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May 10, No. 832 (L.).

——— Recording, with remarks, certain points noticed by the Accountant-General in the report on the inspection of the Local Fund accounts of the — district for the period extending from January to October 1899. **July 23, No. 1269 (L.).**

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——— Recording the report on the audit of the accounts of the — District Board for the period extending from November 1899 to May 1900. **November 17, No. 2170 (L.).**

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Arcot, South.—Stating, with reference to the inquiry of the President of the — District Board, whether any person other than a member of the Local Board may be authorized to pass bills, &c., during the President's absence, that the words "any person" in sections 54 (2) and 56 (2) of the Local Boards Act and in article 80 of the Local Fund Code, are not restricted to members of the District or Taluk Boards. **July 26, No. 1290 (P.).**

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——— Recording G.O., Public department, on letter from the Government of India extending to the case of the pensionary contribution the power granted to Local Governments to remit or reduce the full contributions leviable from Local Boards and Municipalities on account of the pay of Assistant Surgeons employed under them in charitable dispensaries. **December 6, No. 2313 (P.).**

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April 18, No. 711 (L.).

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November 14, No. 2147 (L.).

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October 16, No. 1912 (L.).

Arcot, South.—Sanctioning, with remark, an allotment of Rs. 425 required by the Chidambaram Taluk Board for the maintenance of the road on the Coleroon embankment in the — district, and authorizing the Accountant-General to place the amount at the disposal of the Public Works department. **November 29, No. 2250 (L.).**

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May 14, No. 870 (L.).

——— Sanctioning the allotment of funds required by the — District Board for certain works.
June 26, No. 1088 (L.).

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December 4, No. 2294 (L.).

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Arcot, North.—Cancelling so much of G.O., No. 1841 L., dated 15th September 1899, as regards the refunding of the amount overdrawn by M.R.Ry. Anantanarayana Aiyar, late Acting Headmaster, High School, Chittoor. **July 2, No. 1119 (L.).**

——— Sanctioning, with remarks, the payment of travelling allowance and batta to certain members of the Ránipéttai Taluk Board for the journeys undertaken by them for check measurement of roads and for attending the meeting of a sub-committee.
September 12, No. 1652 (L.).

——— Sanctioning the payment of extra travelling allowance to the Sub-Overseer, Arkonam, — district, for the period he was in charge of the Wallaja taluk.
October 8, No. 1858 (L.).

——— Sanctioning, with remark, the increase of pay to the bungalow watchmen at Katpadi and Gudiyáttam, — district, from Rs. 3 to Rs. 4.
October 24, No. 1943 (L.).

Camp Equipment.—Informing the Sanitary Engineer, with remark, that general sanction to pass his actual expenses for — up to a limit not exceeding 500 lbs. cannot be given.
February 5, No. 177 (L.).

ALLOWANCE—*cont.*

Canara, South.—Sanctioning the overpayments of salary and leave allowances, amounting to Rs. 50–3–3, made to Mr. Dods, the District Board Engineer, —.
March 9, No. 436 (L.).

——— Disapproving, with remarks, the proposal of the — District Board to grant a fixed travelling allowance to the Supervisor's clerk. **May 2, No. 789 (L.).**

——— Sanctioning, with remark, the proposal of the — District Board to grant a remuneration of Re. 1 per mensem to certain *ugranis* under the Coondapoor Taluk Board.
September 18, No. 1696 (L.).

Chingleput.—Sanctioning, as a special case, the payment of a daily allowance of As. 8 to the Inspecting Schoolmaster, Tiruvallúr taluk, — district. **June 9, No. 1010 (L.).**

——— Sanctioning the payment by the — District Board to the District Munsif of Poonamallee, of the sum of Rs. 9–8–0, the amount withheld from the pay of the Inspecting Schoolmaster, Tiruvallúr taluk. **October 4, No. 1790 (L.).**

——— Sanctioning, as a special case, the payment of travelling allowance to M.R.Ry. T. Balu Mudaliar, member of the Taluk Board of Tiruvallúr, — district, for his journeys to Periyapalayam for the supervision of the sanitary arrangements made on the occasion of a festival at that place. **October 30, No. 2038 (L.).**

Coimbatore.—According sanction, with remark, to the payment of travelling allowance at Rs. 2 per diem to Overseer J. Arula Pillai for November and December 1899, while he was in temporary charge of Satyamangalam sub-division, — district.
September 4, No. 1574 (L.).

——— Sanctioning, with remarks, the payment of Rs. 27–4–0 being the travelling allowance of certain non-official members of the Erode Taluk Board, — district, deputed on special duty. **November 7, No. 2115 (L.).**

——— Sanctioning, with remark, the proposal of the — District Board to write off the accounts a sum of Rs. 4–4–0 being the excess travelling allowance paid to the sanitary maistry, Tiruppúr. **November 13, No. 2138 (L.).**

Compensation for Dearness of Provision.—Recording G.O., Revenue department, expressing inability for the reasons stated to accept the Board's recommendation that — may be granted to inferior servants within the City of Madras from 1st January 1900.
May 28, No. 941 (L.).

Conveyance Allowance.—Recording G.O., Financial department, agreeing with the Accountant-General that, under article 1183 of the Civil Service Regulation,— can be granted to a subordinate of the Public Works department who maintains a bicycle only.
November 20, No. 2196 (L.).

Cost of carriage of personal effects.—Communicating to the Sanitary Commissioner, the Sanitary Engineer and the Sanitary Board, G.O., Financial department, communicating to the departments of the Secretariat copy of a letter addressed by the Government of India to the Government of North-West Provinces and Oudh granting the — to all officers entitled thereto under article 1205 (*a*), Civil Service Regulations.
April 30, No. 764 (L.).

Exchange Compensation Allowance.—Recording G.O., Financial department, communicating to all departments of the Secretariat orders of the Government of India on certain questions regarding the application of the new tests for the disposal of personal eligibility claims to —. **March 8, No. 432 (L.).**

——— Recording G.O., Financial department, directing the publication in the *Fort St. George Gazette*, for information and guidance, letter from the Government of India regarding the rates of exchange to be provisionally adopted for the calculation of — in the budget estimates for 1901–1902 and revised estimates for 1900–1901.
October 10, No. 1879 (L.).

Ganjam.—Sanctioning the grant of a personal allowance of Rs. 3 to the clerk of the Goomsur Taluk Board's office, — district. **April 4, No. 630 (L.).**

——— Sanctioning the proposal of the — District Board to grant an extra rate of 50 per cent. for petty supervision charges on certain roads in malarious tracts.
May 29, No. 954 (L.).

ALLOWANCE—*cont.*

Gódávari.—Communicating to the District Board, —, G.O., Judicial department, directing that the Government of India be addressed on the subject of the inclusion of the — Deputy Inspector of Vaccination among the officers entitled to the special rates of daily allowance. **July 6, No. 1163 (L.).**

Grain Compensation.—Communicating to the Sanitary Commissioner, the Sanitary Engineer and the Sanitary Board G.O., Revenue department, on the resolution of the Government of India issuing revised rules for regulating the grant of — to Government servants in the Civil department. **February 28, No. 370, Mis.**

Hill Allowance.—Recording G.O., Financial department, permitting the establishments which recently returned with Government to Madras to draw mileage rates between Coonoor and Mettupáláiyam as admissible before the opening of the Nilgiri railway, instead of double railway fare. **December 3, No. 2291 (L.).**

Kistna.—Sanctioning the payment by the — District Board of the acting allowance due to Inspecting Schoolmaster T. Subbarayudu. **May 29, No. 946 (L.).**

——— Communicating to the District Board, —, with concurrence, the remarks of the Accountant-General considering that female apothecary Miss A. B. R. Anderton attached to the Women's and Children's hospital, Masulipatam, was not entitled to the payment of one month's stipend as transit allowance and that the amount already paid to her should be recovered. **July 12, No. 1198 (L.).**

——— Sanctioning the payment of arrears of salaries, &c., amounting to Rs. 62-9-10 due to the teachers of a certain school under the Masulipatam Taluk Board, — district. **September 19, No. 1708 (L.).**

——— According sanction to the restoration of P. Gopala Rao, second master, Board school, Gudiváda, — district, to his former pay of Rs. 30 per mensem. **October 31, No. 2058 (L.).**

Local Allowances to Circuit Clerks of the Accountant-General's Office.—Recording G.O., Revenue department, approving the Accountant-General's proposal to permit the local allowances granted to certain circuit clerks attached to the Inspector or Assistant Inspectors of Local Fund Accounts being passed to men who are actually on circuit work, irrespective of the particular salary which they may be drawing at the time. **December 18, No. 2369 (L.).**

Madras Hill Allowance Code.—Recording G.O., Financial department, stating that, with reference to section 12 of the —, no claim to travelling allowance for a member of an officer's family, will, in future, be admitted for a journey made more than fourteen days before or after the establishment of Government head-quarters at Ootacamund or Madras, as the case may be, and that the rule requiring clerks accompanying Government to Ootacamund to state before leaving Madras their intention as regards taking their families should be strictly adhered to. **July 23, No. 1273 (L.).**

Madras.—Recording G.O., Financial department, authorizing the Accountant-General to advance to the Secretariat establishments proceeding to — their pay for October 1900. **October 12, No. 1891 (L.).**

Madura.—Sanctioning the payment by the — District Board of Rs. 7-4-0, being the travelling allowance of a medical student for his journey from Madras to —. **June 20, No. 1067 (L.).**

——— Sanctioning, subject to the modifications recommended by the Accountant-General, the proposals of the — District Board regarding the grant of consolidated travelling allowance to the District Board Engineer and his Sub-Divisional officers. **June 22, No. 1073 (L.).**

——— Sanctioning the proposal of the — District Board to give an extra travelling allowance of Rs. 10 per mensem to the sub-overseer of the — taluk. **December 22, No. 2399 (L.).**

Malabar.—Declining, with remark, to approve the proposal of the — District Board to grant to Mr. Rozario, the Acting District Board's Engineer, a daily allowance whether he is out in camp or at head-quarters irrespective of more than 10 days' halt at a place. **April 26, No. 741 (L.).**

ALLOWANCE—*cont.*

Malabar.—Sanctioning the payment of a charge allowance of Rs. 6 per mensem to the Overseer of Palghat taluk, — district, during the period he was in charge of the Walavanad taluk in addition to his own duties. **May 14, No. 866 (L.).**

——— Stating, with remark, that the acting allowance payable to Mr. Rozario, acting District Board Engineer, —, should be calculated on Rs. 500. **August 22, No. 1484 (L.).**

——— Sanctioning the payment of Rs. 9-12-8, being the pay due to one Swayambhu Aiyar, who acted as the second assistant master of the Board Primary school at Ravirimangalam, Palghat, — district. **September 10, No. 1618 (L.).**

——— Requesting, with remark, the District Board, —, to consider and report whether the concession of allowing an increased rate of travelling allowance in addition to an increased rate of pay, in the case of members of the Local Fund Engineering establishment proceeding to the Wynaad on tour, may not now be withdrawn. **September 29, No. 1771 (L.).**

——— Informing the President, District Board, —, that the increased rate of pay drawn by the members of the Local Fund Engineering establishment, in addition to increased rate of travelling allowance while travelling in the Wynaad, will, in future, be disallowed. **November 7, No. 2111 (L.).**

Nellore.—Sanctioning the charge allowance granted by the — District Board to Miss Phillips, famale hospital assistant, attached to the Jubilee hospital at —. **August 27, No. 1518 (L.).**

Ootacamund.—Declaring that the presence of the Sanitary Engineer was required on duty at — from the afternoon of the 8th to the forenoon of the 20th June 1900. **July 11, No. 1185 (L.).**

Pay of Temporary Medical Subordinates.—Communicating to the Presidents of District Boards, Chairmen of Municipal Councils and the President, Municipal Commission, Madras, G.O., Public department, ruling that the increase of 50 per cent. over the regular pay of Government medical subordinates, which is granted to private medical subordinates temporarily engaged in times of famine, is admissible to all private medical subordinates temporarily employed, irrespective of the nature of the duties to which they are actually posted. **October 10, No. 1881 (P.).**

Salem.—Sanctioning the grant of a personal allowance of Rs. 5 per mensem to D. K. Ranga Aiyangar, head clerk, Taluk Board's office, Hosur, — district. **October 18, No. 1932 (L.).**

Sanitary Engineer.—Informing the — that the Government is unable to admit his claim for the cost of carrying camp equipment. **March 1, No. 374 (L.).**

Sanitary Engineer, Madras. Pay, Allowances, &c., of the —. Recording G.O., Public Works department, communicating to the Examiner of Public Works Accounts, and the departments concerned, with remarks, resolution of the Government of India stating that the Governor-General in Council is pleased to direct that the — and the cost of his establishment shall, with effect from the 1st April 1899, be treated as a Public Works (Provincial) charge. **March 9, No. 437 (L.).**

Tanjore.—Sanctioning the payment of Mohini allowance of Rs. 378 due to Sri Venkataramanaswami temple at Tirupati from the funds of Rajakumarambalpuram chattram in the — district from January 1896 to June 189-. **February 1, No. 153, Mis.**

——— Sanctioning the payment of the Mohini allowance of Rs. 49-3-7 due to Virabhadraswami temple at Darasaram in the — district. **March 16, No. 502 (L.).**

Tinnevelly.—Sanctioning, with remark, the proposal of the — District Board to reduce the fixed travelling allowance paid to vaccinators from Rs. 3 to Rs. 2 per mensem. **February 20, No. 312, Mis.**

Travelling Allowance.—Transferring from the President of the District Board to the Vice-President the duty of scrutinizing and countersigning the — bills of the subordinates of the Local Fund Engineering department, with the exception of the bills relating to the Local Fund Engineer and his Sub-Divisional officers which should be scrutinized and countersigned by the President as heretofore. **June 2, No. 978 (P.).**

ALLOWANCE—*cont.*

Travelling Allowance.—Communicating to the Sanitary Commissioner and the Sanitary Engineer, G.O., Financial department, directing, with reference to article 1091 of the Civil Service Regulations, and in supersession of previous orders on the subject, that the chief public office in every station shall be taken as the point at which all journeys from or to that station should be held to commence or end. **October 8, No. 1857 (L.).**

Trichinopoly.—Communicating to the Taluk Board, Musiri, G.O., Financial department, including the dispensary at Kattuputtur, — district, in the list of subordinate medical charges carrying a charge allowance of Rs. 10 per mensem, and stating that the Local Board may renew its request for a contribution from Provincial funds when at any time it should be found that the police are resorting to the dispensary in considerable numbers. **August 27, No. 1515 (L.).**

BOARDS.

Anantapur.—Stating, with remark, that the proposal of the Penukonda Taluk Board to exclude certain hamlets from the Madakasira Union is inadmissible. **June 6, No. 993 (L.).**

———Approving the proposal of the — District Board to exclude the village of Gowdanahalli with its hamlets from the union of Madakasira, and ordering the publication of the necessary notification in the Fort St. George and the — District Gazettes. **October 8, No. 1861 (P.).**

Arcot, South.—Approving the proposals of the Local Boards in the — district to exclude certain villages from, and to include certain other village in, the Pennadam Union, and ordering the publication of the necessary notification in the Fort St. George and the — District Gazettes. **January 30, No. 129 (P.).**

———Ordering, with remark, the appointment of Mr. S. R. D'Sylva as Vice-President of the Tindivanam Taluk Board be gazetted. **March 30, No. 606 (L.).**

———Approving the proposal of the Chidambaram Taluk Board to raise the maximum strength of the Pennadam Union Panchayat from ten to eleven, and ordering the publication of the necessary notification in the Fort St. George and the — District Gazettes. **April 30, No. 757 (L.).**

———Approving the proposal of the President, District Board, —, to raise the maximum strength of the Panchayats of certain unions from seven to nine, and ordering the publication of the necessary notification in the Fort St. George and the — District Gazettes. **June 15, No. 1059 (L.).**

Bellary.—Approving the proposal of the Local Boards in the — district to exclude the villages of Gangalapuram and Hosahalli from the Kanekal Union, and ordering the publication of the necessary notification in the Fort St. George and the — District Gazettes. **July 20, No. 1240 (P.).**

———Recording letter from the President, District Board,—, stating that the villages of Gangalapuram and Hosahalli have been excluded from the Kanekal Union with effect from the beginning of the current year. **October 31, No. 2059 (L.)**

Chingleput.—Requesting the President, District Board,—, to reconsider, with reference to paragraph 2 of G.O., No. 193 L., dated 6th March 1893, his nomination of certain gentlemen as members of the Tiruvallúr Taluk Board. **May 19, No. 908 (L.).**

———Ordering that the appointments of certain gentlemen as members of the Tiruvallúr Taluk Board, be gazetted. **June 13, No. 1018 (L.).**

Coimbatore.—Recording the explanation of points noticed in G.O., No. 2541 L., Mis., dated 18th December 1899, regarding the working of the Union Panchayats and market at Getticheyur,— district. **January 24, No. 97 (L.).**

———Requesting, with remarks, the President, District Board, —, to recommend the appointment of the Assistant Surgeon instead of the Assistant Collector as a member of the District Board. **September 28, No. 1769 (L.).**

———Approving the proposal to include the villages of Kottampatti, Makkinayakanpatti and Vadugapalaiyam in the Pollachi union,— district, from 1st April 1901, and directing the publication of the necessary notification in the Fort St. George and the — District Gazettes. **December 7, No. 2318 (P.).**

BOARDS—*cont.*

Coimbatore.—Approving the proposal to include the village of Vadugapalaiyam in the Palladam Union, — district, from the 1st April 1901, and directing the publication of the necessary notification in the Fort St. George and the — District Gazettes.
December 10, No. 2331 (P.).

Cuddapah.—Declining, with remark, to approve the proposal of the — District Board to abolish the union of Porumamilla. **March 13, No. 462 (L.).**

———Passing orders on the proposal of the District Board, —, to alter the limits of certain unions. **May 25, No. 930 (L.).**

———Approving, with remark, the proposal of the — District Board to appoint M.R.Ry. R. Giri Rao as Vice-President of the Madanapalle Taluk Board.
June 28, No. 1111 (L.).

———Stating, with remark, that, under the authority quoted, the election of M.R.Ry. G. Venkataramayya as a member of the — District Board was not valid, and ordering that a fresh election be held. **July 23, No. 1246 (L.).**

———Declining, with remarks, to approve the proposal of the — District Board to include the villages of Patur and Timmangalapuram in the unions of Nandaluru and Badvel, respectively, approving the proposal to include the village of Utukur in the Rázampéta Union, and ordering the publication of the necessary notification in the Fort St. George and the — District Gazettes. **November 3, No. 2095 (P.).**

Ex-officio Members of the Taluk and the District Boards.—Informing the Chairman, Municipal Council, Rajahmundry, that the proposal that the Madras Local Boards Act should be amended so as to make the Chairmen of Municipal Councils in every district — concerned, does not commend itself to Government. **May 11, No. 841 (L.).**

Gódávari.—Stating that the excuse offered by M.R.Ry. M. Lakshmandas, a member of the Ellore Taluk Board, for failure to attend the Taluk Board meetings, may be accepted.
May 10, No. 837 (L.).

———Communicating to the Taluk Boards of Rajahmundry and Cocanada, G.O., Revenue department, approving the Board's proposals for constituting the Cocanada Deputy Tahsildar's Division, in the — district, into a new taluk, and transferring the proposition statement to the Financial Department. **July 17, No. 1227 (L.).**

———Approving the District Board's proposal to exclude Kotturu, a hamlet of Jaggampeta, from the Jaggampeta Union in the — district, and ordering the publication of the necessary notification in the Fort St. George and the — District Gazettes.
November 23, No. 2222 (P.).

———Disapproving the election by the Rajahmundry Taluk Board of M.R.Ry. S. Narasimham Nayudu, Tahsildar of Amalápuram, as a member of the — District Board, and ordering that a fresh election be held to fill up the vacancy.
December 10, No. 2330 (L.).

Kistna.—Recording the explanation of Mr. Oldfield for his irregular attendance at the meetings of the — District Board during 1898–99. **February 10, No. 229 (L.).**

Kurnool.—Informing the President, District Board,—, with remark, that M.R.Ry. M. Kumaraswami cannot be removed from the Panchayat of the Owk Union under section 126 of the Local Boards Act. **February 13, No. 246 (L.).**

———Informing the President, District Board,—, with remark, that it is only the power to re-appoint members of Taluk Boards originally appointed by Government and not to appoint these members in the first instance, that has been delegated to him under the notification issued in paragraph 1 (4) of G.O., No. 889 L., dated 17th May 1894.
September 3, No. 1570 (L.).

———Ordering, with remarks, that the appointment of H. M. D. Baha-ud-din Sahib as a member of the Nandikotkur Taluk Board,— district, be gazetted.
October 18, No. 1934 (L.).

———Informing the President, District Board,—, that *ex-officio* members cannot be removed from Union Panchayats and stating that the Collector should warn the individuals that regular attendance at the meetings of the Panchayats is a portion of their duties as village headmen and that notice will in ordinary course be taken of neglect of this duty. **December 7, No. 2317 (P.).**

BOARDS—*cont.*

Kurnool.—Informing the President, District Board,—, with remark, that M.R.Ry. P. Bussa Reddi and H. M. D. Hussain Khan Sahib, who were elected members of the District Board, will be entitled to retain their seats on the Board for three years from the date of their appointment as members thereof. **December 12, No. 2334 (L.).**

Local Boards and Union Panchayats.—Forwarding to the Government of India statements and report showing the working of the — in the Madras Presidency for 1899–1900. **November 21, No. 2208 (P.).**

Madura.—Forwarding to M.R.Ry. E. Srinivasa Chariyar copy of the resolution of the — District Board placing on record its appreciation of his services as its Vice-President. **January 12, No. 16 (L.).**

Nellore.—Approving the proposals of the Local Boards in the — district to constitute Vinjimur and its hamlets into a union and to levy house-tax therein at three-fourths of the maximum rates, and ordering the publication of the necessary notification in the Fort St. George and the — District Gazettes. **July 20, No. 1239 (P.).**

Salem.—Approving the proposals of the — District Board to exclude certain villages from the Karimangalam Union and to reduce the maximum strength of the Union Panchayat from 12 to 10 and ordering the publication of the necessary notification in the Fort St. George and the — District Gazettes. **February 17, No. 292 (P.).**

———Ordering, with remark, that the appointment of Mr. S. B. Murray as a member of the — District Board, be gazetted. **March 3, No. 378 (L.).**

Tanjore.—Communicating to the Hon'ble M.R.Ry. P. Ratnasabhapathi Pillai with reference to No. XXI of the questions asked at the meeting of the Legislative Council held on the 14th November 1899, letter from the President, District Board,—, stating that Vaidiesswarankovil cannot conveniently be formed into a union. **February 16, No. 274 (L.).**

———Approving the proposals of the Local Boards to revise the limits of the Valangiman Union,—district, and to exempt from payment of house-tax the hamlet of Valayamapuram included in the said union, and ordering the publication of the necessary notifications in the Fort St. George and the — District Gazettes. **August 15, No. 1462 (P.).**

———Ordering, with remark, that the appointment of M.R.Ry. K. S. Srinivasa Pillai as a member of the — District Board, be gazetted. **August 30, No. 1549 (L.).**

———Approving, with remarks, the proposed constitution of Kumbakónam and Máyavaram Taluk Boards in the place of the present Taluk Board of Kumbakónam from the 16th November 1900, and ordering the publication of the necessary notification in the Fort St. George and the — District Gazettes. **November 16, No. 2166 (P.).**

Tinnevelly.—Approving with remarks the proposal of the — District Board to abolish the unions of Melaviraraghavapuram, Kilaviraraghavapuram and Pettai, and ordering the publication of the necessary notification in the Fort St. George and the — District Gazettes. **May 1, No. 781 (P.).**

———Approving the proposal of the President, District Board,— to alter the name of the Srivilliputtúr Taluk Board and call it the Sáttúr Taluk Board, and ordering the publication of the necessary notification in the Fort St. George and the — District Gazettes. **July 26, No. 1289 (P.).**

BOOKS AND PUBLICATIONS.

Arcot, South.—Sanctioning the purchase of five copies of the book called "The Educational Policy of the State in India", required for the District Board,—. **October 18, No. 1923 (L.).**

Books.—Recording G.O., Public department, No. 852, dated 28th August 1900, regarding the publications entitled "A hand-book of the Gnats or Mosquitoes" and "Mosquitoes and Malaria", and stating that no copies of the — are required for the use of Local Fund hospitals. **October 4, No. 1794 (L.).**

———Recording G.O., Financial department, directing that all questions relating to — arising in any of the departments of the Chief Secretariat, or in the Local and Municipal, Educational and Legislative departments, shall be considered and finally dealt with in the "Books" branch of the Financial department. **October 17, No. 1914 (L.).**

BOOKS AND PUBLICATIONS—*cont.*

Books and Periodicals.—Communicating to the Sanitary Commissioner, the Sanitary Engineer and the Sanitary Board, Government Order, Financial department, ordering that applications for — which have to be procured from England should give the name and address of the publisher and the price of the publication. **July 5, No. 1154 (L.).**

Delegation of Powers.—Communicating to the Sanitary Commissioner and the Sanitary Engineer, G.O., Financial department, authorising all heads of departments to purchase for use in their offices and to sanction the purchase by officers subordinate to them, of railway guides relating to lines of railways in districts within their jurisdiction, and stating that this does not affect the special sanctions previously accorded. **July 5, No. 1155 (L.).**

Distribution of Official Publications.—Recording G.O., Financial department, directing that the library of the Medical Faculty of McGill University, Montreal, Canada, be placed on the distribution lists of certain official publications. **November 1, No. 2065 (L.).**

Ganjám.—Sanctioning the purchase of the revised edition of the British Pharmacopœia made by the District Board,—, for the use of the District Medical and Sanitary Officer. **May 11, No. 840 (L.).**

Hill Allowance Code.—Recording G.O., Financial department, communicating to the departments of the Secretariat and to the Accountant-General, telegram from the Government of India (Financial department) accepting the proposals regarding the amendment of the — consequent on the opening of the Nilgiri Railway. **April 7, No. 673 (L.).**

———Recording G.O., Financial department, communicating to the departments of the Secretariat letter from the Government of India regarding the revision of section 4 of the Madras — consequent upon the opening of the railway from Méttupálaiyam to Coonoor. **May 28, No. 943 (L.).**

Journal of Indian Arts and Industries.—Communicating, with remark, to all District Boards and Municipal Councils and the Municipal Commissioners of Madras, G.O., Financial department, on the letter from the Government of India requesting increased support to the —. **August 14, No. 1447 (P.).**

———Recording G.O., Financial department, directing that 109 additional copies of the —, or 150 in all, be subscribed for from January 1901 and stating that further orders will be passed in regard to the distribution of the copies. **November 20, No. 2201 (L.).**

"*Journal of Tropical Medicine.*"—Requesting the Financial department to arrange for the supply to the Sanitary Commissioner of the — and to remove from the list of periodicals certain journals now supplied to him. **January 10, No. 10 (L.).**

Kistna.—Sanctioning with remark, the purchase of a copy of the Svellin's Test Type Book for the use of the Dachepalli hospital in the — district. **February 6, No. 206 (L.).**

List of Manuals, Codes, Hand-books, Rules, &c.—Recording G.O., Public department, directing that a — published by or under the authority of the Madras Government, be forwarded to the Registrar and Superintendent of Records, India Office. **October 4, No. 1789 (L.).**

Mr. Spring's Manual entitled "Railed Roads."—Sanctioning the purchase by any Local Board which may wish to do so, of a sufficient number of copies of — to give one to each member of the Board. **October 24, No. 1947 (P.).**

Official Publications.—Recording Government Order, Financial department, communicating, for information and guidance, despatch from the Secretary of State requesting that — not intended for sale may be marked on the title pages "not for sale" or "intended for gratuitous distribution only," and that in all other cases the publications may have printed on them their prices, both in rupees and in English currency. **February 2, No. 163 (L.).**

Ordnance Maps of the Madras Presidency.—Returning, duly countersigned, to the Sanitary Engineer, indent on the Map Record and Issue Office, Calcutta, for a set of the —. **March 23, No. 565 (L.).**

Pamphlet.—Recording letter from the Sanitary Commissioner, forwarding, for the information of Government, a — embodying details of experiments conducted by Dr. Srinivasa Rao, Bacteriologist to the Government of Mysore, on the comparative efficiency of the different preservatives of vaccine lymph. **August 30, No. 1535 (L.).**

BOOKS AND PUBLICATIONS—*cont.*

Periodicals.—Communicating to the Sanitary Commissioner Government Order, Financial department, requesting Messrs. Baker & Co. to discontinue certain — now supplied to him and to supply the "Tropical Magazine" to him in future.
February 5, No. 179 (L.).

Publication in Local Gazettes of communications received from the Government of India.—Recording G.O., Public department, communicating to the departments of the Secretariat, for information and guidance, letter from the Government of India issuing certain instructions regarding the —. **September 19, No. 1709 (L.).**

Sanitary Journal.—Communicating to the Sanitary Commissioner, G.O., Financial department, directing the continuance of the supply of the — to the Sanitary Commissioner until the end of the current year. **May 14, No. 869 (L.).**

Six Months' Estimate of the Máyavaram-Muttupet Railway (Capital).—Recording G.O., Public Works department (Railway Branch), ordering that copies of the — for the year 1900–1901, together with a note thereon by the Examiner, Guaranteed Railway Accounts, be forwarded to the Government of India. **October 26, No. 1993 (L.).**

Telegram Form Books.—Requesting the Superintendent, Government Printing, Calcutta, to supply the Local and Municipal department with four copies of the foreign — and twelve copies of the inland —. **February 6, No. 205 (L.).**

BUBONIC PLAGUE.

Jigger.—Requesting the Sanitary Commissioner to draw up and submit a set of instructions for the prevention and treatment of — in this country. **June 15, No. 1062 (L.).**

Plague Expenditure.—Communicating to all Local Boards and Municipal Councils Government Order, Financial department, passing orders on the revised estimates for 1899–1900 and the budget estimates for 1900–1901 of — from Local and Municipal Funds.
January 18, No. 41 (P.).

BUDGET.

Anantapur.—Reviewing the — District Board's budget for 1900–1901.
February 13, No. 257 (P.).

———Recording, with reference to G.O. quoted, certain information in connection with the — District Board's budget for 1900–1901. **March 3, No. 379 (L.).**

———Recording, with remarks, the explanation of points noticed in the — District Board's budget for 1900–1901. **March 14, No. 484 (L.).**

——— Making certain reductions in the allotments provided in the — District Board's budget for 1900–1901 in order to provide funds for expenditure on famine-relief works.
March 28, No. 594 (P.).

——— Recording, with remark, certain information in connection with the — District Board's budget for 1900–1901. **April 9, No. 682 (L.).**

——— Recording certain information in connection with the — District Board's budget for 1900–1901. **May 21, No. 912 (L.).**

Arcot, North.—Reviewing the — District Board's budget for 1900–1901.
February 3, No. 173 (P.).

——— Recording, with remarks, the explanation of points noticed in the — District Board's budget for 1900–1901. **February 13, No. 275 (L.).**

——— Recording, with reference to the G.O. quoted, the remarks of the Sanitary Commissioner on the budget estimate of the — District Board for 1900–1901.
February 28, No. 369 (L.).

Arcot, South.—Reviewing the — District Board's budget for 1900–1901.
February 6, No. 210 (P.).

——— Referring to the Taluk Boards in the — district for consideration and report the remarks and suggestions of the Sanitary Commissioner on the budget estimate of the District Board for 1900–1901. **March 5, No. 390 (L.).**

——— Recording, with remarks, the explanation of points noticed in the — District Board's budget for 1900–1901. **April 3, No. 631 (L.).**

BUDGET—*cont.*

Bellary.—Reviewing the — District Board's budget for 1900–1901.
March 21, No. 547 (P.).

——— Sanctioning the withdrawal by the Hospet and — Taluk Boards during the current year of Rs. 17,700 and Rs. 5,300 from the Union and Endowment Funds, respectively.
May 12, No. 846 (L.).

Budget Estimates.—Recording Government Order, Financial department, accepting the — for 1900–1901 under *Adjusting Heads*, submitted by the Accountant-General.
January 22, No. 52 (L.).

——— Requesting the Presidents of certain District Boards to bestow greater care on the preparation of their — so as to avoid excess expenditure under 29. Superannuation and Pension. **February 13, No. 256 (L.).**

——— Communicating to the District Boards concerned, G.O., Public Works department, ordering that the final issue of the Incorporated Local Civil Works — for 1900–1901, be circulated to the officers concerned for information and guidance.
May 28, No. 942 (L.).

——— Recording, with remark, G.O., Financial department, communicating to all heads of departments, for information and guidance, an amended statement showing the dates on which — are due in the Financial department. **October 9, No. 1874 (L.).**

——— Recording G.O., Financial department, accepting the — of the Local and Municipal department for 1901–1902. **November 20, No. 2200 (L.).**

——— Recording G.O., Financial department, accepting, with remarks, the — for 1901–1902 of the Local Fund department in the Accountant-General's office.
November 20, No. 2202 (L.).

Budget Estimates of Works of other Departments to be carried out by the Public Works Department.—Communicating to all Presidents of District Boards, G.O., Public Works department, directing that, in future, Superintending Engineers should themselves submit the — within the limits of their circles, obtaining from departments concerned all necessary information, and stating that these officers should assist the local heads of other departments with advice and information, whenever asked for.
September 10, No. 1630 (P.).

Budget Reminder.—Reminding the Presidents of District Boards, with remark, that their consolidated budget estimates for 1901–1902 are due in the Government office on the 15th December 1900. **November 14, No. 2148 (L.).**

Canara, South.—Reviewing the — District Board's budget for 1900–1901.
February 28, No. 351 (P.).

——— Recording the explanation of points noticed in the —District Board's budget for 1900–1901. **March 5, No. 409 (L.).**

——— Recording the Sanitary Commissioner's remarks on the — District Board's budget for 1900–1901. **March 20, No. 529 (L.).**

Chingleput.—Sanctioning, with remark, the increase of pay for the probationary vaccinator, proposed in the — District Board's budget for 1900–1901. **April 6, No. 653 (L.).**

Coimbatore.—Reviewing the — District Board's budget for 1900–1901.
January 31, No. 139 (P.).

——— Recording, with remarks, certain information in connection with the — District Board's budget for 1900–1901. **March 1, No. 375 (L.).**

——— Recording the explanation of points noticed in the — District Board's budget for 1900–1901. **March 12, No. 456 (L.).**

Cuddapah.—Reviewing the — District Board's budget for 1900–1901.
March 19, No. 524 (P.).

Cuddapah, Kurnool and Nellore.—Stating that the budgets of the — District Boards will be revised in view of the prevailing distress caused by famine. **March 6, No. 417 (L).**

BUDGET—*cont.*

Dates of Submission of Budget Estimates to the Financial Department.—Recording G.O., Financial department, making certain corrections in G.O., No. 834, Financial, dated 27th August 1900, regarding the —. **November 14, No. 2156 (L.).**

Ganjám.—Reviewing the — District Board's budget for 1900–1901. **January 31, No. 140 (P.).**

——— Sanctioning, with remarks, the entertainment of certain sanitary establishment, proposed in the budget estimate of the — District Board's budget for 1900–1901. **February 28, No. 354 (L.).**

——— Making a provision of Rs. 2,000 in the — District Board's budget for 1900–1901 for constructing a building for the dispensary at Chatrapur. **March 22, No. 559 (L.).**

——— Communicating to the District Board, —, G.O., Financial department, passing orders on the budget estimate of Civil Agency Works in the Agency tracts of — for 1901–1902. **December 19, No. 2378 (L.).**

Gódávari.—Reviewing the — District Board's budget for 1900–1901. **March 21, No. 548 (P.).**

——— Informing the President, District Board, —, that the necessary corrections, with reference to the explanation furnished, have been made in the District Board's budget for 1900–1901. **May 8, No. 819 (L.).**

Kistna.—Reviewing the — District Board's budget for 1900–1901. **February 28, No. 350 (P.).**

——— Making certain reductions in the allotments provided in the — District Board's budget for 1900–1901 in order to provide funds for expenditure on famine-relief works. **April 23, No. 729 (P.).**

Kurnool.—Recording the explanation of points noticed in the — District Board's budget for 1900–1901. **March 13, No. 465 (L.).**

——— Reviewing the — District Board's budget for 1900–1901. **March 19, No. 526 (P.).**

Local Fund General Budget Statements for 1900–1901.—Ordering the publication, in the *Fort St. George Gazette*, of the statements showing the estimated receipts and charges of the Local Boards in the Madras Presidency for 1900–1901. **August 6, No. 1372 (L.).**

Local Fund Works.—Stating, with remark, that the necessary provision of funds will be made in the Local Fund budgets for 1901–1902 in regard to — proposed to be carried out by the Public Works department during that year. **December 6, No. 2312 (P.).**

Madura.—Reviewing the — District Board's budget for 1900–1901. **March 13, No. 463 (L.).**

——— Recording the explanation of points noticed in the — District Board's budget for 1900–1901. **March 27, No. 586 (L.).**

Malabar.—Reviewing the — District Board's budget for 1900–1901. **February 20, No. 311 (P.).**

——— Recording, with remarks, the explanation of points noticed in the — District Board's budget for 1900–1901. **March 29, No. 604 (L.).**

Nellore.—Reviewing the — District Board's budget for 1900–1901. **March 30, No. 605 (P.).**

——— Making certain alterations in the budget estimates of the — District Board for 1900–1901 sanctioned in G.O., No. 605 L., dated 30th March 1900. **May 14, No. 847 (P.).**

Nilgiris.—Reviewing the — District Board's budget for 1900–1901. **March 8, No. 435 (P.).**

——— Recording the explanation of points noticed in the — District Board's budget for 1900–1901. **March 16, No. 500 (L.).**

——— Recording the Sanitary Commissioner's remarks on the — District Board's budget for 1900–1901. **March 22, No. 552 (L.).**

BUDGET—*cont.*

Reduction of Expenditure.—Communicating to the Sanitary Commissioner, the Sanitary Engineer and the Sanitary Board G.O., Financial department, drawing attention to the necessity for the practice of the strictest economy in view to limiting the expenditure to the budget grants on account of the recent drought and the impending famine.
March 5, No. 385 (L.).

Salem.—Reviewing the — District Board's budget for 1900–1901.
February 26, No. 349 (P.).

——— Recording the explanation of points noticed in the — District Board's budget for 1900–1901. **March 14, No. 486 (L.).**

Tanjore.—Communicating to the District Board, —, Government Order, Financial department, accepting the budget estimates of the Máyavaram-Muttupet Railway for 1900–1901. **January 24, No. 95, Mis.**

——— Reviewing the — District Board's budget for 1900–1901.
March 16, No. 506 (P.).

——— Recording G.O., Public Works department, ordering the despatch to the Government of India of the final issue of the capital, revised and budget estimates of the Máyavaram-Muttupet Railway for the years 1899–1900 and 1900–1901.
August 2, No. 1330 (L.).

——— Sanctioning the alterations proposed in the educational portion of the—District Board's budget for 1900–1901 and the proposition statements relating to the educational establishments. **November 26, No. 2228 (L.).**

——— Recording the explanation of points noticed in the — District Board's budget for 1900–1901. **October 9, No. 1873 (L.).**

Tinnevelly.—Reviewing the — District Board's budget for 1900–1901.
February 10, No. 238 (P.).

——— Sanctioning, with remark, the entertainment of a sweeper on Rs. 5 for the village of Vadakankulam, proposed in the budget estimate of the — District Board for 1900–1901. **March 1, No. 377 (L.).**

——— Declining to approve the proposal of the President, District Board, —, to make certain alterations in statement IX showing the revised estimate of the receipts and charges of Local Boards. **March 6, No. 414 (L.).**

——— Recording the explanation of points noticed in the — District Board's budget for 1900–1901. **May 8, No. 821 (L.).**

——— Communicating to the President, District Board, —, with concurrence, the remarks of the Accountant-General on certain alterations proposed in the — District Board's budget for 1900–1901. **August 30, No. 1542 (L.).**

Trichinopoly.—Reviewing the — District Board's budget for 1900–1901.
March 6, No. 420 (P.).

——— Recording, with remark, the explanation of points noticed in the — District Board's budget for 1900–1901. **May 3, No. 799 (L.).**

Vizagapatam.—Reviewing the — District Board's budget for 1900–1901.
February 6, No. 209 (P.).

——— Sanctioning, with remarks, the entertainment of the reserve hospital assistant, proposed in the — District Board's budget for 1900–1901. **March 22, No. 562 (L.).**

BUILDINGS.

Anantapur.—Communicating to the District Board, —, G.O., Public Works department, approving of the proposal to resume the old police station at Lapatche, and requesting Presidents of District Boards and Chairmen of Municipal Councils to scrutinize carefully in future the condition of the Government buildings lent to them and furnish information in the administration reports as to whether the matter has received proper attention.
November 15, No. 2159 (P.).

BUILDINGS—*cont.*

Arcot, North.—Communicating to the Taluk Board, Ránipéttai, G.O., Public Works department, placing at the disposal of the Postal department the sub-jail portion of the old Taluk Cutcherry at Chandragiri, — district, and such portion of the building as is not required by the Ránipéttai Taluk Board for its school. **April 30, No. 776 (L.).**

——— Communicating to the Taluk Board, Arni, G.O., Public Works department, ordering that the sanction of the Government of India be applied for to the proposed expenditure of Rs. 2,365 for improvements to those portions of the old taluk cutcherry building that are to be adapted as quarters for the Hospital Assistant and the Forest Ranger at Wandiwash, — district. **May 8, No. 820 (L.).**

Buildings.—Recording Proceedings of the Sanitary Board requesting the Sanitary Engineer to draw up a type-design for quarters for Civil Apothecaries. **June 26, No. 1099 (L.).**

Buildings for the residence of Government Officials.—Recording G.O., Public Works department, communicating to officers of the Public Works department and to departments of the Secretariat, resolution of the Government of India, issuing revised rules relating to the construction or purchase of — and to the assessment of rents, and directing the Superintending Engineers and the Consulting Architect to furnish Government with certain information in connection therewith. **October 31, No. 2047 (L.).**

Civil Buildings.—Recording Government Order, Public Works department, defining the scope of G.O., No. 2172 W., dated 15th August 1899, relating to the execution of repairs to — up to a limit of Rs. 1,000 by the departments concerned, and stating that the order will have effect from the commencement of the next official year. **January 24, No. 110 (L.).**

——— Recording Government Order, Financial department, communicating proceedings, Public Works department, defining the scope of G.O., No. 2172 W., dated 15th August 1899, relating to the execution of repairs to — up to a limit of Rs. 1,000 by the departments concerned, and requesting the Accountant-General to make, in consultation with the heads of departments concerned, the necessary transfers from the Civil to the Public Works estimates in the final issue of the Civil Budget estimates for 1900–1901. **February 5, No. 183 (L.).**

Coimbatore.—Sanctioning the proposal of the — District Board to pay to the — Municipal Council a contribution of Rs. 5,000 towards the construction of a hospital building. **August 20, No. 1468 (L.)**

Cuddapah.—Declining, with remark, to sanction the proposal of the Taluk Board, Madanapalle, — district, to sell the building in which the old venereal ward attached to the hospital of Madanapalle, is located. **September 17, No. 1683 (L.)**

Estimate.—Returning, countersigned, the — for repairing the terrace over the room occupied by the Secretary to Government, Local and Municipal department, in the Secretariat offices, Fort St. George. **May 15, No. 872 (L.).**

Ganjám.—Communicating to the District Board, —, G.O., Public Works department, sanctioning estimate of Rs. 6,380 for constructing a District Board's office at Chatrapur. **November 13, No. 2141 (L.)**

Gódávari.— Communicating to the District Board,—, G.O., Revenue department, sanctioning, with remarks, the sale of certain Military buildings at Samalkot to the District Board. **May 11, No. 839 (L.)**

Kistna.—Communicating to the District Board, —, G.O., Public Works department, directing that the soldiers' shed at Dáchépalle, — district, being now required for State purposes be resumed from the District Board and handed over to the Police department. **April 5, No. 642 (L.).**

——— Communicating to the District Board, —, G.O., Public Works department, directing that the soldiers' shed at Dáchépalle be taken over from the Board in its present state and converted into a police station. **November 21, No. 2207 (L.).**

Kurnool.—Requesting the Municipal Council of Nandyal to report on the question of rebuilding the hospital at Nandyal at a better site outside the town as suggested by the District Medical and Sanitary officer and to state whether it sees any objection to the proposal to combine the funds of the municipality and the Police department and to construct a single building to supply the needs of both. **March 15, No. 495 (L.),**

BUILDINGS—*cont.*

Kurnool.—Informing the President, District Board, —, that the sanction of Government is not necessary for the sale of the materials of the old sub-jail building at Chagalmari. **July 17, No. 1229 (L.).**

Nellore.—Sanctioning, with remark, the sale by the Ongole Taluk Board, — district of the school-house at Pamur. **December 22, No. 2400 (L.).**

Protection of Public Buildings from Fire.—Communicating to the Sanitary Commissioner and the Sanitary Engineer, G.O., Public Works department, pointing out that the responsibility of the Public Works department in the matter of — extends, as regards buildings in its charge, to the provision to each building of the required number of buckets and of copies of the rules on the subject, and that any further action necessary to give effect to the directions in the rules lies with the heads of offices occupying the buildings. **November 2, No. 2082 (L.).**

Protection of the Secretariat buildings in Fort St. George from fire.—Recording G.O., Public Works department, passing orders in respect of the best means to be adopted for the —. **August 8, No. 1382 (L.).**

Salem.—Communicating to the Taluk Board, Hosúr, — district, G.O., Public Works department, sanctioning the transfer of a certain Public Works building at Hosúr to the Taluk Board on certain conditions. **November 22, No. 2217 (L.).**

Stowe Hall.—Approving, with remark, the temporary arrangement under which the Government is to continue to hold — as Mr. Firth's tenant on a monthly tenancy at the same rate as that paid to Mrs. Lea Hair. **August 8, No. 1383 (L.).**

Stowe Hall Premises.—Informing the Consulting Architect to Government, with remarks, that — will be taken up on lease for a further period of three years from the 1st July 1900 for the accommodation of the office of the Sanitary Commissioner, the Sanitary Engineer and the Boiler Inspector. **April 6, No. 651 (L.).**

Tanjore.—Communicating to the Public Works department letter from the President, Taluk Board, Kumbakónam, stating that the Taluk Board is not willing to take charge of the compound of the old Fort and the buildings north and south of the Sea Customs office at Tranquebar. **February 28, No. 355 (L.).**

Trichinopoly.—Approving the proposal of the Musiri Taluk Board to take over the unfinished building at Valavandi under its management for being used as a choultry. **September 17, No. 1680 (L.).**

Vacant Public Buildings.—Recording G.O., Public Works department, passing orders in resect of the custody and charge of —. **July 23, No. 1245 (L.).**

Vizagapatam.— Stating that the charge for the scrutiny of the estimate amounting to Rs. 3,230 for constructing an office building for the District Medical and Sanitary Officer, Vizagapatam, should be recovered from the — District Board, and requesting the Accountant-General to make the necessary adjustments in the accounts in communication with the Examiner of Public Works Accounts. **February 13, No. 254 (L.).**

——— Sanctioning, with remark, the sale, by the — District Board, of the inspection bungalow at Ramabhadrapuram. **November 27, No. 2231 (L.).**

CONTRIBUTIONS AND GRANTS.

Arcot, North.—Recording letter from the President, District Board,—, stating that the Mahant of Tirupati paid the amount of contribution due by him towards the upkeep of the Tirupati hospital in 1899–1900. **August 27, No. 1516 (L.).**

Bellary.—Stating that the adjustment of the contribution of Rs. 14,070 due to Provincial Funds, by the — District Board effected in 1899–1900, should be cancelled with reference to G.O., No. 547 L., dated 21st March 1900, and that the contribution should be recovered from the District Board in the year 1900–1901. **May 25, No. 924 (L.).**

Cuddapah.—Communicating to the Municipal Council, —, the resolution of the — District Board stating that it has no objection to pay an increased contribution of Rs. 3,000 to the municipality on account of the hospital. **May 28, No. 947 (L.).**

Ganjám.—Informing the President, District Board, —, that vaccinators on Rs. 10 may be permitted to contribute to the Provident fund only from the date on which the revised rules issued with G.O., No. 1394 L., dated 11th August 1900, come into force. **December 6, No. 2315 (P.).**

CONTRIBUTIONS AND GRANTS—*cont.*

Ganjám.—Communicating to the Goomsur Taluk Board, — district, the remarks of the Director of Public Instruction on the President's application for increased grant-in-aid to the Board's Lower Secondary school at Russellkonda. **December 3, No. 2323 (L.).**

Gódávari.—Communicating to the Taluk Board, Rajahmundry, G.O., Financial department, sanctioning the payment from Provincial funds of a contribution of one-eighth of the pay and allowances of the medical subordinates attached to the dispensaries at Rámachandrapuram, Amalápuram and Kotapeta, in the — district, and calling for further information as regards the Government servants in certain other stations. **July 23, No. 1271 (L.).**

——— Communicating to the Taluk Board, Rajahmundry, G.O., Financial department, sanctioning, with effect from 1st April 1900, a contribution of one-eighth of the pay and allowances of the medical subordinates attached to the dispensaries at Mandapeta, Gollalamamidada, Mummidivaram and Bendamurlanka,—district. **September 29, No. 1772 (L.).**

——— Recording G.O., Financial department, passing orders on the information furnished by the President, District Board, —, with reference to the contribution of one-eighth of the pay and allowances claimed from Government on behalf of the Medical Subordinates at Mandapeta, Gollalamamidada, &c., in the — district. **November 13, No. 2139 (L.).**

Grants-in-Aid.—Communicating to all local bodies and Municipal Councils, G.O., Educational department, passing orders on the suggestions made by the Director of Public Instruction with the object of removing the discontent among the managers of aided schools caused by the difference between the amount of grants earned by their schools and that paid by the Educational department. **October 4, No. 1796 (P.).**

Kistna.—Sanctioning the contribution of Rs. 70 from the — District Fund to the Narasaraopet Taluk Board for disbursing the arrears of pay of the Inspecting Schoolmaster, Narasaraopet Sub-range. **May 28, No. 948 (L.).**

——— Sanctioning the payment of contributions by certain Local Boards in the — district for services rendered by the inspecting schoolmasters of Muhammadan schools of the North and South — ranges. **August 27, No. 1521 (L.).**

——— Sanctioning the payment of Rs. 601 to the Narasaraopet Taluk Board as contribution towards the enlargement of the present travellers' bungalow at Narsaraopet. **October 5, No. 1831 (L.).**

Kurnool.—Sanctioning the payment of a contribution of Rs. 1,548–5–10 by the Nandyal Taluk Board to the Nandyal Municipality for certain works. **October 4, No. 1791 (L.).**

Madura.—Informing the President, District Board, —, that G.O., No. 2669 L., dated 21st December 1894, permitting the Local Boards in that district to contribute for pension on behalf of the clerks, accountants, &c., employed by them, should be held to apply to all appointments of these classes subsequently brought into existence, and stating that the payment of pensionary contribution on account of the second clerk of the Mélúr Taluk Board's office was inadmissible as the appointment belongs to the inferior service, the salary being only Rs. 9–7–3. **July 5, No. 1162 (P.).**

——— Sanctioning the payment by the Dindigul Taluk Board of a contribution amounting to Rs. 387–12–8 to the Kodaikánal Municipality. **October 26, No. 1990 (L.).**

Nellore.—Sanctioning, with remark, the proposal of the — District Board to contribute a sum of Rs. 1,000 towards the construction of a hospital for women at Udayagiri. **September 5, No. 1583 (L.).**

——— Stating, with remarks, that Government regrets that it cannot re-consider its order No. 1583 L., dated 5th September 1900, regarding the conditions under which a contribution of Rs. 1,000 should be made to the American Baptist Mission towards the construction of a hospital for women at Udayagiri, — district. **November 2, No. 2080 (L.).**

Nilgiris, The.—Sanctioning the payment of a special contribution of Rs. 170 to the — District Board by the Ootacamund Municipality in consequence of the widening of the Ootacamund-Kotagiri road. **February 9, No. 227 (L.).**

CONTRIBUTIONS AND GRANTS—*cont.*

Nilgiris, The.—Authorizing the President, District Board, —, to take credit for the grant of Rs. 99,000 from Provincial Funds to the District Board.
October 24, No. 1941 (L.).

Tinnevelly.—Informing the President, District Board, —, that no further sanction is necessary for the payment of Rupees 205-1-10, being the amount of contribution due from Provincial funds on account of the pay and allowances of the Hospital Assistant, Chockalingam Pillai, for the period during which he was in charge of the Ettiyapuram dispensary. **February 20, No. 313 (L.).**

——— Stating that the — Taluk Board is itself competent to sanction the payment of Rs. 839-4-7, being the arrears of contribution due to the Palamcottah Municipality on account of the Municipal hospital at Palamcottah for the years 1892-93 to 1897-98.
February 20, No. 314 (L.).

——— Sanctioning, from 1st January 1901, the proposals of the Local Boards in the — district to contribute for pension on behalf of all the clerks and accountants in superior service, and declining to accept the proposal to refund to the officers whose services will thus be rendered pensionable, the whole of the subscriptions and bonuses remaining to their credit in the Provident fund. **December 14, No. 2346 (P.).**

Trichinopoly.—Sanctioning the payment by the — District Board, to the — Municipal Council, of a contribution of Rs. 3,000 for the construction of an out-patient ward in the Municipal hospital. **June 26, No. 1097 (L.).**

Vizagapatam.—Sanctioning the payment of a contribution of Rs. 500 to the technical classes of A. V. Narasingarao's College at — for the current year and the necessary allotment of funds therefor. **October 31, No. 2057 (L.).**

CORRESPONDENCE.

Address of communications to Government while at Ootacamund.—Stating that communications of the nature specified, to the address of the Secretary to Government, Local and Municipal department, which cannot reach Madras by 17th April 1900, should be sent direct to Ootacamund, all other communications being addressed to Fort St. George.
March 17, No. 507 (L.).

——— Requesting the Government of India that all communications intended for this Government, Local and Municipal, Educational and Legislative departments, which cannot reach Madras by the 17th April 1900, may be addressed to Ootacamund, and that all telegrams after the 14th April may be sent direct to Ootacamund, all books and publications being sent to Madras. **March 17, No. 508 (L.).**

Arrangement of Papers under disposal and of original Government Orders.—Recording G.O., Public department, issuing revised instructions regarding the —.
October 10, No. 1885 (L.).

Communications to Government.—Communicating to all Presidents of District Boards and Chairmen of Municipal Councils, the President, Municipal Commission, Madras, the Sanitary Commissioner, the Sanitary Engineer and the Sanitary Board, G.O., Public department, prescribing a revised form of docket to be used for —, and issuing certain instructions regarding the form in which such communications should be submitted.
November 5, No. 2108 (P.).

Communications to Government on Post Cards.—Communicating, with remark, to all Presidents of District Boards, Chairmen of Municipal Councils, the President, Municipal Commission, Madras, the Sanitary Commissioner, the Sanitary Engineer and the Sanitary Board, G.O., Financial department, directing, in supersession of previous orders on the subject, that the use of post cards for any class of communications to Government shall be discontinued, and ordering that *nil* returns should in future be submitted on paper of the usual size. **October 24, No. 1946 (P.).**

Conduct of Public Servants.—Communicating to the Sanitary Commissioner and the Sanitary Engineer, G.O., Public department, communicating to the departments of the Secretariat and to heads of departments under the Chief Secretary, letter from the Government of India forbidding officers of Government to communicate with the Press in respect of their official conduct or acts without the prior consent in writing of the Local Government under which they are serving. **July 20, No. 1241 (L.).**

CORRESPONDENCE—*cont.*

Correspondence.—Stating that the Superintending Engineer, III Circle, Bellary, should obtain from the Presidents of the District Boards direct, the information required by him for the preparation of the list of original works costing over Rs. 500 each, proposed to be carried out by the Public Works department during 1901–1902.
September 12, No. 1647 (L.).

——— —— Requesting the Government of India that all communications intended for this Government, Local and Municipal, Educational and Legislative departments, which cannot reach Ootacamund by the 17th October, may be addressed to Madras, and that all telegrams after the 18th October 1900 may be sent to Madras.
September 27, No. 1742 (L.).

Correspondence with Native States.—Communicating to the Sanitary Commissioner and the Sanitary Engineer, G.O., Political department, permitting heads of departments and officers in the Madras Presidency to hold direct correspondence with the Darbars of Native States, or with the Political officers attached to Native States, only in routine and unimportant matters involving no decided expression of opinion. **September 13, No. 1691 (L.).**

Despatches from the Secretary of State for India.—Stating that the return of despatches received from the Right Honourable the Secretary of State, which remained unanswered at the end of the third quarter of 1900, is blank. **October 16, No. 1913 (L.).**

Emergent papers.—Recording memorandum, Public department, stating that papers which require to be treated as emergent or very emergent at the Government Press shall be accompanied by a slip signed by an Assistant or an Assistant Secretary or an Under Secretary. **March 27, No. 585 (L.).**

Form of Personal Security Bond.—Recording letter from the Accountant-General stating that the bond referred to in G.O., No. 1335 L., dated 20th July 1894, has already been incorporated in the Local Fund Code, and that the bond referred to in G.O., No. 2180 L., dated 3rd October 1893, will be introduced in the new edition.
April 26, No. 744 (L.).

Ganjám.—Stating that Government regrets that the Berhampur Taluk Board recorded its resolution regarding the payment of house-rent to the inspecting schoolmaster, Chatrapur,—district, in language calculated to prevent harmonious working with the department concerned. **September 28, No. 1768 (L.).**

Monthly Indexes.—Recording G.O., Public department, passing orders on the proposals of the Superintendent, Government Press, for printing the — to the proceedings of Government.
April 7, No. 672 (L.).

Supply of Annual Reports, Proceedings, &c., to the India Office.—Recording G.O., Public Department, communicating to all departments of the Secretariat despatch from the Secretary of State regulating the number of copies of certain annual reports and serial publications to be sent to the India Office, and directing the discontinuance of covering letters in certain cases. **June 12, No. 1014 (L.).**

EDUCATION.

Anantapur.—Recording letter from the President, District Board, —, reporting the circumstances under which the education of Panchamas showed a retrogression in the year 1898–99. **July 3, No. 1135 (L.).**

Arcot, North.—Approving the proposals of the Ránipettai Taluk Board to transfer the Local Fund Primary school, Puttúr, to the management of the H.L.G. Mission, Tirupati.
April 18, No. 715 (L.).

——— Sanctioning the payment by the — District Board of the amount of stipends due to Saiyid Muhi-ud-dín, a Muhammadan Normal student. **May 29, No. 953 (L.).**

Canara, South.—Recording, with remark, letter from the President, District Board, —, reporting the circumstances under which the education of Panchamas showed a retrogression in the year 1898–99. **July 14, No. 1205 (L.).**

——— Recording letter from the President, District Board, —, stating that the private school at Bolur for Panchamas is included in the list of schools to be aided from Local funds in the current year. **August 18, No. 1464 (L.).**

EDUCATION—*cont.*

Coimbatore.—Stating that the proposals of the — District Board to introduce the system of Provident Fund for the benefit of certain teachers in Boards' schools and inspecting schoolmasters in the district, are inadmissible. **February 9, No. 225 (L.).**

Cuddapah.—Sanctioning the deputation of certain Inspecting schoolmasters of the — district to Bellary to attend the Educational Conference. **March 15, No. 496 (L.).**

Education of Panchamas.—Requesting the Presidents of certain District Boards, with remark, to report the circumstances under which the — showed a retrogression in their districts in the year 1898–99 and to state whether any, and if so, what steps have been, or are proposed to be, taken by the Local Boards to effect an improvement in this matter. **April 9, No. 680 (L.).**

Ganjám.—Communicating to the Goomsur Taluk Board, — district, the remarks of the Director of Public Instruction on the President's application for increased grant-in-aid to the Board Lower Secondary school at Russellkonda. **December 8, No. 2323 (L.).**

Godávari.—Informing the President, District Board, —, that the Cocanada Taluk Board should at once abolish its Lower Secondary school at Peddápuram. **January 24, No. 99 (L.).**

——— Communicating to all Local Boards and Municipal Councils G.O., No 99 L., dated 24th January 1900, directing the Cocanada Taluk Board to abolish the Board's Lower Secondary school at Peddápuram, and drawing the attention of the Local Boards in the — district to the policy of Government regarding the maintenance of Secondary schools. **March 14, No. 490 (P.).**

——— Stating, with remarks, that the Panchama school-house at Tuni, — district, should not be disposed of, nor the site re-transferred to Government until the closure of the school has been approved. **July 25, No. 1287 (L.).**

——— Passing orders on the proposals made by the President, District Board, —, regarding the policy which should be adopted by Local Boards in the matter of their expenditure on education, medical services, vaccination and sanitation. **August 3, No. 1337 (P.).**

——— Approving, with remarks, the proposals of the Cocanada and Narasapur Taluk Boards to abolish the Panchama schools at Tuni, Pedakapavaram and Mamidikuduru, — district. **September 24, No. 1725 (L.).**

——— Approving the proposal of the Director of Public Instruction to close the Primary school at Peddápuram in the — district. **December 8, No. 2321 (L.).**

Madura.—Communicating to the Hon'ble M.R.Ry. P. Ratnasabhapati Pillai letter from the President, District Board, —, on the questions asked at the meeting of the Legislative Council held on the 30th March 1900 regarding the abolition of certain schools under the Ramnad Taluk Board. **July 30, No. 1311 (L.).**

Malabar.—Passing orders on the report by Mr. Parsons, I.C.S., regarding the existence or otherwise of "Dummy schools" in —. **February 21, No. 319 (P.).**

——— Informing with remarks, the President, District Board, —, that the sanction of Government is not necessary for changing the present site of the Mappilla school at Nallatur. **February 26, No. 344 (P.).**

——— Recording letter from the President, District Board, —, reporting the circumstances under which the education of Panchamas showed a retrogression in the year 1898–99. **July 9, No. 1180 (L.).**

Provincialization of the Inspecting Agency.—Communicating, with remark, to all Local Boards and Municipal Councils and the Municipal Commissioners of Madras, G.O., Educational department, stating, with remarks, that the — is not at present practicable, and authorizing the Director of Public Instruction to bring forward the proposal again at some subsequent date. **October 4, No. 1801 (P.).**

Public Instruction.—Recording with remark G.O., Educational department, reviewing the report on — in the Madras Presidency for the year 1898–99. **February 5, No. 182 (L.).**

EDUCATION—*cont.*

Salem.—Recording letter from the President, District Board, —, reporting that the Rasipur school should be kept up as a Lower Secondary school at least on trial to the end of the year 1900–1901. **March 15, No. 491 (L.).**

——— Recording report from the District Board of — on the steps taken for the improvement of the education of Panchamas. **November 3, No. 2089 (L.).**

Tanjore.—Referring, for consideration and report, to the Taluk Boards of Mannárgudi and Kumbakónam, letter from the Director of Public Instruction stating that certain schools under these Boards may be continued as Board schools during 1900–190[illegible] **March 2[illegible] 574 (L.).**

Tinnevelly.—Sanctioning, with remark, the proposals of the — Taluk Board to transfer certain educational and other institutions to the Tinnevelly and Palamcottah Municipal Councils. **September 2[illegible] No. 1733 (L.).**

Trichinopoly.—Sanctioning the proposal of the — District Board to open a sixth form and entertain a teacher on Rs. 75 per mensem in the Lalgudi High school. **January 1[illegible] No. 27 (L.).**

Vizagapatam.—Sanctioning, with remark, the proposal of the — District Board to pay a contribution of Rs. 500 to the technical classes of Mrs. A. V. Narasingarow's College. **April 26, No. 742 (L.).**

——— Recording letter from the President, District Board, —, reporting the circumstances under which the education of Panchamas showed a retrogression in the year 189[illegible]–99. **July 12, No. 1197 (L.).**

ESTABLISHMENT.

Anantapur.—Sanctioning, with remarks, the proposition statement for the entertainment of a third assistant master for the Middle school at Penukonda. **March 5, No. 388 (L.).**

——— Sanctioning the proposal of the Penukonda Taluk Board, — district, to increase the pay of its head clerk. **May 2, No. 798 (L.).**

Arcot, North.—Communicating to the Taluk Board, Ránipéttai, G.O., Public department, lending the services of Civil Apothecary, A. J. Home, to the American Mission at Ránipéttai for a period not exceeding two years for the charge of the Local Fund Hospital recently transferred to the management of the Mission. **February 10, No. 237 (L.).**

——— Sanctioning the abolition, with effect from the 15th February 1900, of the post of watchman on As. 8 per mensem, attached to the travellers' bungalow at Nagari, — district. **September 25, No. 1730 (L.).**

——— Sanctioning the reduction, from Rs. 4 to Rs. 3 per mensem, of the salary of the watchman attached to the travellers' bungalow at Puttúr, — district, with retrospective effect from 12th February 1888. **September 25, No. 1731 (L.).**

——— Sanctioning the continuance, from 1st April 1899 to 31st March 1900, of the post of market-watcher at Kuppam under the Vellore Taluk Board, — district. **November 17, No. 2176 (L.).**

Arcot, South.—Sanctioning, with remark, a proposition statement for the revision of establishment in the Taluk Board's Girls' school at Tirukkóyilúr, — district. **May 14, No. 856 (L.).**

———Assenting, under the circumstances stated, to the abolition of the two taluk sanitary overseers, under the Tirukkóyilúr Taluk Board, — district, and stating that when the finances allow of it the Local Boards in — cannot do better than follow the advice of the Sanitary Commissioner as regards the entertainment of certificated sanitary inspectors in the district. **December 10, No. 2325 (L.).**

Attenders and Peons.—Stating that the ruling in G.O., No. 1834 L., dated 13th September 1899, as regards the pensionary rights of the attenders attached to the Local audit establishment extends also to the peons employed therein, and ordering that the pay of these servants should be debited in the first instance to "3. Land Revenue" and that contribution on this account and for pension should be subsequently recovered from Local Funds. **March 17, No. 515 (L).**

Bangalore.—Informing the Resident in Mysore, with remarks, that this Government will be happy to spare the services of Lieutenant-Colonel W. G. King for a period not exceeding ten days in continuation of the period agreed to in letter No. 2533 L., dated 18th December 1899. **January 25, Nos. 113 & 114 (L.).**

ESTABLISHMENT—*cont.*

Bellary.—Communicating to the Taluk Board,—, G.O., Revenue department, sanctioning the transfer of the services of K. Govinda Rao, Abkári Clerk, — taluk, to the — Taluk Board. **March 12, No. 457 (L.).**

——— Informing the President, District Board, —, that G.O., No. 382, Financial, dated 18th June 1896, regarding the lien of Government servants on their permanent appointments, does not apply to Local Fund servants, and that Presidents of Local Boards may, without reference to Government, dispose of all applications relating to the grant of lien to Local Fund servants. **October 30, No. 2040 (L.).**

Chingleput.—Sanctioning, with remarks, certain proposals of the — District Board relating to the Local Fund Engineering, Educational and Vaccine establishments. **April 3, No. 632 (L.).**

——— Sanctioning the proposal of the District Board of — to entertain an additional probationary vaccinator. **May 2, No. 796 (L.).**

——— Recording letter from the President, District Board, —, reporting on the recommendation of the Sanitary Commissioner for the entertainment of sanitary and assistant sanitary inspectors in unions. **September 25, No. 1728 (L.).**

Coimbatore.—Informing, with remarks, the President, Taluk Board, Palghat, that the alterations proposed by him in his office establishment should be placed before the Taluk Board, and that a copy of its resolution should be submitted to Government with the usual proposition statement. **February 28, No. 358 (L.).**

——— Stating that Muhammad Munir Khán Sáhib, a clerk in the Local and Municipal Secretariat, was relieved on the afternoon of the 11th April 1900 and directed to report himself to the Collector of — as soon as possible. **April 18, No. 713 (L.).**

——— Approving, with remark, the proposal of the District Board,—, that Mr. Walker, the Local Fund Assistant Engineer, should be placed in charge of the Local Fund Engineer's office without prejudice to his own work. **April 26, No. 737 (L.).**

———Fixing, as a special case, the salary of the present Headmaster of Udamalpet High school,— district, at Rs. 150 with effect from 1st April 1900. **April 30, No. 760 (L.).**

——— Informing the President, District Board, —, that the President, Taluk Board, Pollachi, is himself competent to sanction the temporary entertainment of a gymnastic teacher for the Primary and Panchama schools at Udamalpet. **June 9, No. 1011 (L.).**

——— Sanctioning the entertainment of a cook-butler on Rs. 9 per mensem in the travellers' bungalow at Pollachi, — district, with effect from 4th June 1900, in lieu of a watchman on Rs. 5. **September 24, No. 1722 (L.).**

——— Sanctioning the entertainment of a clerk on Rs. 15 per mensem in the Udamalpet High school, — district, from 9th February to 15th May 1900. **October 8, No. 1855 (L.).**

Cuddapah.— Sanctioning the appointment of M.R.Ry. P. V. Raghavachariyar, A.C.E., as Supervisor in the — district. **June 20, No. 1066 (L.).**

——— Sanctioning the payment of Rs. 40 being arrears of pay for April 1897, due to C. Mattukrishna Mudaliyar, Local Fund Overseer, Kadiri, — district. **October 19, No. 1938 (L.).**

——— Communicating to the District Board, —, G.O., Revenue department, sanctioning the transfer of the services of V. K. Srinivasa Aiyangar, head clerk, Deputy Tahsildar's office, —, to Local Fund service as head clerk of the Local Fund Engineer's office. **December 14, No. 2343 (L.).**

Deputy Collectors.—Recording G.O., Revenue department, stating the circumstances under which the assistants in the offices of the Government and the Board of Revenue will be eligible to be appointed as —, and declaring the appointments to which this order applies. **December 6, No. 2311 (L.).**

Direct Transmission of Last-pay Certificates, &c., to the India Office.— Recording G.O., Financial department, recording letter from the Government of India ordering, with the sanction of the Secretary of State, the direct transmission to the India Office, of certain certificates and reports relating to leave and pension by the audit officers and Local Governments concerned. **December 6, No. 2305 (L.).**

ESTABLISHMENT—*cont.*

Establishment.—Sanctioning the retention of the temporary clerk on Rs. 40 in the office of the Sanitary Commissioner until the 31st March 1901. **February 28, No. 352 (L.).**

——— Recording G.O., Financial department, sanctioning the entertainment of certain temporary peons in the Secretariat during the stay of Government on the Hills in 1900. **May 14, No. 855 (L.).**

——— Sanctioning the entertainment of a temporary — in the office of the Accountant-General in connection with the closing of the annual Local Fund accounts. **June 6, No. 980 (L.).**

——— Forwarding to the Financial department a proposition statement for the revision of the — of the Local and Municipal Secretariat. **July 13, No. 1202 (L.).**

——— Granting a month's privilege leave to the Assistant Sanitary Engineer. **July 26, No. 1288 (L.).**

——— Sanctioning the entertainment of a temporary clerk on Rs 20 per mensem for three months in the Local and Municipal department. **August 20, No. 1473 (L.).**

——— Recording, with remark, G.O., Financial department, sanctioning the proposition statement for the entertainment of an additional clerk in the office of the Secretary to Government, Local and Municipal department. **September 5, No. 1585 (L.).**

——— Recording G.O., Financial department, sanctioning the proposition statement for the entertainment of an additional peon on Rs. 8 per mensem for the Inspector of Local Fund Accounts. **October 5, No. 1834 (L.).**

——— Recording letter from the Sanitary Commissioner reporting that Major Grant, I.M.S., took charge of the office of Inspector of Vaccination and Deputy Sanitary Commissioner on the forenoon of the 14th September 1900. **October 8, No. 1859 (L.).**

——— Stating that the Government of India will be addressed regarding the increase sanctioned by the Madras Government, in the salaries of certain Local Fund Engineers in lieu of exchange compensation allowance. **October 29, No. 2015 (P.).**

———Addressing the Government of India with reference to the increase, sanctioned by the Madras Government, in the salaries of certain Local Fund Engineers in lieu of exchange compensation allowance. **October 29, No. 2016 (P.).**

——— Stating that the Government of India will be addressed in reply to its requisition for a copy of the Accountant-General's objection to the grant of increases in the salaries of Local Fund Engineers in the Madras Presidency, in lieu of exchange compensation allowance. **December 20, No. 2383 (L.).**

Furlough.—Recording Dr. King's application for — for six months from 21st July 1900. **August 8, No. 1380 (L.).**

Ganjam.—Approving the proposal of the — District Board to amalgamate the offices of the Local Fund Engineer and Supervisor in the district with effect from 1st April 1900, and sanctioning the necessary proposition statement. **February 28, No. 353 (L.).**

——— Communicating to the District Board, —, G.O., Revenue department, approving the proposals of the Collector of — regarding the revision of establishments attached to the Principal Assistant and Senior Assistant Collectors' offices in the district. **July 6, No. 1164 (L.).**

——— Sanctioning, with remark, the entertainment of a temporary clerk on Rs. 20 for one year in the Collector's office, — district, at the cost of Local Funds. **July 19, No. 1237 (L.).**

——— Sanctioning the confirmation from 1st April 1900 of Mr. W. R. McCay, as Local Fund Supervisor on Rs. 150 and of Babu Chakradhar Mahanty, as first-grade Overseer on Rs. 100 in the — district, and according formal sanction for their previous appointments as permanent first-grade Overseer and acting first-grade Overseer, respectively. **July 26, No. 1292 (L.).**

——— Sanctioning the proposition statement for the entertainment of an additional Deputy Inspector of Vaccination with a peon in the — district with effect from 1st September 1900. **August 30, No. 1534 (L.).**

ESTABLISHMENT—*cont.*

Ganjám.—Informing the President, District Board, — that he has full power to grant the leave applied for by Mr. McCay, the Local Fund Supervisor of Chicacole, and sanctioning the arrangements proposed in connection therewith.
November 20, No. 2194 (L.).

Gódávari.—Sanctioning with effect from 21st November 1899, the proposition statement for the establishment required for the ferry steamer *Dorothy* belonging to the — District Board.
January 22, No. 71 (L.).

——— Sanctioning the entertainment of three temporary vaccinators on Rs. 10 each for six months in the — district.
March 26, No. 577 (L.).

——— Sanctioning the proposition statement fixing the pay of the Engineer in charge of the ferry steamer *Nell*, — district, at Rs. 60 per mensem.
April 30, No. 765 (L.).

——— Sanctioning, with remarks, the proposal of the — District Board to appoint Moula Baksha as a maistry on the Coringa bridge works.
May 28, No. 945 (L.).

——— Sanctioning the entertainment of three temporary vaccinators under the — District Board.
May 29, No. 952 (L.).

——— Sanctioning the entertainment of two temporary vaccinators for the Ellore range, — district.
June 22, No. 1075 (L.).

——— Approving the proposal of the Cocanada Taluk Board to revise the scale of establishments of the Board Lower Secondary school and the Primary school, Pithápuram.
July 19, No. 1192 (L.).

——— Sanctioning the proposition statement for the entertainment of road maistries on a permanent footing under the — District Board.
August 29, No. 1526-A (L.).

——— Sanctioning, with remark, certain alterations in the establishments of the primary schools under the Rajahmundry, Ellore and Cocanada Taluk Boards, — district.
October 31, No. 2054 (L.).

Increase in the Inspecting Staff of the Accountant-General's Office.—Recording G.O., Financial department, passing orders on the proposals of the Accountant-General for an increase in the inspecting and audit staff of the Local Fund department of the Accountant-General's office.
July 17, No. 1228 (L.).

Kistna.—Sanctioning certain acting arrangements made during the absence of Mr. R. W. Thorpe, Assistant Engineer, Masulipatam, on leave.
February 13, No. 255 (L.).

——— Sanctioning the proposition statement for the entertainment of a cholera medicine distributor on Rs. 15 per mensem in the Masulipatam taluk.
February 28, No. 356 (L.).

——— Informing the President, District Board, —, that the Government does not consider it expedient to interfere with the discretion of the Surgeon-General in regard to the posting of certain medical subordinates for the charge of the medical institutions in the district.
March 20, No. 538 (L.).

——— Sanctioning the re-organization of the clerical establishment of the Local Fund Assistant Engineer's office in the — district.
May 29, No. 950 (L.).

——— Sanctioning the confirmation, with effect from 27th December 1899, of M.R.Ry. K. Parthasarathi Nayudu as second-class Assistant Local Fund Engineer and N. Subbaraydu Nayudu as first-class Overseer in the — district.
June 20, No. 1069 (L.).

——— Sanctioning the increase from Rs. 15 to Rs. 20 in the salary of the depot superintendent, Narasaraopet, — district, from 1st April 1900, until vaccine lymph is supplied from a central depot at Madras.
July 9, No. 1178 (L.).

——— Sanctioning the alterations proposed by the District Board of — in its survey and educational establishments.
October 31, No. 2055 (L.).

——— Sanctioning certain alterations in the establishments of the lower secondary schools at Narsaraopet and Vinukonda in the — district.
December 8, No. 2322 (L.).

Kurnool.—Sanctioning the retention of the scavenging establishment at Giddalore, — district.
July 23, No. 1272 (L.).

——— Approving the proposal of the District Board, —, to re-entertain the scavenging establishment at Allagada.
September 12, No. 1648 (L.).

ESTABLISHMENT—*cont.*

Leave to Medical Officers.—Recording G.O., Public department, communicating to the Surgeon-General telegram from the Government of India suspending temporarily all leave other than on medical certificate to Medical officers. **August 4, No. 1344 (L.).**

Leprosy.—Communicating to all Local Boards and Municipal Councils, the Municipal Commissioners of Madras, the Sanitary Commissioner, the Sanitary Engineer and the Sanitary Board, G.O., Pension department, furnishing, for information and guidance, copy of paragraph 2 of G.O., No. 715, Pension, dated 23rd September 1872, enjoining that the mere existence of such a disease as — is a sufficient disqualification for the public service. **March 5, No. 405 (L.).**

Local and Municipal Secretariat.— Suspending with effect from 11th November 1898, the lien of M.R.Ry. M. M. Ramalinga Chettiyar on his appointment as head clerk of the —. **March 12, No. 454 (L.).**

Local Fund Service.—Approving the Nellore District Board's proposal to extend to all appointments in the Local Fund pensionable service the conditions required of candidates entering the Government service. **March 24, No. 576 (L.).**

Madras.—Forwarding to the Government of India a copy of the Accountant-General's objection to the grant of increases in the salaries of Local Fund Engineers in the — Presidency, in lieu of exchange compensation allowance. **December 20, No. 2384 (L.).**

Madura.—Stating that the powers of appointing and dismissing servants of Union Panchayats vest entirely in the Chairmen of the Panchayats, and informing the President, District Board, —, that the orders of the President of the Tirumangalam Taluk Board dismissing a certain Union clerk and appointing another in his place were *ultra vires* and should be withdrawn, Chairman of the Panchayat being required to dispose of the case himself. **February 26, No. 343 (L.).**

——— Communicating to the President, District Board, —, G.O., Revenue department, sanctioning, with remarks, the transfer of the Revenue Inspector in Mélúr to Local Fund service. **February 26, No. 345 (L.).**

——— Sanctioning the deputation of the rattan instructor of the Technical Institute, —, to Negapatam. **March 13, No. 464 (L.).**

——— Sanctioning the proposal of the — District Board to extend to all appointments in the Local Fund pensionable service the conditions required of candidates entering the Government service, the power to exempt any one from the 25 years' age limit being reserved to the President of the District Board. **April 19, No. 718 (P.).**

——— Communicating to the District Board, —, G.O., Public Works department, sanctioning the entertainment of the establishment required for the preparation of estimates for a cross road in the tract affected by the Periyár project, — division. **June 16, No. 1064 (L.).**

——— Sanctioning the proposal of the — District Board to reorganize the Local Fund Engineering establishment of the district. **August 2, No. 1325 (L.).**

——— Sanctioning the appointment of M.R.Ry. V. Gopala Aiyar as Assistant Local Fund Engineer of the — district on Rs. 200—250. **November 12, No. 2132 (L.).**

Malabar.—Sanctioning the proposition statement for the revision of the Local Fund Engineering, establishment of the — district. **February 1, No. 151 (L.).**

——— Sanctioning certain appointments proposed by the President, District Board, —, to fill up the place of Mr. Maylor, District Board Engineer, on furlough. **February 17, No. 288 (L.).**

——— Sanctioning the proposition statement for increasing the salaries of some of the Local Fund servants in the — district. **March 10, No. 443 (L.).**

——— Communicating to the President, District Board, —, G.O., Revenue department, considering that there is no sufficient reason for sanctioning the transfer of the services of P. Chamu Nayar to the Local Fund department. **April 7, No. 674 (L.).**

——— Stating, with remark, that the proposal of the — District Board to permit Mr. Rozario, the Acting District Board Engineer, to draw an acting allowance calculated on Rs. 700, the maximum salary of the appointment, is inadmissible. **April 26, No. 743 (L.).**

ESTABLISHMENT—*cont.*

Malabar—Sanctioning the revised proposition statement relating to the establishment of elementary schools under the Wynaad Taluk Board submitted with reference to G.O., No. 604 L., dated 29th March 1900. **May 14, No. 868 (L.).**

——— Approving, with remarks, certain alterations in the office establishment of the Palghat Taluk Board, — district. **May 19, No. 907 (L.).**

——— Sanctioning the appointment of Mr. Schmidt as an Assistant Engineer, Tellicherry, —. **June 6, No. 994 (L.).**

——— Informing the President, District Board, —, that the increased rate of pay drawn by the members of the Local Fund Engineering establishment, in addition to increased rate of travelling allowance while travelling in the Wynaad, will, in future, be disallowed. **November 7, No. 2111 (L.).**

Nilgiris, The.—Communicating to the President, District Board, —, the remarks of the Accountant-General regarding the restrictions in the Public Works Department Code in regard to the creation of temporary appointments up to a limit of Rs. 250 per mensem. **January 29, No. 127 (L.).**

———Sanctioning the appointment of a Deputy Inspector of Vaccination on a salary of Rs. 40 per mensem for — District Board. **March 22, No. 558 (L.).**

——— Sanctioning the extension of the services of Mr. E. Baldwell, District Board Engineer,—, for a further period of one year from 1st February 1901. **September 28, No. 1692 (L.).**

——— Sanctioning, with remark, the temporary appointment of a ward cooly on Rs. 6 per mensem in the Local Fund hospital at Méttupálaiyam from 1st April 1899 to 31st March 1900. **October 8, No. 1856 (L.).**

Privilege Leave.—Recording G.O., Public department, communicating telegram from the Government of India stating that — may be granted to officers of the Indian Medical Service provided that no substitutes are asked for. **August 20, No. 1471 (L.).**

Proposition Statements.—Recording G.O., Financial department, issuing instructions regarding the submission of — in connection with the appointments of typewriting clerks. **December 22, No. 2396 (L.).**

Public Service Notification.—Informing the Educational department that there are no appointments in the Local and Municipal department which can suitably be thrown open to Military pensioners of the classes referred to in Article 4 (2) of the —. **May 29, No. 951 (L.).**

Punishment in Secretariat and other Government Offices.—Communicating to the Sanitary Commissioner, the Sanitary Engineer and the Sanitary Board, G.O., Public department, requesting the departments of the Secretariat and heads of departments to give effect to the decision of the Government of India regarding the forms of punishment to be inflicted on members of the clerical and ministerial establishments in all Secretariat and other Government offices. **August 22, No. 1483 (L.).**

Return to duty of Mr. J. A. Jones.—Communicating to the officers concerned, G.O., Public department, stating that Mr. J. A. Jones, Sanitary Engineer to Government, has been permitted to return to duty within the period of his leave. **December 18, No. 2366 (L.).**

Saldanha, Mr. H. J. P.—Informing the Inspector-General of Police that —, a clerk in the Local and Municipal Secretariat, will be relieved on the afternoon of the 23rd instant and directed to report himself to the Superintendent of Police, South Canara, as soon as possible after that date. **August 22, No. 1481 (L.).**

Salem.—Stating, with remark, that Government sees no reason to re-consider its order rejecting the — District Board's proposal to increase the salary of the head clerk of the District Medical and Sanitary officer from Rs. 25 to Rs. 30, and rejecting the proposal of the Local Boards to establish a new dispensary at Velur. **June 5, No. 991 (L.).**

Sanitary Board.—Appointing Mr. M. Hammick, I.C.S., as a member of the — *vice* Mr. J. H. A. Tremenheere, I.C.S. **July 26, No. 1291 (L.).**

ESTABLISHMENT—*cont.*

Sanitary Inspectors.—Forwarding to the Government of Bengal, copies of certain proceedings of this Government and a copy of a memorandum drawn up by the Sanitary Commissioner containing full information relating to the system now in force for the training and employment of — in the Madras Presidency. **January 16, Nos. 28 & 29 (L.).**

Tanjore.—Sanctioning, with remark, the entertainment of a temporary surveyor on Rs. 25 per mensem for four months for investigating a scheme for the construction of an irrigation tank in the Chattram village of Pudukkóttai in the — district. **March 27, No. 534 (L.).**

——— Sanctioning the arrangements proposed by the President, District Board, —, during the absence of Mr. Syson, Local Fund Engineer, on furlough. **June 15, No. 1054 (L.).**

——— Sanctioning the proposal of the President of the — District Board regarding the appointment of Mr. Newman as acting Local Fund Engineer till Mr. Syson returns from his leave. **October 15, No. 1893 (L.).**

——— Sanctioning, with remark, the proposition statement for the establishment required for the new Taluk Boards of Kumbakónam and Máyavaram, — district. **November 20, No. 2203 (L.).**

Tinnevelly.—Approving, with remark, the proposal of the — District Board to increase the pay of the head carpentry instructor of the Board Technical Institute from Rs. 30 to Rs. 35 instead of by annual increments. **July 5, No. 1152 (L.).**

Transfer of the Pension Department to the Chief Secretariat.—Recording G.O., Public department, directing that the Pension department be retransferred, with its establishment, to the Chief Secretariat with effect from 1st September 1900, and that all correspondence on the subject of pensions be in future addressed to the Chief Secretary to Government, Pension department. **September 19, No. 1710 (L.).**

Type-writing clerks.—Communicating to the Sanitary Commissioner, the Sanitary Engineer and the Sanitary Board G.O., Financial department, fixing a uniform scale of pay for — employed in the various offices under Government and directing its adoption in all public offices; stating that orders will issue in the Educational department on the question of raising the minimum speed required for the Elementary examination in type-writing. **July 18, No. 1231 (L.).**

——— Recording G.O., Educational department, passing orders on the question of the qualifications of — in Government offices. **October 18, No. 1918 (L.).**

Uncovenanted Assistant—Sanitary Commissioner's Office.—Communicating to the Sanitary Commissioner G.O., Public department, passing orders on the Medical College reorganization scheme and requesting the Sanitary Commissioner to submit proposals for the appointment of an Uncovenanted Assistant in his office at an early date. **March 20, No. 537 (L.).**

Union Servants.—Stating, with remarks, that the power of punishing servants of Union Panchayats vests entirely in the Chairmen of the Panchayats. **March 13, No. 466 (L.).**

——— Stating, with remark, that provision has been made in the Bill to amend the Local Boards Act for investing the Presidents of Taluk Boards with the power of transferring — from one union to another under the same Taluk Board whenever they consider such a course necessary. **March 27, No. 592 (L.).**

Vizagapatam.—Sanctioning the entertainment of a female ward servant in the Palkonda hospital, — district. **May 2, No. 795 (L.).**

——— Sanctioning the proposal of the Vizianagram Taluk Board to fix the salaries of the cook and the sweeper in the Local Fund hospital, Chipurupalle, — district, at Rs. 5 and 3, respectively, instead of at Rs. 4 each. **June 15, No. 1056 (L.).**

——— Sanctioning, with remark, the entertainment of a peon on Rs. 5 per mensem for the Victoria hospital for women and children at —. **July 18, No. 1233 (L.).**

——— Recording letter from the President, District Board, —, reporting that certificated sanitary inspectors are not required for the District Board at present. **July 19, No. 1236 (L.).**

FAMINE.

Anantapur.—Making certain reductions in the allotments provided in the — District Board's budget for 1900–1901 in order to provide funds for expenditure on famine-relief works. **March 28, No. 594 (P.).**

Bellary.—Recording G.O., Revenue department, on Board's Proceedings passing orders on letter from the Collector of — requesting sanction for the grant of famine batta to Government servants. **April 30, No. 774 (L).**

Concessions to Officers on Famine Duty.—Recording G.O., Financial department, directing the re-publication in three consecutive issues of the *Fort St. George Gazette*, of the resolution of the Government of India announcing that the Secretary of State has sanctioned certain concessions in respect of leave to officers employed on duties connected with famine relief during 1899–1900. **November 19, No. 2186 (L.).**

Famine.—Communicating to the Presidents of certain District Boards, G.O., Financial department, regarding loss of revenue arising out of — for the year 1899–1900, and requesting them to furnish the information direct to the Accountant-General before the end of August 1900. **August 11, No. 1393 (L.).**

———Communicating, with remark, to the Presidents of certain District Boards, G.O., Financial department, communicating letter from the Accountant-General, requesting to be furnished with a statement showing approximately any decrease of revenue in the year 1900–1901 on account of the prevalence of — ; and desiring the Accountant-General to furnish the Government with a copy of the statement which he submits to the Government of India. **November 22, No. 2218 (L.).**

Famine-relief Works.—Recording G.O., Revenue department, considering that no difficulty will be experienced in carrying out test works under the supervision of officers of the Public Works department, and that in cases of urgency the works may be started under the superintendence of the District Board Engineer and placed in charge of a Public Works officer as soon as practicable. **March 24, No. 575 (L.).**

Ganjám.—Approving, with remark, the action of the President, District Board, —, in selling to the East Coast Railway one lakh cubic feet of famine metal at the Ruddha Hill quarry near Ichchhápuram. **August 30, No. 1541 (L.).**

Kistna.—Making certain reductions in the allotments provided in the — District Board's budget for 1900–1901 in order to provide funds for expenditure on famine-relief works. **April 23, No. 729 (P.).**

Kurnool, Bellary, Anantapur and Cuddapah.—Communicating to the District Boards of — G.O., Financial department, reviewing the financial position of the District Boards charged by the Government of India with a contribution of 5 lakhs towards the expenditure in connection with the last famine, and stating that further recoveries on these accounts from the District Boards are impracticable and that the unrecovered balances will be written off the accounts. **July 5, No. 1151 (L.).**

Local Boards and Famine-relief Charges.—Ordering that the Government of India be addressed in reply to its letter inviting a further expression of the views of His Excellency the Governor in Council on the subject of the liability of Local Boards in connection with famine-relief operations. **July 24, No. 1274 (P.).**

———Stating that, for the reasons given, His Excellency the Governor in Council is unable to accept the suggestion made by the Government of India that an addition should be made to the classes of expenditure connected with famine which a Local Board might be required to incur within its jurisdiction. **July 24, No. 1275 (P.).**

Nellore.—Stating, with remark, that Government is of opinion that the funds reserved for famine-relief works in the — district should not be touched until it is seen whether the north-east monsoon is a normal one. **September 14, No. 1671 (L.).**

LANDS.

Arcot, South.—Declining to sanction the sale of a certain land by the — District Board, on the side of Trunk Road No. 8 in the Villupuram taluk. **June 28, No. 1110 (L.).**

——— Declining to reconsider G.O., No. 1110 L. Mis., dated 28th June 1900, refusing to sanction the sale of a certain land by the — District Board. **August 31, No. 1552 (L.).**

LANDS—*cont.*

Arcot South.—Communicating to the District Board, —, G.O., Revenue department, accepting the survey and classification of inam villages made in the — district.
September 19, No. 1711 (L.).

Bellary.—Communicating to the Taluk Board, Adóni, G.O., Revenue department, sanctioning the resumption of a charitable well inam in the Alúr taluk, — district, and the transfer of the assessment thereon to the Taluk Board to be utilized for the maintenance of the well in question. **March 29, No. 601 (L.).**

——— Communicating to the Taluk Board, Adóni, G.O., Revenue department, sanctioning the resumption of a charitable tank inam in the Ramadurgam village, Alúr taluk, — district, and the transfer of the assessment thereon to the — Taluk Board to be utilized for the repair of the tank in question. **March 29, No. 602 (L.).**

——— Sanctioning the sale by the — District Board of two plots of land in the market-site at Harpanahalli at Rs. 12 and Rs. 3, respectively.
November 20, No. 2193 (L.).

Cantonments—Lands.—Communicating to officers concerned G.O., Public Works department, on the resolution of the Government of India deciding that no land in charge of the Military department shall be taken up by railway or other civil authorities until the sanction of the Government of India in the Military department has first been obtained thereto.
June 26, No. 1101 (P.).

Chingleput.—Communicating to the Taluk Board, Tiruvallúr, G.O., Revenue department, sanctioning the recommendation of the Collector of — for the resumption of certain charitable inams in Perungavur village, Ponnéri taluk, and the transfer of their assessment to the Taluk Board for the maintenance of a water-pandal in some place within the limits of the Tiruvallúr Union. **October 31, No. 2048 (L.).**

Coimbatore.—Sanctioning the sale of certain land by the — District Board to the Erode Municipality for use as a Muhammadan burial-ground. **April 18, No. 714 (L.).**

Gódávari.—Sanctioning the relinquishment of portions of certain puntas in the Zemindari village of Devarapalli, — district. **January 22, No. 67 (L.).**

——— Sanctioning the relinquishment by the District Board, —, of certain punta lands under the Rajahmundry Taluk Board. **April 30, No. 761 (L.).**

——— Approving the acquisition of the land required for the extension of the village-site of Achanta, — district and ordering the publication of the necessary notification in the *Fort St. George Gazette.* **May 15, No. 873 (L.).**

———Sanctioning, with remark, the proposal of the — District Board to sell certain lands at Godi, Amalápuram taluk. **May 28, No. 944 (L.).**

——— Sanctioning the proposal of the — District Board to transfer certain lands required for the Pasumella channel project to the Public Works department on condition that men and cattle are permitted to pass along the banks of the channel.
June 21, No. 1072 (L.).

——— Sanctioning the relinquishment by the District Board, —, of six cents of punta lands in Vadapalli, required by the Public Works department, for providing a gravelled cattle ramp. **August 15, No. 1460 (L.).**

——— Sanctioning, with remark, the proposal of the Cocanada Taluk Board to transfer the choultry at Vontimamidi to Kathipudi. **August 30, No. 1548 (L.).**

——— Awaiting information from the President, District Board, —, regarding the purpose for which the puntas in Palivela, are now being used, and requesting him to state whether any inconvenience will be caused to the public by their transfer to the Public Works department. **November 3, No. 2090 (L.).**

——— Sanctioning the proposal of the Collector of — to withdraw from the Narasapur Taluk Board, a piece of land situated in Korukalli village in the Bhimavaram taluk, and forming part of a site originally transferred to the Local Board under G.O., No. 1070, Financial, dated 14th August 1872. **November 22, No. 2209 (L.).**

LANDS—*cont.*

Gódávari.—Stating that, until Madras Act VI of 1900 comes into operation, the Government will not pass orders on the reference made by the President, District Board, —, regarding the ownership of puntas and the usufruct of the trees standing thereon.
December 1, No. 2285, (L.).

——— Recording G.O., Revenue department, recording letter from the President, Taluk Board, Cocanada, — district, requesting Government to resume the site at Tuni originally granted for a Panchama school at tnat place. **December 3, No. 2286 (L.).**

Kistna.—Communicating to the Taluk Board, Guntúr, G.O., Revenue department, approving and sanctioning the resumption of a certain charitable tank inam in the village of Mulukuduru, Tenali taluk,—district, and the transfer of the assessment *minus* jodi thereon to the Taluk Board. **February 26, No. 341 (L.).**

——— Communicating to the Taluk Board, Guntúr, G.O., Revenue department, sanctioning the resumption of a portion of a certain charitable tope inam in the village of Tirumelly in the Tenali taluk, — district, and the transfer of the assessment thereon to the Taluk Board to be utilized towards the upkeep of a tank at Chunduru.
February 26, No. 342 (L.).

——— Communicating to the Taluk Board, Guntúr, G.O., Revenue department, sanctioning the resumption of a charitable tope inam in the Turlapad village, Bápatla taluk, — district, and the transfer of its assessment to the Taluk Board to be utilized towards the maintenance of a tank. **March 5, No. 382 (L.).**

——— Communicating to the Taluk Board, Guntúr, G.O., Revenue department, sanctioning the resumption of a charitable tope inam in the village of Jagurlamudi in the Bápatla taluk, — district, and the transfer of its assessment to the Taluk Board to be utilized towards the maintenance of a choultry at Chebrolu. **March 5, No. 384 (L.).**

——— Communicating to the Taluk Board, Bezwada, G.O., Revenue department, sanctioning the resumption of a charitable tope inam in the village of Narasimharaopalem, in the Nandigáma taluk, — district, and the transfer of the assessment thereon to the Taluk Board to be utilized towards the maintenance of a drinking water well in the village.
March 6, No. 416 (L.).

——— Communicating to the Taluk Board, Guntúr, G.O., Revenue department, sanctioning the resumption of a charitable tank inam in the village of Chinna Gánjam, Bápatla taluk, — district, and the transfer of its net assessment to the Taluk Board to be utilized towards the upkeep of a choultry at Chebrolu. **March 16, No. 501 (L.).**

——— Communicating to the Taluk Board, Narsaraopet, G.O., Revenue department, passing orders on the subject of the alienation of certain land and land revenue for the extension of Narsaraopet town, — district. **March 20, No. 527 (L.).**

——— Communicating to the District Board, —, G.O., Revenue department, stating that the consideration of the questions as to the exact method of the classification of the whole inam villages in the — district and as to the apportionment of the cost of such classification with reference to the various interests benefited, will be postponed for the present.
March 20, No. 528 (L.).

——— Communicating to the Taluk Board, Guntúr, G.O., Revenue department, sanctioning the resumption of a charitable tank inam in the Garikipad village, Bápatla taluk, — district, and the transfer of the assessment thereon to the Taluk Board to be utilized towards the maintenance of the tank in question. **April 2, No. 628 (L.).**

——— Sanctioning the sale by the — District Board of certain land to a private individual.
April 18, No. 717 (L.).

——— Communicating to the Taluk Board, Bezwada, G.O., Revenue department, sanctioning the resumption of a charitable tope inam in the village of Mogalrajapuram, — district, and the transfer of its assessment to the Taluk Board. **April 26, No. 745 (L.).**

———Communicating to the Taluk Board, Guntúr, G.O., Revenue department, sanctioning the resumption of a charitable tope inam in Munipalli village, Bápatla taluk, — district, and the transfer of the assessment thereon to the Taluk Board to be utilized towards the upkeep of an endowed Local Fund tank in the village. **May 18, No. 902 (L.).**

——— Sanctioning the transfer by the — District Board to Government of a piece of land in the public street of Tiruvuru for the extension of the Deputy Tahsildar's office.
May 21, No. 909 (L.).

LANDS—*cont.*

Kistna.—Communicating to the Taluk Board, Guntúr, G.O., Revenue department, sanctioning the resumption of certain charitable inams and the transfer of the assessment thereon to the Taluk Board in the — district to be utilized towards the upkeep of a Local Fund endowed tank at Karenchedu. **June 1[illegible], No. 1035 (L.).**

——— Communicating to the Taluk Board, Guntúr, G.O., Revenue department, approving and sanctioning the resumption of a charitable tope inam in the village of Nidubrolu, Tenali taluk, — district, and the transfer of the assessment to the Taluk Board, towards the maintenance of a communal tank in the village. **July 18, No. 1232 (L.).**

——— Communicating to the Taluk Board, Guntúr, G.O., Revenue department, sanctioning the resumption of a charitable tope inam in the village of Kommuru, in the Bápatla taluk, — district, and the transfer of the assessment thereon, *minus* the additional quit-rent of As. 6, to the Taluk Board to be utilized towards the maintenance of a drinking-water tank in the village. **August 2, No. 1328 (L.).**

——— Communicating to the Taluk Board, Guntúr, G.O., Revenue department, sanctioning the resumption of a charitable tope inam in the village of Jagarlamudi, in the Bápatla taluk, — district, and the transfer of the assessment thereon to the Taluk Board to be utilized towards the upkeep of an insufficiently endowed tank at Inkollu. **August 2, No. 1329 (L.).**

——— Communicating to the Taluk Board, Guntúr, G.O., Revenue department, sanctioning the resumption of a portion of a charitable tope inam in the village of Ravipadu, Bápatla taluk, — district, and the transfer of the assessment thereon to the Taluk Board to be utilized towards the upkeep of a tank at Pedanandipadu. **August 14, No. 1441 (L.).**

——— Communicating to the Taluk Board, Guntúr, G.O., Revenue department, sanctioning the resumption of a charitable well inam and the transfer of the net assessment thereon to the Taluk Board to be utilized towards the upkeep of a tank at Peddakurapad. **August 14, No. 1443 (L.).**

——— Ordering the publication in the Fort St. George and the — District Gazettes, of a notification withdrawing from the Guntúr Taluk Board land bearing D. No. 306 in Perakalapudi village in the Tenáli taluk of the — district, and forming the site of a tank transferred to the Local Board with reference to the notification issued under G.O., No. 1070, Financial, dated 14th August 1872. **September 1, No. 1566 (L.).**

——— Sanctioning the sale of a certain land measuring 136 square feet, at As. 4 per square yard, in Koppolli, Bandar taluk, — district, to Kondali Sobhanadri Acharyulu. **September 18, No. 1695 (L.).**

——— Communicating to the Taluk Board, Guntúr, — district, G.O., Revenue department, sanctioning the resumption of a charitable tope inam in the Kondapatur village, Bápatla taluk, and the transfer of its assessment to the Taluk Board towards the improvement of an unendowed tank at Jukollo. **November 5, No. 2097 (L.).**

——— Communicating to the Taluk Board, Narasaraopet, — district, G.O., Revenue department, sanctioning the resumption of certain charitable tope inam in Rupenagúnta, Narasaraopet taluk, and the transfer of its assessment to the Taluk Board to be utilized towards the opening of a water-pandal at Rupenagunta for the benefit of the pilgrims attending the Sivaratri festival at Kotappakonda. **November 5, No. 2103 (L.).**

——— Communicating to the Taluk Board, Guntúr, G.O., Revenue department, sanctioning the resumption of a charitable tope inam in Parli village, Bápatla taluk, — district, and the transfer of its assessment to the Taluk Board to be utilized towards the repair of a tank at Duggupadu. **November 5, No. 2104 (L.).**

——— Communicating to the Taluk Board, Guntúr, G.O., Revenue department, sanctioning the resumption of a charitable tope inam in Parala village, Bápatla taluk, — district, and the transfer of its assessment to the Taluk Board to be utilized towards an endowed tank at Inkollu. **November 5, No. 2105 (L.).**

——— Communicating to the Taluk Board, Narasaraopet, — district, G.O., Revenue department, sanctioning the resumption of a charitable tope inam in Kakani village, and the transfer of its assessment to the Taluk Board towards opening a water-pandal in the village. **November 5, No. 2106 (L.).**

LANDS—*cont.*

Kistna.—Communicating to the Taluk Board, Bezwada, G.O., Revenue department, sanctioning the resumption of a charitable tope inam in the village of Khachavaram, Bezwada taluk, — district, and the transfer of its assessment to the Taluk Board to be utilized towards the upkeep of a Local Fund choultry at Kankipadu.
November 28, No. 2243 (L.).

——— Communicating to the Taluk Board, Guntúr, G.O., Revenue department, sanctioning the resumption of certain charitable tope inams in the village of Mallayapallem in the Guntúr taluk, — district, and the transfer of the net assessments thereon to the Taluk Board to be utilized towards the upkeep of a drinking-water tank in the village.
December 14, No. 2349 (L.).

——— Communicating to the Taluk Board, Narasaraopet, G.O., Revenue department, sanctioning the resumption of a portion of a charitable tope inam in the village of Elchur, Narasaraopet taluk, — district, and the transfer of the assessment thereon to the Taluk Board, to be utilized towards the maintenance of a water-pandal to be opened for the convenience of the pilgrims attending the Sivaratri festival at Kottappakonda.
December 14, No. 2350 (L.).

——— Communicating to the Taluk Board, Guntúr, G.O., Revenue department, sanctioning the resumption of a charitable tope inam in the village of Vaikuntapuram in the Guntúr taluk, — district, and the transfer of the assessment thereon to the Taluk Board, to be utilized towards the upkeep of a Local Fund choultry at Mangalagiri.
December 14, No. 2351 (L.).

Kurnool.—Approving the transfer of certain properties belonging to the Nandyal Taluk Board to the Nandyal Municipal Council. **March 12, No. 455 (L.).**

——— Stating, with remarks, that the Nandyal Taluk Board is not bound to adopt the classification of houses given in No. 2 of the rules printed in G.O., No. 623 L., dated 13th March 1890. **December 13, No. 2336 (L.).**

Land Acquisition Act.—Recording G.O., Revenue department, directing that Collectors should submit the draft declarations under the — to the department which budgets for and carries out the work for which the land is required, and requesting the Board of Revenue to issue the necessary instructions to Collectors and to amend paragraph 9 of its Standing Order No. 90 accordingly. **October 4, No. 1786 (L.).**

Madura.—Approving, with remark, the transfer of certain immoveable property belonging to the late Local Fund union at Kodikánal to the Kodaikánal Municipality.
February 9, No. 228 (L.).

——— Informing the President, District Board, —, that his reference regarding road poramboke lands has been ordered to lie over until the Bill to amend the Local Boards Act becomes law. **June 26, No. 1096 (L.).**

——— Communicating to the District Board, —, G.O., Revenue department, stating that the block survey and classification of the whole inam villages in the Sivaganga zamindari of the — district, will not be carried out, and that, as regards the ayan portions of the zamindari, the Government awaits a further report from the Court of Wards.
September 12, No. 1644 (L.).

——— Sanctioning the purchase by the — District Board, of certain land out of the savings of the Narikudi and Muthanandal chattrams. **October 5, No. 1832 (L.).**

——— Ordering, with remark, the publication of a notification for the acquisition of land required for a path connecting Sambakudi and Pudukulam villages in the — district.
November 12, No. 2131 (L.).

——— Sanctioning, with remark, the sale by the Mélúr Taluk Board, — district, of a piece of waste land in Kallivelipatti village. **December 21, No. 2390 (L.).**

Malabar.—Communicating to the Taluk Board, Palghat, G.O., Revenue department, sanctioning the resumption of a portion of a charitable inam in the Koduvayur amsam, Palghat taluk, — district, and the transfer of its assessment to the Taluk Board to be utilized towards the creation and maintenance of a ward in the Kollengode hospital.
March 29, No. 603 (L.).

——— Sanctioning the sale of the old market-site at Tirurangadi, — district.
July 12, No. 1194 (L.).

LANDS—*cont.*

Malabar.—Communicating to the Taluk Board, —, G.O., Revenue department, sanctioning the resumption of a charitable tope inam in the — taluk and the transfer of its assessment to the Taluk Board to be utilized for the improvement of avenues.
February 23, No. 323 (L.).

Nellore.—Communicating to the Taluk Board, —, G.O., Revenue department, sanctioning the resumption of a charitable tope inam in the village of Mydukurtipalem in the — taluk and the transfer of its assessment to the Taluk Board to be utilized towards the improvement of avenues. **March 5, No. 383 (L.).**

——— Communicating to the Taluk Board, —, G.O., Revenue department, sanctioning the resumption of certain charitable tope inam in the village of Brahmanakraka, in the Kávali taluk, — district, and the transfer of the net assessment on certain portions of the inam to the Taluk Board towards the maintenance of avenues. **May 3, No. 800 (L.).**

——— Communicating to the Taluk Board, —, G.O., Revenue department, sanctioning the resumption of a charitable tope inam in the village of Talamanchi in the — taluk and the transfer of the assessment thereon to the Taluk Board to be utilized towards the maintenance of a water-pandal in the village. **May 18, No. 899 (L.).**

——— Communicating to the Taluk Board, —, G.O., Revenue department, sanctioning the resumption of a portion of a charitable tope inam in Vellanti village, — taluk, and the transfer of the assessment thereon to the Taluk Board to be utilized towards the maintenance of a water-pandal in the village. **May 18, No. 901 (L.).**

——— Communicating to the Taluk Board, Ongole, G.O., Revenue department, sanctioning the resumption of a charitable tope inam and the transfer of its assessment to the Taluk Board to be utilized towards the plantation of avenues. **July 5, No. 1146 (L.)**

——— Communicating to the Taluk Board, Ongole, G.O., Revenue department, sanctioning the resumption of certain charitable tope inams and the transfer of the assessment thereon to the Taluk Board to be utilized towards charitable purposes in connection with water-supply and road avenues. **August 14, No. 1442 (L.).**

——— Requesting the Taluk Board, Ongole, to arrange to acquire the site recommended by the District Medical and Sanitary officer near the railway station at Donakonda for treating passengers suffering from infectious diseases. **August 27, No. 1520 (L.).**

——— Communicating to the Taluk Board, —, G.O., Revenue department, sanctioning the resumption of certain charitable inams in Razupalam, — taluk, and the transfer of the net assessment thereon to the Taluk Board to be utilized towards the improvement of avenues in the village. **September 7, No. 1589 (L.).**

——— Communicating to the Taluk Board, —, G.O., Revenue department, sanctioning the resumption of certain charitable inams in the Kávali taluk, — district, and the transfer of the net assessments thereon to the Taluk Board, to be utilized towards certain other charitable purposes. **December 14, No. 2352 (L.).**

Salem.—Communicating to the Taluk Board, Hosúr, G.O., Revenue department, sanctioning the resumption of a charitable tope inam in the Sudavadi village, Hosúr taluk, — district, and the transfer of the assessment to the Taluk Board to be utilized towards the conservancy arrangements of the village. **March 14, No. 483 (L.).**

Tanjore.—Recording, with remark, the final report on the survey of the chattram villages, — district, submitted by the President, District Board, —.
August 20, No. 1469 (L.).

——— Communicating to the Taluk Board, Kumbakónam, G.O., Revenue department, sanctioning the resumption of certain water-pandal inams in the village of Yenanallore, in the Kumbakónam taluk, — district, and the transfer of the net assessment thereon to the Taluk Board to be utilized towards the maintenance of a water-pandal in the village.
November 28, No. 2244 (L.).

Tinnevelly.—Sanctioning the sale of a piece of land acquired for constructing a latrine in the Sáttúr Union, — district. **March 5, No. 389 (L.).**

——— Communicating to the Taluk Board, Sérmádévi, G.O., Revenue department, sanctioning the resumption of a charitable inam in the Tenkási taluk, — district, and the transfer of its assessment to the Taluk Board to be utilized towards the maintenance of a water-pandal at Tenkási. **July 5, No. 1147 (L.).**

LANDS—*cont.*

Trichinopoly.—Approving the proposal of the — District Board to acquire land required for the extension of the Lálgudi village-site and ordering the publication of the necessary notification in the *Fort St. George Gazette.* **June 20, No. 1068 (L.).**

LOANS.

Bellary.—Directing the President District Board, —, to submit, with reference to the remarks made, a revised application for the loan required by it from Government. **May 4, No. 814 (L.).**

——— Forwarding to the Government of India the application of the — District Board for a loan of Rs. 50,000 from Government for meeting plague and other expenditure. **July 26, No. 1293 (P.).**

——— Recording G.O., Financial department, directing that the application of the — District Board for a loan of Rs. 50,000 from Government for meeting plague and other expenditure, be forwarded to the Government of India for sanction. **September 12, No. 1649 (L.).**

——— Stating that the Government of India will be addressed in connection with the further information called for by it regarding the application of the — District Board for a loan of Rs. 50,000 from Government under the Local Authorities (Emergency) Loans Act. **November 23, No. 2220 (L.).**

——— Recording G.O., Financial department, directing that the Government of India be addressed in connection with the further information called for by that Government regarding the application of the — District Board for a loan of Rs. 50,000 for meeting plague and other expenditure. **December 14, No. 2347 (L.).**

Kistna.—Approving the proposal of the — District Board to grant a loan of Rs. 7,240 from the District fund to the Narsaraopet Taluk Board. **July 12, No. 1196 (L.).**

Loans.—Ordering that the Accountant-General be furnished with a statement of — raised by local authorities in the open market, for the official year 1899–1900. **November 23, No. 2224 (L.).**

Loans to certain local bodies in the Madras Presidency to meet Plague Expenditure in 1898–99.—Requesting the Government of India with remark, to consider the applications for — forwarded with letter No. 466, Financial, of 1899, as cancelled. **January 8, No. 3 (L.).**

Nilgiris, The.—Sanctioning the annual advance of Rs. 500 to Canarese maistries for the collection of labour in the Wynaad sub-division, — district, during 1900. **January 31, No. 130 (L.).**

Salem.—Communicating to the Taluk Board, Hosur, G.O., Public Works department, sanctioning the loan of the school-building at Dharmapuri, — district, to the Hosúr Taluk Board for a period of twenty years on the terms recommended by the Director of Public Instruction. **April 18, No. 710 (L.).**

Tanjore.—Recording G.O., Public Works department, recommending, for the consideration of the District Board, —, a draft prospectus for a 4 per cent. debenture loan for the Muttupet-Avadaiyarkoil Railway Extension — prepared by the Consulting Engineer for Railways. **May 18, No. 900 (L.).**

——— Stating that Mr. Syson, Local Fund Engineer, —, should be required to repay first the balance of Rs. 150 still outstanding against the loan formerly obtained by him from the provident fund, and that on payment of this balance he may be permitted to withdraw the sum of Rs. 3,000 now applied for by him. **May 25, No. 929 (L.).**

——— Recording G.O., Public Works (Railway) department, forwarding copy of letter from the Government of India, No. 110-R. N., dated 4th July 1900, communicating the approval of the Government of India to the terms and conditions of the debenture bond for the 4 per cent. loan proposed to be raised by the District Board, —, for the construction of the Muttupet-Avadaiyárkovil extension. **July 30, No. 1307 (L.).**

MARKETS AND SLAUGHTER-HOUSES.

Arcot, North.—Approving the proposal of the Ránipéttai Taluk Board to open a daily market at Tiruttani, — district. **May 10, No. 834 (L.).**

——— Approving the proposal of the Ránipéttai Taluk Board to open a daily market in Kalahasti Union and levy fees therein. **October 24, No. 1942 (L.).**

MARKETS AND SLAUGHTER-HOUSES—*cont.*

Canara, South.—Communicating to the President, District Board, —, for information and guidance, the remarks of the Sanitary Commissioner on the proposed market building at Kalliyanpur. **May 29, No. 955 (L.).**

——— Approving the proposal of the Coondapoor Taluk Board to levy fees at the Kota and Kap markets in Udipi taluk, — **June 28, No. 1109 (L.).**

——— Recording letter from the President, District Board, —, submitting remarks on the Sanitary Commissioner's letter about the design for constructing a market building at Kalyanpur. **July 5, No. 1148 (L.).**

Coimbatore.—Approving the proposals of the Pollâchi Taluk Board to open weekly markets in certain villages and to levy fees therein from 1st April 1900. **April 26, No. 752 (L.).**

Malabar.—Recording letter from the President, District Board, —, reporting that the market at Taliparamba, under the Tellicherry Taluk Board, was closed for want of bidders with effect from 1st April 1899. **October 9, No. 1876 (L.).**

Trichinopoly.—Approving the proposals of the Musiri Taluk Board to establish a slaughter-house at Turaiyur and to levy fees therein from 1st April 1900. **May 2, No. 794 (L.).**

MEDICAL INSTITUTIONS.

Arcot, North.—Approving, with remarks, the proposal of the Ránipéttai Taluk Board regarding the transfer of the Ránipéttai Local Fund hospital to the American Mission. **January 19, No. 47 (L.).**

——— Requesting the President, District Board, —, with remark, to convey to the Mahant the regret of His Excellency the Governor in Council at his failure to pay the contribution due by him for the year 1899–1900 towards the maintenance of the hospital at Tirupati and to intimate to him that unless the arrears are paid within a month the hospital so long connected with his name will be closed and a cheap dispensary opened. **June 14, No. 1031 (P.).**

——— Communicating to the Taluk Board, Arni, G.O., Public Works department, communicating to the officers concerned, letter from the Government of India sanctioning the provision of quarters for the hospital assistant and forest ranger at Wandiwash, — district, at an estimated cost of Rs. 1,[illegible]6 and Rs. 1,805, respectively. **July 14, No. 1209 (L.).**

Charges connected with Police Hospitals under the control of Local Bodies.—Communicating to all District Boards and Municipal Councils, G.O., Public department, directing that all local bodies incurring expenditure on account of the treatment of police sick and the repair of police wards should have their bills verified by the subordinate Medical officer of the institution and then countersigned by the District Medical and Sanitary officer before presenting them to Treasury officers to be passed for payment. **October 4, No. 1795 (P.).**

Free Medical Attendance.—Communicating to all Presidents of Local Boards and Chairmen of Municipal Councils, and to the President, Municipal Commission, Madras, G.O., Public department, recording, with remarks, letter from the Government of India laying down a ruling on the question whether a gazetted officer of Government, who is on foreign service under part VII of the Civil Service Regulations, retains the privilege of — from the Civil Surgeon of the district in which he is employed. **December 13, No. 2337 (P.).**

Ganjám.—Stating, with remark, that the opinion of the District Magistrate, —, regarding the admission of pauper and incurable patients in hospitals, is correct. **June 26, No. 1098 (L.).**

Gódávari.—Communicating to the District Board, —, G.O., Public Works department, sanctioning the estimate, amounting to Rs. 25,600, for constructing a dispensary for women and children at Cocandaa, — district, with quarters for an apothecary. **August 15, No. 1455 (L.).**

Kistna.—Approving the proposal of the Local Boards in the — district to transfer the dispensary at Karempudi to Gurazala as a temporary measure. **February 19, No. 307 (L.).**

MEDICAL INSTITUTIONS—*cont.*

Kistna.—According sanction to the purchase by the — District Board of drafts on London in payment of Medical Stores received from Messrs. Burgoyne, Burbidges & Co., during 1899-1900. **May 2, No. 787 (L.).**

Leave to Medical Officers.—Recording G.O., Public department, communicating to the Surgeon-General telegram from the Government of India suspending temporarily all leave other than on medical certificate to Medical officers. **August 4, No. 1344 (L.).**

Medical.—Requesting the Sanitary Board to have a type design prepared for civil apothecaries' quarters. **May 14, No. 852 (L.).**

Municipal Hospitals.—Agreeing with the Inspector of Local Fund Accounts in considering that items such as municipal contributions to Government for the Medical College and the reserve medical staff, should not be taken into account in calculating the actual charges for the maintenance of the — towards which contributions are paid from Local Funds. **May 1, No. 783 (P.).**

Nellore.—Directing that a sum of Rs. 5,000 out of the funds standing to the credit of the Velagapudi endowment, be made over to the — District Board for expenditure on the construction of a building for the dispensary at Atmakuru. **September 25, No. 1732 (L.).**

——— Communicating to the District Board, —, G.O., Public Works department, sanctioning the estimate amounting to Rs. 5,330, for constructing a dispensary at Atmakuru in the — district. **October 25, No. 1958 (L.).**

——— Stating that it is open to the Cocanada Taluk Board, — district, to retain in the Kandukur Local Fund hospital a certain permanently incapacitated pauper woman until arrangements can be made for her maintenance elsewhere. **December 21, No. 2391 (L.).**

Quarters for locally-trained Hospital Assistants.—Directing, with remarks, that the provisions of G.Os., No. 154 L., dated 24th January 1895, and No. 593 L., dated 28th March 1900, regarding the payment of house-rent in lieu of free quarters to Government hospital assistants, be extended to locally-trained hospital assistants in the service of Local Boards and Municipal Councils. **September 29, No. 1774 (P.).**

Quarters rented by Hospital Assistants.—Stating, with remarks, that house-rent may be granted to hospital assistants employed under Local Boards and Municipal Councils if the quarters rented by them meet with the approval of the President of the Local Board or the Chairman of the Municipal Council, as the case may be. **March 28, No. 593 (P.).**

Tanjore.—Informing the zemindars of Madukkur and Pappanad, — district, that their request to continue the Madukkur dispensary cannot be complied with in the present state of finances of the Pattukkóttai Taluk Board. **April 9, No. 681 (L.).**

MISCELLANEOUS.

Administrative Clauses in the Public Works Department.—Recording G.O., Public Works department, communicating to officers of the Public Works department and to the departments of the Secretariat, resolution of the Government of India regarding the re-organization of the —. **April 21, No. 721 (L.).**

Anantapur.—Recording letter from the President, District Board, —, reporting that the Engineer has completed the annual verification of the tools and plant throughout the district. **August 15, No. 1456 (L.).**

Annual Return of Stores.—Recording G.O., Financial department, communicating to the Accountant-General extract from a despatch from the Secretary of State stating that short explanatory notes should be recorded in cases where large purchases of imported goods are made in India instead of being procured by indent from England; and requesting him to embody the information in the —. **August 2, No. 1327 (L.).**

Bimonthly Return of Stores.—Communicating to the Sanitary Commissioner, G.O., Financial department, communicating to the officers and departments concerned,— under provision by the Director-General of Stores. **February 5, No. 181 (L.).**

——— Communicating to the Sanitary Commissioner, G.O., Financial department, communicating to the officers and the departments concerned — under provision by the Director-General of Stores. **March 15, No. 493 (L.).**

MISCELLANEOUS—*cont.*

Census.—Recording G.O., Revenue department, directing the Provincial Superintendent of — to enter on his duties on the 1st April 1900, and stating that all letters addressed to Government on the subject of the — should be forwarded through the Superintendent.
April 10, No. 689 (L.).

——— Communicating to the Sanitary Commissioner, the Sanitary Engineer and the Sanitary Board, G.O., Public department, directing publication, in the Fort St. George and District Gazettes, of a notification requiring all Government officers to afford every aid in their power in connection with the ensuing —, and addressing all zemindars of position on the subject.
August 14, No. 1444 (L.).

——— Furnishing the President, Municipal Commission, Madras, with a list of clerks that can be spared from this department for enumeration work in connection with the ensuing —.
October 30, No. 2041 (L.).

——— Communicating to the Sanitary Commissioner, the Sanitary Engineer and the Sanitary Board G.O., Revenue department, communicating to all departments of the Secretariat, letter from the Government of India on the subject of the duty of Government servants in connection with the —.
November 2, No. 2081 (L.).

Census expenditure.—Recording G.O., Revenue department, passing orders on letter from the Superintendent of Census Operations on the subject of the financial arrangements connected with the ensuing census.
July 7, No. 1175 (L.).

Chingleput.—Sanctioning the purchase of a tent by the — District Board for the use of its Engineer and requesting the President, District Board, Tanjore, to state whether the sanction of Government was obtained for the purchase of a tent for the use of the Board's Engineer.
August 15, No. 1458 (L.).

Coimbatore.—Stating that the proposals of the — District Board to introduce the system of Provident Fund for the benefit of certain teachers in Board's schools and inspecting schoolmasters in the district, are inadmissible.
February 9, No. 225 (L.).

——— Recording G.O., Public department, directing despatch to the Government of India of a telegram from the Collector of — regarding the earthquake that occurred on the 8th instant.
February 22, No. 322 (L.).

Date of Birth.—Communicating to all Local Boards and Municipal Councils, the Municipal Commissioners of Madras, the Sanitary Board, the Sanitary Commissioner and the Sanitary Engineer, G.O., Pension department, directing that, in the case of an officer whose year and month of birth are known but not the exact date, the 16th of the month should be treated as the —.
September 19, No. 1715 (P.).

Eurasian and Anglo-Indian Association.—Communicating to the Sanitary Commissioner, the Sanitary Engineer and the Sanitary Board, G.O., Public department, sanctioning a half-holiday to the European and Eurasian employés of Government on the 6th October 1900, the day of the anniversary meeting of the —.
September 17, No. 1682 (L.).

Finger Impressions.—Informing the Judicial department that 170 copies of the hand-book on — will be required by the Local and Municipal department for distribution.
February 12, No. 239 (L.).

Finger prints.—Communicating to all Presidents of District Boards and Chairmen of Municipal Councils, the President, Municipal Commission, Madras, the Sanitary Board, the Sanitary Commissioner and the Sanitary Engineer, G.O., Pension department, passing orders on a letter from the Registrar, High Court, Madras, regarding the taking of — in service-books, and stating that the form suggested by the Registrar will be printed in the first page of the book.
January 25, No. 112 (P.).

Ganjam.—Communicating to the Taluk Boards of Berhampur and Chicacole, G.O., Revenue department, sanctioning the proposal of the Collector of — to give effect to the exchange of divisional charges between the Senior Assistant and the Principal Assistant Collector from September next.
July 17, No. 1230 (L.).

——— Stating that the sanction of Government is not necessary for the change of head-quarters of the Deputy Inspector of Vaccination, — district, from Chicacole to Tekkali.
September 18, No. 1693 (L.).

MISCELLANEOUS—*cont.*

Indents for European Stores.—Recording G.O., Financial department, communicating to all departments of the Secretariat, for information and guidance, letterfrom the Government of India, Finance and Commerce department, stating that a copy of — need not, in future, be sent to it, and informing the Superintendent of Stationery that he should submit his indents in duplicate hereafter. **February 5, No. 184 (L.).**

Indian-made Articles of Iron and Steel.—Recording G.O., Financial department, communicating resolution of the Government of India ordering that railway carriages, goods waggons and under-frames, &c., shall be added to the list of — which may be purchased for the public service in India, and directing the re-publication of the same in the *Fort St. George Gazette.* **January 22, No. 69 (L.).**

Kistna.—Sanctioning, with remark, the charges amounting to Rs. 120 incurred on a water pandal during 1897–98 and 1899–1900 by the Narasaraopet Taluk Board, — district. **July 30, No. 1312 (L.).**

Legal Tender of Gold Coins in India.—Communicating to all Presidents of District Boards and Chairmen of Municipal Councils, the President, Municipal Commission, Madras, the Sanitary Board, the Sanitary Commissioner and the Sanitary Engineer, G.O., Financial department, communicating the resolution of the Government of India, regarding receipt of sovereigns, &c., at the rate of Rs. 15 to the sovereign by all Government departments, and directing the republication of the resolution in the *Fort St. George Gazette.* **March 15, No. 494 (P.).**

Legislative Council.—Recording G.O., Legislative department, communicating, for information and guidance, questions asked at the meeting of the — held on the 26th January 1900, and the answers given to them. **February 10, No. 236 (L.).**

Malabar.—Sanctioning the purchase of warm clothing at a cost of Rs. 92 by the — District Board for the use of the eight peons of the District Engineer's office. **September 4, No. 1575 (L.).**

Packing Accounts of Military Stores.—Recording G.O., Marine department, stating that the Government is of opinion that it would simplify matters if the duplicate —, after return to the Agent for Government Consignments from the departments and Examiners concerned, are transmitted to the India Office through the Accountant-General instead of through the Controller of Military Accounts. **January 24, No. 109 (L.).**

Population of the Madras Presidency.—Stating that the Director-General of Statistics will be addressed regarding the discrepancy pointed out by him in the figures relating to the — and explaining the difference between the — according to the census of 1891 and that adopted for the vaccination report for 1898–99. **May 15, Nos. 874–75 (L.).**

Provident Funds.—Communicating to the Sanitary Commissioner and the Sanitary Engineer G.O., Judicial department, communicating correspondence from the Government of India stating that subscribers to the Police Officers' Provident Fund and other — who are in foreign service should subscribe on their "assumed" pay. **July 5, No. 1156 (L.).**

Provident Societies.—Recording G.O., Judicial department, communicating to the Registrar of Joint Stock Companies and to all District Magistrates, with remarks, resolution of the Government of India commenting on the sudden growth of numbers of small — and the purposes for which they have been founded. **October 5, No. 1829 (L.).**

Public and Official Mourning.—Recording G.O., Public department, on letter from the Government of India forwarding, for information, copy of its letter to the Government of Bombay on the subject of —. **September 18, No. 1694 (L.).**

Route between Madras and Negapatam.—Informing the Sanitary Engineer that Government sees no reason to prescribe the route *viâ* Tanjore as the standard —. **October 9, No. 1877 (L.).**

Sanctioning Power for the purchase of European Articles.—Communicating to the Sanitary Commissioner, the Sanitary Engineer and the Sanitary Board G.O., Financial department, communicating to all departments of the Secretariat and to the Superintendent of Stationery, resolution of the Government of India extending the sanctioning power of officers authorized to purchase in the local market articles of European manufactures. **February 14, No. 269 (L.).**

Sanitary Commissioner's Office.—Disapproving the proposal of the Sanitary Commissioner to remove his office to Saidapet. **January 22, No. 53 (L.).**

MISCELLANEOUS—*cont.*

Tanjore.—Approving the proposal of the — District Board to purchase a tent for the use of the District Board's Engineer. **October 18, No. 1930 (L.).**

Title-holders.—(Confidential). **August 20, No. 1472 (L.).**

Vernacular Judgments.—Communicating to the Sanitary Commissioner, the Sanitary Engineer and the Sanitary Board, G.O., Judicial department, communicating a resolution of the Government of India directing that English translations of — in cases against Government officers should be supplied to the heads of departments concerned. **April 18, No. 712 (L.).**

PENSIONS AND GRATUITIES.

Anantapur.—Stating that the proposal of the Gooty Taluk Board, — district, to pay a gratuity of Rs 50 to the late peon attached to Munro's chattram, is inadmissible. **May 25, No. 926 (L.).**

Coimbatore.—Stating, with remarks, that there is no objection to the payment of a gratuity of Rs. 288 to C. V. Ramayya, late clerk, District Board's office, —. **December 21, No. 2388 (L.).**

Date of Birth.—Communicating to all Local Boards and Municipal Councils, the Municipal Commissioners of Madras, the Sanitary Board, the Sanitary Commissioner and the Sanitary Engineer, G.O., Pension department, directing that, in the case of an officer whose year and month of birth are known but not the exact date, the 16th of the month should be treated as the —. **September 19, No. 1715 (P.).**

Delays in the submission of Pension Applications.—Communicating to all Presidents of Local Boards, paragraph 6 of G.O., No. 740, Pension department, dated 7th November 1900, with the remark that they should take steps to prevent — and misconceptions such as those brought to notice in the case in question. **November 23, No. 2223 (P.).**

Gódávari.—Sanctioning the grant of a gratuity of Rs. 108 to the late headmaster of the Board's Primary school at Elesvaram, — district. **May 25, No. 927 (L.).**

—— —— Sanctioning the payment of a gratuity of Rs. 42 to the teachers of certain schools in the — district. **November 16, No. 2169 (L.).**

—— —— Sanctioning the grant of a gratuity of Rs. 48 to the headmaster, Salary-result school, Mandapeta, — district. **December 5, No. 2300 (L.).**

Incapacity for further service on account of Syphilis.—Communicating to all Presidents of Local Boards and Chairmen of Municipal Councils, the President, Municipal Commission, Madras, the Sanitary Commissioner, the Sanitary Engineer and the Sanitary Board, G.O., Pension department, ruling that the incapacity for further service of an applicant for pension in consequence of syphilis, should be treated as incapacity from any other disease or legitimate cause, except when the circumstances of the case indicate proved and continued immorality or vice. **November 29, No. 2264 (P.).**

Madura.—Declining to sanction the proposal of the Mélúr Taluk Board, — district, to refund to the second clerk of its office the amount of pensionary contribution hitherto paid by it on his account and directing that it be credited to Local Funds. **November 26, No. 2226 (L.).**

Malabar.—Sanctioning, as a special case, the grant of a gratuity of Rs. 5,000 to Mr. Maylor, Engineer, District Board, Malabar, who has resigned his appointment with effect from the 1st January 1901. **November 29, No. 2247 (L.).**

Military Pensioners.—Communicating to all Presidents of Local Boards and Chairmen of Municipal Councils, the President Municipal Commission, Madras, the Sanitary Commissioner, the Sanitary Engineer and the Sanitary Board G.O., Public department, communicating, with remarks, to all heads of departments letter from the Deputy Adjutant-General, Madras Command, forwarding report of the Superintendent of Pensions for the year 1899–1900 on the employment in civil capacities of pensioners of the Madras Army. **October 4, No. 1802 (P.).**

——— Recording G.O., Educational department, making certain additions to the list of appointments open to —, under article 4 of the Public Service Notification. **December 18, No. 2370 (L.).**

PENSIONS AND GRATUITIES—*cont.*

Native Army Pensioners.—Communicating to all Presidents of District Boards and Chairmen of Municipal Councils, the President, Municipal Commission, Madras, the Sanitary Commissioner, the Sanitary Engineer and the Sanitary Board, G.O., Public department, communicating to the departments of the Secretariat, letter from the Government of India extending to the Madras Presidency the rule under which — are exempted from the payment of security when employed in certain civil capacities.

November 10, No. 2127 (P.).

Nilgiris, The.—Stating that compounder S. John, formerly employed under — District Board, is not entitled to any pension or gratuity for his Local Fund service.

May 2, No. 797 (L.).

Pension.—Recording G.O., Pension department, informing the Board of Revenue (Land Revenue) that the Government is not prepared to delegate a discretion in the matter of the granting of pensions in cases where the character and conduct of an applicant for — are certified as good and the punishment on record are trifling in comparison with the length and the general character of the service rendered by him; and ordering that such cases should be invariably submitted for the orders of Government.

June 9, No. 1013 (L.).

Tinnevelly.—Sanctioning, from 1st January 1901, the proposals of the Local Boards in the — district to contribute for pension on behalf of all the clerks and accountants in superior service, and declining to accept the proposal to refund to the officers whose services will thus be rendered pensionable, the whole of the subscriptions and bonuses remaining to their credit in the Provident fund. **December 14, No. 2346 (P.).**

PETITIONS AND MEMORIALS.

Arcot, North.—Informing V. Kuppuswami Aiyar, late Clerk, Renigunta union, — district, that Government sees no reason to interfere on his behalf in the matter of his dismissal from his post. **May 7, No. 817 (L.).**

——— Informing, with remark, certain inhabitants of Palmanér town, — district, that the imposition of house-tax in a union does not depend on its being classed as a major or minor union. **October 31, No. 2060 (L.).**

Arcot, South.—Stating that the request of M. R. Kulandaivelu, Local Fund toll-gate contractor at Murattandi chavadi, — district, to open certain subsidiary gates, cannot be complied with. **September 14, No. 1670 (L.).**

——— Declining to interfere on behalf of E. V. Venkatarama Dikshitar, late Local Fund sub-overseer, Kallakurchi taluk, — district, in the matter of his request to be allowed to withdraw his resignation and to be restored to his appointment.

December 1, No. 2284 (L.).

Bellary.—Informing Mr. W. Joseph, hospital assistant of Kudligi, — district, that no appeal lies to Government against the District Board's action in granting him leave without allowances instead of privilege leave. **July 19, No. 1238 (L.).**

Canara, South.—Stating that there is no objection to the grant of copies of certain documents asked for by Mr. Lobo, the late Local Fund Sub-Overseer, — district.

January 24, No. 102 (L.).

——— Agreeing with the President of the — District Board in considering that Xavier Pereira's petition to the District Board was not admissible under article 73 of the Local Fund Code. **June 15, No. 1058 (L.).**

Chingleput.—Informing M. B. Raghavachariyar, tax-payer, Madurántakam union, that Government sees no reason to interfere with the discretion of the District Boards in the matter of the collection of house-tax in unions. **December 5, No. 2299 (L.).**

Cuddapah.—Informing the President, District Board, —, that his order dismissing T. Kondal Rao, late head clerk, Madanapalle Taluk Board, was *ultra vires* and should be withdrawn.

January 22, No. 68 (L.).

——— Declining, for certain reasons, to interfere on behalf of the petitioner, Raja Rao, late head clerk of the District Board's office, —, and refusing to comply with certain requests made by him. **May 15, No. 871 (L.).**

——— Stating that the President of the Madanapalle Taluk Board should be called upon to dispose of T. Kondal Rao's appeal petition on its merits at an early date.

June 15, No. 1057 (L.).

PETITIONS AND MEMORIALS—*cont.*

Cuddapah.— Stating that Government sees no reason to interfere on behalf of Fargi Saiyid Sáhib, in the matter of his proposal to demolish a certain latrine at Kadiri, — district.
October 5, No. 1838 (L.).

——— Declining to interfere on behalf of Saiyid Khadu Miyan and S. Pitchayya Chetti, ferry contractors, —, in the matter of their request for the issue of orders for the recoupment of the losses incurred by them in the ferry contracts during the years 1896, 1897 and 1898. **November 29, No. 2249 (L.).**

———Informing S. Rajah Rao, late head clerk, District Board office,—, that Government sees no reason to reconsider its order, Mis. No. 871 L., dated 15th May 1900, declining to interfere on his behalf in the matter of his dismissal from Local Fund service. **December 7, No. 2316 (L.).**

Gódávari.—Informing Kona Chinna Subbanna, Kothalanka village, Amalápuram taluk, — district, that his request to be furnished with a copy of the plan of certain land, cannot be complied with. **March 22, No. 553 (L.).**

Madura.—Recording, with reference to the Government Order quoted, memorial of the — Taluk Board applying for a liberal contribution from Provincial funds towards the construction of Periyár cross roads. **February 1, No. 152 (L.).**

——— Informing N. Velayudham Pillai, late union Clerk, Tirumangalam, — district, that Government cannot interfere on his behalf in the matter of his dismissal by the Chairman of the Panchayat. **May 10, No. 836 (L.).**

——— Stating that Government sees no reason to interfere on behalf of Chidambara Servai of Sivaganga in the matter of his request that a certain site belonging to him may not be selected for building a market on. **July 14, No. 1203 (L.).**

——— Referring N. Velayudham Pillai, late union clerk, Tirumangalam, — district, to G.O., No. 836 L., dated 10th May 1900, in which the Government declined to interfere on his behalf in the matter of his dismissal from his post. **October 4, No. 1792 (L.).**

——— Stating that Karuppayya Pillai, the dismissed clerk of Ilayangudi union, — district, should be permitted to appeal against the order of dismissal passed on him by the chairman of the panchayat. **December 14, No. 2363 (L.).**

——— Declining, with remark, to interfere on behalf of S. Minakshisundaram Aiyar late union clerk, Tiruppuvanam, — district, in the matter of his appeal against the order of dismissal passed by the chairman of the panchayat.
December 22, No. 2397 (L.).

Malabar.—Communicating to K. Ramunni, late Local Fund contractor, the remarks of the President, District Board, —, regarding the settlement of certain claims.
July 14, No. 1207 (L.).

Memorials.—Forwarding to the Government of India, list of— addressed to the Secretary of State or the Government of India withheld by the Madras Government for the quarter ending December 1899. **January 25, No. 115 (L.).**

Nellore.—Declining to comply with the request of C. Ekambara Gurukkal, Proprietor, Victoria Press, —, that the printing work of the — District Board, which, with the work of other District Boards, is now being done at a Central Press in Madras, may be entrusted to him. **September 14, No. 1675 (L.).**

——— Informing C. Chenchuramayya, late Local Fund Overseer, — district, that any appeal which he may address to the Government of India against his dismissal will be liable to be withheld under paragraph 3 (8) of the Memorial rules.
September 20, No. 1716 (L.).

——— Declining to comply with the request of C. Ramakrishna Rao, Inspecting Schoolmaster, Kanigiri sub-range, — district, to be specially exempted with retrospective effect from March 1899 from the operation of article 77 of the Civil Service Regulations relating to personal allowance. **November 1, No. 2066 (L.).**

Nilgiris, The.—Informing K. Murugayya Pillai, toll-gate contractor, Benhope, —, that the Government cannot interfere in the matter of his petition appealing against the order of the President, District Board, —, fining him for certain irregularities.
March 12, No. 453 (L.).

PETITIONS AND MEMORIALS—*cont.*

Petition.—Informing Mr. E. P. Salt, Howrah, that he should address the Presidents of District Boards and Municipal Councils in the matter of his application for the appointment of Local Fund Engineer or Municipal Secretary. **May 10, No. 835 (L.).**

Return of Memorials.—Recording G.O., Public department, communicating to the departments of the Secretariat, letter from the Government of India stating that the — called for in their letter in the Military department may be submitted in the form enclosed. **April 30, No. 775 (L.).**

Salem.—Informing M. S. Narayanaswami Nayudu, late compounder, Tiruchengódu hospital, — district, that his request that the District Board may be directed to accept his appeal against the orders of the Taluk Board, cannot be complied with. **April 5, No. 641 (L.).**

——— Stating, with remark, that the order passed by the President of the Taluk Board of Námakkal, — district, dismissing Ramaswami Pillai, late sanitary maistry, Tiruchengódu union, was *ultra vires*, and requesting him to revise it in accordance with law. **April 26, No. 740 (L.).**

——— Informing S. Gopala Aiyangar, Inspecting Schoolmaster, Atúr taluk, — district, that Government sees no reason to reconsider its Order No. 1068 L. Mis., dated 17th May 1899, withholding his pay for the period during which he was without employment. **November 29, No. 2251 (L.).**

Secunderabad.—Informing Mr. H. W. Allen, Begumpet, —, that the power of nominating persons for Local Fund appointments, vests in the Presidents of District Boards, and that he should therefore address them. **November 30, No. 2272 (L.).**

Stamp Duty.—Recording G.O., Revenue department, communicating to the Board of Revenue the opinion of the Advocate-General on the question of the levy of — on certain appeals and applications presented by public servants. **April 5, No. 644 (L.).**

Tanjore.—Informing P. Chakrapani Nayudu, late Deputy Inspector of Vaccination, — district, that his request to be restored to his former appointment, cannot be complied with. **August 4, No. 1341 (L.).**

——— Forwarding to the Government of India the memorial of R. Viraswami Aiyangar, late Local Fund Supervisor, — district, and stating that this Government would raise no objection if the Government of India should consider it proper to grant to the memorialist a gratuity of Rs. 1,200. **September 10, Nos. 1621 & 1622 (L.).**

——— Stating that Government sees no reason to interfere on behalf of M.R.Ry. V. A. Vandayar of —, in the matter of his complaint against M.R.Ry. Prabalanatha Pillay, Deputy Collector, —, regarding the appointment of a Government servant to a post in Local Fund service. **October 5, No. 1836 (L.).**

Tinnevelly.—Informing C. Muttiya Pillai, Nángunéri taluk, — district, that Government will not interfere in the matter of his petition praying that the District Board of — may be advised to grant him copies of certain documents. **October 26, No. 1991 (L.).**

—— —— Cancelling, with remark, the order of suspension passed by the President, District Board, —, on P. Annakutti Aiyangar, Deputy Inspector of Vaccination, Sérmádévi range. **December 18, No. 2372 (L.).**

RAILWAYS, TRAMWAYS AND TELEGRAPHS.

Anantapur.—Stating that the Government of India will be addressed regarding the taxation of railway buildings in the Gooty union—district. **March 22, No. 563 (L.).**

Ganjám.—Recording G.O., Public Works department, approving of the recommendation of the Consulting Engineer for Railways that the Parlákimedi Light Railway shall not be opened for the carriage of passengers until the — District Board's requirements shall have been complied with. **October 4, No. 1787 (L.).**

Inspection Reports.—Recording extracts from the — of the South Indian Railway for the half-year ending 30th June 1900. **October 4, No. 1803 (L.).**

—— —— Referring the President, Municipal Commission, Madras, for information, to the extract from the — of the Madras Railway for the half-year ending 30th June 1900. **October 19, No. 1937 (L.).**

Madura.—Recording G.O., Public Works department (Railway Branch), passing orders of the proposal of the District Board of —, that Messrs. Wilson & Co, should forfeit Rupees 15,000 if they fail to construct a light railway, within the period agreed upon, in the — district. **September 10, No. 1626 (L.).**

RAILWAYS, TRAMWAYS AND TELEGRAPHS—*cont.*

Máyavaram-Muttupet Railway.—Recording G.O., Public Works department, directing that the preliminary issue of the — Capital Revised and Budget Estimates for the years 1899–1900 and 1900–1901, with a note thereon by the Examiner, Guaranteed Railway Accounts, Madras, be forwarded to the Government of India.

February 6, No. 207 (L.).

——— Recording G.O., Public Works department, directing that the Preliminary issue of the — Revenue Revised and Budget Estimates for the years 1899–1900 and 1900–1901, with a note thereon by the Examiner, Guaranteed Railway Accounts, Madras, be forwarded to the Government of India.

February 6, No. 208 (L.).

——— Recording G.O., Public Works department, communicating to the President, District Board, Tanjore, and to the Agent, South Indian Railway, letter from the Government of India on the subject of the extension of the — to Avadaiyárkóvil.

October 8, No. 1854 (L.).

——— Recording G.O., Public Works department, ordering that copies of the six months' estimate (Revenue) of the — for 1900–1901, together with a note thereon by the Examiner, Guaranteed Railway Accounts, Madras, be forwarded to the Government of India.

October 26, No. 1996 (L.).

——— Recording G.O., Public Works department, ordering that copies of the Capital and Revenue Accounts, —, for the half-year ending 30th June 1900 together with a brief note thereon by the Consulting Engineer for Railways, be forwarded to the Government of India and to the Secretary of State.

October 26, No. 1997 (L.).

——— Recording G.O., Financial department, informing the Accountant-General that the only Government land made over to the — was poramboke waste land for which no charge was levied and on which no land revenue was assessed, and that the item "Capitalized value of abatement of land revenue" should not be included in calculating the amount to be recovered from the Tanjore District Board.

October 29, No. 2026 (L.).

——— Recording G.O., Public Works department, ordering that the note by the Chief Auditor, South Indian Railway, on the Capital and Revenue Accounts, —, for the half-year ended the 30th June 1900, be forwarded to the Governmentof India and to the Secretary of State.

November 5, No. 2099 (L.).

Muttupet-Avadaiyárkóvil Railway Extension.—Recording G.O., Public Works department, recommending, for the consideration of the District Board, —, a draft prospectus for a 4 per cent. debenture loan for the — prepared by the Consulting Engineer for Railways.

May 18, No. 900 (L.).

Tanjore.—Recording G.O., Public Works department, passing orders on the financing of the — District Board's railway extension from Muttupet to Avadaiyárkóvil.

January 31, No. 131 (L.).

——— Recording G.O., Public Works (Railway) department, forwarding copy of letter from the Government of India, No. 110-R. N., dated 4th July 1900, communicating the approval of the Government of India to the terms and conditions of the debenture bond for the 4 per cent. loan proposed to be raised by the District Board, —, for the construction of the Muttupet-Avadaiyárkóvil extension. **July 30, No. 1307 (L.).**

Tinnevelly.—Informing Messrs. Chambuka Raman Thambi Enoch & Co., of Nagercoil, — that there is no objection to their putting a steam motor car on the road between Muppanthal and — at their own risk, and that the Local Board will not be responsible for any loss or damage which may occur through the bridges or roads not being suitable for the passage of the motor. **September 6, No. 1588 (L.).**

Tramways and Light Railways.—Recording G.O., Public Works department, communicating memorandum from the Government of India regarding the gauge to be adopted in the case of military —. **October 29, No. 2025 (L.).**

REPORTS.

Administration Reports.—Reminding Presidents of District Boards that their — for 1899–1900 are due in the Government office on the 15th July 1900.

May 18, No. 905 (P.).

REPORTS—*cont.*

Administration Reports.—Communicating to the Accountant-General, for information and guidance, letter from the Government of India, Home department, requesting that certain changes in the classification of receipts and expenditure may, in future, be made in Nos. II and III of the forms attached to the annual — of Local Boards.
September 14, No. 1673 (L.).

——— Recording letter from the Government of India, Home department, deciding that the dates for the submission of Local Boards' reports be changed to 1st December for Local Governments and to 1st November for Local Administrations, and requesting that these deferred dates should not be exceeded without sufficient reason which should be explained at the time of the submission of the reports.
September 24, No. 1727 (L.).

Anantapur.—Reviewing the administration report of the — District Board for 1899–1900.
August 27, No. 1524 (P.).

——— Recording the explanation of points noticed in the administration report of the — District Board for 1899–1900. **October 26, No. 1992 (L.).**

Annual Provincial Sanitary Report.—Ordering that the Canadian Director-General of Public Health may in future be supplied with a copy of the — for Madras.
February 19, Nos. 305 & 306 (L.).

Arcot, North.—Reviewing the administration report of the — District Board for 1899–1900.
September 14, No. 1672 (P.).

——— Recording the explanation of points noticed in the administration report of the — District Board for 1899–1900. **October 5, No. 1830 (L.).**

Arcot, South.—Recording certain information in connection with the administration report of the — District Board for 1898–99. **January 23, No. 93 (L.).**

——— Reviewing the administration report of the — District Board for 1899–1900.
September 28, No. 1770 (P.).

——— Recording the explanation of points noticed in the administration report of the — District Board for 1899–1900. **December 14, No. 2340 (L.).**

——— Recording certain information in connection with the administration report of the —District Board for 1899–1900. **December 19, No. 2377 (L.).**

Assam.—Acknowledging, with thanks, receipt of copies of the Chief Commissioner's resolution on the working of Local Boards in — during 1899–1900.
December 14, No. 2354 (L.).

Bellary.—Reviewing the administration report of the — District Board for 1899–1900.
September 20, No. 1718 (P.).

——— Recording, with remarks, the explanation of points noticed in the administration report of the — District Board for 1899–1900. **October 25, No. 1968 (L.).**

Bombay.—Recording letter from the Government of — forwarding copies of the annual report of the Sanitary Commissioner for that Government for 1899.
December 18, No. 2373 (L.).

Canara, South.—Reviewing the administration report of the — District Board for 1899–1900. **September 21, No. 1720 (P.).**

——— Recording certain information in connection with the administration report of the — District Board for 1899–1900. **November 19, No. 2185 (L.).**

Chingleput.—Reviewing the administration report of the — District Board for 1899–1900.
August 24, No. 1502 (P.).

——— Recording certain information in connection with the administration report of the — District Board for 1899–1900. **September 12, No. 1650 (L.).**

Coimbatore.—Reviewing the administration report of the — District Board for 1899–1900.
August 27, No. 1525 (P.).

——— Recording, with remarks, the explanation of points noticed in the administration report of the — District Board for 1899–1900. **September 17, No. 1684 (L.).**

REPORTS—*cont.*

Coimbatore.—Recording, with remark, certain information in connection with the administration report of the — District Board for 1899–1900. **October 5, No. 1835 (L.).**

——— Recording certain information in connection with the administration report of the — District Board for 1899–1900. **October 30, No. 2032 (L.).**

Cuddapah.—Reviewing the administration report of the — District Board for 1899–1900. **September 20, No. 1717 (P.).**

——— Recording, with remarks, the explanation of points noticed in the administration report of the — District Board for 1899–1900. **November 5, No. 2107 (L.).**

Ganjám.—Reviewing the administration report of the — District Board for 1899–1900. **August 22, No. 1499 (P.).**

——— Recording the explanation of points noticed in the administration report of the — District Board for 1899–1900. **September 14, No. 1674 (L.).**

General Local Fund Review.—Reviewing the administration of Local Funds under Act V of 1884 for the year 1899–1900. **December 8, Nos. 2327 & 2328 (P.).**

General Local Fund and Municipal Reviews.—Stating that copies of — will in future be furnished to the Victoria Public Library, Perth. **August 27, No. 1519 (L.).**

Gódávari.—Reviewing the administration report of the — District Board for 1899–1900. **October 4, No. 1797 (P.).**

Inspection Report.—Recording extracts from the — of the South Indian Railway for the half-year ending 30th June 1900. **October 4, No. 1803 (L.).**

——— Referring the President, Municipal Commission, Madras, for information, to the extract from the — of the Madras Railway for the half-year ending 30th June 1900. **October 19, No. 1937 (L.).**

Kistna.—Recording, with remarks, certain information in connection with the administration report of the — District Board for 1897–98. **January 26, No. 117 (L.).**

——— Recording, with remark, the explanation of points noticed in the administration report of the — District Board for 1898–99. **February 17, No. 289 (L.).**

——— Reviewing the administration report of the — District Board for 1899–1900. **September 8, No. 1614 (P.).**

Kurnool.—Reviewing the administration report of the — District Board for 1899–1900. **September 13, No. 1668 (P.).**

——— Recording certain information in connection with the administration report of the — District Board for 1899–1900. **October 26, No. 1976 (L.).**

——— Recording the explanation of points noticed in the administration report of the — District Board for 1899–1900. **October 26, No. 1995 (L.).**

Madura.—Reviewing the administration report of the — District Board for 1899–1900. **October 4, No. 1800 (P.).**

——— Recording, with remark, the explanation of points noticed in the administration report of the — District Board for 1899–1900. **November 22, No. 2212 (L.).**

——— Recording certain information in connection with the administration report of the — District Board for 1899–1900. **December 18, No. 2368 (L.).**

Malabar.—Reviewing the administration report of the — District Board for 1899–1900. **September 13, No. 1669 (P.).**

Mr. Jones' Report.—Informing the Secretary of State for India that 200 copies of — will be required by this Government. **December 5, No. 2300-A (L.).**

Nellore.—Reviewing the administration report of the — District Board for 1899–1900. **September 3, No. 1573 (P.).**

Nilgiris, The.—Recording certain information in connection with the administration report of the — District Board for 1898–99. **March 5, No. 408 (L.).**

REPORTS—*cont.*

Nilgiris, The.—Reviewing the administration report of — District Board for 1899–1900. **October 4, No. 1798 (P.).**

——— Recording the explanation of points noticed in the administration report of — District Board for 1899–1900. **November 8, No. 2118 (L.).**

——— Informing the President, District Board, —, that, under the Government Order quoted, the heading "result grants" was altered into "fixed and result grants" in statement IX submitted with the administration report of the District Board, and drawing the attention of the Director of Public Instruction to the omission to carry out this alteration in the corresponding educational statement. **November 28, No. 2238 (L.).**

——— Recording, with remark, certain information in connection with the administration report of — District Board for 1899–1900. **December 5, No. 2301 (L.).**

Provincial Annual Vaccination Reports.—Communicating to the Sanitary Commissioner, for guidance, in continuation of the Government Order quoted, letter from the Government of India, Home department, regarding certain alterations in one of the statements forwarded with the —. **May 31, No. 960 (L.).**

Punjab.—Acknowledging, with thanks, the receipt of two copies of the report on the sanitary administration of the — for the year 1899. **August 8, No. 1381 (L.).**

Reduction of official Reports and Returns.—Recording G.O., Public department, communicating to the departments of the Secretariat, letter from the Government of India inviting suggestions on the subject of the — now forwarded to the Secretary of State for India, and directing that the Government of India be informed of the proposed discontinuance of certain returns in addition to those which the India Office has already agreed to forego. **September 12, No. 1651 (L.).**

Report.—Recording, with remark, letter from the Government of India pointing out certain discrepancy in the review of the — of the Sanitary Commissioner for Madras for the year 1898. **January 26, No. 122 (L.).**

——— Reviewing the vaccination — for 1899–1900. **August 11, Nos. 1396 & 1397 (P.).**

——— Communicating, with remarks, to the officers concerned, letter from the Government of India making certain observations on the — of the Sanitary Commissioner for Madras for the year 1899. **November 27, Nos. 2236 & 2237 (P.).**

Reports.—Stating that all future issues of the Sanitary and Vaccination — will be furnished to Dr. George Von Mayr, Professor in the University of Munich, Germany. **October 24, No. 1944 (L.).**

Reports for the use of Parliament.—Recording G.O., Public department, communicating the despatch from the Secretary of State regarding the mode of printing —. **February 22, No. 320 (L.).**

Report on the Administration of the Stationery Department.—Communicating to the Sanitary Commissioner, the Sanitary Engineer and the Sanitary Board G.O., Financial department, reviewing the — for the year 1899–1900. **September 27, No. 1743 (L.).**

Salem.—Reviewing the administration report of the — District Board for 1899–1900. **September 24, No. 1726 (P.).**

——— Recording the explanation of points noticed in the administration report of the — District Board for 1899–1900. **October 31, No. 2056 (L.).**

Sanitary Report.—Informing the Secretary to the Chief Commissioner of Coorg, with remark, that the —, Madras for 1899 will be ready about the end of July 1900. **July 11, No. 1187 (L.).**

——— Ordering that a copy of the latest published — for Madras may be supplied direct to Dr. George Von Mayr, Imperial Under Secretary of State and Professor of Statistics and Political Economy in the University of Munich. **August 7, Nos. 1378 & 1379 (L.).**

——— Ordering that advance copies of the — be sent by the Superintendent, Government Press, direct to the Director-General of Statistics. **October 30, No. 2039 (L.).**

REPORTS—*cont.*

Tanjore.—Reviewing the administration report of the — District Board for 1899–1900. **October 6, No. 1839 (P.).**

———— Recording certain information in connection with the administration report of the — District Board for 1899–1900. **November 10, No. 2128 (L.).**

Tinnevelly.—Recording, with remarks, certain information in connection with the administration report of the — District Board for 1899–1900. **October 4, No. 1793 (L.).**

———— Reviewing the administration report of the — District Board for 1899–1900. **October 4, No. 1799 (P.).**

———— Recording certain information in connection with the administration report of the — District Board for 1899–1900. **November 28, No. 2240 (L.).**

———— Recording, with remarks, the explanation of points noticed in the administration report of the — District Board for 1899–1900. **November 30, No. 2267 (L.).**

Trichinopoly.—Reviewing the administration report of the — District Board for 1899–1900. **September 5, No. 1587 (P.).**

———— Recording the explanation of points noticed in the administration report of the — District Board for 1899–1900. **September 27, No. 1739 (L.).**

———— Recording certain information in connection with the administration report of the — District Board for 1899–1900. **December 8, No. 2326 (L.).**

Vizagapatam.—Recording certain additional information in connection with the administration report of the — District Board for 1898–99. **March 21, No. 551 (L.).**

———— Reviewing the administration report of the — District Board for 1899–1900. **September 10, No. 1620 (P.).**

———— Recording the explanation of points noticed in the administration report of the — District Board for 1899–1900. **October 18, No. 1919 (L.).**

———— Recording, with remark, certain information in connection with the administration report of the — District Board for 1899–1900. **December 6, No. 2302 (L.).**

ROADS AND BRIDGES.

Anantapur.—Forwarding to the Resident in Mysore copy of a letter from the President of the District Board, —, stating that provision will be made in the working estimate of 1900–1901 for the thorough repair of the portion of the Tumkur-Bellary road lying within the limits of the Madakasira taluk. **April 30, Nos. 762 & 763 (L.).**

Arcot, North.—Communicating to the District Board, —, G.O. Public Works department, sanctioning under "33. Famine Relief" the estimate amounting to Rs. 7,900, for constructing a road from Permampet to Baireddipalli in the — district. **July 5, No. 1153 (L.).**

Arcot, North, Cuddapah, Tanjore and Tinnevelly.—Forwarding to the District Boards of — extracts from the list of feeder roads proposed to be constructed in the districts, and requesting that the steps which the Boards propose to take in the matter may be reported to Government at an early date. **October 31, No. 2053 (L.).**

Canara, South.—Forwarding to the President, District Board, —, letter from the Secretary, United Planters' Association of Southern India, requesting that early steps may be taken to ensure the repair of the Bhund ghaut road to Mangalore being completed prior to the time when crops will be transported. **September 5, No. 1584 (L.).**

———— Approving the proposal of the — District Board to permit the Local Fund Supervisor to give, after inspection, the certificate prescribed by article 440 (ii) of the Local Fund Code in respect of the roads in his charge. **October 8, No. 1860 (L.).**

———— Recording letter from the President, District Board,—, reporting that the portion of the Charmadi or Bhund ghaut road in the district, is open to traffic. **November 28, No. 2242 (L.).**

Chingleput.—Approving the proposal of the President, District Board, —, to utilize in the year 1900–1901 the unexpended balance of the special grant of Rs. 20,000, sanctioned from Provincial funds for the repair of the Mount and Poonamallee roads. **March 8, No. 433 (L.).**

ROADS AND BRIDGES—*cont.*

Coimbatore.—Communicating to the District Board, —, G.O., Public Works department, sanctioning the supplemental estimate, amounting to Rs. 2,78,500, for forming a metalled road on the Anamalai Hills. **February 13, No. 248 (L.).**

——— Communicating to the District Board, —, G.O., Public Works department, recording, with remark, the inspection notes of the Chief Engineer, Public Works department, on the Anamalai ghaut road. **February 16, No. 287 (L.).**

——— Communicating to the District Board, —, G.O., Public Works department, accepting, with remarks, the recommendation made by the Chief Engineer, Public Works department, in connection with the extension of the road on the Anamalais. **May 14, No. 849 (L.).**

——— Communicating to the Public Works (Railway) department letter of the President, District Board, —, stating that the Pollachi Taluk Board has approved of the proposal of the Madras Railway Company to open a railway feeder road from Kanakanpalaiyam to Kulipalaiyam. **June 15, No. 1055 (L.).**

Cuddapah.—Communicating to the Public Works department (Railway Branch), letter from the President, District Board, —, reporting that steps have been taken for the construction of a feeder road from Ragadipalle Railway station. **January 26, No. 124 (L.).**

Ganjám.—Communicating to the District Board, —, G.O., Public Works department, sanctioning certain estimates, aggregating to Rs. 1,84,500, for constructing sections II, III and IV of the road from Berhampur to Govindapur, — district. **May 15, No. 879 (L.).**

——— Requesting the President, District Board, —, with remarks, to submit to Government an estimate of the amount which is likely to be spent on the Berhampur-Govindapur road, —, in each of the next four or five years. **December 3, No. 2292 (L.).**

Gódávari.—Sanctioning, with remark, the excess expenditure of Rs. 1,174–14–11 incurred by the — District Board on the construction of the bridge over the Divili river. **September 24, No. 1723 (L.).**

——— Approving, with remark, the action of the — District Board in sanctioning estimate for Rs. 32,050 for renewing a portion of a road in the district. **October 25, No. 1969 (L.).**

——— Communicating to the District Board, —, G.O., Public Works department, sanctioning the estimate, amounting to Rs. 2,100, for reconstructing a road culvert over the Kurada drain, Gódávari Eastern delta system, and ordering that a copy of the proceedings be forwarded to the Government of India. **October 26, No. 1994 (L.).**

Kistna.—Communicating to the District Board, —, G.O., Public Works department, sanctioning under "33. Famine Relief" the estimate amounting to Rs. 1,99,800, for constructing a road from Nuzvid to Tiruvur, — district. **April 7, No. 675 (L.).**

——— Communicating to the District Board, —, G.O., Public Works department, approving the deviation statement for constructing section I of the Nakarikal-Guruzada road in the — district. **May 15, No. 884 (L.).**

——— Communicating to the District Board, —, G.O., Public Works department, sanctioning, with remarks, estimates for the construction of certain roads in the Palnad taluk, — district. **May 15, No. 885 (L.).**

——— Communicating to the District Board, —, letter from the Resident at Hyderabad stating that a communication has been received from His Highness the Nizam's Minister to the effect that the Hyderabad Public Works department will undertake the construction and maintenance of certain portion of the roads from Bezwada to the Hyderabad Frontier and that the District Engineer, Warangal, has been directed to prepare and submit an estimate for sanction. **May 25, No. 928 (L.).**

——— Informing, with remark, the President, District Board, —, that, if no action is taken by the Nizam's Government in regard to the repair of a certain portion of the road lying between Paleru and Komarabanda, the matter may be brought to the notice of Government again. **August 15, No. 1457 (L.).**

——— Communicating to the District Board, —, G.O., Public Works department, sanctioning revised estimate, amounting to Rs. 9,903, for constructing a road from Tadikonda to Amaravati-Guntúr road in supersession of the one sanctioned previously. **November 3, No. 2093 (L.).**

ROADS AND BRIDGES—*cont.*

Kurnool.—Communicating to the District Board, —, G.O., Public Works department, sanctioning under "33. Famine Relief" the estimate, amounting to Rs. 5,500, for constructing a road from Mulkapuram to Garladinni in the Pattikonda taluk, — district. **July 3, No. 1137 (L.).**

Madura.—Requesting the Accountant-General to adjust, in communication with the Examiner, Public Works Accounts, the amount of Rs. 13,333, being the contribution payable by the — District Board in 1899–1900 towards the cost of the road from Bódináyakkanúr to Kótagudi. **June 22, No. 1074 (L.).**

——— Recording G.O., Financial department, communicating to the Accountant-General proceedings of the Local and Municipal department placing at the disposal of the Public Works department a sum of Rs. 13,333 for the construction of the Bódináyakkanúr-Kótagudi road in the — district. **December 4, No. 2298 (L.).**

Malabar.—Communicating to the District Board, —, G.O., Public Works department, sanctioning the estimate amounting to Rs. 7,450 for reconstructing the Aroorthodu bridge, — district. **February 13, No. 247 (L.).**

——— Recording certain correspondence relating to the provision of railway feeder roads in the — district. **March 8, No. 434 (L.).**

——— Communicating, with remark, to the District Board, —, G.O., Public Works department, communicating to the officers of the department concerned the inspection notes of the Chief Engineer, Public Works department, and passing orders on the subject of the maintenance of certain roads in the district. **March 29, No. 600 (L.).**

——— Communicating to the Honorary Secretary, Coorg Planters' Association, letter from the President, District Board, —, regarding the state of the road from Coorg boundary towards Tellicherry and Cannanore. **April 2, No. 630 (L.).**

——— Communicating to the Public Works department, the resolution of the — District Board agreeing to undertake, under certain conditions, the maintenance of certain roads in the Ernad and Walavanad taluks in exchange for the road from Calicut to the Mysore frontier *viâ* Sultan's Battery. **May 7, No. 818 (L.).**

——— Communicating to the District Board, —, G.O., Public Works department, approving the recommendation of the Chief Engineer that the road from Calicut to Mysore frontier *viâ* Chundale and Sultan's Battery be handed over to the Public Works department for maintenance from Provincial funds and the Ernad roads to the District Board of —. **June 6, No. 981 (L.).**

——— Sanctioning, with remark, the excess expenditure of Rs. 2,352-4-6 incurred on the reconstruction of the Talipoya bridge, — district. **July 25, No. 1286 (L.).**

——— Communicating to the District Board, —, G.O., Public Works department, passing orders on the inspection notes of the Chief Engineer, Public Works department, dated 1st September 1900, in connection with the breaches on the Tamaracheri ghât road by the recent floods. **October 10, No. 1880 (L.).**

Nellore.—Communicating, with remark, to the District Board, —, G.O., Public Works department, sanctioning, with remarks, the estimate, amounting to Rs. 11,800, for constructing a road to the Ammanabrolu Railway station, — district, from the salt factory at Kanuparti. **March 30, No. 607 (L.).**

——— Communicating to the District Board, —, G.O., Public Works department, stating that the charge for the scrutiny of the estimate for the construction of a road from the Kanuparti Salt Factory to the Ammanabrolu Railway station, — district, should be levied only on one-half of the estimate. **April 7, No. 671 (L.).**

——— Permitting the — District Board to proceed with the work of completing the Ammanabrolu-Kanuparti feeder road in consideration of its urgency and the improvement in the condition of the season. **November 23, No. 2221 (L.).**

Nilgiris, The.—Requesting the Accountant-General to make the necessary adjustment in regard to the contribution of Rs. 4,555 from Provincial funds on account of the Pandi bridge, — district. **April 6, No. 652 (L.).**

——— Communicating to the District Board, —, G.O., Public Works department, requesting the Consulting Engineer for Railways to dispose of, in communication with the Agent, Madras Railway Company, the subject of the construction of a road to connect the Runnymede station with the Ootacamund-Kullar road. **May 7, No. 816 (L.).**

ROADS AND BRIDGES—*cont.*

Railed Roads.—Recording G.O., Public Works department, directing that a copy of the replies received from the Collectors of districts and Presidents of District Boards on the subject of —, be furnished to Mr. F. J. E. Spring, for information and for consideration, should he bring out a second edition of his Manual on —, on the amended Local Boards Act becoming law. **September 1, No. 1568 (L.).**

Railway feeder roads.—Requesting, with remarks, the Presidents of District Boards except that of South Canara to furnish revised statements showing the number, mileage and cost of construction or improvement of — in each year since 1884-85 and the total under each of these heads down to 1899-1900 and the number and mileage of such roads which the Boards propose to construct during the current and the ensuing years, together with the estimated cost of each. **July 3, No. 1138 (P.).**

Roads maintained by Local Boards in the Madras Presidency.—Forwarding to the Public Works department, with remarks, a statement showing the raileage of — during the year 1899-1900. **June 20, No. 1071 (P.).**

Salem.—Communicating to the District Board, —, G.O., Public Works department, sanctioning, with remark, the revised estimate amounting to Rs. 9,220 for surveying the Yercaud ghaut road, — district. **February 5, No. 180 (L.).**

Vizagapatam.—Communicating to the District Board, —, G.O., Public Works department, sanctioning estimate, amounting to Rs. 59,650, for constructing an iron girder bridge at Gwada over the Sarada river on the Anakápalle-Chodavaram road. **November 1, No. 2079 (L.).**

SANITATION AND VACCINATION.

Advances to Public Servants bitten by rabid dogs.—Communicating to the Sanitary Commissioner and the Sanitary Engineer, G.O., Public department, on letter from the Government of India rescinding, in view of the establishment of a Pasteur Institute at Kasauli, its previous orders sanctioning the grant of — to enable them to proceed to Paris. **October 9, No. 1878 (P.).**

Anantapur.—Communicating to the Local Boards concerned the Deputy Sanitary Commissioner's Inspection Notes on the rural tracts in the — district. **September 15, No. 1679 (P.).**

Annual Vaccination Returns.—Requesting the Presidents of certain District Boards and the Chairmen of certain Municipal Councils to forward to the Sanitary Commissioner without further delay the — for 1899-1900, and requesting the Surgeon-General and the Agent to the Governor in Ganjám to call upon the District Medical and Sanitary Officer and the Deputy Inspector of Vaccination concerned, to submit at once the reports and returns due to the Sanitary Commissioner. **May 16, No. 890 (P.).**

Arcot, North.—Recording, with remark, the report on the Sivaratri festival held at Kalahasti, — district. **July 30, No. 1315 (P.).**

Arcot, South.—Communicating to the District Board, —, copy of letter from the Executive Engineer of that division regarding the mistake made as to the drainage of the Olayar river. **December 8, No. 2325 (L.).**

Bangalore.—Forwarding letter from the Resident in Mysore regarding the deputation of Colonel W. G. King to —, to the latter for report, especially as regards his physical fitness for the duty proposed. **October 24, No. 1945 (L.).**

——— Stating that the services of Major A. E. Grant, I.M.S., will be spared for a period not exceeding ten days for the purpose of reporting upon the scheme for evacuating a portion of the bazaar at —, and addressing the Resident in Mysore in the matter. **November 13, Nos. 2145 & 2146 (L.).**

Chingleput.—Communicating to the Local Boards concerned, for attention, the inspection notes of the Deputy Sanitary Commissioner on certain rural tracts in the Chingleput district. **June 2, No. 977 (P.).**

——— Giving notice to the President, District Board, —, that the building now occupied by the District Board's Engineer at Guindy will be probably required by Government for use as a Vaccine Institute, and that the Board must be prepared to give it up to Government at the close of six months, and requesting, with remark, the Sanitary Commissioner to submit a detailed statement of the work he proposes to do at the institute at Guindy. **September 4, No. 1578 (L.).**

SANITATION AND VACCINATION—*cont.*

Cuddapah.—Sanctioning the expenditure of Rs. 58 incurred by the — District Board in giving rewards to certain village heads in the Madanapalle range for promoting vaccination in their villages. **March 26, No. 578 (L.).**

——— Sanctioning the proposal of the — District Board to give rewards to certain village headmen in the — range for promoting vaccination. **June 15, No. 1060 (L.).**

Fairs and Festivals.—Recording, with remarks, abstract of reports on — in the Madras Presidency during the second quarter of 1899. **February 5, No. 199 (P.).**

——— Recording, with remarks, abstract of reports on — in the Madras Presidency received in the office of the Sanitary Commissioner during the third quarter of 1899. **June 12, No. 1015 (P.).**

——— Recording, with remarks, abstract of reports on — in the Madras Presidency received in the office of the Sanitary Commissioner during the fourth quarter of 1899. **June 12, No. 1016 (P.).**

——— Forwarding to the Under Secretary of State for India copies of the proceedings of Government passed on the reports on — held in this Presidency during the year 1899. **July 14, No. 1206 (L.).**

——— Recording, with remark, abstract of reports on — in the Madras Presidency received in the office of the Sanitary Commissioner during the first quarter of 1900. **September 18, No. 1700 (P.).**

——— Passing orders on the suggestion of the Sanitary Commissioner that certificated sanitary inspectors on festival duty should submit the prescribed reports on the sanitary arrangements made on the occasion of — and prescribing a revised form for the submission of the reports. **November 23, No. 2225 (P.).**

Ganjám.—Communicating to the Collector of —, the remarks of the Sanitary Commissioner on the low birth-rates in the district in 1898. **February 19, No. 303 (L.).**

Góddvari.—Recording the report of the Collector of — on the cause of the low death-rate in Samalkot in 1897 and 1898. **April 4, No. 635 (L.).**

——— Recording, with remark, the report on the annual festival at Antarvedi in the — district. **May 1, No. 782 (P.).**

——— Recording letter from the President, District Board, —, raising the minima of cases to be vaccinated by the vaccinators in the district. **May 2, No. 793 (L.).**

——— Recording the report submitted by the President, District Board, —, regarding the appointment of certificated sanitary inspectors in the district. **August 22, No. 1482 (L.).**

Jigger.—Recording G.O., Marine department, communicating to the officers concerned endorsement in the Public department transferring letter from the Government of India forwarding a copy of the papers received from the India Office regarding the — insect and the cure of wounds made by it. **January 24, No. 96 (L.).**

——— Recording G.O., Marine department, communicating to the officers concerned despatch from the Secretary of State forwarding copies of papers concerning the prevalence of the — flea on the Mozambique Coast of Africa with a suggestion regarding the treatment of and the precautions against this pest. **March 12, No. 458 (L.).**

Jigger Pest.—Communicating to all Local Boards and Municipal Councils and the Municipal Commissioners of Madras, G.O., Marine department, resolving to publish in the Fort St. George and all District Gazettes, the instructions, slightly amended, for the prevention and treatment of the —, drawn up by the Sanitary Commissioner, and directing that no compulsion be used by local authorities in carrying these measures into effect. **September 12, No. 1643 (P.).**

Kistna.—Recording report on the Sivarátri festival at Kotappakonda, — district. **May 3, No. 813 (P.).**

——— Recording, with remark, the report on Sri Lakshmi Narasimhaswami festival held at Mangalagiri, — district. **June 15, No. 1051 (P.).**

SANITATION AND VACCINATION—*cont.*

Madura.—Communicating to the District Board, —, and the Municipal Council, Coonoor, G.O., Public Works department, communicating to the officers concerned, with remarks, the inspection notes of the Chief Engineer, Public Works department, for February 1900. **April 4, No. 637 (L.).**

——— Forwarding to the President, District Board, —, for necessary action, telegrams from Mr. L. Davidson regarding the prevalence of cholera in Bódináyakkanúr. **June 8, No. 996-A (L.).**

——— Communicating to the Collector and District Magistrate of —, for information and guidance, the remarks of the Sanitary Commissioner on the proposed construction of a dead-house at Sholavandan. **October 5, No. 1837 (L.).**

——— Communicating to the Taluk Board, Ramnad, G.O., Judicial department, stating that the necessary steps for the reservation of tanks for drinking purposes should be taken by the local authorities under the provisions of the Madras Local Boards Act, and declining to declare the order of the Head Assistant Magistrate, Ramnad, for the conservation of a certain tank in his division, absolute. **December 17, No. 2365 (P.).**

Malabar.—Communicating to the District Board, —, G.O., Public department, sanctioning recovery from the Police department on monthly contingent bills of the cost of the treatment of the Police sick, &c., at Manantoddy and Vayittiri, — district. **March 5, No. 413 (L.).**

——— Recording, with remark, the report on the annual festival at Kottiyur, — district. **August 4, No. 1339 (P.).**

——— Recording, with remarks, the report on the annual festival held at Kottiyur, — district. **September 12, No. 1640 (P.).**

——— Recording certain explanation in connection with the report on the festival held at Kottiyur, — district. **November 10, No. 2130 (L.).**

Memorandum of the Army Sanitary Commission.—Communicating, with remarks, to the officers concerned, — on the report of the Sanitary Commissioner for Madras for the year 1898. **August 24, Nos. 1503 & 1504 (P.).**

Nellore.—Communicating to the President, Taluk Board, Gudur, for information and guidance, certain remarks of the Sanitary Commissioner regarding the construction of a latrine at Venkatagiri, and referring to the Sanitary Board for consideration the suggestion of the Sanitary Commissioner whether cheaper designs for latrines should not be made for adoption in unions and rural areas. **March 12, No. 452 (L.).**

——— Recording letter from the Surgeon-General with the Government of Madras, stating that 21 towns and villages were visited by the District Medical and Sanitary officer, —, during the year 1899–1900. **October 10, No. 1884 (L.).**

Patent Latrines and Urinals.—Communicating to the Sanitary Board G.O., Public department, communicating letter from the Government of India forwarding, for information, copy of correspondence relating to the — invented by Captain W. A. Bailey. **November 22, No. 2210 (L.).**

——— Stating that the Government of India will be addressed regarding the supply of copies of the catalogue of — invented by Captain Bailey, and addressing the Government of India accordingly. **December 12, Nos. 2332 & 2333 (L.).**

Registration of Births and Deaths.—Communicating to the Sanitary Commissioner, G.O., Revenue department, passing orders on Board's proceedings submitting remarks on the Sanitary Commissioner's suggestions for appointing sanitary inspectors as registrars for the — in unions. **July 3, No. 1136 (L.).**

Reports on Sanitation and Vaccination.—Communicating, with remarks, to the Sanitary Board and the Sanitary Commissioner, letter from the Government of India requesting that increased efforts may be made to submit the sanitary and vaccination reports on the fixed dates, and that the local Sanitary Commissioner may be instructed to send advance copies of these reports direct to the Sanitary Commissioner with the Government of India. **September 10, Nos. 1627 & 1628 (L.).**

SANITATION AND VACCINATION—*cont.*

Reports on Sanitation and Vaccination.—Ordering that advance copies of — required by the Government of India, Home department, be despatched from the Government Press.
September 10, No. 1629 (L.).

Sanitation.—Communicating to the Sanitary Board, for guidance, letter from the Government of India requesting that any action taken to lay any new towns in the vicinity of railway stations on sanitary principles may be briefly noticed either in the report of the Provincial Sanitary Board or in the annual sanitary report. **January 24, No. 101 (L.).**

——— Forwarding to the Government of Punjab, copy of the Sanitary Commissioner's letter and its enclosures furnishing certain information regarding the connection between mortality from fever and swamping or water-logging caused by rainfall, &c.
March 22, Nos. 556 & 557 (L.).

——— Informing the Deputy Adjutant-General, Madras Command, that Lieutenant-Colonel King is now prepared to serve on the committee appointed to report upon the drainage of Fort St. George. **April 30, No. 756 (L.).**

——— Recording the resolution of the Sanitary Board stating that a cheaper design of latrine for unions and rural areas than the present standard design is under preparation.
May 2, No. 792 (L.).

——— Reviewing the reports on — for 1899. **July 12, No. 1201 (P.).**

——— Stating that the Government will have no objection to the circulation, by the Society for the Diffusion of Sanitary Knowledge, of papers or tracts on —, provided they have received the previous written approval of the Sanitary Commissioner.
December 22, No. 2395 (L.).

Tinnevelly.—Recording, with remarks, the report on the Masi festival held at Tiruchendúr, — district. **April 2, No. 629 (P.).**

——— Stating, with remark, that the application for the introduction of compulsory vaccination in certain unions in the — district may be renewed after the Bill to amend Act V of 1884 becomes law. **June 20, No. 1070 (L.).**

——— Recording report on the Adi Tapasu festival held on the 9th August 1900, at Sankaranayinárkóyil, — district. **November 29, No. 2265 (P.).**

Trichinopoly.—Communicating to the District Board, —, G.O., Public Works department, communicating to the Superintending Engineer, VI Circle, the inspection notes of the Chief Engineer for Irrigation for November 1900. **December 14, No. 2344 (L.).**

Vaccination.—Requesting the Sanitary Commissioner to revise his proposals regarding the site of the proposed Central Vaccine Institute and to submit detailed proposals regarding the establishment, &c., required for working the Institute.
February 1, No. 159 (L.).

——— Recording, with remarks, letter from the Government of India offering remarks on the report on — in the Madras Presidency for 1898–99.
February 7, Nos. 212 & 213 (P.).

——— Recording letter from the Sanitary Commissioner for Madras, submitting analysis of the results attained by medical subordinates in — during 1898–99, and forwarding copy of the letter to the Government of India, Home department.
December 4, Nos. 2295 & 2295-A (L.).

Vaccination Report.—Communicating to the Sanitary Commissioner, for guidance, letter from the Government of India stating that the Army Sanitary Commission's suggestions in their memorandum to the — of Burma for 1897–98 should be adopted in all provinces, and requesting that the necessary instructions may be issued for its inclusion in the body of future annual reports on vaccination. **February 5, No. 178 (L.).**

Vaccination Statistics.—Recording letter from the Sanitary Commissioner explaining certain discrepancies noticed by Government in the — of 1898–99.
May 11, No. 838 (L.).

Vital Statistics.—Recording the remarks of the Sanitary Commissioner on the returns of — in the districts and municipalities in the Madras Presidency for September 1899, and ordering the publication of the returns in the *Fort St. George Gazette.*
January 22, No. 66 (P.).

SANITATION AND VACCINATION—*cont.*

Vital Statistics.—Communicating to the Sanitary Commissioner G.O., Revenue department, stating that the draft rules and forms under section 20 of the Registration of Births and Deaths Act, 1899, need not be translated into Malayalam, and issuing the necessary erratum to G.O., No. 17, Revenue, dated 12th January 1900.

February 5, No. 174 (L.).

——— Recording the remarks of the Sanitary Commissioner on the returns of — in the districts and municipalities in the Madras Presidency for October 1899, and ordering the publication of the returns in the *Fort St. George Gazette.*

February 14, No. 270 (P.).

——— Recording the remarks of the Sanitary Commissioner on the returns of — in the districts and municipalities in the Madras Presidency for November 1899, and ordering the publication of the returns in the *Fort St. George Gazette.* **March 10, No. 444 (P.).**

——— Recording the remarks of the Sanitary Commissioner on the returns of — in the districts and municipalities in the Madras Presidency for December 1899, and ordering the publication of the returns in the *Fort St. George Gazette.* **March 10, No. 445 (L.).**

——— Recording the remarks of the Sanitary Commissioner on the returns of — of the districts and municipalities in the Madras Presidency for January 1900, and ordering the publication of the returns in the *Fort St. George Gazette.* **April 11, No. 692 (P.).**

——— Recording the remarks of the Sanitary Commissioner on the returns of — in the districts and municipalities of the Madras Presidency for February 1900, and ordering the publication of the returns in the *Fort St. George Gazette.*

July 2, No. 1116 (P.).

——— Recording the remarks of the Sanitary Commissioner on the returns of — in the districts and municipalities in the Madras Presidency for March 1900, and ordering the publication of the returns in the *Fort St. George Gazette.* **July 2, No. 1117 (P.).**

——— Recording the remarks of the Sanitary Commissioner on the returns of — in the districts and municipalities in the Madras Presidency for April 1900, and ordering the publication of the returns in the *Fort St. George Gazette.*

August 8, No. 1390 (P.).

——— Recording the remarks of the Sanitary Commissioner on the returns of — in the districts and municipalities in the Madras Presidency for May 1900, and ordering the publication of the returns in the *Fort St. George Gazette.* **August 15, No. 1461 (P.).**

——— Recording the remarks of the Sanitary Commissioner on the returns of — in the districts and municipalities in the Madras Presidency for the month of June 1900, and ordering the publication of the returns in the *Fort St. George Gazette.*

October 6, No. 1840 (P.).

——— Recording the remarks of the Sanitary Commissioner on the returns of — in the districts and municipalities in the Madras Presidency for the month of July 1900, and ordering the publication of the returns in the *Fort St. George Gazette.*

October 24, No. 1950 (P.).

——— Recording the remarks of the Sanitary Commissioner on the returns of — in the districts and municipalities in the Madras Presidency for August 1900, and ordering the publication of the returns in the *Fort St. George Gazette.*

November 3, No. 2096 (P.).

——— Forwarding to the Under Secretary of State for India, copy of the proceedings of this Government recording the Sanitary Commissioner's remarks on the returns of — in the districts and municipalities in the Madras Presidency for June 1900.

November 15, No. 2164 (L.).

——— Forwarding to the Under Secretary of State for India, copy of the proceedings of this Government recording the Sanitary Commissioner's remarks on the returns of — in the districts and municipalities in the Madras Presidency for July 1900.

November 29, No. 2261 (L.).

——— Forwarding to the Under Secretary of State for India, copy of the proceedings of this Government recording the Sanitary Commissioner's remarks on the returns of — in the districts and municipalities in the Madras Presidency for August 1900.

November 29, No. 2262 (L.).

SANITATION AND VACCINATION—*cont.*

Vital Statistics.—Recording the remarks of the Sanitary Commissioner on the returns of — in the districts and municipalities in the Madras Presidency for September 1900, and ordering the publication of the returns in the *Fort St. George Gazette*.

December 6, No. 2314 (P.).

Vizagapatam.—Recording letter from the Surgeon-General stating that, from the current official year, regular record of the work of vaccinators will be maintained in the — district, and that the number verified will be duly given in the annual report.

February 5, No. 175 (L.).

STATIONERY, PRINTING, &c.

Account, &c., Forms.—Stating that the present arrangement of having the — required for Local Boards and Municipal Councils printed at Madras, will be continued.

March 28, No. 595 (P.).

Clothing for bicycle peons.—Forwarding to the Superintendent of Stationery, an indent for clothing for the use of peons who ride the bicycles in the Local and Municipal department.

January 29, No. 126 (L.).

Covers.—Communicating to the Sanitary Commissioner, the Sanitary Engineer and the Sanitary Board, G.O., Financial department, approving the proposals of the Superintendent of Stationery in regard to the sizes of official —, the description of papers from which they should be made and the purposes for which they should be utilized; and drawing the attention of all officers to the rule that the contents of a cover should, as far as possible, be of the same size as the cover itself. **November 3, No. 2094 (P.).**

Cyclostyle Ink Paste.—Recording G.O., Financial department, directing the supply from 1901–1902 of Indian — to Government offices in place of English cyclostyle ink which will henceforth be discontinued. **August 13, No. 1424 (L.).**

Endorsing Ink.—Recording G.O., Financial department, approving the proposal of the Superintendent of Stationery to use — in preference to printing ink along with metallic date stamps.

April 10, No. 690 (L.).

Indian Rubber.—Recording G. O., Financial department, approving the proposal of the Superintendent of Stationery that — should be issued once in two years, and stating that the certificate as per rule 20 of the Stationery rules is not necessary for this article.

January 24, No. 104 (L.).

Liveries.—Informing, with remark, the Accountant-General that the Government is not prepared to extend the concession of supplying — to the peons attached to the Assistant Inspectors of Local Fund Accounts. **July 11, No. 1186 (L.).**

Local Purchase of Remington Typewriters.—Recording G.O., Financial department, sanctioning for reasons stated the purchase by the Superintendent of Stationery of Remington typewriters through local agents.

October 5, No. 1827 (L.).

Malabar.—Sanctioning the purchase of warm clothing, costing Rs. 120, for the use of the peons of the Wynaad Overseer's office,— district. **April 2, No. 627 (L.).**

Printing of Notes connected with the Proceedings of Government.—Recording G.O., Public department, laying down the procedure to be followed with regard to the —.

December 14, No. 2342 (L.).

Sanctioning Power for the purchase of European Articles.—Communicating to the Sanitary Commissioner, the Sanitary Engineer and the Sanitary Board, G. O., Financial department, communicating to all departments of the Secretariat and to the Superintendent of Stationery, resolution of the Government of India extending the sanctioning power of officers authorized to purchase in the local market articles of European manufactures.

February 14, No. 269 (L.).

Slates for Accountants.—Communicating to the Sanitary Commissioner, the Sanitary Engineer and the Sanitary Board, G.O., Financial department, communicating letter from the Superintendent of Stationery regarding the non-use of slates by accountants, and requesting the heads of departments to take steps to ensure that accountants are supplied with slates and make use of them. **January 31, No. 132 (L.).**

Stationery.—Recording G.O., Public department, directing that printed forms, covers and labels required for use in the Secretariat departments be obtained in future by means of consolidated annual indents upon the Government Press, and requesting the Board of Revenue to arrange similarly for its departments. **April 4, No. 638 (L.).**

STATIONERY, PRINTING, &c.—*cont.*

Stationery.—Recording G.O., Financial department, stating that Collectors will be supplied with forms of the reappropriation statement prescribed in G.O., No. 951, Financial, dated 26th October 1898, by the Superintendent of Stationery and that other heads of departments should obtain their supplies by indent on the Government Press.
April 5, No. 643 (L.).

——— Requesting the Accountant-General to make the necessary adjustment in the accounts of the amount of Rs. 406-8-8 being the cost of — supplied to the Local and Municipal department. **April 7, No. 670 (L.).**

——— Requesting the Accountant-General to make the necessary adjustment in the accounts of the amount of Rs. 52-4-5, being the cost of — supplied to the Local and Municipal department. **April 26, No. 746 (L.).**

——— Requesting the Accountant-General to make the necessary adjustment in the accounts of the amount of Rs. 3-6-0, being the cost of — supplied to the Local and Municipal department. **April 26, No. 747 (L.).**

——— Recording G.O., Financial department, communicating to the departments of the Secretariat, letter from the Superintendent of Stationery requesting that orders of Government in the several departments thereof, which in any way affect the use of —, may be invariably communicated to him. **November 29, No. 2263 (L.).**

Stationery Rules.—Communicating to all Presidents of Local Boards, G.O., Financial department, ordering the supply of copies of the revised edition of the —, free of charge to Presidents of District and Taluk Boards. **November 19, No. 2192 (P.).**

Tanjore.—Communicating to the District Board, —, G.O., Public Works department, sanctioning the supplemental estimate of Rs. 6,400 for providing record racks for the public offices at —. **October 15, No. 1037 (L.).**

Typewriting Machines.—Communicating to the Sanitary Commissioner, the Sanitary Engineer and the Sanitary Board, G.O., Financial department, communicating to heads of departments, letter from the Superintendent of Stationery stating that in some offices serious damage is being done to expensive — by their being entrusted to ignorant and incompetent men; and requesting that greater care should be taken of — issued to Government offices. **October 5, No. 1828 (L.).**

Warm Clothing.—Fixing the total number of menials who have to be provided with — in the Local and Municipal department. **March 16, No. 505 (L.).**

SUITS.

Indian Limitation Act, 1877.—Recording, with remark, letter from the Collector of Kistna requesting to move the Government of India to amend the proposed article 146-A and the existing article 149 of the —, so as to extend the period of limitation in suits brought against local authorities and Government, to 30 and 60 years respectively.
September 24, No. 1721 (L.).

Madura.—Recording proceedings of the Board of Revenue (Land Revenue) sanctioning the defence of Original Suit No. 5115 of 1899 on the file of the District Munsif of Tirumangalam regarding the propriety of the acquisition of certain land in the Solaikurichi village, Madura taluk. **March 9, No. 438 (L.).**

TAXES, FEES, RENTS, &c.

Anantapur.—Requesting, with remarks, the sanction of the Government of India to the imposition of house-tax on the railway buildings situated within the limits of the Gooty union under the Gooty Taluk Board in the — district. **March 22, No. 564 (L.).**

——— Stating that the Government of India will be addressed with reference to the information called for by it regarding the taxation of railway buildings situated within the limits of the Gooty union in the — district. **November 30, No. 2270 (L.).**

——— Addressing the Government of India regarding the imposition of house-tax on the railway buildings in the Gooty union, — district.
November 30, No. 2271 (L.).

Arcot, North.—Stating that the Government of India will be addressed regarding the taxation of railway buildings in the unions of Ambúr and Kuppamu in the — district.
October 26, No. 2013 (P.).

TAXES, FEES, RENTS, &c.—*cont.*

Arcot, North.—Requesting the sanction of the Government of India to the imposition of house-tax on the railway buildings situated within the limits of the Ambur and Kuppamu unions under the Vellore Taluk Board in the — district.
October 26, No. 2014 (P.).

——— Stating that the Government of India will be addressed regarding the taxation of railway buildings in the Chittoor union in the — district.
November 20, No. 2204 (P.).

——— Requesting the sanction of the Government of India to the imposition of house-tax on the railway buildings situated within the limits of the Chittoor union under the Chittoor Taluk Board in the — district. **November 20, No. 2205 (P.).**

——— Stating that the Government of India will be addressed regarding the taxation of railway buildings in the Polur union, — district. **November 30, No. 2268 (P.).**

——— Requesting the sanction of the Government of India to the imposition of house-tax on the railway buildings situated within the limits of the Polur union under the Arni Taluk Board in the — district. **November 30, No. 2269 (P.).**

Arcot, South.—Referring the President, District Board, —, to a certain case reported in the Indian Law Reports and to section 78 (2) of the Madras Local Boards Act V of 1884 regarding the exemption of school-houses from Local Fund taxation.
February 9, No. 226 (L.).

Coimbatore.—Approving the proposal of the — District Board to exempt certain hamlets of the Pallappatti union from payment of house-tax. **August 15, No. 1459 (L.).**

——— Approving, with remark, the proposal of the Bhavâni Taluk Board for levying fees in the markets at Attani and Ulagadam from the beginning of April 1901.
September 17, No. 1686 (L.).

——— Approving the proposal of the President, District Board, —, to exempt from payment of house-tax certain classes of persons in the Kuniyamuttur union under the — Taluk Board, and ordering the publication of the necessary notification in the Fort St. George and the — District Gazettes. **November 16, No. 2165 (L.).**

Cuddapah.—Declining, with remark, to approve the proposal of the — District Board to raise the rate at which the house-tax is levied in the central villages of certain unions.
June 6, No. 989 (L.).

——— Communicating to the Taluk Board, Madanapalle, G.O., Revenue department, sanctioning the Board's recommendation for the withdrawal of the assessment (Rs. 2-4-0) of a resumed inam transferred to the Madanapalle Taluk Board for the maintenance of scavengers in the Kandukur village. **July 14, No. 1210 (L.).**

——— Sanctioning the proposals of the — District Board to levy house-tax at the maximum rates in the unions under the — Taluk Board. **July 30, No. 1313 (L.).**

Ganjám.—Informing the President, District Board, —, that the Taluk Board, Chicacole, is itself competent to sanction the payment of house-rent for June and July for the building occupied by the Salary-result school at Srikurmum. **January 18, No. 42 (L.).**

——— Informing the President, District Board, —, with remarks, that application should be made to the Revenue department for the refund of land-cess recommended by him.
May 2, No. 788 (L.).

——— Informing the President, District Board, —, that certain tramway buildings referred to by him are liable to house-tax under the Local Boards Act.
July 11, No. 1188 (L.).

——— Stating that the application received from the Collector of — for the refund of Rs. 36-8-9 on account of excess collections of land-cess on water-tax should, for the reasons stated, be dealt with by the Revenue Divisional-officer concerned, and revising articles 35 (1) and 264 (29) (I) of the Local Fund Code which bear on the subject of refunds and remissions of Local Fund revenue. **September 25, No. 1738 (P.).**

Gódávari.—Informing the President, District Board, —, that provision has been made for legalising the levy of fees for the use of markets, &c., at all times.
June 6, No. 992 (L.).

TAXES, FEES, RENTS, &c.—*cont.*

Gódáva i.—Stating that the Taluk Board of Cocanada must act on its own responsibility in the matter of the taxation of houses situated in one and the same enclosure within the limits of a union. **August 13, No. 1426 (L.).**

House-rent to Hospital Assistants.—Communicating to all Presidents of District Boards, certain correspondence regarding —, and requesting them to report as to whether, in their opinion, locally-trained hospital assistants in the service of Local Boards should be granted house-rent in lieu of free quarters and, if so, whether they should be paid the allowance at the same rate as Government hospital assistants or at different rates. **March 10, No. 448 (P.).**

Madras.—Informing the Presidency Port Officer, —, that, under section 78 (2) of Act V of 1884, as revised by section 62 of Act VI of 1900, lighthouses are not, in future, liable to house-tax. **December 22, No. 2398 (L.).**

Madura.—Communicating to the President, District Board, —, the opinion of the Advocate-General on the question of levying fees for granting licenses for the erection of sunshades, &c., and to the Legislative department for the consideration of the Select Committee of the Legislative Council certain additions suggested by the Advocate-General to section 57 of the Local Boards Act. **February 5, No. 176 (L.).**

——— Stating that the Sivaganga Taluk Board must act on its own responsibility in the matter of levying separate taxes on each of the several buildings within one compound. **March 6, No. 415 (L.).**

——— Approving the proposal of the Local Boards, — district, to exempt certain hamlets of Uthamapalayam union from payment of house-tax and ordering the publication of the necessary notification in the Fort St. George and the — District Gazettes. **March 24, No. 572 (L.).**

——— Approving the proposal of the — District Board to exempt the Raja of Ramnad from payment of pandal fees in Ramnad and Rameswaram unions, and ordering the publication of the necessary notification in the Fort St. George and the — District Gazettes. **November 2, No. 2083 (L.).**

Malabar.—Informing the President, District Board, —, that the Malappuram Taluk Board is itself competent to sanction the payment of Rs. 27, being the site rent of the Feroke cart-stand. **February 13, No. 253 (L.).**

——— Approving the proposal of the Palghat Taluk Board to levy fees at 3 pies per cart per day at the cart-stand at Kollengode, — district. **July 5, No. 1150 (L.).**

Nellore.—Approving the proposals of the Local Boards in the — district to constitute Vinjimur and its hamlets into a union and to levy house-tax therein at three-fourths of the maximum rates, and ordering the publication of the necessary notification in the Fort St. George and the — District Gazettes. **July 20, No. 1239 (P.).**

Tanjore.—Approving the proposals of the Local Boards to revise the limits of the Valangiman union, — district, and to exempt from payment of house-tax the hamlet of Valayamapuram included in the said union, and ordering the publication of the necessary notification in the Fort St. George and the — District Gazettes. **August 15, No. 1462 (P.).**

——— Communicating to the President, District Board, —, G.O., Judicial department, forwarding to the Judges of the High Court, Madras, for consideration, the President's letter requesting that the High Court may be moved to grant the concession of inserting in decrees the fees of pleaders appearing on behalf of Local Boards. **November 28, No. 2246 (L.).**

Trichinopoly.—Approving the proposal of the — Taluk Board to levy fees in the cart-stand at Manachanellur for one year from 1st April 1900. **May 2, No. 790 (L.).**

——— Approving the proposals of the — Taluk Board for the levy of fees in the weekly market and cart and jutka stand in the Lalgudi village tentatively for one year with effect from 1st October 1900. **September 17, No. 168[illegible] (L.).**

——— Approving the proposal of the Taluk Board of — to levy fees in the weekly market at Kulimani with effect from 1st November 1900. **October 20, No. 1939 (L.).**

TAXES, FEES, RENTS, &c.—*cont.*

Trichinopoly.—Approving the proposals of the Musiri Taluk Board, — district, to take over the market at Chintamanipettai under its management, and to levy fees therein with effect from the 1st January 1901. **November 21, No. 2206 (L.).**

Vizagapatam.—According sanction for the exemption from taxation of the houses below a certain value in certain unions under the Vizagapatam and the Párvathipuram Taluk Boards, — district, and ordering the publication of the necessary notification in the Fort St. George and the — District Gazettes. **May 2, No. 791 (L.).**

TOLLS AND FERRIES.

Arcot, North.—Requesting the District Board of — to consider and report on the suggestion made by the inhabitants of Tirupati that the Municipal Council of the town should be exempted from the contribution for tolls now paid to the District Board. **March 14, No. 482 (L.).**

——— Requesting the President, District Board, —, to communicate to the inhabitants of Tirupati the resolution of the District Board that it is not in favour of granting any exemption to the Municipality of Tirupati from payment of a share of the Municipal toll collections to the District Board. **April 26, No. 739 (L.).**

Arcot, South.—Approving the proposal of the — District Board to remove the Tirukkóyilúr toll-gate from its present site, and ordering the publication of the necessary notification in the Fort St. George and the — District Gazettes. **March 1, No. 376 (L.).**

——— Approving the proposal of the — District Board to remove the Shatiatope toll-gate from its present site and ordering the publication of the necessary notification in the Fort St. George and the — District Gazettes. **March 5, No. 407 (L.).**

——— Approving the proposal of the — District Board to establish two sub-gates to the toll-gate at Marathandi Chavadi, and ordering the publication of the necessary notification in the Fort St. George and the — District Gazettes. **December 21, No. 2392 (L.).**

Bellary.—Communicating to the Taluk Board, —, G.O., Revenue department, approving and ordering the publication in the Fort St. George and the — District Gazettes of the revised draft notification for the establishment of a ferry on the Hagari river at Karchiganum village in the — taluk, and assigning the management of the ferry to the — Taluk Board. **July 2, No. 1118 (L.).**

Chingleput.—Declining, with remark, to sanction the proposal of the — District Board to establish toll-gates on the road from Madurántakam to Chunampet. **January 19, No. 48 (L.).**

———Sanctioning the proposal of the — District Board to establish two toll-gates on the Salt road at Chunampet, and ordering the publication of the necessary notification in the Fort St. George and the — District Gazettes. **May 14, No. 862 (L.).**

——— Declining, with remarks, to approve the proposal of the — District Board to establish a toll-gate on the Red Hills, Tiruvallur road. **May 25, No. 925 (L).**

——— Ordering the publication of the necessary notification in the Fort St. George and the — District Gazettes regarding the removal of the subsidiary toll-gate at Onambakkam to Kattu Devadur to prevent the evasion of tolls. **September 4, No. 1581 (L.).**

——— Ordering the publication of the necessary notification in the Fort St. George and the — District Gazettes regarding the removal of the subsidiary toll-gate at Kadapperi to the 13th mile 8th furlong of the Great Southern Trunk road to prevent the evasion of tolls. **September 4, No. 1582 (L.).**

——— Approving the proposal of the — District Board to put up an additional bar to the toll-gate at Virugambakkam. **October 15, No. 1894 (L.).**

Coimbatore.—Declining, with remark, to approve the proposal of the President of the District Board, —, to utilize for lighting charges in certain unions, the increased income from tolls. **May 10, No. 833 (L.).**

——— Approving, with remark, the proposal of the — District Board to remove the Toppampatti toll-gate on the Palladam-Pollachi road from its present position to a spot near the fifth furlong of the fifth mile on the same road, and ordering the issue of the necessary notification in the Fort St. George and the — District Gazettes. **May 29, No. 949 (L.).**

TOLLS AND FERRIES—*cont.*

Coimbatore.—Returning to the Presi[illegible], District Board, —, with remark, his letter with enclosures, requesting sanction for in[illegible]ng the ferry farm at Rudrapalaiyam in Udamalpet taluk in the list of ferry farms to be sold in the current and future years.
August 31, No. 1551 (L.).

——— Approving the proposal of the District Board of — to remove the toll-gate of Ambarampalayam to some other locality, and ordering the publication of the necessary notification in the Fort St. George and the — District Gazettes.
October 31, No. 2045 (L.).

——— Communicating to the Taluk Board, Pollachi, G.O., Revenue department, approving and ordering the publication in the Fort St. George and the — District Gazettes of the draft notification [illegible] the establishment of a ferry at Rudrapalaiyam, Udamalpet taluk, and assigning the management of the ferry to the Taluk Board, Pollachi. **November 19, No. 2178 (L.).**

Cuddapah.—Approving the proposal of the — District Board to remove the Bádvel toll-gate from its present site, and ordering the publication of the necessary notification in the Fort St. George and the — District Gazettes. **February 2, No. 161 (L.).**

——— Approving the proposal of the — District Board to remove the toll-gate at Pulivendla from its present site, and ordering the publication of the necessary notification in the Fort St. George and the — District Gazettes. **February 14, No. 258 (L.).**

——— Approving the proposal of the — District Board to remove the toll-gate at Nambuli, Pulikunta, from its present site, and ordering the publication of the necessary notification in the Fort St. George and the — District Gazettes.
April 18, No. 716 (L.).

Exemption from tolls of persons and property belonging to the Army.—Ordering that the Government of India be addressed in reply to its letter requesting to be furnished with the opinion of the Government of Madras and certain officers on the provisions of the Bill to amend the law relating to the —. **January 2, No. 1 (P.).**

——— Forwarding to the Government of India the opinions of the Government of Madras and of certain officers on the provisions of the Bill to amend the law relating to the —.
January 2, No. 2 (P.).

Gódávari.—Communicating to the District Board, Gódávari, G.O., Revenue department, ordering the publication in the *Fort St. George Gazette* of a revised draft notification defining the limits of the ferries under the management of the District Board,—.
February 26, No. 339 (L.).

——— Sanctioning the proposal of the — District Board to dispense with the services of the servant on Rs. 3 per mensem at the Rajavaram-Peravaram ferry.
August 27, No. 1517 (L.).

Kistna.—Approving the proposal of the — District Board to transfer the toll-gate at Karempudi from its present position, and ordering the publication of the necessary notification in the Fort St. George and the — District Gazettes.
March 20, No. 530 (L.).

——— Approving the proposal of the — District Board to remove the toll-gate at Kondapalle to some other place, and ordering the publication of the necessary notification in the Fort St. George and the — District Gazettes. **October 24, No. 1948 (L.).**

——— Approving the proposal of the — District Board to open a toll-gate at Nekarikal, and ordering the publication of the necessary notification in the Fort St. George and the — District Gazettes. **November 13, No. 2144 (L.).**

Madura.—Declining to approve the proposal of the — District Board to open a toll-gate at Karuvanuthu bridge. **February 20, No. 315 (L.).**

——— Communicating to the District Board, —, G.O., Revenue department, ordering the publication in the *Fort St. George Gazette* of the draft notification for the establishment of a public ferry at Attankarai village in the Ramnad zamindari,— district, and assigning the management of the ferry to the District Board, —.
February 26, No. 340 (L.).

TOLLS AND FERRIES—*cont.*

Malabar.—Ordering the publication in the Fort St. George and the — District Gazettes of a notification for the abolition of the toll-gate at the Keranallur bridge in the Ernad taluk.
January 26, No. 123 (L.).

——— Communicating to the District Board, —, G.O., Revenue department, ordering the publication in the *Fort St. George Gazette* of a draft notification as modified by Government for the establishment of a ferry at Eramala, — district, and assigning the management of the ferry of the District Board, —. **May 2, No. 786 (L.).**

——— Approving the proposal of the — District Board to establish a subsidiary toll-gate at Kudakadavu; and ordering the publication of the necessary notification in the Fort St. George and the — District Gazettes. **June 9, No. 1012 (L.).**

——— Approving the proposal of the — District Board regarding the removal of the toll-gate at Perintalmanna, and ordering the publication of the necessary notification in the Fort St. George and the — District Gazettes. **July 9, No. 1179 (L.).**

——— Communicating to the District Board, —, G.O., Revenue department, amending the draft notification relating to the establishment of a ferry at Pukatanu in the Kóttayam taluk, and ordering the publication of the notification in the *Fort St. George Gazette.* **November 17, No. 2173 (L.).**

Nellore.—Ordering the publication in the Fort St. George and the — District Gazette of a notification for opening a toll-gate on the Vencatachalam-Muthukur road in the — district. **October 24, No. 1949 (L.).**

Tanjore.—Communicating to the Taluk Board, Mannárgudi, G.O., Revenue department, approving and ordering the publication in the *Fort St. George Gazette* of the draft notification for the establishment of a ferry at Sembodai village, Tirutturaippúndi taluk, — district, and assigning the management of it to the Taluk Board, Mannárgudi. **February 2, No. 162 (L.).**

Vizagapatam.—Approving the proposal of the — District Board to transfer a toll-gate near Payakaraopet from its present site and ordering the publication of the necessary notification in the Fort St. George and the — District Gazettes. **April 26, No. 738 (L.).**

WATER-SUPPLY.

Arcot, South.—Communicating to the District Board, —, G.O., Public Works department, sanctioning, with remarks, estimate of Rs. 4,110 for the diversion of the Boothanady channel, — division, and of the adjoining road. **September 1, No. 1567 (L.).**

Investigation of the St. Thomas' Mount Water Project.—Requesting the Sanitary Engineer to address the Cantonment Committee regarding the — along with that of the Saidapet scheme. **January 24, No. 98 (L.).**

WORKS.

Anantapur.—Recording letter from the President, District Board, —, reporting that the Engineer has completed the annual verification of the tools and plant throughout the district. **August 15, No. 1456 (L.).**

Arcot, North.—Directing, with remarks, that a sum of Rs. 41,000 from the estimated balance of the — District Board's budget for the year 1900–1901 be entered under Grant 1 as contribution to Provincial funds on account of famine-relief works. **June 2, No. 979 (P.).**

——— Communicating to the District Board, —, G.O., Public Works department, sanctioning, with remarks, certain estimates for works under "33. Famine Relief" in the — division. **June 25, No. 1082 (L.).**

Arcot, South.—Communicating to the District Board, —, G.O., Public Works department, sanctioning, with remarks, the execution by the Public Works department of the work of repairing the bund and weir of the Vriddháchalam cusba tank. **June 9, No. 1009 (L.).**

——— Communicating to the District Board, —, G.O., Public Works department, sanctioning the execution by the Public Works department of repairs to Kalamarudur tank, Rs. 1,000 of the outlay being contributed by the District Board, —. **October 4, No. 1788 (L.).**

WORKS—*cont.*

Arcot, South.—Communicating to the — District Board, G.O., Public Works department, sanctioning the execution by that department of the work of protecting the right margin of the Vellar river, — district. **October 25, No. 1957 (L.).**

Bellary.—Recording G.O., Public Works department, sanctioning for execution as a famine-relief work, if required, the estimate of Rs. 73,300 for constructing a new tank at Kolur, — district. **April 30, No. 773 (L.).**

Canara, South.—Approving the proposal of the — District Board to permit the Local Fund Supervisor to give, after inspection, the certificate prescribed by article 440 (ii) of the Local Fund Code in respect of the roads in his charge. **October 8, No. 1860 (L.).**

Coimbatore.—Communicating to the District Board, —, G.O., Public Works department, sanctioning the estimate amounting to Rs. 17,000 for constructing a bridle-path from Villony to Valparai in the Anamalais. **March 5, No. 387 (L.).**

Cuddapah.—Raising, with remark, the petty supervision charges of repair works in the — district from 5 to 8 per cent. of the estimated value of works. **May 2, No. 784 (L.).**

Famine-relief Works.—Recording G.O., Financial department, directing that all allotments under the ordinary heads in the Provincial budget on account of works which are carried out as — shall be surrendered to the Financial department as soon as it is decided that the works in question are to be treated as famine works. **May 14, No. 848 (L.).**

Ganjam.—Communicating to the District Board, —, G.O., Public Works department, sanctioning estimates for certain Local Fund works in the — district. **March 26, No. 583 (L.).**

Godavari.—Communicating to the Taluk Board, Narsapur, G.O., Public Works department, sanctioning the revised estimate of Rs. 4,160 for constructing an under-tunnel at 4 miles, 6 furlongs and 535 feet of the Kadali channel, a branch of the Gannavaram canal, — Central delta, and ordering that a copy of the proceedings be forwarded to the Government of India. **April 30, No. 777 (L.).**

Kistna.—Recording letter from the President, District Board, —, reporting on the working of the stone-crushing machinery during the year 1899–1900. **September 17, No. 1685 (L.)**

Kurnool.—Communicating to the District Board, —, G.O., Public Works department, sanctioning under "33. Famine Relief" certain estimates for famine works in the — district. **April 21, No. 722 (L.).**

——— Approving the action of the District Board of — in sanctioning the famine estimate of Rs. 1,85,550 for the repairs of the Kurnool-Bellary road. **October 26, No. 1998 (L.).**

Local Fund Works.—Forwarding to the Accountant-General the statement showing the amounts of estimates for — scrutinized by the Public Works department for the quarter ending 30th September 1899, and requesting him to make the necessary adjustments in the accounts in communication with the Examiner of Public Works Accounts. **February 1, No. 154 (P.).**

——— Forwarding to the Accountant-General the statement showing the amounts of estimates for —, scrutinized by the Public Works department for the quarter ending 31st December 1899 and requesting him to make the necessary adjustment in the accounts in communication with the Examiner of Public Works Accounts. **March 5, No. 426 (P.).**

——— Forwarding to the Accountant-General statement showing the amounts of estimates for —, scrutinized by the Public Works department for the quarter ending 31st March 1900, and requesting him to make the necessary adjustment in the accounts in communication with the Examiner of Public Works Accounts. **August 3, No. 1338 (P.).**

——— Stating, with remark, that the necessary provision of funds will be made in the Local Fund budgets for 1901–1902 in regard to — proposed to be carried out by the Public Works department during that year. **December 6, No. 2315 (P.).**

WORKS—*cont.*

Madura.—Communicating to the District Board, —, G.O., Public Works department, directing that the preparation of the estimate for the road in the Periyár tract, which the Collector of — regards as of chief importance, be entrusted to the Executive Engineer in charge of the special Periyár sub-division, who will carry it out in addition to his other duties. **March 5, No. 386 (L.).**

Malabar.—Informing the District Board, —, that, if it desires to avail itself of the opportunity of obtaining means of cart-traffic on the railway bridges over the Korapuzha and Murat rivers, it should decide which of the alternatives offered by the Agent of the Madras Railway will be most desirable, and accept it. **August 4, No. 1342 (L.).**

——— Communicating to the Public Works (Railway) department the proposal of the — District Board regarding the provision of roadways for cart-traffic over the Korapuzha and Murat bridges in the — district, and requesting that department to ascertain the views of the Madras Railway Company on the Board's proposal. **October 18, No. 1926 (L.).**

Tanjore.—Communicating to the Taluk Board, Mannárgudi, with remarks, G.O., Public Works department, passing orders on the statements submitted by the Superintending Engineers, V and VI Circles, of requirements under "Incorporated Local" for incomplete works of 1899–1900 and for new works proposed to be undertaken in the current official year. **August 4, No. 1340 (L.).**

——— Recording G.O., Marine department, stating that an estimate of the cost of the proposed improvements to the port of Adirampatnam will be called for in the Public Works department, that Madras Act III of 1885 will be brought into force at the port on the commencement of the improvements, and that the requisite draft notifications will, meanwhile, be submitted by the Port Officer. **October 10, No. 1883 (L.).**

——— Communicating to the District Board, —, G.O., Public Works department, sanctioning the execution by that department of the works of repairing the Coleroon right bank below Devadanam dam in the Mannárgudi taluk, — district. **December 8, No. 2324 (L.).**

Trichinopoly.—Recording, with remark, letter from the President, District Board, —, stating that only a sum of Rs. 1,340 instead of Rs. 1,415, as proposed in his letter No. 526, dated 11th July 1900, should be placed at the disposal of the Public Works department. **August 6, No. 1370 (L.).**

——— Authorising the Accountant-General to place, at the disposal of the Public Works department, the sum of Rs. 1,430 required for certain works in the — district. **August 6, No. 1371 (L.).**

——— Communicating to the District Board, —, G.O., Public Works department, communicating letter from the Superintending Engineer, VI Circle, reporting that the repairs to road No. 5 leading from — to Kumbakónam *viâ* Grand Anicut have been carried out. **November 29, No. 2253 (L.).**

Water works.—Stating that Government is not prepared to sanction the proposal of Mr. Malet, the Sanitary Engineer, to visit Ceylon with a view to examine certain — there. **October 20, No. 1940 (L.).**

Works of public utility.—Ordering, with remarks, the publication in the *Fort St. George Gazette* of the statement showing the — constructed by private individuals in the Madras Presidency during 1899–1900. **September 12, No. 1660 (P.).**

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