem.	Special allowances.	Remarks.
MALE BRANCH.			RS.	RS.	
I. Education	1	Head Master	300	..	
Do.	1	Second Master	150	..	
Do.	1	Third do.	85	..	
Do.	1	Fourth do.	75	..	
Do.	1	Fifth do.	70	..	
Do.	1	Sixth do.	65	..	
Do.	1	Nursery Teacher	70	..	Rs 10 debited to F. B. Education.
Do.	1	Assistant do.	50	..	
Do.	1	Organist	30	..	Rs. 10 debited to F. B.
Do. and III. Household	1	Band Sergeant	85	..	,, 42½ to Education and Rs. 42½ to Household.
Do.	1	Sergeant Master of Gymnastics.	80	..	,, 37½ to Education and Rs. 37½ to Household and Rs. 5 to F. B. Education.
I. Education and II. Clothing	1	Master Tailor	85	..	,, 42½ to Education and Rs. 42½ to Clothing.
I. Education and V. Industrial	1	Do. Carpenter	100	..	,, 50 to Education and Rs. 50 to Carpentry.
I. Education	1	Boot-making Instructor	50	..	Paid to the Boot Contractor.
II. Victualling and III. Household	1	Quartermaster Sergeant	75	10	Rs. 37½ to Victualling and Rs. 37½ to Household. Rs. 10 for hair-cutting.
II. Victualling	1	Cook Sergeant	40	..	
III. Household	1	Sergeant-Major	86	..	
Do.	2	Junior Sergeants	100	..	At Rs. 50 each.
Do.	1	Upper School Matron	50	..	
Do.	1	Nursery do.	40	..	
III. Hospital	1	Matron	50	..	
Do.	1	Consulting Physician	..	50	Rs. 33 to M.B. and Rs. 17 to F. B.
Do.	1	Apothecary	..	50	Do. do.
IV. General	1	Principal	700	..	Rs. 238 debited to F. B.
Do.	1	Office Manager	200	..	,, 30 do. do.
Native Establishment.					
II. Clothing	7	Tailors	106	..	
II. Victualling	3	Cooks	25	..	2 Scullery Servants at Rs. 8 each, Rs. 16.
III. Household	1	Nursery Maty	9	..	
Do.	1	Mussalchi	10	..	
III. Hospital	1	Cook	8	..	
Do.	1	Maty	8	..	
III. Sanitation	8	Scavengers	64	..	
III. Household	7	Coolies	56	..	Engaged as required for cutting firewood.
IV. General	1	Peon	8	..	
	2	Gardeners	16	..	
III. Sanitation	4	Coolies	32	..	Engaged as required for bush-cutting, drainage, water-courses, roads, &c.
V. Industries	2	Carpenters	52	..	
Do.	1	Smith	29	..	Workshops.
Do.	1	Bellows boy	8	..	
Do.	5	Bricklayers	103	..	
Do.	4	Do. Coolies	20	..	Whitewashing and repairs.
Do.	1	Maistry	20	..	Garden, live stock, plantation, &c., &c.
Do.	3	Cart-drivers	25	..	
Do.	5	Grass-cutters	25	..	
Do.	1	Swineherd	8	..	
Do.	4	Garden Coolies	32	..	
Do.	440	Coolies	..	..	For Tea Garden. Engaged as required. Cost about Rs. 140 per annum.
FEMALE BRANCH.					
I. Education and II. Clothing	1	Head Mistress	130	10	Rs. 75 to Education and Rs. 65 to Clothing.
Do.	1	Second do.	50	..	Half to Education and half to Clothing.
II. Victualling and III. Household	1	Matron	50	..	Half to Victualling and half to Household.
I. Education	2	Pupil Teachers	8	..	
Native Establishment.					
II. Victualling	1	Kitchen help	8	..	
III. Household	2	Men Servants	16	..	
III. Sanitation	2	Scavengers	12	..	

1st *March* 1892.

(Signed) A. W. ATKINSON,
Principal and Secretary.

ORDER—dated 6th May 1892, No. 365, Educational.

The budget estimate of the Lawrence Asylum, Ootacamund, was due with Government on the 1st March but was not received until more than three weeks after that date. The Government must insist on punctuality in future; it would save time if the Committee of the Asylum forwarded the budget to the Director of Public Instruction through the Inspector and Inspectress of Schools of the circle.

2. The Director of Public Instruction remarks in paragraph 2 of his letter that as detailed budget figures for 1890–91 are not available in the printed report it is not possible to make any observations on the differences between the estimated and actual figures for that year. This statement is not understood; the revised estimate for 1890–91 is printed in detail in G.O., dated 26th May 1891, No. 401, Educational, and the actuals for that year are given in the statement now submitted; a comparison of the two shows that the small increase on the revised estimate in the deficit closing balance of the Male branch for 1890–91 was mainly due to diminished receipts under heads III and IV. In the same paragraph Mr. Grigg remarks that final orders have not yet been passed regarding the distribution of Government grants between the Male and Female branches; but the matter was disposed of in G.O., dated 30th July 1890, No. 548, Educational, paragraph 9.

3. *Male Branch.*—The year 1891–92 opened with a deficit of Rs. 2,316 against Rs. 1,526 estimated; the revised estimates of receipts and charges for that year are Rs. 93,687 and Rs. 1,02,381 respectively against Rs. 88,973 and Rs. 89,492 the original budget allotments. The causes of the increase in receipts and expenditure have been explained and do not call for detailed notice. The revised estimate of expenditure for 1891–92 includes Rs. 601 commission paid to Mrs. Dene and Rs. 500 travelling allowance to the present Principal. The former item will be permitted to stand pending full explanation of the nature of the payment and of the authority under which it was made; the latter item will be excluded with reference to G.O., dated 27th April 1892, No. 346, Educational. The deficit closing balance for 1891–92 will thus be reduced from Rs. 8,694 to Rs. 8,194. The wages of the book-binder employed during 1891–92 should have appeared under VI—Miscellaneous as remarked by the Director. The Committee had no authority to entertain two scullions without reference to Government; the charges on this account will however be passed. In a separate communication the Committee has reported that the Accountant-General deducted apparently in February last a sum of Rs. 1,020 from the Government grant-in-aid of Rs. 4,000 *per mensem* on account of the salary of the Telegraph Instructor for the months of July to October 1891 but the fact is not referred to in the papers under disposal. The question of relieving the Asylum of this charge is under separate consideration but if it has already been met the deficit closing balance of 1891–92 will be raised to Rs. 9,214. The budget figures will now be revised on the assumption that the deduction of Rs. 1,020 was made in 1891–92 and that the amount will not be made good to the Asylum.

4. The estimated opening balance for 1892–93, raised as shown in paragraph 3 *supra*, amounts to *minus* Rs. 9,214. The contribution expected from the Lawrence Asylum Press is put at Rs. 5,000, this will be increased to Rs. 7,000 with reference to G.O., dated 5th April 1892, No. 301, Educational. The Government has recently, in G.O., dated 21st April 1892, No. 332, Educational, rejected Mr. Grigg's proposed scale of fees for children of civilians as being too low and otherwise objectionable and the estimated receipts from fees may safely, the Government considers, be raised to Rs. 2,000 from Rs. 1,668 the figure estimated. The result of these changes is to raise the estimate of receipts for 1892–93 to Rs. 94,355. In future budgets the number of paying pupils of each class likely to be under instruction during the year to which the budget relates should be stated, as suggested by the Director.

5. The charges for 1892–93 are estimated at Rs. 95,921. Under II (*b*) 2—Provisions—a sum of Rs. 32,500 is entered against Rs. 32,000 the revised estimate for 1891–92 and Rs. 27,827 the actuals for 1890–91; the figure will be allowed to stand pending report of the actual outlay on this account in 1891–92. It is observed that the estimate includes Rs. 120 on account of the wages of a book-binder; from this

it appears that the book-binder is to be retained permanently; the necessity for this should be reported. The question of introducing book-binding into the school as a subject of instruction can be considered in connection with the general question of technical training in the Asylum in respect of which report was called for in G.O., dated 15th December 1891, No. 923, Educational. The charge of Rs. 300 under III (*a*) 7—Furniture, Carpets and Curtains—represents the cost of papering the walls of the rooms occupied by the Principal; this figure will be allowed to stand pending* decision by Government of the question of the source from which this and similar charges should be met. Provision will also be made with reference to G.O., dated 5th April 1892, No. 301, Educational, for a charge of Rs. 2,200 on account of the repair and improvement of certain buildings attached to the Asylum. The proposed charges on account of establishment are passed; there seem to be several unimportant changes in the strength of the establishment as compared with 1891–92; changes of this nature should not be made in the budget; distinct proposals should be separately submitted to Government before any alteration in the strength or pay of the establishment takes place. In view of the above remarks the estimate of charges will be raised to Rs. 98,121 from Rs. 95,921 and the year will close with a deficit balance of Rs. 3,766 against a deficit of Rs. 3,378 anticipated by the Committee.

* *Vide* G.O., dated 27th April 1892, No. 346, Educational.

6. In G.O., dated 25th September 1891, No. 747, Educational, the Government sanctioned the expenditure of Rs. 701 for raising the walls of the gymnasium and in G.O., dated 9th February 1892, No. 128, Educational, the construction of a contagious ward at a cost of Rs. 4,000 was approved. The Committee has rightly abstained from proposing any expenditure on these two items during the forthcoming year. The Director's proposal to make a further allotment of Rs. 2,500 for certain items specified in paragraph 4 of his letter is one which in view of the present financial condition of the Asylum cannot be entertained. The necessity for the most rigid economy must be strongly impressed upon the Committee; although the estimated receipts for 1892–93, as revised, include a contribution from the Press of Rs. 7,000 and a sum of Rs. 10,000 withdrawn from fixed deposit and although no charges of an unusual character appear on the expenditure side, it is found impossible to produce equilibrium. For the present it will be sufficient to draw attention to the serious state of the finances of the institution; whether it will be necessary to take any active steps towards reducing the outlay must depend upon the final disposal of the question of the future of the Lawrence Asylum Press. One thing the Government must insist upon and that is the strict observance of Rule 58; the expenditure must be in conformity with the budget and when the Committee desires to incur charges on objects not provided for therein the previous sanction of Government must be sought unless the charge is of the pettiest character and can be met from savings in other directions.

7. *Female Branch.*—The accounts of the Female branch for the current year are expected to open and close with a balance of Rs. 6,747 and Rs. 5,207 respectively. As noted by the Director of Public Instruction the budget figures for the current year are in the majority of instances mere repetitions of last year's allotments. The Committee's attention will be invited to the Director's observations in paragraphs 6 and 7 of his letter regarding the variations in the allotments under "Clothing Material" and "Provisions."

8. It is observed that the pay of the Second Mistress has been reduced from Rs. 60 to Rs. 50, that is by the sum of Rs. 10, in order to raise the salary of the Senior Nursery teacher of the Male branch by an equivalent amount as remuneration for instructing the girls in kindergarten singing; this change ought not to have been carried out without the sanction of Government.

9. The Director of Public Instruction has again re-opened the question of strengthening the Female branch of the Asylum which was decided in the negative by G.O., dated 9th February 1891, No. 96, Educational; the Government is not prepared to reconsider that decision in the present condition of the Asylum. The reports in

regard to the introduction of the salary-result system and the employment of Serjeant Assistants promised in paragraph 2 of the Principal's letter are awaited. The date fixed in Rule 59 of the Asylum Rules for the submission of the annual report to Government should be altered from 1st June to 30th August with reference to G.O., dated 23rd March 1892, No. 264, Educational, and the amendment of Rule 47 suggested in paragraph 5 of G.O., dated 15th December 1891, No. 923, Educational, should be reported on.

10. The following is a Summary of the budget statements for 1892–93:—

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Male Branch.	
Opening balance	— 9,214
Receipts	1,03,569
Total	94,355
Expenditure	98,121
Closing balance	— 3,766
Female Branch.	
Opening balance	6,747
Receipts	18,598
Total	25,345
Expenditure	20,138
Closing balance	5,207

(True Extract.)

J. F. PRICE,
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To the Director of Public Instruction, for communication to the Lawrence Asylum Committee.

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