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(15 AUGUST 1874 TO 15 AUGUST 1875.)

Having in my joint report for the two preceding years, given a detailed sketch of the history and constitution of the several Courts and Departments forming the machinery of State, I shall confine myself in the present report to a brief narrative of the transactions of the year under review.

LEGISLATION.

2. A Regulation (I of 1050) was passed ^{15th November 1874.}
^{29th Tuluam 1050.} to provide against overcrowding in native passenger ships plying between Ports of this State and those situated in the Red Sea and the Persian Gulf.

3. The negotiations with the British Government touching Criminal Jurisdiction over European British Subjects in the State, having come to a close, a Royal Proclamation was issued (16th Edavom 1050 corresponding with 28th May 1875) to give effect to the arrangements under which Special Magistrates to be appointed by His Highness the Maha Rajah and vested with the powers* of a Magistrate

* 3 Months' imprisonment or Fine up to Rs. 1000 or both.

of the 1st class under the Indian Procedure Code, were empowered to try all

ordinary cases within their cognizance, and in committable cases, to commit (in virtue of their contemporaneous appointment by the Viceroy as Justices of the Peace) either to the British Resident as a Court of Session or to the High Court at Madras.

JUDICIAL ADMINISTRATION.

CIVIL COURTS.

4. **Moonsiff Courts.**—There were pending at the close of the year 1049, 4,673 Suits before all the Courts and there were filed during the year 1050, 25,309 inclusive of readmissions &c. making a total of 29,982 which was less than the file of 1049 by 572 Suits. Of this total 26,096 were

* Note. Inclusive of 5,100 Small cause Suits.

† Under 6 months—3,212 above 6 & under 1 year 467

„ 1 & „ 2 years 149
„ 2 & „ 3 years 43
„ 3 & „ 4 years 8
„ 4 & „ 5 years 2
„ 5 years ... 5

‡ including 985 small cause Suits.

disposed * of within the year, leaving 3,886 † pending at its end, which with reference to their duration are classified in the margin.

5. The disposals are thus classified (a) on merits (i. e. contested by both parties) 8,235 ‡ (b) ex-parte 9,365 (c) compromised 2,537 (d) by agreement i. e. without the parties raising any issue either of law or fact 2,000, (e) dismissed for default, and other reasons 3,959.

6. Of the disposals on merits, 5,732 were for Plaintiffs and 2,503 for Defendants, the proportion being 70 to 30.

7. Total value of Suits filed in 1050 was Rs. 9,43,412 against Rs. 9,54,485 in 1049. 10 per cent of the Suits related to real property against 7 per cent in the preceding year.

8. The average duration of a Suit in 1050 was 2 months 18 days against 2 months 21 days in 1049.

9. The largest number of Suits disposed of by a single Moonsiff was 2,110 (out of a file of 2,272) of which 569 were on merits, the rest otherwise. The lowest number was 599 (out of a file of 657) of which 137 were on merits, the rest otherwise. In 10 Courts there was no Suit pending at the end of the year, which was more than one year old.

10. Out of 10,199 appealable decisions, only in 1,513 appeals (14 per cent) were preferred. 1,289 appeals from the decisions of the Moonsiffs were disposed of within the year, 589 (46 per cent) being confirmed—177 (13 per cent) modified, and 523 (41 per cent) reversed.

11. To the number of *applications* for execution, pending at the close of 1049, viz. 6,158, there were added in 1050, 18,570, making a total of 24,728 of which 12,909 could not be dealt with owing to the default of the parties, 1,093 were disposed of by agreement—6,055, were duly executed, and 4,671 stood over at the end of the year.

12. Of Moonsiffs' decrees, execution of which was not moved for, there were 84,602 in the aggregate of which 25,701 were above 3 years, the majority of which were probably barred by the statute of limitations, and the rest 58,901, being under 3 years and not therefore barred.

13. The Sadr Court remark that the number already barred should be struck out of the return as useless and that the attention of the Moonsiffs has been called to the speedy executions of those not so barred.

14. I have already commented in the previous report on the obvious defect in this part of the judicial work. It is, I must confess, a strange commentary on the general results of the administration of Civil Justice, that after going through the expense and vexation of a law suit, so many judgments should be abandoned, without the parties interested taking steps to reap the benefit of their labour. My own inquiries on the subject lead me to think that it may be traced to the following among other causes. The Moonsiff or the *First Judge* of the Zillah Court, on whom the work falls, has little time to attend to it. There is no special or effective agency for the purpose. So many counter

claims or doubts, or difficulties often spring up in the course of executing a judgment relating to real property that the parties find themselves at the threshold of a new litigation. In these circumstances the pursuit is either abandoned or the parties discount the judgments outside the Courts on the best terms they could get. If the above are the real causes, the creation of an efficient special agency in each Court would seem to be the only remedy.

15. Zillah Courts.—Original Jurisdiction. The work of the Zillah Courts comes next for review. Of original suits before all the Courts, the following statement gives at one view, the results in comparison with those of the preceding year.

	1049	1050
Pending at beginning	915	1,468 †
Admitted (including readmissions &c.)	2,207	2,164
Total	3,122	3,632
Disposed of	1,654	2,095
Balance	1,468	1,537

† Value Rs. 22,38,032 and No. of suits relating to immoveable property 967.

16. Out of the total number disposed of, 1,289 or 61 per cent were on merits, 257 by compromise, 322 ex-parte and the rest dismissed for default of parties. The disposals on merits were 877 for Plaintiffs and 412 for Defendants. Those pending at the year's end, stood as in the margin with reference to their age.

Under 6 Months	735
" 1 Year	320
" 2 Years	341
" 3 Do.	88
" 4 Do.	40
" 5 Do.	5
Above 5 Do.	10

17. The average duration of Suits in the several Zillah Courts was as follows:—

	Months	days	Months	days
Nagercoil.....	7	13	7	12
Troyandrum.....	4	23	3	3
Quilon.....	8	21	13	7
Alleppey.....	4	10	6	0
Alwaye.....	2	6	4	21

The reason of the increased average delay in the Quilon, Alleppey, and Alwaye Courts, is that long pending suits had been taken up and disposed of.

18. Zillah Courts.—(continued) Appellate Jurisdiction. The work done by the Zillah Courts in their appellate capacity will now be briefly noticed.

	1049	1050
* Under 6 Months	299	
" 1 Year	88	
" 2 Years	33	
" 3 Do.	19	
" 4 Do.	4	
" 5 Do.	2	
Above 5 Do.	1	
	536	
Appeals pending at beginning of the year.	175	401
Do. filed during year, including readmissions &c.	1,283	1,558
Total	1,458	1,959
Disposed of	1,057	1,453
Balance	401	*506

19. The results of appeal in 1050 were 589 confirmed, 187 modified, 234 reversed, 86 compromised, 56 dismissed for default of parties, 18 ex-parte, 279 remanded and the remaining 4 being otherwise disposed of.

20. The disposals on Merits were 1,010 (out of 1,453) of which 421 were for Plaintiffs and 589 for Defendants.

21. The value of claims involved in the appeals was (1050) Rs. 1,02,862 and the No. of appeals relating to immoveable property was 522.

22. The average duration of appeals in each Court was as under,

	1049		1050	
	Months	Days	Months	Days
Nagercoil	1	17	1	24
Trevandrum.....	2	20	2	12
Quilon	4	6	8	7
Alleppey.....	1	22	4	11
Alwaye	1	2	1	13

The increased delay in the Quilon Court, and perhaps that in Alleppey, is stated to be due to long pending appeals having been taken up.

23. Inclusive of the number standing over from the previous year, there were 3,044 applications for execution of decrees, of which 341* were actually complied with by being actually carried out, 173 were compromised, 1,736 were not executed owing to default of parties, the rest 794 were pending at the close of the year. 105 of the executions referred to real, and 236 to moveable property, and 6 of the former and 12 of the latter were contested by third parties.

24. Of decrees not moved for execution, there were 9,348 at the end of the year. 6,380 of them were under 3, and the rest above that period, and years probably barred by statute of limitations.

25. **Sadr Court.**—The Civil work of the Sadr Court will now be noticed. The *Regular Appeals* (i. e. those from the Zillah Courts) were as under..

	1049	1050
Pending at beginning of the year	516	2084
Filed during year	351	334
Total.....	867	542
Disposed of	659	466
Balance.....	208	76

* Value Rs. 2,26,871 &c.
No. of appeals relating to real property 216.

1 Under 6 months 37
" 1 year 9
" 2 years 19

26. The disposals were 421 on merits, 21 by compromise, 10 dismissed for default &c. and 11 remanded.

27. An analysis of those decided on merits shows 259 confirmed, 87 modified and 15 reversed.

28. The average duration of these appeals was 8 months, 3 days, against 14 months in the previous year.

29. *Special Appeals.*—Of Special Appeals there were,

	1049	1050
Pending at beginning of the year	195	48
Admitted during year	90	* 91
Total.....	285	139
Disposed of.....	237	126
Balance	48	13

30. On merits, the disposals were 94, by compromise 8, by default 3, and by remand 21. Out of the first, the confirmations were 65, modifications 15 and reversals 14.

31. The number of applications for admission of Special Appeals was 179 (in 1050) or including the 16 pending from the preceding year 195. Of these, 91 only were admitted, 102 were rejected as groundless, and 2 stood over.

32. The average duration of the Special Appeals was 3 months 25 days, against 13 months 27 days in 1049.

33. *Reviews.*—There were 7 applications (including the one remaining from the previous year) admitted; 4 of them were disposed of, viz. 1 by compromise, 3 on merits and 3* were pending at the end of the year.

* 1 under 6 months
1 " 1 year
1 " 2 years

34. The general results of Civil administration during the year (1050) are thus summarized from the Sadr's report.

(a) Suits filed in all Courts 29,402* touching claims valued at Rupees 35,20,291. Suits brought forward from previous year 6,799.
* 14 per cent related to real property.

(b) Number disposed of 30,240 or 83 per cent of file. The number on merits was 11,052 or 36 per cent.

(c) Average duration of a suit, was 4 months, 18 days, against 7 months, 21 days.

(d) Percentage of cases pending 16.

35. The results of the Civil work of the year must be considered on the whole satisfactory. The Moonsiffs have done fair work and wherever there was a block of business either temporary Moonsiffs were appointed to relieve the permanent ones, or a portion of the suit was transferred to other Courts which had leisure. The Zillah Courts' work, assisted by a temporary Judge, has also considerably improved, while the Sadr have reduced their file to 92 (against 257 at the end of the previous year) and have virtually disposed of all long pending appeals; there being none above 2 years' standing left.

36. The charges on account of the Judicial administration amounted to Rupees 1,66,213 against Rupees 1,60,894 in 1049; the increase being due to the raising of the salary of the first Judge of the Sadr from Rupees 800 to Rupees 1000 and to the entertainment of temporary Judges and Moonsiffs. The Judicial Receipts amounted to Rupees 1,40,704.

37. The institution fees and penalties on unstamped documents amounted to Rupees 1,32,866, and bore a ratio of 4 per cent on the value of suits filed. The maximum

regulated fee is however 5 per cent. To this may be added at least 5 per cent as charges of process &c., and 5 per cent more as the authorized fee for Vakils. This will give a total of 15 per cent, which however, is, in point of fact, a great deal under the actual cost of litigation. It would be near the mark to take the Vakils' fee in these days at 15 per cent and this would raise the cost to 25 per cent of the value contested, only up to Judgment. The difficulties in obtaining Judgment have been already alluded to, and it no doubt add still further to the costs.

CRIMINAL COURTS.

38. Appointments of Special Magistrates.—

Mr. H. Crawford,
Alleppey.
Dr. Ormsby,
Trevandrum.
Mr. Robert Baker,
Peermade.
Mr. Densley,
Trevandrum.

Under the arrangements alluded to in para 2 of this report, the gentlemen named in the margin were appointed Special Magistrates for the trial of European British subjects.

39. Appointments of Sub-Magistrates.—

The Superintendent of Chowkeys at Aramboli was vested with the powers of a Sub-magistrate in his neighbourhood.

40. Cases before the Magistracy.—The charges brought before the Magistracy and their disposal were as under,

	1049	1050
No. of charges remaining at beginning of the year.	17	12
No. admitted during the year.	16,256	18,379
Total.	16,273	18,391
No. disposed of by Magistracy.	15,715	17,670
No. committed to Zillah Courts.	546	680
No. remaining at the end of the year.	12	41

† This includes 1507 cases removed from the files owing to the non-apprehension of the accused and similar other reasons.

The state of the file at the end of the year is satisfactory.

41. The average time for a case disposed of by the Magistracy was 12, and for a case committed, 19 days.

42. The number of persons charged in all the 18,891 cases was 39,747—classified according to creed as follows:—

Hindoos	26,864
Christians	8,724
Mohomedans	4,159
and according to age as under	
Under 16 years	1,340
16 to 30 "	19,966
above 30 "	18,441
and according to sex	
Females	3,257
Males	the rest.

43. The disposals by the Magistracy gave the following results.

	No. of cases.	No. of offenders.
Convicted	7,181	11,415
Acquitted	6,023	14,391
Compromised or other- wise disposed of. }	2,959	6,201
Total	16,163	31,917

44. Of the 16,163 cases, 8,147 were offences against the person—3,224 against property and the rest were of a miscellaneous nature.

45. The punishments inflicted were as follows:—

	Offenders.
Number fined only	9,425
Whipping only	31
Imprisonment only	744
Imprisonment and fine	718
Do. and whipping	107
Do. Do. and fine	27

The rest were discharged with a caution or on security for good behaviour.

46. Those sentenced to hard labour were 287.

47. The fines amounted to Rs 44,763 (1050) or inclusive of previous year's balance Rs. 46,214, of which, Rs. 27,830, were recovered—Rs. 15,479 expiated by further imprisonment, and a balance of Rs. 2,913 stood over.

48. Of the committed cases, 124 related to offences against the person—260 to offences against property—and the rest were of miscellaneous character.

49. The 124 included 20 of murder, 10 of culpable homicide not amounting to murder, 3 of rape, 43 of grievous hurt, the rest of less serious nature.

50. The 260 embraced 48 of robbery, 193 of theft, 9 of arson and the rest miscellaneous. In 6 cases, value of property robbed or stolen exceeded Rs. 1,000. Of forgery and perjury there were respectively 11 and 7.

51. Of suicides there were 93 cases in all, viz, 56 by hanging, 31 by drowning, 2 by poison, 4 by other ways.

52. Of accidental deaths there were 276, viz, drowning 144, fall from trees 98, otherwise 34.

53. The servants of Government brought to trial numbered 168, the offences being torture, bribery, and misappropriation. They were for the most part (137) servants drawing salaries below Rs. 10. Only 3 were above 50 Rs. salary. 60 were convicted, and the rest acquitted. Of the former 36 were fined, 10 were imprisoned, the rest otherwise disposed of.

54. The number of cases referred by the Sub-Magistrates to the Magistrates for higher punishment was 272.

55. The Magistrates' own files showed 947 cases, of which, 64 were committed to the Zillah Criminal Courts, and the rest disposed of otherwise with the exception of 7, which stood over for the next year.

56. 1,344 appeals from the decisions of Sub-Magistrates were preferred to the Magistrates, who disposed of them (including 94 appeals brought over from the previous year) thus: confirmed 861, reversed 323, modified 192, otherwise disposed of 20, leaving balance 42.

57. There were appeals from the Magistrates to the Zillah Criminal Courts, 216 inclusive of those pending from previous year, of which 180 were disposed of during the year, 118 being confirmed, 23 being modified and 39 reversed.

58. The Criminal work of the Zillah Courts was as follows:—

Total of cases including	Cases.	Prisoners.
No. brought forward.....	804	1,922
Disposed of.....	681	* 1,555
Pending	123	367

* Note.
40 were females.

The number of cases disposed of compared with the previous year was 101, or 17 per cent more. The pending cases include 47 tried and determined, but awaiting confirmation before the Sadr.

59. Of the 1,555 persons tried, 874 were convicted and 681 were acquitted.

60. The punishments awarded were (a) by the Criminal Courts within their powers.

	Prisoners.
Flogged.....	4
Imprisonment under 1 year.....	188
" below 2 years	60
" " 3 " 	3
Fined.....	133
(b) By the Sadr in confirmation.	Prisoners.
Flogged	13
Imprisonment under 1 year	305
" " 3 years.....	108
" " 7 " 	20
" " 10 " 	2
" " for life	15
Capital Punishment.....	5
Fined.....	14

	days.
Nagercoil.....	12
Trevandrum	4
Quilon	30
Alleppey	51
Alwaye	50

61. The average duration of a trial before the Zillah Criminal Courts was 24 days. Each Court taken by itself however, presented different results as noted in the margin.

62. Revision of Calendar. The appellate (Criminal) Judges reviewed 13,194 Calendars and extracts from the Register of appeals disposed of by the Magistrates, and referred 170 with their remarks for the orders of the Sadr and of these last, 144 were approved, 12 were modified, and 2 reversed and 12 stood over.

63. In 82 instances the original convictions were quashed—in 50, orders for commitment to the Criminal Court were passed—in 2, trial *de novo* ordered.

64. The work of the Sadr Court on the Criminal side was as follows:—

	Cases.	Prisoners
Number of Cases referred and pending	439	1,000
Disposed of	423	928
Pending	11	72

The disposal resulted in confirmations 326, modifications 80, reversals 22.

65. The average duration of *referred* cases was 7 days.

66. Of Criminal appeals from the Criminal Judges to the Sadr, there were 12, of which 7 were confirmed, 4 modified and 1 reversed. The average delay in the disposal of these was 5 days.

67. The results of the administration of Criminal Justice in the Courts of all grades, as illustrated in the foregoing paras, must be considered, on the whole, to have been satisfactory, and a considerable improvement on previous years.

POLICE.

68. Though no great changes have taken place, still a few minor ones may be noted.

- (a) Creation of a Sub-Magistrate's Cutcherry (with a Police Establishment) at Aramboli.
- (b) Three Police stations, or Tannahs, were established, one at Celancheri, Quilon Division, one at Palode, Trevandrum Division, and one at Kolasakarapoorum, Southern Division.
- (c) A watching station was established at Panichimoodoo, Trevandrum Division, where there is a large fair held.
- (d) Six peons were added to the existing establishment of Floating Police on the Kayencolum Backwater.
- (e) A canoe with crew was added on the same Backwater Police, for better patrolling during nights.
- (f) The Extra Police officer and establishment temporarily appointed for the districts of Cottayam and Chungunacheri was discontinued.

The result of these arrangements being a net addition of 21 to the previous total strength of the Police.

69. The cost of the Police Force in the year was Rs. 9,228½ per mensem, or for the year, 1,10,742, and that on account of Police Magisterial officers and other Establishments and Huzzoor Central office and Establishment, charged to Police, was Rs. 3,041½ per mensem, or 36,498 per annum. The entire cost was thus Rs. 1,47,240.



JAILS.

70. The number of Convicts in the several Jails stood thus :—

	No.
Remaining at the beginning of the year	518
Admitted	862
Total.....	1,410
Released	706
No. Escaped 0 }	26
No. Died 26 }	
Total.....	732
Remaining at the end of the year	678

Of whom there were

Brahmins	4	} Female Convicts 11.
Other Hindoos	446	
Christians	134	
Mohomedans	94	

71. Among the number released, given above, there were 8 life prisoners who being old and decrepid, and having been inmates of the jail for 30 and 40 years, received a pardon from His Highness the Maha Rajah and were set free.

72. Of the number 6,78,625 were natives of the State, 53 foreigners—viz, 17 from British Cochin, 8 from Madras, 17 from Tinnevely, and 11 from Cochin State.

73. 641 were under sentence of hard labour.

74. Distributed with reference to their terms of imprisonment, there were :—

57	Imprisonment for life. (2 are females)
28	From 16 to 28 years.
21	" 10 to 15 "
69	" 6 to 10 "
503	below 6 years.

75. The average daily number was 628 in the year.

76. The average mortality was 4 per cent, though there were no deaths from epidemics.

77. The charges on account of Jails amounted to Rs. 40,929, giving an average cost per Convict, of a little more than Rs. 65 per annum, distributed as below.

	Rs.	Average per convict.
Dieting.....	22,026	35½
Guarding.....	11,307	18
Medical attendance.....	6,528	10½
Miscellaneous	1,068	1½
	40,929	65

QUASI-JUDICIAL

REGISTRATION OF ASSURANCES.

78. The total number of documents registered, amount of fees collected, and the expenditure in the year were as under, compared with the preceding year:—

No. of Instruments.	Receipt. Rs.	Expenditure. Rs.	Surplus. Rs.
1049.....44,057	76,724	36,723	40,001
1050.....51,131	88,970	43,976	44,994

Further details of documents, their values, and their distribution over the Taluqs, will be found in the usual abstracts appended.

79. The total values of the registered documents stood thus:—

Relating to Immove- able property. Rs.	Relating to move- able property. Rs.	Total. Rs.
1049.....1,50,00,000	6,00,000	1,56,00,000
1050.....1,75,00,000	6,00,000	1,81,00,000

80. The average delay of registration was $1\frac{1}{4}$ day against $1\frac{1}{2}$ day in 1049.

81. Of memoranda of Decrees relating to immoveable property not brought under registration, there were 3,176, and of those relating to documents registered, there were 1,520.

82. The Instruments relating to immoveable property classified with reference to value stood thus:—

Not exceeding above	Rs.	No.	per cent.
"	50	10,599	33
"	50	11,411	23
"	100	20,299	41
"	1,000	1,355	
"	5,000	15	
"	6,000	13	
No. of documents with values of or a little above.	10,000	2	
"	20,000	1	
"	40,000	2	
"	67,000	1	
"	74,000	1	
"	1,33,000	1	
of intermediate values after 6,000, and up to the last 29			

All the instruments of the higher values relate, for the most part, to transactions in Coffee Estates.

83. The proportion between Instruments relating to immoveable and those relating to moveable property, continues to be the same as in former years, viz, 97 per cent the former, and 3 per cent the latter.

84. The following table exhibits some details of the Receipts and Expenditure of the Department.

Receipts.	1049	1050	Disbursements.	1049	1050
	Rs.	Rs.		Rs.	Rs.
Fees collected	71,843	83,136	Salaries of Central Office	7,034	7,272
Penalties	803	1,078	Do. of Inspectors and their Establishments	2,887	2,617
Value of printed forms for entering copies of Instruments	3,963	4,633	Do. of District Registrars and their Establishments	21,014	23,439
Fines imposed on Registrars and their subordinates	92	119	Stationery	3,537	4,906
Miscellaneous Receipts	23	13	Binding of Register	1,013	1,168
			Books	529	525
			Refund of fees		2,801
			Record room for Central Office	38	215
			Repair of District Offices	68	75
			Thatching Do.	435	34
			Furniture		661
			Printing charges		174
			Travelling Do.	180	90
			Contingencies		
Total	76,724	88,970		36,723	43,976

85. There were 3 cases of false personation, as in the preceding year.

86. The staff of Clerks was strengthened in all the Offices of Registration with reference to the greatly increased work.

87. There was a general examination of candidates for the Office of Registrars and Clerks, held in this year; 249 appeared and 147 were declared to have passed.

88. This Department continues to prosper increasingly every year.

SOURCES OF REVENUE.

LAND REVENUE.

89. The season of 1050 was very propitious for agriculture. The rains fell as they were required both for the rice crop, the cocoanut gardens, and the few dry grains which are grown in the State. The harvest was consequently plentiful, and the gardens productive.

90. The Land Revenue, Demand, Collection and Balance of Current Revenue for 1050 in comparison with 1049 are noted below.

	Demand. Rs.	Remission. Rs.	Collection. Rs.	Balance. Rs.
1049.....	18,40,290	1,77,290	15,95,981	67,019
1050.....	18,43,081	1,79,500	16,03,395	60,186

91. The Revenues from Rice lands and gardens stood thus:—

	1049 Rs.	1050 Rs.
Rice Lands.....	11,63,676	11,81,319
Gardens.....	4,01,227	4,22,076
Miscellaneous Revenue from Land.	1,23,748	1,26,864

92. The account of arrears or old Balances of Land Revenue stood thus:—

	Demand. Rs.	Remission. Rs.	Collection. Rs.	Balance. Rs.
1049.....	6,14,553	5,548	22,926	5,86,079
1050.....	6,53,098	6,058	33,138	6,13,902
Plus the balance of the year.....				60,186

Total balance at the end of 1050..... 6,74,088

It has been observed in the last Report that in view to relieve the ryots and to encourage liquidation of old balances,

the demand on account of interest on the arrears was conditionally waived, to those who paid up within the end of the year. The same indulgence was continued for the year 1050 also.

93. As these old balances are for the most part confined to South Travancore, i. e. the Trevandrum and Southern Divisions, which are most affected by droughts, special arrangements were made in these, for bringing up the accounts preparatory to a final scrutiny into an adjustment of these old outstandings.

94. Coffee cultivation.—This new branch of agriculture continues to thrive. To the 33,675 acres, up to 1049, there were added at a sale which took place in the year under report acres 7,817 which fetched the unprecedentedly high price of Rupees 2,14,761* or an average of Rupees 28 per acre. The highest price realized on a single lot was Rupees 82 per acre. *

* Note. Rs. 1,26,716 were paid within the year.

95. The export duty on Coffee was abolished from the last quarter of the year 1050. According to the rules, the land assessment on the Estates became thenceforward liable to augmentation. But His Highness' Government has not given it immediate operation, though the increasing expenditure in connection with the Coffee Districts must sooner or later make it inevitable.

96. It is however doubtful whether a moderate assessment combined with a reduced export duty, the incidence of which would have fallen on the crop, would not have been preferable to the entire abolition of duty and the raising of the land assessment to Rupees 2 or 3 per acre, which must fall on all the lands whatever the condition or crop of the estate.

97. It was also found necessary in the course of the year to take steps for reserving certain forests for timber and for preventing too great destruction lest the general rain fall and its distribution are affected. The survey of the blocks sold in previous years not having kept pace with the sales, many disputes as to boundary between old and new purchasers have cropped up, and this circumstance also rendered it absolutely necessary to proceed no further with the sales, till every lot already sold has been duly demarcated, surveyed and mapped. For the future no lot will be sold until its boundaries shall have been precisely cut, surveyed, and the Map itself laid on the table in the sale-room.

SOURCES OF REVENUE.

CUSTOMS.

98. The outturn of the Customs Revenue in 1050 compared with 1049 is noted below:—

	Export. Rs.	Import. Rs.	Total. Rs.
1049.....	3,32,190	9,18,836	12,51,026
1050.....	3,60,457	9,25,936	12,86,393

These figures are exclusive of the sum of Rs. 40,000, paid by the British Government, as compensation for abolished import duties.

99. Export duty.—The increase of Rs. 35,367, was mainly in export duty, and in the produce of the cocoanut-tree, as shown below:—

	1049 Rs.	1050 Rs.
Copra.....	1,00,769	1,27,234
Cocoanut oil	7,806	10,650
Cocoanuts	21,808	22,293
Coir (yarn)	54,244	53,120
Fibre	3,452	2,576
Total.....	1,88,079	2,15,873

100. The export duty on pepper was as follows:—

1049.....	Rupees 14,145
1050.....	" 23,139

101. That on Coffee was:—

1049.....	Rupees 29,723
1050.....	" 26,224

The duty on Coffee was abolished from the last quarter (Vykasy) of 1050.

102. That on Vettoopauk (areca) was:—

1049.....	Rupees 29,762
1050.....	" 22,400

103. The appended tables show the quantities and valuation of the goods exported.

The principal among them stood thus:—

	1049	1050
	Rs.	Rs.
<i>Dutiable Goods.</i>	Milles.	Milles.
Copra.....	2,199	2,827
Coir.....	1,065	1,062
Cocoanuts.....	428	445
Cocoanut Oil.....	193	236
Vettoopark.....	589	448
Dry Ginger.....	325	402
Pepper.....	207	347
Coffee.....	584	524
Salt fish.....	144	184
Timber.....	96	116
Tamarind.....	137	103
Total including minor items.....	6,652	7,282

<i>Free Goods.</i>		
Cardamom and seed.....	141	156
Ivory and lac.....	5	5
Total including Teak and other wood and sundry items.....	229	269
Grand Total.....	6,881	7,551

Trade revived in the year under report.

104. Import duty.—The leading article is Tobacco and the duties yielded the following revenues:—

	1049	1050
	Rs.	Rs.
Tobacco.....	9,09,746	9,14,308
Opium.....	3,190	2,644
Total including sundry items and compensation from British Government.....	9,60,443	9,66,650

105. The chief Imports with valuations stood thus:—

	1049	1050
	Rs.	Rs.
<i>Dutiable</i>	Milles.	Milles.
Tobacco.....	2,018	1,786
Opium.....	32	26
Total including sundries.....	2,105	1,916
<i>Free</i>		
Piece Goods.....	591	1,018
Rice.....	289	409
Paddy.....	163	260
Thread.....	160	96
Cotton.....	99	76
Copper.....	44	49
Total including minor items.....	2,193	2,672
Grand Total.....	4,298	4,588

106. Exports being $75\frac{1}{2}$ lacs and Imports 45 lacs, the balance of trade is $30\frac{1}{2}$ lacs, on the probable correctness of which observations have been made in the last report.

107. The directions in which the trade of the country flows are given below:—

	1049	1050
	Milles.	Milles.
<i>First outward.</i>	Rs.	Rs.
By sea.....	2,600	2,518
By backwater to Cochin.....	2,930	3,642
Over the Ghats to British India.....	1,425	1,391
<i>Secondly inward.</i>		
By sea.....	1,765	1,711
By backwater.....	1,300	1,240
Over the Ghats.....	1,200	1,637

108. The total cost of the custom establishment was 32,745* Rupees.

* Includes 4,545 Rs. a portion of the Central Office salaries.

SOURCES OF REVENUE.

SALT.

109. The salt manufactured in the year as estimated was Garces 940 in 1050 against Garces 1,380 in 1049. The great deficiency was occasioned by adverse season.

110. The quantities taken into store were.

	1049	1050
	Garces.	Garces.
Home made.....	1,580	1,630
* Tinnevelly ^{Garces. 910.} Bombay & Tinnevelly...	2,867	* 1,743
Total.....	4,447	3,373

Owing to the new Rules, introduced by the Government of Bombay in respect of the export of salt from that port, His Highness' Government was put to much inconvenience and but a small supply was obtained from Bombay and it became necessary to import from Tinnevelly.

111. The sales were,

	1049	1050
	Garces.	Garces.
Home made.....	1,812	1,844
Bombay & Tinnevelly.....	2,272	2,398
Total	4,084	4,242

The sale of 1050 is the highest on record.

112. The Revenue realized was as follows:—

	Rs.
1049.....	9,88,798
1050.....	10,81,592
	+ 92,794

This increase was partly due to the raising of the monopoly selling price from Rs. 2 per maund to Rs. 2-2 in the case of Home made and Rs. 2-5 in that of Foreign salt, in assimilation with the prices fixed for the British Districts on the same coast.

113. The stock of salt on hand at the end of the year was,

	1049	1050
Garces.....	3,574	3,109

114. In view of superceding measure by weight in the salt transactions, Platform Weighing Machines graduated to Maunds were ordered before the year closed.

115. In view to detect malversations, several of the selling Depôts in different parts were examined by superior officers, without previous notice; In six cases out of eleven, the deficiency detected in stock was within allowable percentage; in the other five, great deficits were found, and the servants concerned were mulcted in the deficiency, and dismissed or criminally punished.

116. The average consumption of salt per head of population, according to the new census taken in the year was lbs. 18 against lbs. 35 per head of population, which, by the old census, was less by 50 per cent.

117. The net Revenue from salt, that is, after deducting all charges of prime cost, Establishment, freight &c., stood thus:—

	Gross receipts (including sundry ones.)	Rs.
		11,16,975
		Rs.
Establishment *		26,903
Kudivaram &c. Price.....		1,25,740
Freight, cart hire, boat hire } & other contingent charges.		40,350
Net Revenue.....		1,92,993
		9,25,982.

* This includes 3,357 Rs. portion of the central office salaries.

SOURCES OF REVENUE.

ABKARY AND OPIUM.

118. The Revenue from Abkary was as follows:—

	Demand.	Collection.	Balance
1049.....	1,33,337	1,24,817	8,520
1050.....	1,50,333	1,46,781	3,552

The revenues from this source continue to increase in spite of wishes to the contrary.

119. Of old balances amounting to Rs. 10,879, the whole was also recovered during the year Rs. 7,818.

120. Opium.—The contract was Rs. 11,196 for 10 against Rs. 10,178 for 1049 and the whole was collected both years.

SOURCES OF REVENUE.

FOREST.

121. The transactions of the Forest Department are given in detail in the Conservator's statement which will be found in the appendix.

122. The accounts of timber supplied by the Conservator stood thus:—

	Candies	Value. Rs.
To the Commercial Department at Alleppey for sale	1,626	31,642
To the Marahmut Department	172	4,035
To the D. P. W.	100	1,423
Sold by conservator at Varapoly and Viyapuram	810	13,042
Total.....	2,708	50,142

123. The total actual cash Receipts of the Conservator were as below:—

	Rs.
(1) Seigniorage on timber felled by private parties including cole teak	21,723
(2) Miscellaneous Revenue	2,719
(3) Fines, sale of animals from pits &c. &c.	1,627
(4) Sale of timber at Shencotta, including fees on Firewood, charcoals	42,691
(5) Wild Cardamom, Wax, Ivory &c.	3,640
	77,400

124. The total disbursements of the Department amounted to Rs. 42,351 of which:

	Rupces	Rs.
Forest Department		26,458
Shencotta Department	"	5,612
Hill produce collection (including ...)	"	16
Cardamom collections	"	4,175
Elephant Department	"	6,060
Total.....	"	42,351

SOURCES OF REVENUE.

CARDAMOMS, AND SUNDRI, FOREST PRODUCTS.

125. Including 5 candelas of seeds, there were but 144 candelas of Cardamoms for sale in 1950 against 191 in 1949 and this quantity realized only Rupees 1,49,393 against Rupees 2,05,562 in the previous year. The prices, notwithstanding the better quality of the spice, were almost as unfavourable as in the year preceding owing to the dulness of the market and this, added to a poorer crop caused by adverse season, contributed to bring down the revenue to a figure never so low within the preceding 7 years.

126. Bees-wax, Dammer and Ivory are also Royalists. The hill-men collect these and deliver them up as collected, at the various depôts, on receiving the usual payments for them and on arrival, at the Commercial Depôt at Alleppey the products are sold by public auction at the same time as the Cardamoms. Their quantities and prices are noted marginally.

	Rs.	1949	1950
Candies	Rs.	73	101
Bees-wax	Rs.	136	87
Dammer	Rs.	1	1
Ivory	Rs.	1	1

SOURCES OF REVENUE.

MISCELLANEOUS REVENUE.

127. The great variety of receipts which are exhibited under this head yielded Rs. 6,23,434 in 1950 against Rs. 6,29,807 in the preceding year. They consisted of the following principal items:—

	Rs.
(1) Out of Pagoda offering Boxes.....	4,289
(2) Ordinary Receipts from Pagodas.....	27,350
(3) Revenue Fines levied on Revenue servants.....	13,200
(4) Post Office collections (Unjell).....	13,198
(5) Sale proceeds of the Book Depôt.....	20,939
(6) Fees on transfers of Patton lands.....	37,346
(7) Sales of Sircar Lands or Rights.....	11,781
(8) Registration Fees.....	88,972
(9) Sale of surplus Paddy (difference of price).....	66,190
(10) Receipts from School fees.....	17,209
(11) Grazing Fees, Cardamom Hills.....	2,936
(12) Surplus credited from the account of Sri Pudmanabaswami.....	25,649
(13) Magisterial Fines.....	27,410
(14) Recoveries of outstanding cash advances.....	45,931
(15) From sale of lands for Coffee Cultivation.....	*1,26,716

* Note: Total sale..... 2,14,761 Rs.

GENERAL ADMINISTRATIVE AGENCIES.

THE HUZZOR CUTCHERRY.

128. The various Departments constituting the Huzoor Cutcherry and their functions having been noticed at length in the last report, it is proposed in this place simply to note the work done in each (so far as this could be indicated by figures) as well as any material changes in numerical strength of establishment or salaries.

129. The English Office.—

Communications Received	8,566
Do. despatched	6,226

130. Royasom Department.—

Communications remaining from previous year	98
Received in 1950	3,917
Total.....	4,015
Disposed of	3,936

Remaining at end of year..... 79

The actual number of orders issued was 2,271 comprising 3,895 separate communications.

131. Jemabundy Department.—

Remaining from previous year	1,085
Received in the year	11,912
Total.....	12,997
Disposed of	11,626

Remaining..... 1,371

No. of orders 8,751 comprising 10,262 separate communications.
Total No. of Accounts and Returns received and examined—51,000

132. Police Department.—

Remaining from previous year.....	67
Received in the year.....	2,029
Total.....	2,106
Disposed of	1,997
Remaining.....	109

No. of orders 1,458 comprising 1,749 separate communications.
No. of Returns received and examined—16,667.

133. Head Sircar Vakil's Department.—

Remaining from previous year.....	89
Received in the year.....	1,872
Total.....	1,961
Disposed of	1,836
Remaining.....	125

No. of orders 643 comprising 759 separate communications.
No. of Returns received and examined—682.

134. Marahmut Department.—

Remaining from previous year	289
Received in the year.....	3,584
Total.....	3,873
Disposed of	3,338
Remaining.....	535

No. of orders 3,127 comprising 4,668 separate communications.
Accounts and Returns received and examined—11,002.

135. Peravaga Department.—

Remaining from previous year.....	133
Received in the year.....	3,414
Total.....	3,552
Disposed of	3,346
Remaining.....	206

No. of orders 2,379 comprising 4,160 separate communications.
Accounts and Returns received and examined—1,16,756.

136. Devasom Department.—

Balance Remaining from previous year.....	145
Received in the year.....	1,393
Total.....	1,448
Disposed of.....	1,365
Remaining.....	83

No. of orders 703 comprising 1,061 separate communications.
Accounts and Returns received and examined—24,900.

137. Registration Department.—

Remaining from previous year.....	56
Received in the year.....	5,531
Total.....	5,587
Disposed of.....	5,520
Remaining.....	67

No. of orders 3,754 comprising 4,271 separate communications.
Returns received and examined 1,831.

138. Unjeli Department.—

Remaining from previous year.....	0
Received in the year.....	4,910
Disposed of.....	4,910
Remaining.....	0

No. of orders 3,011 comprising 3,645 separate communications.
Accounts and Returns received and examined—1,71,877.

139. ELEPHANT Department.—

Remaining from previous year.....	3
Received in the year.....	476
Total.....	479
Disposed of.....	474
Remaining.....	5

No. of orders 326 comprising 523 separate communications.

O. The outturn of work in the several Departments
has been on the whole steady and satisfactory.

GENERAL ADMINISTRATIVE AGENCIES**DEVASOM ESTABLISHMENT.**

141. Very full information as to the constitution and details of this Department having been given in the previous report, but little remain to be said in this.

142. The Receipts and Disbursements in the year under report stood thus:

	1049	1050
Receipts from assessed lands	Rs. 4,30,000	Rs. 4,30,000
Do. from other sources.....	Rs. 81,106	Rs. 41,545
Total.....	Rs. 5,11,106	Rs. 4,71,545
Expenditure	Rs. 5,73,258	Rs. 5,73,626
Balance (paid from state)	Rs. 62,147	Rs. 1,02,081

143. The expenditure consisted of,

On the 378 assumed Pagodas.....	Rs. 4,32,096
On Sri Padmanabhaswami Pagoda.....	Rs. 1,00,988
On other Pagodas.....	Rs. 23,711
On Pagodas out of the state	Rs. 10,831
Total.....	Rs. 5,73,626

GENERAL ADMINISTRATIVE AGENCIES

OOTPERAS OR CHARITABLE FEEDING INSTITUTIONS.

144. The expenditure under this head stood thus:—

	Rs.
Agrasala at the Capital	1,22,180
Way side Ootoos	82,196
Conjee Houses	2,229
Japadakshina	71,713
Chuttrums outside the country	2,643
Minor institutions	25,623
Total	3,06,584

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THE PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Chief Engineer's.

145. The expenditure on Public Works by the Department during 1950 is exhibited below, under the main heads, in comparison with 1949:—

	1949	1950
	Rs.	Rs.
<i>Original Construction.</i>		
(1) Communications	3,53,942	3,18,564
(2) Civil Buildings	37,443	13,912
(3) Irrigation works	17,486	24,359
(4) Miscellaneous	45,677	27,376
(5) Surveying and tracing Roads	11,180	11,155
Total	4,65,728	3,95,366
<i>Repairs.</i>		
(1) Communications	96,496	90,343
(2) Civil Buildings	9,786	12,774
(3) Irrigation works	14,656	22,767
(4) Miscellaneous	3,447	1,517
Total	1,24,385	1,36,401
Establishment	85,382	76,811
Sundries, deposits &c	82,547	37,028
Total	1,67,929	1,13,839
Grand Total	7,58,012	6,45,546

146. No new works, worth mention, were undertaken during the year. Most of the expenditure was on the prosecution of works already commenced. Chief among these will now be enumerated.

(1) On the various sections of the Main line from Trevandrum to Cottaayam	Rs. 44,109
(2) Road from Kayencoolam to Poondore....	5,658
(3) Road from Quilon to Shencottah	4,742
(4) Road from Peermade to Goodalace (Madura.)	17,616
(5) Road from Tiroonandikara to Miloni ...	4,236
(6) Suspension Bridge, Poondore	46,287
(7) Bridges on the Road from Tirooncoona- palai to Chittigapalli, Aripam & Mavelikarai	6,417
(8) The Varkalay Barrier Works	1,50,223
* Note. The road was made years ago but the cost is not justified in this year's accounts.	
(9) The Junction from Paru- par to the 4th milestone on the Quilon-Shencottah road	* 21,708
(10) Reconstruction Anandunar channel (south Travancore)	9,575
(11) Reconstruction, and improvement, Naun- janal Poothanar channel	6,952

147. The expenditure under "Repairs" consists mainly of Road Maintenance throughout the state amounting to Rs. 71,506, of special repairs of the worst portions of the main-roads amounting to Rs. 17,014, of canal ordinary maintenance and special clearing for the Royal tour, Rs. 6,477 and of closing breaches of irrigation works Rs. 14,935.

148. The decrease under the head "establishment" was due to the Chief Engineer's absence on furlough and to the discharge of the miners, who transferred their services to the Tunnel contractors.

149. Owing to some disagreement, the Tunnel Contractors, Messrs. Scott McClelland & Co., did not push forward their works with the speed stipulated and finally the original contract itself had to be virtually annulled and fresh terms agreed upon with His Highness' Government for the prosecution to completion of No. I Tunnel alone.

* August 1875.

At the close of *1050, there remained but 100 feet of Tunnel to be finished.

150. Meanwhile a discussion had arisen on a Third Revised Estimate for the Barrier Works submitted by the Acting Chief Engineer amounting to Rs. 16,00,000 (the original having been Rs. 4,50,000). His Highness' Government were opposed to such a large outlay on a single and not very remunerative work, while there were numerous works, more urgent, more useful and more promising in their character. The Government of Madras were pleased to send down Col. Mullins to inspect and report, and on a perusal of his report and on a consideration of all the circumstances, they came to the conclusion that they would "not urge the Travancore Sircar to go beyond what they now deem their best course."

151. Every precaution has been taken for the preservation of the canal and other works (so far as they have been completed) and the contractors are bound to conserve the Tunnel for a period of one year from date of handing over.

152. The Chief Engineer Mr. Barton continued on furlough during the whole of the year under report and Mr. Jacob, the 1st Assistant, continued in charge and worked with zeal and energy at a time when the Department was harassed with law-suits and serious misunderstandings with the Tunnel Contractors.

154. The increased expenditure under the head "Ootperas" was in consequence of having to put these buildings in order for the reception of the large number of Numboori Brahmins expected for the Morajapam feast. The increase under item (16) was in anticipation of the same festival and on the present occasion the huge copper and brass vessels had not simply to be repaired but to be made anew.

The 'Napier Museum', on which Rs. 33,000 were spent during the year, had made fair progress.

155. The expenditure embraced under item No. 18 is of a very miscellaneous kind, as some of the following particulars will show.

On Village Roads	Rs. 16,000
On Coffee Estate Roads	" 5,148
On Bridle paths, Cardamom Hills	" 5,155
On Cotoor Road Bridges	" 2,379
On Town scavenging Carts	" 1,082
On cast iron Lamp posts for the streets of the Fort.....	" 4,212
On Channel supplying the Fort Tanks ...	" 2,755
On Wooden Bridges all over the Country. "	8,030
On Furniture for Public offices &c.....	" 11,460

GENERAL ADMINISTRATIVE AGENCIES

THE DEPARTMENTS OF EDUCATION, SCIENCE AND ART.

ENGLISH SCHOOLS.

156. The High School and College at Tre-
vandrum. The number of pupils on the Registers in
the last day of the year stood thus:—

	1949	1950
Senior Department (Collegiate)	82	98
Junior Do. (High School)	569	585
Preparatory School.....	280	269
	<u>931</u>	<u>952</u>

157. The Principal observes that the increase in the
High school would have been much greater had all appli-
cants been admitted. All available room in the New
College is already taken up.

158. The results of the University Examinations stood
thus in comparison with previous years.

	Matriculants	F.A.	B.A.	B.L.
1947	28	9	4	...
1948	31	9	3	1
1949	36	9	3	...
1950	29	17	6	...

159. A Law Class was formed about the middle of the
year and Dr. Grimsby appointed Professor. The number of
students was 40 at the commencement and 50 at the year's
close. The fee which was Rs. 10 per quarter at first was
subsequently reduced to Rs. 6.

160. The Receipts and Disbursements of the year for
the three Departments inclusive of the Law Class stood
thus, in comparison with the previous year:—

	1949. Rs.	1950. Rs.
Salaries and allowances of Estab- lishment and Scholarships. }	28,592	29,372
Prizes and contingencies.....	1,015	232
Total.....	<u>29,607</u>	<u>29,604</u>
Fees collected during the year.....	5,219	6,092
Net cost to the state.....	<u>24,388</u>	<u>22,912</u>

161. Among the changes in the personnel of the school
may be noticed, the appointment of Mr. Sheppard B. A. in
the room of Mr. Oliver Bensley.

162. On the whole, the results continued to be highly
creditable to the staff of Professors and teachers.

163. Education of the Princes. The second
eldest of the Junior Princes dying in the course of the year,
the remaining two continued under tuition, making toler-
ably fair progress.

164. English Girls' School at Trevan-
drum. The English Girls' school contained 66 pupils at
the end of the year, of whom 8 were receiving instruction
in music and 7 in drawing.

165. The disbursements on account of this school
amounted to Rs. 3,327 of which Rs. 360 were recovered
by fees.

166. The senior pupils were for the first time subject-
ed to a written examination and the reports of the several
examiners are on the whole favourable and bear testimony
to the good fruits of the labours of Miss Mainwaring.

167. The English District schools (including the special

* Schools. No. of Pupils.

Cotlar	116
Quilon	105
Alleppey	96
Shencottah	70
Attingul	56
Takalay	46
Coolthorai	45
Mavelikara	42
Sheringheel	40
Kayamkulam	38
Tirovella	36
Colachel	36
Chunganacherry	35
Erneel	33
Paravoor	33
Poothapaundy	30
Cotarakarai	20
Special school at Mavelikara for youths related to the Royal family.	12

school at Mavelikara) numbered 18* and contained on their rolls, on the last day of the year, 889† pupils. The average daily number on Register was 918 and average daily attendance 744.

168. The disbursements and Receipts on their account stood thus:—

	1919	1950
	Rs.	Rs.
Expenditure	18,031	17,429
Fees collected	1,799	1,900
Net cost to Govt.	16,232	15,529

169. There were 52 pupils (a. gainst 38 in the preceding year) transferred from the District schools to the High school at Trevandrum,

which is a satisfactory sign that they are conducted efficiently.

170. Mr. Lafrenais, to whose unwearied exertions and conscientious labours during a period of 12 years the efficient condition of these schools was mainly due, met with his death by an accident and was succeeded by Mr. Oliver H. Bensley B. A. from the High school.

† Brahmins	198
Sudras (Pandies and Malayalies)	4095
Christians	342
Other Hindus	314
Mohomedans	119

VERNACULAR SCHOOLS.

171. Every particular in connection with these schools having been given in the last report, it only remains on this occasion to notice the leading results of the year.

172. The number of the different grades of schools stood thus:—

	1919	1950
Village schools	149	185
District schools	28	28
Aided schools	20	20

There were 36 more village schools added in the year; of these 36, 9 were opened for the first time in Shencottah and the rest were all in the Northern Districts.

173. The strength of the schools stood thus on the last day of the year:—

	1919	1950
Village schools	6,199	8,128
District Do.	1,954	2,024
Aided Do.	1,484	1,294
	9,637	11,446

174. The several classes (castes) are represented thus in these schools:—

	Boys.	Girls.	Total.
Brahmins	1,125	61	1,186
Sudras	6,030	671	6,701
Pandi Sudras	1,242	56	1,298
Other Hindus	983	54	987
Mohomedans	274	0	274
Christians	839	111	1,050
Total	10,493	953	11,446

Note. In these village and aided schools, boys and girls read promiscuously, the latter being generally very young.

No.	
* 2 at the Capital.	135
1 at Putmanaba-	
poorua.	30
1 at Qadon.	22
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175. Included in the number of District schools above dealt with, are four* which are exclusively for girls and some of the teaching staff are females.

176. The Receipts and Disbursements of the Department stood thus:—

	1049	1050
	Rs.	Rs.
Direction	2,581	2,814
Inspection	6,406	7,507
Salaries of masters	31,573	37,208
Contingencies	1,578	1,384
Prizes	712	636
Total.....	42,883	49,548
Fees realized	11,375	13,635
Net charges	31,508	35,913

The opening of new village schools and the addition to the staff of 3 Deputy Inspectors account for the increased expenditure of the year.

177. A sum of Rs. 15,000 was set apart by Government for grants-in-aid to Elementary Vernacular schools and Rules were passed regulating the same. They have effect from the following year 1051.

178. The Director of Vernacular Education (Nelacur Pillay) reports on the whole very favourably on the progress of the schools during the year.

THE MUSEUM.

179. Some interesting specimens of marble inlaid stone-work in imitation of those in the Taj brought by His Highness the Maha Rajah from Delhi and other places in Upper India, a collection of curiosities of shell-work, specimens of marine products collected about Cape Comerin by His Highness the First Prince, a specimen of the wonderful "Euplectella" (fossil sponge) presented to His Highness the Maha Rajah by Dr. Hyde of Bloxham, England, and sundry others were added to the Museum in the course of the year.

180. The total number of visitors to the Museum was 89,897 against 77,871 in 1049.

GOVERNMENT GARDEN AT PEERMADE.

185. After the failure of Cinchona, Tea alone receives attention and the little Coffee that is grown is only as a means of recouping a portion of the expenditure on the former.

186. The produce of Tea was 1,167 lbs. against 829 lbs. in 1049. But this did not sell well in the local market at Alleppey and the Commercial Agent has sent home a consignment on trial. The Tea made later in the year is reported on favourably.

187. The expenditure on account of the garden amounted to Rs. 4,418 against receipts from sale of Tea, Cinchona and Coffee amounting to Rs. 493.

THE OBSERVATORY.

188. The bi-filar and uni-filar observations made at the base of the Agasthor Peak and at Tre-vandrum during the years 1865--1869 were despatched to Mr. Brown.

Note.
Cost per annum of
establishment now kept
up Rs. 1,425.

189. The Transit of Venus was observed and notes of the observation were sent to Mr. Brown.

190. The above were of course in addition to the ordinary Meteorological observations still continued at the observatory.

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THE MEDICAL DEPARTMENT.

191. The operations of the Department are summarized in the following statement.

	In-patients.	Out-patients.
At the Capital.		
Civil Hospital	960	9,678
Lunatic Asylum	89	2,065
Jail Dispensary	543	4,752
Jail Hospital	739	1,607
Charity Do.	110	718
Palace Do.	213	802
First Prince's Palace	...	...
Huzoor Cutcherry	...	...
Total	2,660	19,622
Aggregate of out station Hospitals	4,580	62,187
Vaccinated (in the whole state)		72,289

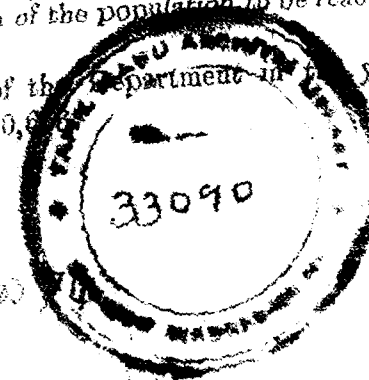
192. The usual professional statistics of cases treated and of surgical operations, will be found in the tables of the Appendix.

3. The Maternity Hospital treated 42 In-patients and 8 Out-patients, of whom there were but two who died; these were among the In-patients; and 9 among Out-patients and 5 among In-patients required instrumental aid.

14. There have been no noticeable event in the year under report in connection with the Administration of the Department.

95. The work of Vaccination proceeded as usual, though the aggregate number (72,289) reported Vaccinated in the year fell below that of the preceding year by 11,403. Notwithstanding the apparent spread of Vaccination from year to year, the outbreak of smallpox continues. In the year under review, in several Districts, the epidemic was rife and caused great mortality. This shows that there is still a very large proportion of the population to be reached by Vaccination.

196 The expenditure of the Department in the year under report was Rupees 90,600.



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GENERAL ADMINISTRATIVE AGENCIES

THE NAIR BRIGADE.

197. Beyond a number of changes in the personnel of the European Officers, there were no occurrences worth noticing. On Major Ellis' transfer to a Presidency appointment, Major St. G. Caulfeild was appointed to the Command of the Brigade in July 1876.

198. The charges on account of the Brigade amounted to 1,46,274 Rupees during the year.

199. During the year, His Highness the Maha Rajah was pleased to sanction half pay pensions to the Native Officers.

200. At an invaliding Committee, 6 Officers and 14 Privates were transferred to the pension list or discharged with gratuities.

GENERAL ADMINISTRATIVE AGENCIES

CONSERVATOR OF FORESTS.

201. The operations of the conservator are stated to have been impeded by 12 of the working elephants having been called away for work in the vicinity of Trevandrur in connection with the preparation for the Morajapu Feast.

202. The total number of logs felled and those removed from the forest to the dépôt and those removed from the latter on sale or on issue for the public service or to the Commercial agency at Alleppey are noted in the margin and give a general idea of the work done in the year.

	No. of logs.
Supplied to the Commercial Department	560
Delivered to the Commercial Department	123
Delivered to the P. W. Department	30
Sold at the Conservator's disposal	315
Total	1,028

203. Regarding the Teak Plantations, which are said to be progressing favorably, the Conservator regrets the decision of Government in putting a stop to further planting, which was due to serious doubts having arisen as to the eventual financial success of the operation.

204. The gathering in of the spontaneous Cardamoms, of Ivory, Bees' wax, Dammer, Stick-lac and Honey, also devolves on the Conservator. The quantities collected of each with values are given in the margin.

Quantity.	Value.
Cardamom, cwt. 24	3,884
Ivory, lbs. 2	1,880
Bees' wax, " 3	1,719
Dammer, " 54	583
Stick-lac, lbs. 6	2
Honey, parabs. 32	15

205. The Receipts of the Shencottah Timber Dépôt show great increase and promise further improvement. The plan of allowing private parties to fell the timber themselves and remove the same on payment of seigniorage at the frontier has been attended with success.

206. The connection of the conservator with the capture of Elephants is noticed under that head.

207. The felling and burning of forests for purposes of paddy and other cultivation is again noticed by the Conservator as an evil, which requires correction if Forests are to be properly conserved. The Hillmen live exclusively on such cultivation and in several Taluqs a considerable population is dependent on such cultivation for their livelihood. The solution of the difficulty is not easy.

GENERAL ADMINISTRATIVE AGENCIES

SUPERINTENDENT OF THE CARDAMOM HILLS.

208. Early in the year 1930, Mr. Munro being selected for the special duty of demarcating the Hill boundary between Travancore and British Provinces, Mr. Robert Baker was placed in charge of the Department.

209. A change in the mode of picking was experimentally introduced in this year. Hitherto the crop of Cardamoms was gathered in one picking, that is, all pods, ripe, unripe and tender, were plucked at one swoop as they were found at the time on the racemes of the plants and the result was the average quality of the crop gathered was very different. The Ryots refused to gather by more than one picking unless higher prices were paid for the extra labour involved and such higher terms were offered to those who delivered ripe Cardamoms and out of a crop of 123 candies, 50 were so gathered and commanded better prices at the sale than the article picked in the ordinary way.

210. **Bridle paths.**—22½ miles more of bridle path 5 feet wide were opened in the year at a cost of Rupees 1,108.

211. The Timber bridge at Currinree was put up at a cost of Rupees 265, and stood the floods with only a slight damage to the abutments.

212. Cattle fees amounted to Rupees 2,351.

213. The Superintendent of the Cardamom Hills is also entrusted with the duties of Forest Conservancy within his range. 126 candies of sawn timber valued at Rupees 3,084 were prepared for sale at the Depôts of Ramacul and Combey.

GENERAL ADMINISTRATIVE AGENCIES.

THE COMMERCIAL AGENCY.

214. By an oversight this department, which performs several important functions, was not noticed separately in the last report. Its constitution is noted in the margin.

	Rs.
Commercial Agent.....	1,000
Commercial Sheristadar.....	85
1 English Head Clerk.....	56
2 " Clerks.....	35 each
1 " Do.....	34
1 Samprethy.....	23
1 Do.....	18
1 Rayasom.....	15
1 Accountant.....	12
3 Accountants.....	10 each
2 Do.....	9 "
1 Do.....	8 "
2 Do.....	7 1/2 "
1 Cashkeeper.....	30
1 Storekeeper.....	9
1 Timber Vijarippoo.....	11
1 Do. Accountant.....	8 1/2
2 Examiners of Coin.....	10 each
1 Servant.....	7
2 Havildars.....	7 each
1 Do.....	6
1 Dalayat.....	5 1/2
1 Do.....	5
2 Peons.....	5 1/2 "
10 Do.....	5 each
1 Key keeper.....	5
2 Gardeners.....	5 each
2 Do.....	1 "
1 Boat Sirang.....	5
10 Boatmen.....	3 1/2 "
1 Sweeper.....	2

the present day, the Commercial Agent is charged with the direct performance or has the responsible supervision of many duties bearing directly and largely on the Revenues of the State as will be observed from the following brief notice of them.

216. Salt.—The total quantities of salt received into the general Depôt and issued therefrom to the various bankshalls or selling depôts are noted in the margin.

	1949.	1950.
	Garcos	Garcos
Quantity stored.....	2,360	1,300
" issued.....	2,052	2,025

217. Tobacco.—Similar details regarding Tobacco are noted in the margin. The falling off is attributed to smugglers being again on the move.

	1949.	1950.
	Candies	Candies
Quantity stored.....	3,026	3,621
" issued.....	3,774	3,248

218. Cardamoms.—The quantities of Cardamoms, Ivory, Bees wax and Dammer sold in the year are noted marginally. The Cardamom is also cured and sorted on the premises prior to sale.

	Candies	Lbs.
Cardamoms.....	144	"
Ivory.....	1	327
Bees wax.....	6	73
Dammer.....	1	138

219. Teak Timber.—The transactions of the year in Teak and other timber are given in the margin. The teak and such other timber as are Royalties are felled from the Forests, carried and delivered by the Conservator at the Timber Depôt of the Commercial Agent.

	Rs.
Timber sold to Private Parties.....	23,077
Supplied to Engineer's Department.....	4,642
For works at Alleppey.....	7,200
	35,128

220. The Commercial Agent is also in charge of a Sub-Treasury wherein not only are the proceeds of the Timber and Cardamom and those of the salt and Tobacco Bankshalls and the Customs at Alleppey itself are received but those of all Bankshalls north of Alleppey are also transmitted. All disbursements on the public service in that part of the State are also made therefrom.

	Rs.
Receipts into the Commercial Treasury.....	14,93,081
Disbursements including remittance to the Huzoor.....	13,86,779



GENERAL ADMINISTRATIVE AGENCIES

MARINE.

221. Under this new head will be noticed matters touching the ports and trade of this state.

- 1 Manacody
- 2 Colachel
- 3 Puttandim
- 4 Poovar
- 5 Vilinjum
- 6 Poonthoray or Travandrum
- 7 Anjengo
- 8 Paravoor
- 9 Tangacheri
- 10 Kayencolum
- 11 Alleppey
- 12 Kantoor
- 13 Manacodom
- 14 Monumbum
- 15 Rajacumungalam
- 16 Percoimathoray
- 17 Mungammaratopoolay
- 18 Porcaud

222. There are altogether 18 ports as named in the margin.

There are no separate Chowkeys or customs Establishment kept up in

4. Two are the small British settlements of Anjengo and Tangacheri; the customs of these ports

with the other revenues are farmed by His Highness' Government. The

only ports of consequence are however but two, viz. Alleppey towards the north and Colachel towards the south and they alone will be noticed here.

223. **Alleppey.**—The tonnage visiting the Port in 1050 compared with the year 1049 was as follows:—

	1049		1050	
	No.	Tons.	No.	Tons.
Steamers.....	50	27,198	86	62,500
Square rigged Vessels...	61	21,814	87	27,846
Small crafts	233	14,207	140	7,555

The steamers, as observed by Mr. Crawford, are fast closing up all enterprise for the small craft owner; those left of the latter are principally employed in the conveyance of salt from Bombay along the coast.

224. **Port dues.**—With the increase of tonnage, there was an increase in the Port dues, which amounted to Rs. 5,955 against Rs. 3,826 in the previous year. The expenditure on the Light House constructed by Captain Crawford in 1862 was Rs. 2,836.

225. **The Pier.**—The wooden Pier having been breached by a heavy sea, was rendered unserviceable.

226. The Tramway collections were Rs. 2,915 and its expenditure Rs. 1,809.

227. A Register of meteorological observations is kept up at the Commercial House and weather reports published regularly.

228. Connecting the Port with the line of Backwater communication is the Alleppey canal. It having been found necessary to place the conservancy of this in the sole charge of the Commercial Agent, it has been considerably improved and kept in a navigable condition. On the representation of the merchants an ordinance was passed for regulating the Boat traffic of the Port.

229. Captain Crawford of the Indian navy, whose name has been identified with the prosperity of the Port for the last 30 years nearly, continues to take the deepest interest not only in this port, but generally in all that concerns the trade and navigation of the whole coast.

230. **Colachel** sometimes called **Colachy**. This port had a great name in ancient times, but it had declined since more important settlements sprung up on the Malabar coast and trade was diverted. It is again rising into importance in consequence of the extension of Coffee cultivation in the southern Range of Hills, this port being the nearest for the export of that produce.

231. The tonnage visiting the Port was,

	No.	Ton.
Steamers.....	23	32,151
Other vessels including country crafts...	41	2,937

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THE REVENUE SURVEY DEPARTMENT.

232. The field work of the year is represented by Acre 9,648 embraced in 86 lots. There was no Rough Surveys.

233. The expenditure of the Department was Rupee 11,704 and gave an average cost per Acre of Rupee Annas 3 Pice 5.

234. Making due allowance for difficulties, which can not be ignored, it cannot be said that the surveyors have done their best in the year under report.

GENERAL ADMINISTRATIVE AGENCIES.

THE PRESS.

235. The work of the Press for the year under report stood thus:—

	Printing			Lithographing			Book Binding			Adver- tise- ment.	Grand Total.
	(On account of Government.	On account of private individuals	Total	(On account of Government.	On account of private individuals	Total	(On account of Government.	On account of private individuals	Total		
In 1049.	9,062 23 1	452 16 11	9,515 11 12	474 14 "	" "	474 14 "	833 11 14	147 25 1	1,028 26 1	18 12 4	11,037 8 1
In 1050.	9,635 21 14	197 23 2	9,833 17 "	704 14 6 3	" "	710 17 1 2 12	13 11 3 23 9	1,326 8 9	1,326 8 9	10 13 4	11,918 14 5
										Paper sold to private parties for binding &c.	
										" "	" "
										" "	" "

and showed an improvement in value of work of Rupees 880.

236. The expenditure on account of the Press was 7,728 Rupees.

GENERAL ADMINISTRATIVE AGENCIES

THE UNJELL OR THE POSTAL DEPARTMENT.

237. The speed attained during the year was 4 miles per hour.

238. The total No. of private despatches in the year 1050 was 2,31,675 against 2,07,796 and yielded Rupees 12,903 against Rupees 11,568.

239. The Official covers in the year 1050 were 3,71,936 against 4,21,584 in 1049 and were assessed with a postage of Rupees 57,353 against Rupees 68,618 in 1049.

240. The total Receipts amounted to Rupees 12,903 and expenditure Rupees 22,806; the difference is the actual cost of Official correspondence.

241. The salaries of all the runners on the main line were raised—a number of delivery peons were added—sorting Offices were established. Travelling allowance was granted to the inspectors and a few other minor improvements were also made.

242. As these arrangements came into effect only in the last two months of the year, the previous cost of the Establishment was but slightly affected.

243. **The Boat Transit.**—The No. of Passengers using this transit increased to 15,604 against 12,871.

244. The Receipts were Rupees 5,736 in 1050 against Rupees 4,713 in 1049.

245. The Parcels were 2,818 in 1050 against 2,145 in 1049 and the Receipts therefrom Rupees 1,827 against Rupees 1,648.

246. The total expenditure was Rupees 8,837 in 1050 against Rupees 8,673 in 1049 and the loss was Rupees 1,273 against Rupees 2,311 in the preceding year.

247. The diminished rates of fare on passengers and parcels seem to have had a beneficial effect on the revenue and consequently, the loss is gradually diminishing.

GENERAL ADMINISTRATIVE AGENCIES

THE MINT.

248. The Mint operations were confined to Copper, of which * Tolams 2341½, prime cost of which was Rupees 2,078-9-2, were coined into 23,33,583 single-cash-pieces worth (in silver currency) Rupees 3,021-5-5 at a cost of Rupees 2,954-13-15, all charges told. The net profit was thus Rupees 67. There were sundry items of receipts, such as sale of Charcoal, which amounted to Rupees 33-16-8

249. Though it was proclaimed that the Mint would charge no seigniorage on silver brought to the Mint, nothing of it came, the merchants pleading that they could get none in the market.

GENERAL ADMINISTRATIVE AGENCIES

THE ELEPHANT DEPARTMENT.

250. There were at the end of 1049, 110 Elephants, which were added to, in the year under report, by 20, viz, taken in Sirkar pits 12 and by private parties 8. Of these new captures, 4 and 5 respectively died, in addition to 10 out of the 110 of last year, making a total mortality of 19 out of 130. There thus remained 111 at the close of the year 1050.

* (1) Central Office.	Rs. 1,617
(2) Fodder and Medicine }	10,235
(3) Mahouts' salaries. }	4,150
(4) Charges of capture. }	3,430
(5) Rewards to private capturers. }	1,200
	20,662

Note. Rs. 17,617 of 1049 did not include Central Office.

251. There were miscellaneous Receipts from the hiring out of the Sirkar elephants for Pagodas and marriage processions amounting to Rupees 2,358 $\frac{3}{4}$. The expenditure of the Department was Rupees 20,662.* The Returns do not show the earnings of these very useful animals, I mean the value of their labour in the various Departments to which they are attached.

252. The Conservator of Forests was deputed to Mysore to take notes of the system of Capture in Kheddas and returned with information gleaned on the spot, though by a mistake the visit was not so timed as to enable him to witness a capture. The actual introduction of the new system will be noticed in the report for the year 1051.

FINANCIAL.

253. As there is nothing worthy of special notice under this head, the Finance sheet of the year and the remarks, which accompanied in explanation of variations, are transcribed below.

Dr. *Account Current of Receipts and Disbursements*

	1849	1850	
	Rupees.	Rupees.	Rupees.
Balance as per last year's Account			41,29,340
1 Land Revenue	16,93,651	16,97,766	
2 Miscellaneous Revenue	6,29,807	6,23,434	
3 Judicial Fees &c.	1,14,258	1,43,317	
4 Customs	3,81,994	4,12,804	
5 Arrack and Opium	1,34,996	1,57,978	
6 Tobacco	8,00,746	9,14,303	
7 Salt	9,88,798	10,81,592	
8 Cardamoms and other Goods	2,24,870	1,72,897	
9 Timber	1,01,710	1,01,851	
10 Interest on Government Securities	1,06,687	1,47,217	
11 Arrears of Revenue collected this year..	22,664	78,580	
			55,31,639
			96,60,979

of the Travancore State for the year 1050. M. E. **Cr.**
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	1849	1850	
	Rupees.	Rupees.	Rupees.
1 The Davaom or Religious Institutions	5,73,253	5,73,626	
2 Ootperas or Charitable Do.	3,09,644	3,06,584	
3 The Palace	5,41,939	5,60,861	
4 Hazzoor Cutcherry and other Civil Establishments.	5,64,045	5,83,425	
5 Judicial Establishment	1,69,105	1,75,271	
6 Police Establishment	1,42,430	1,46,606	
7 Nair Troops	1,54,095	1,46,274	
8 Elephant and Horse Establishments	66,251	59,369	
9 Education, Science and Art	1,14,546	1,43,248	
10 Medical	1,45,480	90,696	
11 Pensions	1,35,029	1,46,077	
12 Public Works	10,15,913	9,24,765	
13 Cost and Charges of Goods sold, &c. &c.	3,78,008	3,08,140	
14 Contingent Charges	1,80,972	1,76,003	
15 Subsidy to the British Indian Government.	8,10,652	8,10,652	
16 Expenses connected with the Visitation of Shungara Chariar Swamy High Priest of Sringari..	20,130	"	
17 Expenditure on account of His Highness the Maha Rajah's trip to Calcutta	"	1,05,519	
18 Census	"	32,040	
19 The Preliminary Expenses incurred on account of the Moora-jabbom	"	29,384	53,23,540
Balance to be carried to next year's Account.	"	9,65,286	43,37,439
In Cash	"	28,75,957	96,60,979
Promissory Notes	"	2,92,568	
Goods	"		
		41,33,811	
		2,03,628	
Difference or Inefficient Balance.		43,37,439	

RECEIPTS.

	Rs.
1049.....	16,93,651
1050.....	16,97,766
	+ 4,115

1049.....	6,29,897
1050.....	6,23,431
	- 6,379

254. Land Revenue.—The petty addition under this head scarcely calls for remark.

255. Miscellaneous Revenue.

A variety of items are grouped under this head and it is impossible to exhibit in a short compass the variation in each which brought about the *net* decrease noted in the margin. A few particulars may, however, be noted. Items of increase. (a) The sale of forest lands for Coffee cultivation gave an increase (over preceding years) of Rs. 44,600, (b) Registration fees Rs. 11,800, (c) sundry sale proceeds Rs. 6,800, (d) Pattom fees Rs. 5,700, (e) Recoveries of advances Rs. 8,600. The aggregate of these and sundry more like items amounted to Rupees 1,01,000. Items of decrease. (a) In the refund from British Treasury for deficiency of Bombay salt Rupees 60,400, (b) in the Davasom receipts Rupees 17,000 (c) in the sale of surplus paddy from the Government Granaries Rupees 11,000, (d) in the Grazing fees, Cardamom Hills, Rs. 11,000, sundry other items, all making up a gross decrease of Rs. 1,07,000. The net result being thus Rupees 8,000 in round numbers.

1049.....	1,44,258
1050.....	1,43,217
	- 1,041

256. Judicial Fees.—The slight falling off calls for no explanation.

1049.....	3,81,994
1050.....	4,12,804
	+ 30,810

257. Customs.—Pepper yielded in duty an increase of Rupees 9,000, Copra Rupees 26,000, Ginger Rs. 3,500, Coconut oil Rs. 2,800; in all, the gross increase amounted Rupees 49,000. There was falling off in arecanut Rs. 7,300 and Coffee (abolished duty) Rs. 3,500 (in 3 months) and sundry other items amounting in the gross to Rs. 18,000. The net result was plus Rupees 31,000 in round numbers.

1049.....	1,34,996
1050.....	1,57,978
	+ 22,982

258. Arrack and Opium.—The increase in both was due to higher rentals fetched at the sale of the farms.

1049.....	9,09,746
1050.....	9,14,303
	+ 4,557

259. Tobacco.—This small increase was due to a larger sale of the article in bond.

1049.....	9,88,798
1050.....	10,81,592
	+ 92,794

260. Salt.—The increase in the salt revenue was due partly (Rs. 54,812) to the raising of the monopoly price (contemporaneously with adjoining British Provinces) from March 1875 and partly (Rs. 37,982) from increased sale.

1049.....	2,24,870
1050.....	1,72,897
	- 51,973

261. Cardamoms and other Goods.—There was loss of revenue from the Cardamom both from diminished yield and from diminished prices; the former was the result of an unfavourable season, the latter owing to the low state of the market.

1049.....	1,01,710
1050.....	1,01,851
	+ 141

262. Timber.—Though there was an increase of Rs. 8,400 in one depôt, the one at Shencottah, there was falling off

in the sales at Alleppey and other places, the demand for timber having been brisk.

1049.....	1,06,637
1050.....	1,47,217
	+ 40,580

263. Interest on Government Securities.—The increase under this head was due to interest drawn for one full year on certain Bonds previous to renewal.

1049.....	29,664
1050.....	78,580
	+ 48,916

264. Arrears of Revenue.—Great exertions were made to clear off old arrears and with a view to their easier recovery interest thereon was remitted under sanction of His Highness to those who paid up before the end of the year.

1049.....	53,46,131
1050.....	55,31,639
	+ 1,85,508

265. To sum up results under all heads of revenue, the total of the increase was Rupees 2,44,895 and that of the decrease Rupees 59,387, producing a net increase of Rupees 1,85,508 in favor of the year 1050.

266. The revenues of the years 1047 and 1049 were, (Rupees 53,72,372 and Rupees 53,46,131) with a slight difference between them, the highest on record. That of 1050 rising, as it did, to Rupees 55,31,639 has surpassed both of them and takes the highest place

EXPENDITURE.

267. The expenditure of the year will now be reviewed.

268. Davasom or Religious Institutions.—The trifling variation needs no explanation.

269. Ootperas or Charitable Institutions.—The decrease needs no explanation as no pains is spared to keep down expense under this head.

270. Palace.—The small increase was due to a tour of His Highness the Mahia Rajah to Courtallum and to a prolonged visit of His Highness the 2nd Prince to several places for the benefit of his health.

271. Huzzoor Cutcherry and other Civil Establishments.—The increased expenditure was due to several causes, alterations of salaries and the like. The chief portion of the excess was caused by the appointment of a commissioner and assistant for the demarcation of the Hill boundary between Travancore and the adjoining British Provinces.

272. Judicial Establishment.—Several additional Moonsiffs were appointed to clear off the heavy files of suits and sundry increase of salaries was also made.

1049.....	5,73,253
1050.....	5,73,626
	+ 373

1049.....	3,09,641
1050.....	3,06,581
	- 3,060

1049.....	5,41,939
1050.....	5,60,861
	+ 18,922

1049.....	5,64,045
1050.....	5,83,423
	+ 19,380

1049.....	1,69,105
1050.....	1,75,271
	+ 6,166

1049.....	1,42,430
1050.....	1,46,603
	+ 4,173

273. Police Establishment.—

There was a revision of the salaries of the Sircar Vakeels attached to the Zillah Courts and the salaries of the graded Sub-Magistrates were also raised as they became eligible under the rules sanctioned by His Highness the Maha Rajah.

1049.....	1,54,095
1050.....	1,46,274
	- 7,821

274. Nair Troops.—The chief item of decrease was in the charge for new watch cloaks of which there was none.

1049.....	66,251
1050.....	59,369
	- 6,882

275. Elephant and Horse Establishments.—The contract for gram was more favourable and the rewards for elephants trapped were also less.

1049.....	1,14,346
1050.....	1,48,248
	+ 33,902

276. Education, Science and Art.—Nearly Rs. 30,000 of this increase is a mere adjustment (debit from the head of deposit to the appropriate head) of charges incurred in the years 1047, 1048 and 1049.

1049.....	1,15,480
1050.....	90,696
	- 54,784

277. Medical Establishment.

The absence of those causes, which raised the charges under this head in the year preceding, accounts for the decrease in the year 1050.

1049.....	1,35,029
1050.....	1,46,977
	+ 11,948

278. Pensions.—The retirement on pension of the 1st. and 2nd. Judges of the Sadr, of some Tahsildars and other officers and the invaliding of the privates of the Brigade and the grant of pensions to families of deceased officers caused this increase.

1049.....	10,15,913
1050.....	9,24,765
	- 91,148

279. Public Works.—The failure of the cardamom revenue (the estimate having been Rs. 2,25,000) and the necessity of providing sufficient funds for the extraordinary expenses of the year 1051 rendered a contraction of the outlay on Public works an unavoidable measure.

1049.....	3,78,008
1050.....	3,08,140
	- 69,868

280. Cost and Charges of goods sold.—The changes introduced in the system of importing Bombay salt rendered disbursements to merchants on account of deficiency unnecessary and this accounts for Rs. 54,000 of the total decrease. The payments to the growers of cardamoms were also less.

1049.....	1,80,972
1050.....	1,76,003
	- 4,969

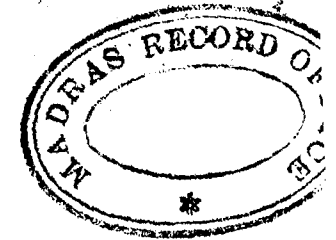
281. Contingent Charges.—It is needless to go into the variations in the many items which compose this head, the net result being only 5,000 Rs. in round numbers.

1049.....	8,10,652
1050.....	8,10,652

282. Subsidy to the British Government.—A fixed item.

283. There was extraordinary expenditure besides in the year under report. The tour of His Highness the Maha Rajah to Madras and Calcutta cost Rs. 1,05,519.

The census of the State cost (with in the year) Rs. 32,040.



POLITICAL.

Diary notes of His Highness the Maha Rajah's Tour to Madras, Calcutta, Agra and Delhi in January and February 1875.

286. While at Bombay in November 1872, His Highness the Maha Rajah was personally invited to Calcutta by His Excellency the Viceroy and it was His Highness' intention to continue the tour thither then, but owing to indisposition, he had to return from Benares.

287. It was in fulfilment of this promise and also to pay Lord Hobart, Governor of Madras, a visit, His Highness the Maha Rajah undertook another tour this year.

288. The middle of the cold season was considered the best time and His Highness accordingly started from Trevandrum on the evening of the 18th January 1875 and halting at the usual stages in Travancore territory and receiving the hospitality of His Highness of Cochin at Ernakulam, Trichoor and Shoranore, commenced the Railway journey in a special Train, which left Shoranore at 12 A. M., of Sunday the 24th January, in charge of the Traffic Manager Mr. H. E. Church.

289. At Palghat and Coimbatore stations several native gentlemen, both public Officers and others, were on the platform to pay their respects to His Highness.

290. The Train reached Erode 4-45 P. M. and His Highness being received by the Tahsildar, District Munsiff, the Police Inspector and other local authorities, proceeded in his own palanquin to the lodging in the village close to the Bowani canal and after a brief supper returned to the

291. The Train drove into the New Central station, Madras, precisely at 6-30. A. M. (25th January.) His Highness was received (under a salute of 19 Guns from Fort St. George) on the platform, by the Chief Secretary and Governor's Aid-de-camp and by Major Hay (Assistant Resident) and Dr. Æ. M. Ross (His Highness' Physician) both of whom had preceded His Highness. T. Mootoosami Iyer, P. Chentsal Row, R. Ragunadha Row, S. Vejayaraghavelu Chetty and several other native gentlemen of Madras were also present on the platform to welcome His Highness. His Highness after a few minutes conversation, drove with the Chief Secretary in the Governor's carriage, (receiving the salute of the detachment of Native Infantry, drawn up in front of the station) accompanied in other carriages by the Governor's Aid-de-camp, Assistant Resident, the Dewan and His Highness' Physician, to the new Bungalow at the Luz hospitably placed at the disposal of His Highness by its owner, M. Vencataswami Naidu Garu.

292. At $\frac{1}{2}$ past 4 P. M. the same day, His Highness drove to Guindy in the Governor's carriage accompanied by the Chief Secretary and an Aid-de-camp and was received by Lord Hobart under a salute of 19 guns. The interview over, His Highness was escorted back to his residence in the same manner.

293. His Highness the Maha Rajah of Vizianagarum accompanied by his son and gentlemen of his court, paid visit at 7 P. M.

294. 26th January 1875, Tuesday.—Lord Hobart turned the visit this day at Noon. His Excellency was accompanied by the Chief Secretary and four other gentlemen on his personal staff and was received by the Maha

Rajah on alighting from his carriage and conducted to the Drawing Room upstairs. Major Hay, the Dewan and Dr. Ross were present. At the end of the interview, which lasted 15 minutes, garlands &c. were presented to the Governor and suite, who then took leave and were conducted to the portico by the Maha Rajah. A detachment of native Infantry with band and colors had been drawn up outside the portico and presented arms, when the Governor arrived and left.

295. In the afternoon the Maha Rajah returned the visit of His Highness of Vizianagarum at his residence (Myrtlegrove)

296. 27th January 1875, Wednesday.—Both this morning and the previous one His Highness received several Hindu gentlemen, among whom were C. Runganada Sastriar, the Honorable V. Ramiengar, T. Mootoosami Iyer, P. Chentsal Row, T. Srinivasa Row, R. Ragunadha Row, T. Anunda Row, R. Ramnatha Row, Raghoonatha Chariar, (Assistant Govt. Astronomer) the Deputy Collector of Cuddapah on general duty, Kodandarama Mudalear.

297. In the afternoon, His Highness received several European Visitors, among whom were the Honorable Messrs Sim and Robinson and Carmichael, Colonels Mullins and Walker, Mr. J. Hunter Blair and Mr. Arathoon.

298. 28th January 1875, Thursday.—His Highness prepared to start early and in the brief interval of leisure received M. Vencatasami Naidu Garu, T. Ramachandra Row Junior, M. Sadasiva Pillay and C. Ranga Chariar of Mysore. The Governor's carriage with the Private Secretary and an aid-de-camp arrived at His Highness' residence at 9-30. and His Highness started at once, and receiving the

salute of the Guard of Honor (37th N. I.), who had drawn up in front of the Portico, arrived at the Railway Station. A detachment of (the 37th) N. I. under a European Officer and with Colors and Band presented arms and His Highness, after a brief conversation with and taking leave of the European and Native Gentlemen, who were assembled on the platform to bid adieu, entered the special Train 10 A. M.

299. At Patar, Tripati and other stations enroute the local officers paid their respects to His Highness. About 6 P. M. the train stopped to drop His Highness at the point nearest the camp in the bed of the Papagini, taking His Highness up after supper, started again at 6 and reached the camp on the bank of the Chittravati at P. M., where supper had been prepared for the party. At supper, the train took up most of the followers (the Dew remaining in the camp) and drove back into the station (Kondipoornam) at 10-30 P. M.

300. 29th January 1875, Friday.—At 6-30 A. M. the train brought back His Highness and followers to the camp on the River. His Highness was accommodated in Tents and Pundals. The local Tahsildar, Police Inspector and others showed much attention and every thing had been made comfortable. After breakfast His Highness resumed the journey at 8-30. At Gooty and Adoni, the Tahsildars were present on the platform and paid their respects to His Highness. Major and Mrs. Davidson, who had come from Bellary, visited His Highness and rode in the Train from Gooty to Goondacul. The Train arrived at Raichur at 3 P. M.

301. The Taluqdar and other officers of His Highness the Nizam received His Highness on the platform and a detachment of infantry and Bissala horse presented arms, as

His Highness alighted from the Train and proceeded to the small Bungalow (close to the station), where dinner had been provided.

302. Changing trains, (the beginning of the G. I. P. R.) the journey was resumed at 4 P. M. and Poona was reached at 5-30 A. M. of 30th January 1875.

303. 30th January 1875, Saturday.—The morning was very cold. His Highness drove at once to a spacious Bungalow on the banks of the river about a mile from the station and after early breakfast returned to the station by 8-45 A. M., when the train at once started. We reached Nassick at 6-30 P. M.—Mr. Prestcott, Inspector, with a detachment of the Police, received His Highness on alighting and was very attentive. His Highness and suite were accommodated in the Chitr close to the station. The train started at 11 P. M.

304. 31st January 1875, Sunday.—We reached Bhosawal at 5 A. M.—Sir T. Madava Row from Indore waited at the platform and was graciously received by His Highness, who continued conversing with him in the carriage till day-break. The Tahsildar and a detachment of the Police received His Highness on the platform and were very attentive during our halt. Starting after breakfast at 10-30, we reached Hurda at 5-30, (Sir Madava Row being dropped at Khundwa station) Accommodation had been prepared in the Serai. The Deputy Collector and the Tahsildar received His Highness at the station and showed much attention. We started after supper at 9 P. M.

305. 1st February 1875, Monday.—Jubbulpore. Reached at 6 A. M. Accommodation having been prepared in the native Town two miles from the station, His Highness drove thither and returned after breakfast to resume the journey at 9 A. M.—Captain Hallet, Deputy Commissioner, was on the platform to see His Highness off. We reached Allahabad 5 P. M. and His Highness drove to the tents pitched in the premises of the Chutr (Rewa's) in course of construction close to the station. After supper, the journey was resumed 9 P. M.

306. 2nd February 1875, Tuesday.—Patna was reached 7 A. M. A detachment of Police under an officer was present on the platform to salute His Highness, who drove at once through the main street of the Town to the Nawab's Bungalow, which had been bespoken for His Highness' accommodation. Gunga Vishnool Chotelal, Gyawali waited on His Highness to pay his respects and to invite His Highness to Gya. The Nawab and his Dewan visited His Highness in the afternoon; after early dinner, His Highness drove back to the station in the Nawab's carriage and four kindly placed at His Highness' disposal and the Train started at 6 P. M.

307. 3rd February 1875, Wednesday.—We reached Howrah 6-45 A. M. His Highness and suite were received under a salute of 19 Guns on the platform by the Under Secretary in the Foreign Department and an aid-de-camp of the Viceroy and drawn to the residence (No. 2 Ballygunge) escorted by Troopers of the Viceroy's body-guard. His Highness was visited in the course of the day by the Honourable A. H. Dalyell and by Rajah Hurenda Krishna Bahadur.

308. 4th February 1875, Thursday.—The morning was very cold (54°) and foggy. At 4 P. M. the Viceroy's Military Secretary, the Under-Secretary (Foreign Department) and an Aid-de-camp arrived at His Highness' Residence with two of the Viceroy's carriages and four and an escort of Troopers, to conduct His Highness to Government House. In the first carriage were His Highness, the Secretaries and the Aid-de-camp and Major Hay, and in the second, were the Dewan and Dr. Ross. The Durbar was held at 4-30 P. M. in the Throne Room and the ceremonies observed on the occasion will be found in the annexed official programme. After the formal Durbar was over, His Highness, (accompanied by Major Hay and the Dewan) was conducted to the private Room of the Viceroy and had a conversation, which lasted about 15 minutes and which was highly gratifying to His Highness. His Highness and suite were conducted back to Ballygunge with the same ceremonies as before.

FOREIGN DEPARTMENT.

Fort William, the 2nd February 1875.

RECEPTION OF HIS HIGHNESS THE MAHA RAJAH OF TRAVANCORE BY HIS EXCELLENCY THE VICEROY AND GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN DURBAR.

His Excellency the Viceroy and Governor-General will hold a Durbar in the Throne Room of Government House on Thursday, the 4th Instant, at 4-30 P. M., for the reception of His Highness the Maha Rajah of Travancore.

The Brigadier-General Commanding the Presidency District and the District Staff will be requested to be present on this occasion.

Two of the Viceroy's carriages, containing the Military Secretary, the Under-Secretary to the Government of India in the Foreign Department, and one of the Aides-de-camp to His Excellency the Viceroy will start from Government House at 3-45 P. M. for the purpose of escorting His Highness to the Durbar from his private residence.*

On alighting from the Viceroy's carriage, His Highness will be conducted up the stairs of the Grand Entrance by the Military Secretary and the Under-Secretary, and will be received at the top of the stairs by the Secretary in the Foreign Department, by whom he will be conducted to the Throne Room. The Viceroy and Governor-General will receive His Highness midway between the Throne and the entrance to the Throne Room, and will lead him to a seat on his right hand. Immediately to the right of the Maha Rajah will sit the Secretary in the Foreign Department, and to

* No. 2 old Ballygunge road.

309. *5th February 1875, Friday.*—His Excellency the Viceroy returned the visit of His Highness this afternoon. The Dewan left His Highness' Residence in His Highness' carriage and four and waited on the Viceroy at 4-30 P. M. and escorted him to Ballygunge at 5 P. M. His Highness received the Viceroy as he alighted from the carriage and conducted him upstairs to the Room prepared for his reception. The ceremonies observed will be found detailed in the annexed programme. The Durbar lasted for about 15 minutes. The Dewan returned with the Viceroy to Government house and there took leave.

His Highness attended the evening party at Government House at 9½. The Dewan, Major Hay and Dr. Ross accompanied. Many distinguished native gentlemen of Calcutta were introduced to His Highness on this occasion. The party broke up at 10½ P. M.

FOREIGN DEPARTMENT.

Fort William the 5th February 1875.

His Excellency the Viceroy and Governor-General will return the visit of His Highness the Maharajah of Travancore, G. C. S. I. on Friday the 5th of February, at 5 o'clock P. M.

His Highness' Dewan A. Sashiah Sastri will wait on the Viceroy and Governor-General at Government House at 4-30. P. M., precisely, to conduct His Excellency to the private residence of the Maharajah of Travancore.

The carriage will start from Government House at 4-10 P. M., under a Royal salute, which will be fired from the ramparts of Fort William. His Excellency the Viceroy and Governor-General will be attended by his Private and Military Secretaries, by four Ambassadors, and by the Secretary and Under-Secretary in the Foreign Department.

The Maharajah will receive the Viceroy and Governor-General under the portico of his house, as His Excellency alights from his carriage, and will conduct him to his seat, which will be immediately on the right of His Highness. Beyond the Viceroy and Governor-General will sit His Excellency's Private and Military Secretaries and Personal staff. On the left of the Maharajah will sit the Secretary and Under-Secretary in the Foreign Department, next to whom will sit the officer on special duty with the Maharajah, and beyond him, Dewan A. Sashiah Sastri and Surgeon Major Aeneas Ross in attendance on His Highness. The Dewan and Surgeon-Major Ross

will be presented to the Viceroy and Governor-General by the Under-Secretary. His Highness' Dewan will offer a muzzer of a gold Mohar, which will be remitted.

The Maha Rajah will present attar and pān at the close of the interview to His Excellency the Viceroy and Governor-General, and His Highness' Dewan to all the other visitors present. The Maha Rajah will take leave of His Excellency under the portico of his house.

His Highness' Dewan will return with the Viceroy and Governor-General to Government House, and will take leave of His Excellency at the Grand Entrance.

A Guard of Honor will be drawn up at the Maha Rajah's house, and will present arms and droop colors on the arrival and departure of the Viceroy and Governor-General. A Band will also be in attendance.

His Excellency will be escorted to and from Government House by the Body-Guard.

Full dress will be worn by all officers on this occasion.

(Signed) F. HENVEY.

Officiating Under-Secretary
to the Government of India.

310. *6th February 1875, Saturday.*—This day was spent chiefly in inspecting Jewelry &c. brought by tradesmen and in receiving visitors, among whom were Pundit Taranakathu Vachaspathy and his son Jeebanand Vidyasagar B. A.

311. *7th February 1875, Sunday.*—In the afternoon His Highness accompanied by the Dewan paid a visit, (in response to an Invitation) to Rajah Harendra Kristna Bahadur, (Sobhabazar Square) son of the late Rajah Kalikrishna Bahadur at whose residence were found assembled the *élite* of Calcutta Native Society. All the gentlemen present were introduced one by one to His Highness, and at the close of the conversation which lasted for 2 hours, the host presented garlands of flowers, uttur, and tilak first to his Royal Visitor and then to the rest of the assembly. There was a concert of native Music playing at intervals in the Verandah. His Highness never spent a more pleasant afternoon.

312. *8th February 1875, Monday.*—It was discovered at a very early hour that thieves had entered the Bungalow during the night and removed a box which contained His Highness' crown jewels and the jewel of the order of the Star of India. Intimation was at once given to the Police and other authorities; at 3 P. M. His Highness paid a visit to Sir Richard Temple. Late in the evening, a looking glass which was missed the night before the last was brought by a Police Inspector for identification.

313. *9th February 1875, Tuesday.*—At 1 A. M. Mr. Lambert, Deputy Commissioner of Police called to give the glad tidings that the lost crown jewels had been found. At 10 A. M. His Highness accompanied by Major Hay, drove round and inspected the Fort, the Arsenal, the new High Court Buildings, the Mint, and other noteworthy

public places. In the evening, His Highness attended a party at Government House (9½ p. m.) at which His Highness was met by and introduced to several high functionaries of the Government of India.

314. 10th February 1875, *Wednesday*.—The best part of this day was occupied with visits paid by His Highness to the Chief Justice, Members of Council and other high Officers of state. In the evening, His Highness the Maharajah of Vizianagarum with the Kumar Maharajah visited His Highness. His Highness attended a Bengali Theatre and witnessed portion of a performance entitled the "Battle of Kurukshetra." After a brief stay, His Highness drove thence to Belvedere to attend an evening party of the Lieut. Governor.

315. 11th February 1875, *Thursday*.—This forenoon His Highness received return visits as well as visits from several distinguished Bengali gentlemen—and in the afternoon, went to Government House and took leave of the Viceroy. On the way His Highness paid a visit to the establishments of Hamilton and Co. and Ostler and Co. and also returned the visit of the Maharajah of Vizianagarum. In the evening, His Highness attended the Italian Opera, the Viceroy's Box being courteously placed at His Highness' service on the occasion.

316. 12th February 1875, *Friday*.—This was the day of starting. Prince Mirza Soorajahjah, connected with the Royal House of Delhi, whom His Highness had met at Belvedere paid a visit. The Alipore Magistrate (Abdul Latiff Khan Bahadur) brought the recovered jewels to show to His Highness. At 6-5 p. m. (Calcutta time) a carriage and four (Viceroy's) with the Under-Secretary in the Foreign Department and an Aid-de-camp and an Escort of Cavalry arrived, and conveyed His Highness to the Rail-

way station, accompanied by Major Hay the Dewan and Dr. Ross—As the train was about to start, the Under-Secretary and Aid-de-camp took leave of His Highness, and His Highness left Calcutta at 7 p. m. under a salute of 19 guns.

317. 13th February 1875, *Saturday*.—This time Bankipore had been chosen for the morning halt, and His Highness and followers, on the arrival of the train at 7 a. m. were accommodated in tents and shamianas pitched on the bund of the Tank close to the station on the road to Gya. After breakfast, the journey was resumed at 10 a. m. and we reached Benares station at 4 p. m. fully an hour before time—His Highness was received by the Commissioner, and by the son (Kumar Maharajah) of the Maharajah of Vizianagarum (whose guest His Highness was on this as well as on the previous occasion, December 1872) and driven to Vizianambag where the utmost hospitality awaited the whole party.

318. 14th February 1875, *Sunday*.—At a little before 8, His Highness accompanied by the Dewan drove to Asighat and thence rowed down the Ganges to Manikarnika, whence His Highness after bathing and performing ceremonies proceeded to the holy shrine of Visweswer and returned home in a carriage. After breakfast, there was a nautch at which was present the Kumar Maharajah. In the afternoon His Highness took a boat at Asighat and went down the Ganges again to enjoy the view leisurely, and landing at Rajghat drove home through the Cantonments. Towards evening His Highness received a visit from the Maharajah of Benares, and also from the Commissioner, and after supper, left for the Railway station at 9 p. m.

319. 15th February 1875, *Monday*.—The train arrived at Allahabad at 3-15 a. m., but we did not get out till it

was 5½. His Highness was received at the station by the Commissioner. His Highness' lodgings were arranged on this occasion in the Benares Rajah's Coti on the banks of the Jumna. After driving thither and having breakfast, His Highness and party returned to the station and left for Cawnpore at 10 A. M. We reached the latter station at 3½. After early dinner (at Sir Dinkar Rao's Kothi) His Highness drove out and saw the Barracks, the Ganges Canal, and the locks connected therewith, the bridge of boats across the Ganges, the new Railway bridge under construction, and returned to the station. The special Train left at 9 P. M.

320. 16th February 1875, Tuesday.—We reached Agra at 5 A. M. His Highness was received on the platform by the Assistant Commissioner (Mr. Donovan) under a salute which was fired at 6 A. M. A heavy shower had fallen the previous night and it was still raining. His Highness drove to Dholepoor Kothi, a fine mansion, which at Sir Dinkar Rao's request had been kindly placed for His Highness' use by the Maharana of Dholepoor, together with an Elephant with umbaree, a carriage and four and some sepoy and sowars for guard. Soon after, His Highness drove to the Taj which was very close to Dholepoor House. In the afternoon His Highness with the Dewan, Major Hay and Dr. Ross, visited the Fort and the palaces within it and afterwards drove through the city to Secundra (6 miles distant) to see Akbar's tomb and returned 5½ P. M. by the Cantonment road.

321. 17th February 1875, Wednesday.—His Highness visited the Taj again this morning, and in the afternoon drove to see the large Mosque on the Jeypoor Railway, the Gazi-ud-din and the Rambag on the Jumna. In the evening (9) His Highness accompanied by the Dewan, drove

out to see the illumination of the Taj. The colored lights with which the long marble walls and terraces were lit produced a very pleasant effect. Being a fine moon-light night, the effect on the illumination of the dome was not so striking. The interior of the tomb was lit with roman candles and presented a beautiful sight. Thousands of little lights were then sent down the stream of the Jumna from a point a little higher up the bend of the river. The movement of these on the water, as they neared and receded from each other, as they drew together and parted, produced a very pretty effect. Major Hay, Dr. Ross and some gentlemen and ladies of the station joined us a little while after our own arrival. Some of the ladies sung a few songs. The echoes of the voice within the dome of the tomb were charming. The American tourist's description of the Taj as 'Poetry in marble' was no exaggeration.

322. 18th February 1875, Thursday.—We left Agra at 10 A. M. on our onward journey and arrived at Delhi at 4 P. M. His Highness was received at the station by the Assistant Commissioner under a salute of 19 guns and thence drove to our camp which consisted entirely of tents pitched in regular order on the open space near the Fort under the kind and personal directions and assistance of Col. Napper. His Highness finding that there was time left, drove out accompanied by the Dewan, and saw the Fort, (which we entered by the Delhi gate) and the several magnificent marble Halls and apartments of the late Emperors. The night was very cold and the canvas was a poor protection from it.

323. 19th February 1875, Friday.—This morning His Highness joined by the Dewan on the way drove out and saw the Jumma Musjid, and the curiosities exhibited in it—thence to the Public Gardens, the Museum, the Clock Tower, and the Chadney Chouk. Col. Napper visited His

326. *22nd February 1875, Monday.*—Arrived at Allaha-
bad 7 A. M. under a salute from the Fort. His Highness
drove straight to Tribeni and after ablution there, returned
to the Benares Rajah's Kothe—Towards evening His High-
ness drove to the Fort, inspecting the Jumna Railway
Bridge on the way.

327. *23rd February 1875, Tuesday.*—We left Allaha-
bad at 10 A. M. At Sutna station, His Highness had a
pleasant interview with the Maharajah of Rewah through
whose territory we were just then travelling. Encounter-
ing a heavy shower of rain on the way, we reached Jubbul-
poor 5-10 P. M. Dinner had been provided in the same
place as before and His Highness had to proceed thither
and return in a Ticka Ghary—We started at 9 P. M.

328. *24th February 1875, Wednesday.*—Reached Hur-
da 5 A. M. and left it at 10. Reached Bhosawal 5½ P. M.
and left at 8-15 P. M.

329. *25th February 1875, Thursday.*—Reached Nas-
sick at 4 A. M.—it was chilly—and left at 9-15 soon after
breakfast—While the train stopped at Callian Mr. Michael
de Quadros of Bombay visited His Highness. The heat at
this station was 100°. At Khandalla His Highness alight-
ed from the train 4½ P. M. and had dinner in a Bungalow
close to the station. We reached Poona at 7½ P. M. and
proceeded to the same quarters as where we had lodged on
the up journey.

330. *26th February 1875, Friday.*—Owing to the late
hour of arrival the previous evening, the salute announcing
the arrival of His Highness was fired this morning. His
Highness drove out to the Cantonment in the morning, and
after breakfast visited Government House, Gunnessh Khend,
and after dinner, visited Sir David Sassoon's splendid villa—

On the Railway platform, a detachment of Infantry, band and colors under a European officer were drawn up and saluted His Highness as the train left at 5 P. M.

331. *27th February 1875, Saturday.*—Arrived at Rairchoor 7 A. M.—where His Highness was received by the officers of the Nizam with the same honors as before—our tents were pitched this time near the Tank and His Highness returned to the Railway station after a quick breakfast. We started at 10-30 and reached the River camp beyond Camalapore at 5-20 P. M.—After supper, we left again at 8 and reached the Cheyair break (near Nendaloor) at 11 and were detained there till daylight the following morning.

332. *28th February 1875, Sunday.*—Arrived at Tritani at 9-5 A. M. where His Highness was received by the Collector Mr. Whiteside. His Highness proceeded to the village in the Palkee of the Rajah of Carvetnagar preceded by native music, and lodged in a spacious Chutr. After breakfast, His Highness received many native gentlemen who had come from Madras and other places. At 4 His Highness took dinner and left for the station, whence our special train started, 5 P. M.

333. *1st March 1875, Monday.*—Arrived at Shoranoor (and at the end of our long Railway journey) at 15 to 7 A. M. His Highness was received at the station by the Dewan Peishcar of Cochin and drove to the Palace on the other side of the river for breakfast.

His Highness received a few visitors and started immediately for Trichoor, and reached it in two hours, with posted horses. The rest of the party in palkees and carts joined at 4. The Dewan of Cochin and the Dewan Peishcar of Sharetellay received His Highness at this place. The whole party started at 5½ P. M. in boats on the Backwater.

334. *2nd March 1875, Tuesday.*—After breakfast at Paroor, His Highness left it early and reached Tripoontra, the Residence of His Highness the Rajah of Cochin, at about 3 P. M. His Highness was received at the landing place by the Eliah Rajah, and by the Rajah at the foot of the staircase of the new Palace close by. After a brief and always pleasant interview, His Highness retired to the Palace prepared for his accommodation. His Highness then received the visits of the Cochin State Officers and paid visits to the members of the Royal family. After supper His Highness took leave of his royal Host and left Tripoontra (7½ P. M.) amidst a grand display of illuminations and fireworks, music and cheers of the people.

335. *3rd March 1875, Wednesday.*—His Highness arrived at Alleppey early in the morning and after receiving the respects of the local Officers in the course of the day, left at 5½ P. M.

336. *4th March 1875, Thursday.*—Reached Quilon at 7 and His Highness was received by Colonel Stevens Commanding the Subsidiary Force, the Dewan Peishcar, Mr. Vernede, Conservator of Forests, and others of His Highness' Officers. A guard of honor (26th N. I.) was also present. His Highness immediately went to witness a Boat race and returned for breakfast, and started again at 12. At half past 4 His Highness reached Nadayara, where he was received by the Dewan Peishcar and other Officers—and drove in his own carriage to the camp at Dalavapooram, where His Highness the First Prince of Travancore had already arrived to render his respects and congratulations to the Maha Rajah. After dinner His Highness left at 7 P. M.

337. *5th March 1875, Friday.*—And arrived at the old landing place Trevandrum (Calpalacadavoo) at 6 A. M. and

proceeded in procession to the Palace, amidst the cheers and congratulations of his expectant subjects, after an absence of 48 days, during which a journey of 6813 miles was accomplished, under God's blessing, without a single accident or casualty, and during which, thanks to the British Government, nothing but uniform kindness and courtesy was experienced every where.

CONCLUDING REMARKS.

338. As was done in the last report, the chief administrative results, changes, or transactions of the year 1050, which have been already alluded to at various places in the foregoing paras, will now be noted under this head in a collective form.

339. Legislative.—(a) A regulation was passed to prevent overcrowding of pilgrim-vessels bound for Jedda and other ports.

(b) Now arrangements were made for the trial and committal of European British Subjects committing offences in the State.

340 Judicial.—(a) Every effort was made to work off the arrears on the files of the several Courts.

(b) Additional Judges and Munsiffs were appointed temporarily to accomplish the above object.

(c) A long interval having occurred since the last examination of the kind was held, a general examination for pleaders was held under the immediate superintendence of the Sadr.

341. Magistracy and Police.—(a) An ex-officio subordinate was created at the Aramboli Pass.

(b) A few new Police stations were opened.

342. Registration.—A general examination of candidates for employment in this Department was held under the superintendence of the Huzoor Registrar.

343 Land Revenue.—A general conditional remission of *Interest* on old balances of revenue was proclaimed and had a beneficial effect.

344. Salt.—The Monopoly selling price of salt was increased, a similar increase having taken place in the British Districts on the same Coast.

345. Customs.—The export duty on Coffee was abolished,—subject to an alternative increase in the land tax of Coffee lands.

346. Marine.—On the complaint of the Merchants, Rules were sanctioned by His Highness for regulating the Boat traffic of the Port of Alleppey.

347. Education.—A scheme was framed for giving grants-in-aid to Elementary vernacular schools.

348. Revision of salaries and Establishments.—(a) The salaries of the Head Sirkar Vakeel and the Sirkar Vakeels attached to the Zillah Courts were revised.

(b) The clerical establishments of the District Registry offices were strengthened with reference to increased work.

349. The Census.—Allusion was made in the last report to the Census, the preliminaries for which had been arranged in 1049. In the year under report, it was commenced and completed.

350. As a special report on the Census and Results is under preparation, any lengthened notice would be out of place here. But it may be just remarked that no previous Census came up to this one either in respect of completeness or accuracy.

351. The rules and arrangements were nearly those adopted in British India. There was first a Register of houses, and then a Register of shops, pagodas, churches,

mosques, schools, chuttrums &c. This was followed by a preliminary house-to-house enumeration which was begun and closed in 30 days. Finally there was synchronous enumeration of the population of the whole State in one day (the 18th May 1875.)

352. The result gave the population of the Travancore State at 23,11,379 against 12,62,647 which used to be quoted as the then latest * and against 9,06,587 the earliest † one.

* A. D. 1854

† A. D. 1818

353. The Boundary Settlement Commission.—With reference to correspondence on the subject with the British Government, His Highness was pleased to appoint Mr. J. D. Munro and Mr. C. B. B. Sherman as Commissioner and Assistant Commissioner respectively, on behalf of Travancore, for the purpose of demarcating, in conjunction with British Officers deputed for the same purpose, the Hill line of Boundary between Travancore and the adjoining British Districts.

354. About 38 miles of boundary line were so demarcated at a joint cost of Rs. 13,672.

355. If we add to the above His Highness the Maha Rajah's Tour to Madras and Calcutta, I trust that the year 1050 will not be deemed an uneventful one, or wanting in measures highly conducive to the progressive prosperity of the State.

A. SASHIAH SASTRI,
DEWAN.

Huzzoor Cutcherry,
Trevandrum,
11th March 1876.

JUDICIAL.
Statement of Original Civil Suits, pending, instituted and disposed of in the Zillah and Munsiff Courts of Travancore for the year 1050.

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Statement of Appeal Suits, pending, filed and disposed of in the Zillah Courts of Trizancoore for the year 1950.

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7					8	9			10	11												
		Pending on the 31st Augy 1049.	Filed in 1050.	Re-admitted under Section 831.	Transferred from other Courts.	Total.	Rs.	Disposed of.					Total.	Confirmed.	Modified.	Reversed.	Months.	Days.	Remaining.										
								Suits not contested.	Suits con- tested.	Decreed on merits under Sec. 333.	For Plaintiff.	For Defendant.																	
								Transferred to other Courts.	Disposd of by agreement under Sec. 88.	Disposd of by agreement under Sec. 330.	Disposd of by agreement under Sec. 131.	Disposd of by agreement under Sec. 335.	Remanded to the Lower Courts.	Decided ex-parte.															
Pulpanabapoorum ..	11	234		7	4	256	12,545	1	130	6	2	11	21	49	129	249	129	36	13	1	24	6	1	2	1	5	2	1	330
Trevandrum ..	94	535		28	1	658	38,154	"	1633	"	"	"	176	213	178	616	178	88	125	2	12	35	5	2	1	3	2	1	330
Quilon ..	251	295		"	"	546	19,025	"	2211	"	"	"	47	62	97	218	97	23	39	8	7	114	7	4	1	1	1	1	127
Alleppey ..	42	303		"	"	345	24,266	"	12	"	"	"	18	47	69	218	69	18	23	1	13	114	7	4	1	1	1	1	127
Alwaye ..	3	146		4	1	154	9,872	"	16	6	"	"	7	18	47	154	69	18	23	1	13	114	7	4	1	1	1	1	127
Total ..	401	1,513		39	6	1,959	1,03,862	2	8856	2	18279	421	589	1,453	589	187	234	229	88	93	19	4	2	1	5	2	1	330	127

Statement of unexecuted Civil Decrees in the Zillah and Moonsiff Courts of Travancore for the year 1050.

Nature of Suits.	1		2		3		4		5					6		7		8										
	Pending on 31st of Augy 1049.		Filed in 1050.		Total.		Value of Appeals filed in 1050.		Disposed of					Disposed of under Sec. 334.		Average delay in execution of decrees.		Remaining.										
									Suits not Contested.																			
									Suits contested.																			
									Decreed on merits under Sec. 333.																			
									Disposed of by agreement under Sec. 88.	Dismissed for default under Sec. 330.	Remanded to the Lower Courts under Sec. 335.	For Plaintiff.	For Defendant.	Total.	Confirmed.	Modified.	Reversed.	Months.	Days.	Under 6 months.	Above 6 months & under 1 year.	Above 1 year & under 2 years.	Above 2 & under 3 years.	Above 3 & under 4 years.	Above 4 & under 5 years.	Above 5 years.	Total.	
Appeal Suits...	208	334	542	Rs. 25,08,71	24	10	11	162	259,466,259	8775	8	357	910	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	76
Special Appeal Suits	48	91	139	8,922	5	3	21	29	65,126	65	15	14	3	25	12	1	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	13
Review Suits	1	6	7	5,192	1	"	"	2	1	4	1	"	2	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	3
Total.....	257	431	688	2,34,985	38	13	32	193	325,596,925	10291	7	670	1111	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	93

Statement of unexecuted Civil Decrees in the Zillah and Moonsiff Courts of Travancore for the year 1050.

Courts.	1		2		3		4		5		6		7		8		9	
	Number of decrees moved for execution.		Total.		Of those moved for execution the number that was pending at the close of 1049.		Do. applications received in 1050.		Total.		Disposed of.		No. of decrees duly executed.		Discrees for in movable property.		Discrees for in movable property.	
Pulpanahapooram	217	438	675	141	405	546	370	28	41	3	621	504	146	"	"	"	"	"
Trevarandam	506	1,444	2,244	56	437	542	306	20	47	1	75	432	1,27	1,27	"	"	"	"
Quilon	1,290	2,745	4,035	70	242	321	55	42	3	3	164	121	4	6	"	"	"	"
Alleppey	641	1,147	1,828	357	590	1,237	834	60	6	5	37	358	3	3	"	"	"	"
Alwaye	506	506	506	521	240	298	168	20	2	2	50	275	2,22	2,22	"	"	"	"
Moonsiff Courts...	25,701	59,901	84,602	6,184	18,510	24,728	12,908	1,083	90	75	4,475	33,567	1,28	1	6	4,071	325	142
Total	32,656	63,981	91,360	6,843	20,010	27,770	14,448	1,064	374	87	11,475	70,567	3,777	3	12	10,798	672	319

Statement of Criminal cases pending, filed and disposed of in the Zillah Criminal Courts of Travancore for the year 1950.

COURTS.	1		2		3		4		5	6		7		8	9	
	No. of Cases.	Pending on the 31st August 1950.	No. of Cases.	Filed during the year 1950.	No. of Cases.	Total.	Disposed of by the Zillah Court.	Disposed of by the Sadr Court.		Decision of the Criminal Court.	Decision of the Sadr Court.	Pending before the Sadr Court.	Pending before the Criminal Court.		Pending above one and under two months.	Pending above one month.
Pulpanabapooram	6	17	66	56	115	67	67	50	62	107	1	1	1	1	1	1
Trevandrum	58	79	157	235	471	67	129	67	133	265	2	3	2	2	2	2
Quilon	48	73	213	515	588	61	157	126	137	221	2	2	2	2	2	2
Alleppey	52	125	305	478	657	83	253	150	233	557	3	6	7	7	7	7
Alwaye	3	13	74	247	277	25	99	41	66	184	2	3	2	2	2	2
Total	116	322	698	1016	1472	265	614	298	614	1047	13	26	26	26	26	26

Statement of Criminal Decrees executed &c. in the Zillah Criminal Courts for the year 1950.

COURTS.	1	2	3	4	5
	Pending.	Passed in the year.	Total.	Executed.	Remaining.
Pulpanabapooram	"	62	62	62	"
Trevandrum	"	130	130	130	"
Quilon	1	187	188	188	"
Alleppey	5	233	238	234	4
Alwaye	"	66	66	65	1
Total	6	678	684	679	5

Statement of Criminal cases received in the Sadr Court, in the year 1950 on reference under Section 11 of Regulation I of 1936.

COURT.	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
	No. of Cases.	Pending on the 31st Augy 1949.	Received during the year 1950.	Total.	Disposed of.	Nature of disposal.	Remaining.
Sadr	13	59	426	941	439	1000	428
	59	426	941	439	1000	428	928
	336	80	22				
	Months.	Days.					
	7						
	11						
	72						

Courts.	1 Remaining on the 31st Andy 1943.	2 Admitted in 1940.	3 Total.	4 Disposed of.	5 Remaining.	6 Judgment Debtors in Jail.
Pulpanabapooram	11	89	100	98	2	51
Trevandrum	22	128	220	199	21	57
Quilon	50	495	545	460	85	134
Alleppey	121	402	523	461	62	151
Alwaye	13	200	213	184	29	29
Total.....	217	1,384	1,601	1,402	199	422

COURT.	1	2	3	4	5	6		7		
	Pending on the 1st Andy 1919.	Admitted in 1920.	Total.	Disposed of.			Average interval from filing to disposal.		Remaining.	
				Confirmed.	Modified.	Reversed.	Months.	Days.		
Sadr	51	12	12	12	7	4	1	"	5	"

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11
	Suits between Jemins and their tenants.	Claims to division of Tanavil property—Maroonakattayam.	Suits otherwise connected with lands.	Do. for houses or other im- movable property.	Do. for debts, wages &c.	Do. for damages for violation of caste privileges &c.	Do. for Division of property by Pandy Brahmans and Goondas.	Do. for division of property by Numbodoms.	Do. for inheritance among Makrattayam classes, such as Syrian Christians, Moplas &c.	Do. in regard to inheritance among the class following the mixed system of inheritance.	Total.
Pulpanabapuram.....	21	"	176	26	262	12	9	"	"	"	482
Trevandrum	3	"	230	222	503	3	2	"	"	"	1,083
Quilon	14	1	190	36	490	2	1	"	"	"	726
Alleppey	40	1	305	4	544	3	7	"	"	"	886
Alwaye		5	121	1	251	4	2	3	1	"	428
Total.....	78	7	1,022	291	2,050	24	18	3	5	1	3,599
Moonseiff Courts	244	"	1,435	914	21,394	8	2	"	1	3	24,000
Grand Total.....	322	7	2,457	1,205	23,444	32	20	3	6	4	27,599

11.

COURTS.	1	2	3	4			5
	Pending on the 31st Audy 1049 and filed during the year 1050.	Suits disposed of uncontested.	Remaining.	Disposal of suits contested.			Remaining.
				For Plaintiff.	For Defendant.	Total.	
Pulpanabapoorum	438	132	185	117	68	185	121
Trevandrum	852	97	514	350	164	514	241
Quilon	1,090	237	171	116	55	171	632
Alleppey	875	221	211	161	50	211	443
Alwaye	377	119	208	133	75	208	50
Total...	3,632	806	1,280	977	412	1,280	1,537
Moonsiff Courts	29,982	17,861	8,235	5,732	2,503	8,235	3,886
Grand Total...	33,614	18,667	9,524	6,609	2,915	9,524	5,423

12.

COURTS.	1	2	3	4	5			6
	Pending on the 31st Audy 1049 and filed during the year 1050.	Suits disposed of uncontested.	Remanded to the Lower Courts.	Balance.	Disposal of suits contested.			Remaining.
					For Plaintiff.	For Defendant.	Total.	
Pulpanabapoorum..	256	50	21	185	40	129	178	7
Trevandrum.....	658	49	176	433	213	178	391	42
Quilon.....	546	33	17	496	50	116	166	330
Alleppey.....	345	12	47	286	62	97	159	127
Alwaye.....	154	20	13	116	47	65	116	"
Total...	1,959	164	279	1,516	421	569	1,010	566
Sadr Court.....	688	48	30	610	193	325	518	92
Grand Total...	2,647	212	309	2,126	614	914	1,528	598

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Statement showing the Amount of Collections and Disbursements of the Judicial Department for the year 1050.

Courts.	1		2		3		4		5		6		7		8		9		10		
	Rs.	A. P.	Rs.	A. P.	Rs.	A. P.	Rs.	A. P.	Rs.	A. P.	Rs.	A. P.	Rs.	A. P.	Rs.	A. P.	Rs.	A. P.	Rs.	A. P.	
Amount of fines.	3215	2	3784	3	9528	9	9561	8	8	2	8	2	1192	4	3	1122	4	3	52595	15	8
Amount of Penalty on unstamped documents.	7455	5	3849	15	57510	12	68730	4	68730	4	5233	3	2389	6	3	7822	6	3	57534	10	10
Amount of institution fees.	363	4	3849	15	58193	1	62406	4	62412	9	6	6	2764	2	6	2764	2	6	44374	12	7
Total of Columns 1 to 3.																					
Amount received including outstanding.																					
Batta paid to Prisoners.																					
Contingent expenses.																					
Total of Columns 5 and 7.																					
Amount of Servants' wages.																					
Total of Columns 8 and 9.																					
Sadr.	7831	8	47634	2	125232	6	9140698	1	4140704	6	45233		6475	13		11708	13		154504	13	1
Zillah.																					
Moonsiff																					
Total.																					

Particulars of the Total number of Cases disposed of by the several Judges and Moonsiffs during the year 1050.

NAMES OF JUDGES AND MOONSIFFS.	CONTESTED SUITS.			NOT CONTESTED.	TOTAL NUMBER DISPOSED OF.
	IMMOVABLE.	MOVABLE.	TOTAL.		
JUDGES.					
Mr. C. C. Gressieux 1st Judge	86	99	185	130	315
V. Socha Row 2nd Do.	57	63	120	28	158
Neelacunda Pillay Acting	20	29	58	34	92
Palpanaba Pillay B. A. 1st Judge	156	134	290	95	385
Singaravalo Moodalair 2nd Do.	459	155	614	245	859
Mr. T. F. Lloyd Adl. Do.	1	"	1	"	1
Ragunatha Row B. A. 1st Do.	43	153	196	212	408
Govinda Pillay B. A. & B. L. Adl. Do.	79	49	128	72	200
Ramen Menon Do. Do.	48	48	96	23	119
Arianayagam Pillay H. A. & B. L. 1st Do.	19	69	88	152	240
Venkata Row 2nd Do.	25	70	95	70	165
Seshadri Sastri 3rd Do.	64	40	104	36	140
Narayana Pillay Judge	154	170	324	146	470
MOONSIFFS.					
Neelacunda Pillay	74	216	320	215	535
O. Ram Iyer (Acting)	4	34	38	87	125
Venkata Krishna Iyer	322	36	358	579	937
M. C. Neelacunda Pillay	183	271	454	537	1,091
Mr. Hoogwerf	91	266	357	515	872
Ananda Chariar (Acting)	144	216	360	204	564
Krishna Pillay	8	21	29	64	93
Ramaswamy Iyer	40	353	393	709	1,111
Sreenivasa Iyengar	126	334	460	818	1,278
Palpanaba Pillay	133	426	559	1,541	2,110
Palpanaba Iyer	70	235	305	804	1,109
Cady Pillay	152	308	460	1,020	1,480
Sesha Iyer	54	217	271	547	818
Cady Pillay (Acting)	17	114	131	275	406
Narahari Row	52	337	389	925	1,314
Siva Soobramanya Pillay	15	122	137	462	599
Mr. Lemus	95	269	364	865	1,229
Soobramanya Pillay	38	123	161	206	367
Mathave	2	52	54	82	136
Ramen Menon	39	296	335	707	1,042
Gopala Iyer	67	299	366	1,159	1,525
Hurriharapetra Pillay	34	286	320	934	1,254
Siyathanno Pillay	61	182	243	415	661
Keshava Pillay	101	232	333	1,194	1,527
Shungara Pillay	63	377	440	1,210	1,650
Soobramanya Iyer (Acting)	5	18	23	81	104
Krishnan Chariar	151	267	418	1,550	1,968
Soobramanya Sastri	23	121	144	540	684

Names of the Moonsiff who passed the original decisions.	Total No. of Appeals disposed of	How disposed of			Percentage of reversal to the Total disposal.
		Original decrees confirmed	Original decrees modified	Original decrees reversed	
Krishna Pillay	63	28	8	15	43
Neelacunda Pillay, late Moonsiff	71	38	15	18	25
G. Ratu Iyen	3	2	1	1	33
Venkata Krishna Iyen	69	52	13	11	14
Neelacunda Pillay	84	51	13	20	24
Setteubrem Pillay, late Moonsiff	1	1	1	1	100
Govinda Pillay B. A. and B. L.	3	3	1	1	33
Mr. Hoogwerf	108	30	3	30	66
Anandachary	69	25	3	27	50
G. Krishna Pillay	5	3	1	1	20
Ramaswamy Iyen	109	32	23	19	50
Sreenivasa Iyengar	173	58	25	39	50
Pulpanaba Pillay	142	30	21	18	55
Pulpanaba Iyen	57	35	3	14	34
Caity Pillay	50	36	7	7	14
Sesh Iyen	40	28	3	6	17
K. Narahari Row	46	21	5	14	46
Soobramonya Pillay	13	8	1	2	39
Mr. Lemos	24	17	1	6	22
Mathave	16	9	4	3	37
Raman Menon	74	39	6	7	49
Gopala Iyen	51	15	3	13	28
Harinarayana Pillay	27	8	3	15	62
Sivabani Pillay	3	3	1	1	50
G. Soobramonya Iyen	28	11	3	5	38
Shungoo Pillay	36	18	4	11	44
Soobramonya Sastri	20	27	1	11	44
Krishnen Coonjen, late Moonsiff	20	27	1	11	44

Particulars of Cases disposed of by Sadr on Appeal and Special Appeal from the decisions of the several Zillah Judges & Moonsiffs—1050.

Names of Zillah Judges who passed the original and Appeal decisions.	Total No. of Appeals and Special Appeals disposed of	How disposed of				Percentage of reversal to the Total disposed.
		Confirmed.	Modified.	Reversed under section 106.	Otherwise reversed.	
Mr. C. G. Gresseux	58	31	13	8	6	22
Sooba Row	45	23	3	3	16	40
Neelacunda Pillay alias Cooban Pillay (Ag. Judge)	8	3	4	1	1	12
Ananda Soobramony Iyen (late Judge)	5	2	2	1	1	20
M. K. Pulpanaba Pillay B. A.	60	32	12	4	12	25
Singaravaloo Moodaliar	172	121	23	4	24	15
Mr. F. Watts (late Judge)	4	2	1	1	2	50
R. Regoonatha Row B. A.	35	24	3	4	4	32
Govinda Pillay B. A. and B. L.	25	17	1	2	5	28
Ramen Menon	13	6	2	1	4	37
Krishna Row (late Judge)	5	2	1	1	1	20
Arianayagom Pillay B. A. and B. L.	12	8	1	1	2	25
Venkata Row	24	16	3	1	4	20
Seshadri Sastri	67	45	17	1	4	20
T. Chellappa Pillay B. A. and B. L.	20	15	1	1	3	30
Gopala Iyen (Ag. Judge)	10	3	4	1	2	30
Harinarayana Pillay (Do.)	3	1	2	1	1	18
T. R. Narayana Pillay	26	18	3	1	5	18
Names of the Moonsiffs, who passed the original decisions in Cases that were decided in Special Appeals by the Sadr.						
Keshava Pillay	3	2	1	1	1	33
Neelacunda Pillay	18	8	4	5	1	32
Singaravaloo Moodaliar	6	3	2	1	3	50
Venkata Krishna Iyen	13	2	1	5	10	75
Neelacunda Pillay	3	1	1	1	1	33
Pulpanaba Iyen	1	1	1	1	1	100
Shethamberum Pillay	8	8	1	1	2	40
Mr. Hoogwerf	5	3	2	1	1	40
Ananda Chary	2	2	1	1	1	50
Ramen Pillay	2	1	1	1	1	50
Ramaswamy Iyen	7	3	4	1	1	57
Sreenivasa Iyengar	13	12	1	1	2	31
Pulpanaba Pillay	6	3	1	1	1	12
Pulpanaba Iyen	8	3	4	1	1	25
Caity Pillay	4	3	1	1	1	75
Govinda Pillay B. A. and B. L.	2	2	1	1	1	100
Seaha Iyen	2	1	1	1	1	50
Narahare Row	1	1	1	1	1	100
Soobramonya Pillay	3	1	1	1	1	100
Mr. Lemos	2	1	1	1	1	100
Ramen Menon	2	1	1	1	1	100
Shungoo Iyen (Acting)	2	1	1	1	1	100
Gopala Iyen	3	1	1	1	1	100
Harinarayana Pillay	5	3	2	1	1	60
Shungoo Pillay	4	3	1	1	1	75
Krishnen Coonjen	4	3	1	1	1	75

*Statement showing the Number of documents admitted for
Registration in the several Registry Offices during the
year 1050.*

District.	No. of regis- trations re- lating to im- movable property.	No. of regis- trations re- lating to other trans- actions.
Neyattencuray	4,110	185
Eraneel	3,966	95
Trevandrum	3,224	135
Velavencode	2,779	173
Angusteewarem	2,823	92
Sheringheel	2,548	96
Calenlom	2,304	68
Mavalicurray	2,104	57
Chilon	1,826	43
Cartigapully	1,751	53
Carunagapully	1,756	40
Shertallay	1,545	15
Thiruvellah	1,527	28
Ambalapalay	1,504	25
Yattoomanoor	1,477	16
Vycome	1,325	15
Thovalay	1,288	49
Chenganoor	1,315	12
Nedoovengaud	1,085	24
Paravoor	1,058	23
Allungaud	1,045	29
Cunnathnaud	1,016	18
Cottarneurray	973	21
Chunganacherry	941	11
Cottayam	925	17
Moovattoopolay	845	19
Shencottah	745	35
Pathanapuram	672	3
Cunnathoor	510	7
Meenachel	481	3
Thodoopolay	231	4
Total.....	40,729	1,402

*Comparative Statement showing the Quantity of work done, the Revenue collected and the expenditure incurred by the
Registration Department for the years 1049 & 1050.*

YEAR.	No. of documents relating to immovable property.	No. of documents relating to other transactions.	Total number of documents.	Value of documents.	Average time taken up in registering a document.	Number of instruments specially registered.	No. of registrations on payment of penalty.	No. of attendances at private residences.	No. of cases in which registration was refused.	No. of unregistered instruments returned to parties on their own application.	No. of instruments accompanied by translations.	No. of searches made.	No. of copies of documents given.	No. of Memoranda of decrees under Sec. 27 rela- ting to immovable property.	No. of Memoranda of decrees under Section 26.	No. of Powers of Attorney cancelled.	No. of documents returned to parties on payment of penalties.	Revenue.	Expenditure.	Surplus.
1049	42,736	1,321	44,057	15,500,000	14	120	27	480	194	56	18	522	1,039	3,018	1,150	4	429	76,724	36,723	40,001
1050	49,729	1,402	51,131	18,100,000	14	126	27	547	233	51	30	764	1,411	3,176	1,320	5	492	88,970	43,976	44,994

Duty paid on Imports.

Goods.	Amount of duty in Rupees.		Increase.
	1949	1950	
1 Tobacco ...	3,09,746	3,14,803	4,557
2 Opium ...	2,189	2,614	"
3 Snuff ...	1,229	1,406	177
4 Cigars ...	668	834	166
5 Piece goods ...	262	1,057	795
6 Lead ...	16	47	31
7 China jars ...	62	519	457
8 Wines ...	1,870	2,281	414
9 China ware ...	112	236	124
10 Rock salt ...	476	714	238
11 Minor goods ...	1,199	1,892	693
Total.....	9,18,836	9,25,936	7,645

Quantity of dutiable goods imported.

Goods.	Quantity.	
	1949	1950
1 Tobacco	9,466	9,481
2 Opium	21	18
3 Cigars	21	27
4 Snuff	23	8,200
5 Piece goods	7,200	5,700
6 China ware	3,100	32,300
7 China jars	10,000	7,200
8 Lead	1,100	68
9 Wines	15	5,200
10 Rock salt	3,500	387
	200	

Value of Goods Imported.

Goods.	From British India.				From Foreign Countries.				Total Value in Rupees.	
	By Land.		By Sea.		From Colombo & Jaffna.		From London & France.		1949	1950
	1949	1950	1949	1950	1949	1950	1949	1950		
Dutiable.										
1 Tobacco	5,65,391	5,11,720	3,27,836	2,08,702	11,24,712	10,63,272			20,19,529	17,85,295
2 Opium	2,80,351	8,26,006	2,56,443	1,70,386					31,900	26,400
3 Cigars	6,178	8,138	2,482	9,800				1,417	9,300	10,400
4 Snuff	15,310	17,548	10	52					13,400	17,800
5 Piece Goods			4,22,789	2,06,132	4,350	2,632	350	17,644	5,200	21,000
6 China jars			77,423	59,730	20	26	840	1,200	6,900	
7 China-ware			27,235	22,361	920	733	20	500	1,500	3,100
8 Lead			16,744	21,207	209	18			200	
9 Minor Goods	5,37,498	5,39,926	3,31,048	2,16,579	4,630	7,370	2,410	15,860	31,220	43,700
Total									21,05,830	19,16,435
Free.										
1 Piece Goods	2,80,351	8,26,006	2,56,443	1,70,386					5,81,905	10,18,273
2 Rice	85,880	54,461	2,39,899	3,19,439					3,30,199	4,09,743
3 Paddy	20,484	22,182	4,22,789	2,06,132					1,50,171	2,50,307
4 Coffee	13,806	10,692		4,321					1,50,171	10,084
5 Thread	35,638	36,118		59,730					1,50,171	98,688
6 Cotton	73,104	42,441		27,235					49,345	79,822
7 Copper	11,616	11,286		21,207					63,786	49,036
8 Chillies	16,128	14,780		57,111					19,136	89,140
9 Cattle				2,641					11,972	17,431
10 Boxes				1,049					12,318	10,997
11 Black Gram				8,862					12,318	12,145
12 Brass				22,488					23,605	19,507
13 Wines				2,867					23,605	19,507
14 Gingelly Oil	21,261	20,514		3,198					23,605	19,507
15 Sugar	240	246		5,371					23,605	19,507
16 Gummin Seed	1,775	1,691		64,632					23,605	19,507
17 Green Gram				4,852					23,605	19,507
18 Jaggery				9,853					23,605	19,507
19 Garlic	6,797	6,448		4,810					23,605	19,507
20 Cardamom	14,072	2,246		128					23,605	19,507
21 Lead	10,285	6,572		2,740					23,605	19,507
22 Stationery	25			4,031					23,605	19,507
23 Gold Coins									23,605	19,507
24 Silver Coins									23,605	19,507
25 Ramble Salt									23,605	19,507
26 Ginge & Seed									23,605	19,507
27 Minor Goods	12,320	8,163		6,555					23,605	19,507
Total	8,43,812	10,96,606	9,51,117	10,30,404					21,81,066	25,72,014

Duty paid on Exports.

Goods.	Amount of Duty in Rupees.		Increase.	Decrease.
	1049.	1050.		
1 Copra	1,00,769	1,27,234	26,465	"
2 Coir	54,244	53,120	"	1,124
3 Cocoanuts	21,808	22,293	485	"
4 Vettoopauk ...	29,762	22,400	"	7,362
5 Tamarind	6,986	5,293	"	1,693
6 Coffee	29,723	26,224	"	3,499
7 Coconut Oil ...	7,806	10,650	2,844	"
8 Salt fish	7,355	9,237	1,882	"
9 Dry Ginger ...	16,547	20,129	3,582	"
10 Timber	9,820	11,649	1,829	"
11 Jaggery	4,032	3,703	"	329
12 Pepper	14,145	23,139	8,994	"
13 Poonaka oil ...	3,085	2,021	"	1,064
14 Coir fibre	3,452	2,576	"	876
15 Molasses	2,063	1,960	"	103
16 Paddy	2,465	1,776	"	689
17 Peroompyre ...	2,437	1,713	"	724
18 Hides	4,338	4,436	98	"
19 Lemon grass oil	285	311	26	"
20 Arrowroot & flour	1,774	1,203	"	571
21 Turmeric	2,529	2,960	431	"
22 Ginger	541	511	"	30
23 Kutcholum	315	387	72	"
24 Lard	199	51	"	148
25 Minor goods ...	5,710	5,481	"	229
Total...	3,32,190	3,60,457	46,708	18,441

Quantity of goods exported.

Goods.			Quantity.	
			1049.	1050.
1	Copra	Cwts.	1,99,971	2,52,493
2	Coir	"	1,18,343	1,15,907
3	Cocoanuts	Nos.	142,71,833	145,91,479
4	Vettoopauk	Cds.	5,848	4,461
5	Tamarind	Cwts.	64,736	49,089
6	Coffee	"	29,407	26,031
7	Coconut oil	"	8,518	11,619
8	Saltfish	"	72,308	96,672
9	Dry ginger	"	21,676	26,367
10	Jaggery	"	22,612	20,762
11	Pepper	Candies.	2,779	4,546
12	Poonaka oil	Cwts.	7,557	4,948
13	Coir fibre	"	9,602	7,164
14	Molasses	"	10,131	9,627
15	Paddy	"	24,138	17,385
16	Rice	"	1,374	599
17	Horsegram	"	1,075	864
18	Hides	Cody.	4,240	4,380
19	Lemon grass oil	Cwts.	125	136
20	Arrowroot and flour	"	4,905	2,997
21	Turmeric	"	7,098	8,305
22	Ginger	"	162	1,003
23	Kutcholum	"	619	762
24	Lard	"	261	67

A.
Receipts and Disbursements of the D. P. IV. for the year 1874 & 1875 A. D. 1050 M. E.

D.	Rs.	Ch. C.	Rs.	Ch. C.	Rs.	Ch. C.	Rs.	Ch. C.
To Balances as per last year's Account—Cash (inclusive of unclaimed Wages) ...	21,137	2			5,31,707	13	3	
„ Outstanding advances ...	1,05,620	10	4		76,810	25	14	
„ Stock ...	84,416	6	11		57,027	10	14	
„ Tools and plant ...	1,33,300	22	9		8,764	1	13	
„ Drafts Cashd during the year...				3,44,474	11	10		6,54,309
„ Miscellaneous receipts ...	4,476	23	10		12,325	8	15	23
„ Unclaimed Wages ...	8,223	36	5	5,48,129	17	3		1
„ Deposits, Fines, Sundries, &c...	70,118	7	6		97,702	11	1	
					73,109	36	15	
					1,87,975	15	7	
				62,819	1	5	3,21,113	6
								6
Total Rupees.....				9,75,423	2	2	9,75,423	2
								2

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Repairs.	Communications.	Rupees.	Rupees.	Rupees.	Rupees.
Maintenance ...	...	71,506			
Closing Breaches ...	...	124			
Metalling the 36th, 37th, 38th, and 39th miles of the Southern road ...	...	7,167			
Do. the Southern road from Eastern Fortgate to 19th mile ...	...	806			
Repairing Thamaracolum road from its junction with the Cape road at the 40th mile to the seaboard at Manacody. Restoring the line of road from Coffee Estate road from Olakary river including Thadacarcolum road ...	...	4,032			
Gravelling the 42nd and 44th mile of the Southern road. Metalling the worst portions of the Quilon to Shencottah road from 21st to 42nd mile ...	...	946			
Building catchwater drains along Southern road at Thovolah ...	...	120			
Expenditure on 1 work, Estimate below 500 Rupees ...	...	5,315			
	...	133			
	...	188			
	...		90,837		
Constructing road from Coondaray to Poolyarah... Do. Cayencocolum to Poondaloor ...	...	4,742			
Do. Colloor to Ravanspocorum ...	...	5,658			
Do. Ravanspocorum to Ayoor ...	...	1,208			
Do. Ayoor to Chenganoor ...	...	5,697			
Do. Chenganoor to Chingnanacherry ...	...	31,581			
Do. Peernade to Goodaloor ...	...	5,828			
	...	17,616			
	Carried over...	72,125	90,837		

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	Rupees.	Rupees.	Rupees.	Rupees.
Brought forward...				
Constructing road from Oolloor to Valey	72,125	90,887		
Extension of the Rundy road beyond Thiroonandyarray to Milony	535			
Constructing road from Alagunandyapuram to the river Olakany at Yethannady to join the Thadicanuconum road	4,236			
Constructing a direct road 20 feet wide from Eraneel road to join the salt pan road at Colachel	2,703			
Do. road along canal bank from Maundacaud to Colachel Westward	986			
Deviation on Cottayam and Changanacherry road to avoid Numbour's house	66			
Constructing road to the Painsloor river at Needakayem from the Main road between Panchalen and Pathanapuram	305			
Do. Do. from Perapur to the 43rd mile from Quilon	279			
Expenditure on 4 works, Estimates below 500 Rupees	21,708			
	227			
		1,03,170		
Re-construction and alteration of the road from Poolyarah to Shencottah...	160			
Gravelling and Improving certain roads at Alleppey	1,887			
Expenditure on 2 works, Estimates below 500 Rupees	275	2,322		
				1,96,329

II.—Bridges and Culverts.

Constructing a light iron girder bridge at Poolcal and executing certain works to the main road leading from Thiruvananthapuram to Carthigappully, Arpanad and Mavalikarai	6,417		
Constructing Bridges and embankment at Hydrabad day	2,007		
Putting up a flying Bridge over Perian on the Peermade Plateau road	363		
Constructing Bridge on the 79th mile of the Chengam road to Changanacherry road	579		
Do. Do. on Ashanboo road at Alagiapandia-poorum	791		
Do. a granite masonry Bridge across A. V. M. canal at Pothenthoray	371		
Do. a Culvert of Vents of 6 segmental arches at 3rd mile, Changanacherry road	225		
Do. Culverts &c., in the Nedoovergand road	1,087		
Do. Do. in the Poorvar and Southern roads	198		
Re-constructing the fallen Culvert to the East of the Killyaur Bridge	2,176		
Expenditure on 13 works, Estimates below 500 Rupees	1,487	61,998	
Repairing the Tramway bridge at Alleppey	600		
Removing the old planks of the iron girder bridge across Killyaur and replacing them with new planks	1,167		
Expenditure on 2 works, Estimates below 500 Rupees	262	2,029	64,027
Carried over			2,60,856

III.— Canals	Original Works.	Brought forward...	Rupees.	Rupees.	Rupees.
			...	...	...
		Warkalay Barrier Junction Canals	1,50,223		2,60,356
		Constructing a granite bridge near the iron girder bridge at Cayencolum	326		
		Expenditure on 2 works, Estimates below 500 Rupees	465	1,51,014	
	Repairs.	Closing Breaches	64		
		Maintenance of Canals and Backwaters from Nadayarah to Alleppey	1,978		
		Do. of A. V. M. Canal	926		
		Do. of Warkallay Barrier Canal	724		
		Deepening Trevandrum Canal	288		
		Do. Nadayarah Do.	211		
		Do. Trevandrum Do. on account of His Highness the Maha Rajah's Trip to Calcutta and back	758		
		Do. Nadayarah do. do. do.	1,412		
		Expenditure on 1 work, Estimate below 500 Rupees	116	6,477	1,57,491
					4,17,847
		Civil Buildings.			
	Original Works.	Deepening and widening the present well in the New Public Offices Compound	2,621		
		Putting up additional Windows to New Public Offices	3		
		Expenditure on 1 work, Estimate below 500 Rupees	236		

III.— Hospitals	Original Works.	Repairs.	Rupees.	Rupees.	Rupees.
			...	...	...
		Repairing leakages to the New Public Offices	1,115		
		Expenditure on 1 work, Estimate below 500 Rupees	13	1,128	3,988
		Making Cots and Almshouses for Civil Hospital Improvements Trevandrum	686		
		Constructing District Hospital at Moovatticpoolay	66		
		Do. do. at Alwaye	34		
		Filling in pits and clearing Jungle in the Compound of Alwaye Hospital	391		
		Expenditure on 3 works Estimates below 500 Rupees	428	1,605	
		Repairing the Civil Hospital, Trevandrum	2,229		
		Expenditure on 13 works, Estimates below 500 Rupees	1,417	3,646	5,951
		Constructing Tahsildars' Cutcherry and Registration Office under one roof at Ne- doovengaud	264		
		Do. do. at Alengaud	10		
		Do. do. at Coonatanand	10		
		Do. do. and Moonsiff's Court at Vycome	6		
		Do. do. at Moovatticpoolay	695	985	
		Repairing Tahsildars' Cutcherry &c., at Neyattencuray	244		
		Expenditure on 11 works, Estimates below 500 Rupees	2,048	2,292	3,277
		Carried over...	...	...	12,516
					4,17,847

	Rupees.	Rupees.	Rupees.	Rupees.
<i>Channices.</i>				
Brought forward...	20,976	...	...	4,42,250
Constructing a sluice, Calingulah and Channel for the Poothapandiancole near Chembacaramen Poothoor ...	187			
Making banks on the sides of the canal at Nadayarah from the 27th mile towards Quilon ...	266			
Expenditure on 14 works, Estimates below 500 Rupees...	1,796	23,225		
<i>Repairs.</i>				
Preliminary operations towards re-constructing and improving Irrigation Channels, Southern Division ...	669			
Expenditure on 1 work, Estimate below 500 Rupees ...	465	1,134		
Closing Breaches ...		14,935		
Repairing and strengthening the right bank of Palayaur from Shollencand Dam upwards, taking the soil from the inside of the Soosindrum Tank ...	2,039			
Do. the slopes of the Poothary Tank and throwing up a granite revetment ...	1,064			
Do. the bank of the river Vullianr damaged by late flood of Karthegay ...	2,297			
Do. the Veelvadycolumn in the Nadovoroo Pedagay and strengthening the West bank of the Soosindrum column near the Escape Calingulah...	829			
Excavation of Thaircolumn and Soosindrum column Tanks...	800			
Expenditure on 4 works, Estimates below 500 Rupees ...	374	7,832	47,126	47,126

	Rupees.	Rupees.	Rupees.	Rupees.
<i>Repairs.</i>				
MILITARY BUILDINGS.				
Constructing an Iron dancing round Parade Ground Trevandrum ...	121			
Do. an Armourer's Shop at Quilon ...	883			
Expenditure on 2 works, Estimates below 500 Rupees ...	413	1,367		
Repairs to the waiting guard room attached to the Brigade Buildings, Trevandrum ...	4	916	2,233	
Expenditure on 6 works, Estimates below 500 Rupees ...	912			2,233
MISCELLANEOUS PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS.				
Fitting up the steam Dredger ...	177			
Constructing an Octagonal band stand in Public Gardens, Trevandrum ...	22			
Working of the steam Dredger ...	1,970			
Constructing a new Peacock Cage in the Public Gardens, Trevandrum ...	860			
Fixing the Permanent Bay at the Port of Colachel ...	1,121			
Establishing a Ferry at Poonalloor, constructing approaches to the river &c., and maintaining the Ferry &c., up to end of 1949 ...	1,200			
* Carried over...	5,350			4,91,659

	Rupees.	Rupees.	Rupees.	Rupees.
Brought forward...	5,350	...	...	4,91,659
Constructing Jungars and Ferries at Yanady, Pundalem and Chenganoor on the line of road from Trevandrum to Chungacherry...	354			
Constructing Jungars and Ferries for the Manynalay and Rance rivers on the Chenganoor to Chungacherry road...	241			
Fixing Demarcation stones in the road from Cottayam to Chenganoor...	185			
Supplying a Fire Engine with extras to the Brigade Authorities...	1,174			
Do. Stores, Bricks &c., to Public Gardens, Trevandrum...	527			
Do. Branch light to Huzoor...	159			
Expenditure on 22 works, Estimates below 500 Rupees...	2,856			
Contingencies...	6,553			
Charges on account of Transmission of stores...	3,559			
Lighting roads and canals...	1,802			
Shudries...	4,616		27,376	
Draining and clearing the Puthmatheerthum Tank in the Fort...	55			
Expenditure on 13 works, Estimates below 500 Rupees...	1,452	1,517	28,893	28,893

SURVEYING AND TRACING ROADS.				
Cutting a trace for the proposed road between Nedoo- vengand, Arayanad and thence to Cayyattencoodel ...	173			
Tracing road from Nedoovengand to Bommaraconum ...	301			
Do. the extension of road from Vithery to Cullaur ...	188			
Do. road from the Entrance of Professor Harvey's Bangalore to meet the old Kunnamoolay Bridge ...	40			
Do. from Puthanapoorum to Koneyoor and thence to Rance ...	541			
Do. North of Cottayam ...	8,057			
Surveying the Port of Colachel ...	1			
Do. the salt pans at Colachel ...	9			
Do. Trevandrum District ...	6,900	11,155	11,155	11,155
Total Rupees.....				5,31,707

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of Statements.

A. and B.

Repairs.	Rs.	R.
Communications	99,843	
Civil Buildings	11,858	
Irrigation Works	22,767	
Military Buildings	916	
Miscellaneous Public Im-		
provements	1,517	1,36,40
Communications	3,18,504	
Civil Buildings	12,545	
Irrigation Works	24,859	
Military Buildings	1,367	
Miscellaneous Public Im-		
provements	27,376	
Surveying and Tracing Roads.	11,155	3,95,306
Establishment (Pay and Allowances) ...		76,811
Deposits, Sundries, &c.		37,028
Unclaimed Wages Paid		8,764
Cash in hand (including unclaimed		
Wages)		12,325
Outstanding Advances		97,702
Stock		73,110
Tools and Plant		1,37,976
Total Rs.		9,75,428

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Abstract Return showing the number of In and Out-Patients treated in each Hospital in Travancore.

STATIONS.	Remained.	Admitted.	Total.	Cured.	Relieved.	Died.	Remaining.	Remained.	Admitted.	Total.	Cured.	Relieved.	Died.	Remaining.
Gen. Hos. Trevandrum In Patients.	71	839	960	874	19	11	60	234	10,406	10,639	10,397	36	46	159
Do. do. Out do.	163	9,515	9,678	9,529	17	29	109	50	39	89	21	7	14	47
Lunatic Asylum do. In do.	50	39	89	21	7	14	47	121	5,370	5,491	5,289	74	26	183
Charity Hospital do. In do.	91	848	939	881	56	22	70	5	1,712	1,717	1,701	2	4	10
Do. do. Out do.	30	4,722	4,752	4,698	18	4	33	11	920	931	917	4	3	7
Palace Hospital do. In do.	1	109	110	107	2	1	0	8	797	802	780	5	1	5
Do. do. Out do.	4	1,605	1,609	1,594	2	2	0	19	2,046	2,065	1,991	48	...	26
Do. of His Highness the First Prince In do.	3	210	213	209	...	2	2	6	84	84	78	...	2	4
Do. do. Out do.	8	710	718	708	4	1	5	3	83	84	78	...	2	4
Do. do. In do.	8	797	802	793	3	1	5	92	5,370	5,382	5,285	161	41	26
Kuzoor Cutcherry Jail Dispensary In do.	19	2,046	2,065	1,991	49	...	26	232	11,590	11,822	11,604	81	14	133
Lying-in-Hospital do. In do.	18	351	369	303	28	22	18	61	4,796	4,867	4,736	70	11	40
Do. do. Out do.	74	5,219	5,293	5,082	135	19	77	52	3,927	3,979	3,900	30	12	37
Quilon Civil Hospital do. In do.	8	202	255	209	39	6	7	30	56	86	34	5	12	29
Do. do. Out do.	229	11,308	11,537	11,491	14	6	140	34	4,299	4,330	4,290	28	12	19
Mavallikurray do. In do.	25	332	357	341	27	4	0	36	5,690	5,724	5,578	98	13	65
Do. do. Out do.	25	4,444	4,469	4,398	43	7	34	20	2,018	2,041	2,031	...	...	10
Cottayam do. In do.	86	164	170	154	5	5	0	24	3,411	3,445	3,400	14	9	22
Do. do. Out do.	6	3,763	3,809	3,746	25	7	31	62	5,086	5,146	5,053	82	11	32
Alleppey do. In do.	40	56	96	74	5	18	29	33	2,775	2,808	2,745	14	13	26
Do. do. Out do.	30	237	218	6	8	5	3	6	1,897	1,893	1,864	18	4	19
Do. Charity do. In do.	3	234	218	6	8	5	3	6	2,761	2,767	2,767	...	...	...
Marattay Civil do. In do.	3	4,062	4,093	4,062	22	4	5	13	775	787	778	7	2	...
Do. do. Out do.	21	155	155	129	13	0	7	14	535	549	507	2	24	10
Do. do. In do.	38	5,535	5,671	5,441	86	7	38	6	189	193	184	1	3	3
Always do. In do.	38	2,018	2,041	2,031	...	...	...	1	139	143	136	1	0	3
Do. do. Out do.	23	2,018	2,041	2,031	...	...	...	1	139	143	136	1	0	3
Neyyattinkuray Dispensary In do.	8	242	249	225	17	6	6	1	77	77	704	5	1	...
Parachalay Civil Hospital do. In do.	27	3,159	3,186	3,175	3	1	17	14	535	549	507	2	24	10
Do. do. Out do.	8	339	346	310	19	6	18	6	189	193	184	1	3	3
Palpanabapuram do. In do.	26	4,847	4,903	4,829	63	5	13	1	789	790	704	2	1	60
Do. do. Out do.	14	354	369	350	6	6	6	33	2,775	2,808	2,745	14	13	26
Nagercoil do. In do.	19	4,135	4,174	4,105	37	1	6	6	1,897	1,893	1,864	18	4	19
Do. do. Out do.	2	340	341	243	1	1	6	33	2,775	2,808	2,745	14	13	26
Shancottah do. In do.	2	2,526	2,557	2,502	15	12	30	6	1,897	1,893	1,864	18	4	19
Do. do. Out do.	31	552	583	549	1	...	9	6	1,897	1,893	1,864	18	4	19
Do. do. In do.	1	1,136	1,140	1,115	14	4	7	6	2,761	2,767	2,767	...	...	...
Warkalay D. P. W. do. In do.	8	586	589	589	...	...	...	1	789	790	704	2	1	60
Do. do. Out do.	3	2,175	2,178	2,178	...	...	...	1	789	790	704	2	1	60
Poonaloor do. In do.	1	385	386	349	2	...	21	1	789	790	704	2	1	60
Do. do. Out do.	1	504	504	481	...	...	1	13	775	787	778	7	2	...
Permade do. In do.	...	77	77	74	2	1	43	14	535	549	507	2	24	10
Do. do. Out do.	...	77	77	74	2	1	43	14	535	549	507	2	24	10
ardamom Hills do. In do.	12	668	680	607	2	24	10	6	129	134	116	2	0	10
Do. do. Out do.	14	535	549	507	2	24	10	6	129	134	116	2	0	10
Trevandrum Jail do. In do.	8	129	134	116	2	0	10	4	189	193	184	1	3	3
Do. do. Out do.	4	139	143	136	1	0	3	4	46	46	44	...	1	...
Alleppey do. In do.	4	45	45	44	...	...	...	...	3,902	3,902	3,431	131	100	154
Nagercoil do. In do.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3,902	3,902	3,431	131	100	154
Grand Total.	3,902	3,902	3,431	131	100	154	...	1,317	97,856	98,073	94,607	831	428	1,127

Indicates on special Epidemic of Cholera.

Grand Total.

M. E. 1050.

Annual Return of Patients treated in Travancore during the year.

Class.	Order.	No.	Disease.	Re- main- ed.	Admit- ted.	Total.	Cured.	Reliev- ed.	Died.	Rem- aining.
General Disease A.	A.	1	Small Pox	"	845	845	603	18	194	90
		3	Confluent	"	135	135	92	"	28	15
		4	Chicken Pox	"	59	59	57	"	"	"
		7	Measles	"	21	21	21	"	"	"
		9	Typhus fever	"	3	3	"	"	"	"
		11	Enteric fever	"	10	10	8	"	"	"
		12	Simple continued fever	"	1,025	1,025	1,007	"	"	"
		15	Febricula	"	2,623	2,645	2,592	"	"	"
		16	Ague Quotidian	"	2,662	2,690	2,623	"	"	"
		17	Do. Tertian	"	668	680	670	"	"	"
		18	Do. Quartan	"	74	75	70	"	"	"
		19	Do. Irregular	"	84	81	80	"	"	"
		20	Remittent fever	"	33	33	37	"	"	"
		21	Simple cholera	"	30	30	24	"	"	"
		22	Malignant cholera	"	77	77	50	"	"	"
		23	Hooping cough	"	72	74	69	"	"	"
		24	Mumps	"	46	46	45	"	"	"
		25	Influenza	"	8	9	9	"	"	"
		26	Phagedena	"	3	3	2	"	"	"
		27	Erysipelas simple	"	36	38	37	"	"	"
B.	B.	28	Do. Phlegmonous	"	7	7	7	"	"	"
		29	Puerperal fever	"	4	4	3	"	"	"
		30	Acute rheumatism	"	664	679	664	"	"	"
		31	Gonorrhoeal do.	"	95	95	91	"	"	"
		32	Chronic gonorrhoea	"	151	151	131	"	"	"
		33	Acute gonorrhoea	"	151	151	131	"	"	"
		34	Chronic gonorrhoea	"	151	151	131	"	"	"
		35	Acute gonorrhoea	"	151	151	131	"	"	"
		36	Chronic gonorrhoea	"	151	151	131	"	"	"
		37	Acute gonorrhoea	"	151	151	131	"	"	"

Class.	Order.	No.	Disease.	Re- main- ed.	Admit- ted.	Total.	Cured.	Reliev- ed.	Died.	Rem- aining.
General Disease B.	B.	38	Lambs	5	654	650	7	"	2	2
		39	Staff neck	"	103	101	"	"	1	1
		40	Chronic rheumatism	"	14	13	"	"	1	1
		41	Acute gonorrhoea	"	1,478	1,428	13	"	36	36
		42	Chronic gonorrhoea	"	2	2	"	"	"	"
		43	Primary syphilis	"	1	"	"	"	"	"
		44	Indurated bubo	"	114	107	4	"	1	1
		45	Soft chancre	"	154	151	"	"	3	3
		46	Suppuration bubo	"	584	586	"	"	2	2
		47	Secondary syphilis	"	63	63	"	"	1	1
		48	Hard chancre	"	1,306	1,237	20	"	48	48
		49	Chronic gonorrhoea	"	13	12	"	"	"	"
		50	Cancer Soft	"	8	6	"	"	"	"
		51	Do. Face	"	1	"	"	"	"	"
		52	Do. Head	"	1	"	"	"	"	"
		53	Do. Neck	"	1	"	"	"	"	"
		54	Do. Epithelial Penis	"	9	2	"	"	"	"
		55	Do. Gum	"	13	11	"	"	"	"
		56	Do. Mouth	"	11	11	"	"	"	"
		57	Do. Jaw	"	11	11	"	"	"	"
		58	Do. Tongue	"	11	11	"	"	"	"
		59	Do. Eye	"	11	11	"	"	"	"
		60	Do. Lip	"	11	11	"	"	"	"
		61	Do. Cheek	"	11	11	"	"	"	"
		62	Do. Chin	"	11	11	"	"	"	"
		63	Do. Scirrhous Breast	"	11	11	"	"	"	"
		64	Cancer Scrotum	"	11	11	"	"	"	"
		65	Do. Foot	"	11	11	"	"	"	"
		66	Osteoid cancer lower jaw	"	11	11	"	"	"	"

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Diseases of the Digestive System.									
Disease of the Dental Pulp.	370	Irritation	...	...	18.	18	18	18	18
Diseases of the Dental Pericostium.	{ 377	Gum boil	...	...	91	91	91	91	91
	{ 379	Rheumatic inflammation	...	...	64	64	64	64	64
Diseases of the Gums.	{ 381	Ulceration	...	...	88	88	88	88	88
	{ 383	Atrophy...	...	...	1	1	1	1	1
	{ 386	Epulis	...	...	7	7	7	7	7
Irregular Dentition.	{ 410	Mechanical injuries of the alveolar and dental periosteum...	...	...	2	2	2	2	2
Diseases of the Tongue.	{ 412	Glossitis	...	...	11	11	11	11	11
	{ (89)	Paralysis tongue	...	...	1	1	1	1	1
	{ 419	Sore throat	...	...	165	165	165	165	165
	{ 421	Ulcerated throat	...	...	11	11	11	11	11
	{ 422	Quincy	...	...	59	59	59	59	59
	{ 423	Tonsillitis	...	...	26	26	26	26	26
Diseases of the Fauces and Palate.	{ 424	Sloughing throat	...	...	3	3	3	3	3
	{ 425	Enlarged tonsils	...	...	5	5	5	5	5
	{ 426	Enlarged uvula	...	...	6	6	6	6	6
	{ 427	Perturbation of the palate	...	...	2	2	2	2	2
	{ 429	Non-Malignant tumour	...	...	1	1	1	1	1
Disease of the Sal. Glands.	{ 440	Salivary fistula	...	...	2	2	2	2	2
Disease of the Esophagus.	{ 446	Stricture	...	...	1	1	1	1	1
	{ 449	Gastritis	...	...	8	8	8	8	8
	{ 451	Hæmatemesis	...	...	8	8	8	8	8
	{ 460	Dyspepsia	...	...	2,190	2,224	2,196	10	10
Diseases of the stomach.	{ 461	Gastrodynia	...	...	27	1,201	1,144	31	31
	{ 462	Pyrosis	...	...	36	36	36	36	36
	{ 463	Vomiting	...	...	40	40	40	40	40

Diseases of the Digestive System.									
Diseases of the Intestines	464	Enteritis	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	466	Dysentery	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	470	Faecal abscess	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	473	Melæna ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	475	Tympanitis	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	476	Obstruction faecal accumulation	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	480	Hernia Reducible ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		(c) Strangulated	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Unbilical	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Inguinal Scrotal	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Diseases of the Rectum and Anus.	483	Parasitic disease Ascaris Lumbr	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	484	Diarrhoea ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	486	Colic	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	487	Constipation	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	489	Abscess	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	490	Fistula in ano	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	491	Hæmorrhoids	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	492	" External	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	494	Hæmorrhage from the Rectum	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	496	Prolapsus	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Diseases of the Liver.	500	Condyloma of the anus	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	501	Pruritus ani	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	507	Hepatitis	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	513	Fatty liver	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	518	Jaundice	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	524	Splenitis	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	526	Congestion (Ague Cake)	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	532	Ascites	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	536	Enlargement	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	538	Acute Bright's disease	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Diseases of the Kidney.	544	Suppression of urine	...	...	...	...	...	...	...

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Diseases of the Male Organs											
Diseases of the Urinary System											
Diseases of the bladder.	557	Cystitis ...	1	7	8	8	19	17	17	17	17
	571	Hæmaturia Vesical	"	19	19	19	19	17	17	17	17
	573	Irritability	"	17	17	17	17	17	17	17	17
	576	Incontinence of urine	"	19	19	19	19	17	17	17	17
	577	Retention of urine	"	93	93	93	93	95	95	94	94
Disease of the Prostrate.	582	Chronic enlargement	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
	585	Gonorrhœa in the male	18	1,113	1,131	1,113	1,131	1,113	1,113	1,113	1,113
		" in the female	6	190	196	196	196	196	196	196	196
	587	Phimosis	"	34	34	34	34	34	34	34	34
	588	Paraphimosis	"	60	61	60	61	60	60	60	60
Gonorrhœa and its complications.	589	Bubo	5	130	135	130	135	130	130	130	130
	590	Lacunar abscess	"	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3
	591	Epididymitis	"	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	5
	593	Condyloina	"	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6
	594	Gleet	"	14	14	14	14	14	14	14	14
Diseases of the Male Urethra.	596	Stricture Organic...	"	41	41	41	41	41	41	41	41
		" Spasmodic	1	18	19	19	19	19	19	19	19
	599	" Inflammatory	"	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6
	600	Urinary fistula	1	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3
	601	Recto urethral fistula	"	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2
Disease of the penis.	604	Impacted calculus	"	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
	608	Gangrene	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
	608	Slaughting	"	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4
	609	Edema	"	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2
	610	Elephantiasis	"	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3
Disease of the Tunica Vaginalis.	617	Hydrocele	1	7	8	8	8	7	7	7	7
	620	Orchitis Acute	"	65	65	65	65	65	65	65	65
	621	Abscess	"	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
	627	Spermatorrhœa	"	34	34	34	34	34	34	34	34
			"								

Diseases of the Female Organs											
Diseases of the Ovary.											
Diseases of the uterus including the servix.	635	Fibrous tumour	"	1	7	7	7	7	7	7	7
	636	Encysted dropey	"	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
	667	Non-malignant tumour	"	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12
	669	Prolapsus	"	229	229	229	229	229	229	229	229
	670	Leucorrhœa	"	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Diseases of the Vagina.	678	Non-malignant tumour	"	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
	685	Hypertrophy	"	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
	690	Amenorrhœa from temporary suppression	"	755	755	755	755	755	755	755	755
	693	Dysmenorrhœa	"	267	267	267	267	267	267	267	267
	694	Menorrhagia	"	110	110	110	110	110	110	110	110
Functional diseases of the Female organs of generation.	698	Hystericalgia	"	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
	699	Spurious pains and cramp	"	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2
	702	Prolapsus	"	11	11	11	11	11	11	11	11
	703	Abortion	"	15	15	15	15	15	15	15	15
	704	Premature labour	"	76	76	76	76	76	76	76	76
Disorders of the generative system.	705	Parturition	"	17	17	17	17	17	17	17	17
	706	Atony of the uterus	"	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	5
	707	Overdistension from excess of liquor amni.	"	9	9	9	9	9	9	9	9
	708	Mechanical obstacle to the action of the uterus	"	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
	709	Hamorrhage	"	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Affections connected with Parturition.	714	Retention of the placenta	"	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2
	717	Post-partum hamorrhage	"	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
	713	Milk fever	"	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
	719	Puerperal Peritonitis	"	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
	726	" mania	"	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2
Affections consequent on Parturition.	727	" convulsions	"	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
	728	Sudden death after delivery	"	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
			"								
			"								
			"								

841	Herpes circinatus	9	64	66	64	1	1
842	" zooster	2	1	1	1	"	"
843	Pemphigus	"	49	49	48	"	1
844	Eczema simplex	"	28	28	28	"	"
845	Impetigo	"	38	38	38	"	"
847	Rupia simplex	"	7	7	5	"	"
848	Acne indurata	"	1	1	1	"	"
850	Sycosis	"	13	13	11	"	"
855	Icthyosis vera	"	2	2	2	"	"
856	Melasma...	"	1	1	1	"	"
859	Lentigo and Ephelis	201	3,764	3,965	3,860	21	64
860	Ulcer	"	86	86	86	"	"
861	Fissures	"	659	666	665	1	"
862	Boil	3	32	35	26	"	5
863	Carbuncle	"	55	55	55	"	"
864	Onychia...	"	18	19	19	"	"
865	" maligna	1	72	73	73	"	"
868	Whitlow	1	18	18	18	"	"
869	Corn...	3	30	33	16	17	"
871	Elephantiasis Arabum	"	1	1	1	"	"
872	Fibro cellular tumour	"	4	4	4	"	"
873	Fatty tumour	"	2	3	2	"	"
875	Nævus	1	2	2	2	"	"
876	Sebaceous tumour	4	190	194	194	"	"
877	Warts	"	10	11	11	"	"
878	Condyloma	1	6	6	6	"	"
885	Pruritus...	"	56	56	56	"	"
888	Tinea tonsurans	"	26	26	26	"	"
889	" decalvans	"	10	10	10	"	"
890	Tinea Favosa	"	5,444	5,533	5,466	"	60
894	Scabies	89	2	2	2	7	"
900	Irritation caused by wasp	"	2	2	2	"	"

Surgical Operations.		Grand Total...									
		1,217	87,856	89,073	86,507	931	498	1,147			
Injuries of the Lower extremities.	Sprain Knee ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	8	1
	" Ankle ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	371	4
	1117 Wound ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	362	4	5
	1120 Foreign bodies embedded	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5	6	7
	1121 Fracture Femur confound	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	6	6
	" " simple	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	4	4
	" " coup of the leg, both bones...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	2	2
Injuries not classified.	1128 " tibia alone	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	1
	1132 Dislocation finger.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	2	2
	" hip ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	2	2
	" knee ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	1
	" ankle ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	22	22	22
	1146 Foreign substances in the cellular tissue...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	7	7	7
	Sprain ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	240	240	240
Amputation.	Contusion ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	38	38	38
	Wound Incised ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	407	407	407
	Wound Lacerat ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	371	371	371
	Wound Gun shot ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	3	3
	" arm ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	1
	" finger ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	2	2
	" leg ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	1
Reparative operations.	" penis ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	2	2
	Removal of tumours by knife	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	34	34	34
	Operation for cicatrices	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	1
	Phimosis	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	7	7	7
	Paracentesis Abdominal	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	1
	" Hydrocele ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	1
	Circumcision	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	20	20	20
Grand Total...		1,217	87,856	89,073	86,507	931	498	1,147			

Statement of the Total Number of private covers &c., and collections thereon for 1049 and 1050.

Description of Letters &c.	1049		1050		Increase.		Decrease.		Remarks.
	Total No. of Despatches.	Rs.	Total No. of Despatches.	Rs.	Despatches.	Rs.	Despatches.	Rs.	
Letters	1,86,631	7,254	1,20,172	8,092	20,491	838	"	"	
Do. Registered	8,885	2,221	9,852	2,463	967	242	"	"	
Newspapers	242	22	226	23	23	1	16	"	
Books	207	31	300	47	93	16	"	"	
Banghy parcels	1,039	297	1,031	247	424	217	8	30	
Private expresses	3,212	1,405	3,636	1,622	424	217	"	"	
Endorsements	7,530	338	9,453	409	1,928	71	"	"	
Total	2,07,796	11,568	2,31,675	12,903	23,903	1,385	24	50	Net increase Rs. 1,335
Letters &c. received from the British Post Office.									
Letters	6,353	253	8,900	356	2,647	103	"	"	
Newspapers	943	69	788	59	"	11	137	10	
Books	31	2	42	10	"	"	"	"	
Total	7,229	324	9,730	425	2,658	111	157	10	Net increase Rs. 101
Grand Total	2,15,025	11,892	2,41,405	13,328	26,561	1,496	181	60	Net increase Rs. 1,436

Statement of the number of Visitors to the Museum during M. E. 1050 viz. from 15th August 1874 to 15th August 1875.

Months.	Adults Men.			Adults Women.			Children Boys.			Children Girls.			Grand Total.
	Able to write their names.	Not able to write their names.	Total.	Able to write their names.	Not able to write their names.	Total.	Able to write their names.	Not able to write their names.	Total.	Able to write their names.	Not able to write their names.	Total.	
Anany	2,463	3,878	6,341	10	71	81	139	259	398	20	34	54	6,874
Purattay	1,757	3,297	5,054	18	130	148	200	434	634	23	31	54	5,890
Arpasy	2,842	3,832	6,674	19	707	726	1,153	1,338	2,397	97	655	752	15,609
Kartay	1,223	3,326	4,549	21	332	353	624	888	1,462	53	151	204	6,768
Margaly	950	3,362	4,312	18	140	158	260	439	699	22	46	68	5,437
Tye	986	2,392	3,378	10	145	155	396	944	1,340	13	96	109	4,983
Manay	812	3,021	3,833	21	515	536	799	1,602	2,401	50	402	452	7,222
Pangoony	446	2,492	2,938	13	352	365	624	1,001	1,625	20	126	146	5,074
Chittay	1,844	5,222	7,066	11	908	919	820	2,214	3,034	17	601	618	11,637
Vaikany	953	2,521	3,474	10	564	574	681	945	1,626	23	100	123	5,797
Anny	954	2,522	3,476	10	644	654	759	1,422	2,181	59	344	403	6,714
Andy	1,500	3,240	4,740	15	642	657	892	1,442	2,334	56	195	251	7,892
Total	16,730	44,555	61,285	176	5,151	5,327	7,853	12,778	20,131	453	2,701	3,154	89,897

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Contributions to the Museum during M. E. 1050, viz. from 15th August 1874 to 15th August 1875.

Dates.	Names of articles, &c.	Donors.	Remarks.
1874.			
24th Sept.	8 17' low Pillars (Cast-Iron).	Sirkar.	These pillars have been used for constructing an aviary for the Zoological Department and the seats have been taken for use in the Public Gardens.
23rd October.	8 17' low Pillars (Cast-Iron).	Sirkar.	
12th Novr.	1 G. & C. table-case Specimens of shell work, namely 1 Stand holding 2 Dogs 1 Box 6 Birds of different kinds 1 Lion on a stand 1 Box containing a Pen-hen and chickens 1 Serpent in the hollow of a tree with a goat near it	Do.	Received from Mr. Nozler of Madras to whom a present of 75 Rupees was made by the Sirkar.
Do.	1 Ostrich 1 Shell, polished 1 Dagger	Do.	Received from Mr. Mitchell in exchange for a set of Magical apparatus granted to him from the Museum by Command of His Highness the Maha Rajah.
19th Do.	2 Black-Swan eggs 1 Specimen of "Euplectella" (Fossil sponge)	Zoological Department. Sirkar.	Presented to His Highness the Maha Rajah by Dr. Hyde, Bloxham, England. Purchased at Agra and Delhi.
1875.			
12th March.	1 Marble Inkstand (inlaid) 1 Do. Plate (Do.) 3 Soapstone plates (engraved) 1 Soapstone Model of the Taj 2 Pieces Flexible standstones	Do.	
17th April.	1 Set (in 5 pieces) of apparatus used by Natives for cleaning &c. and spinning Cotton	His Highness the First Prince.	
29th Do.	Some pieces of Azingham Pottery	Major S. W. B. Sherman.	
27th May.	1 Pair of Bohemian Vases 1 Hornet's nest 1 Mechanical wooden Cog-wheel with 2 Buckets for drawing water (Model) Marine and land products from Cape Comorin and its vicinity, namely 1 Large Turtle Shell 1 Large proboscis of a Sword-fish	Sirkar. His Highness the First Prince.	
	1 Small Do. 1 Crust of a Starfish 1 Do. Hippocarpus 1 Basket of several varieties of shells and fossils Collection of small shells Do. of varieties of sponges and sea-weeds 1 Large Sea-weed 1 Do. 1 Do. 3 Small Do. 3 shells with species of Echinids Fossiliferous Conglomerate stones Red, black and rice stand Stones		
15th August.	The Pharmaceutical Journal and Transactions July 1874 to June 1875	Subscribed for by the Sirkar.	
Do.	The Travancore Gazette for 1850	Sirkar.	

List of beasts, animals and birds, &c., received for and added to the Zoological Department during M. E. 1050, viz. from 15th Aug. 1874 to 15th Aug. 1875

No. of beasts animals, &c.	Names of beasts, animals, &c.	Date of admission in the Department.	From whom or whence received.	Remarks.
1	Cheeta	8th Auvany 1050	Sirkar.	
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1	Antelope	20th	His Highness the First Prince.	
2	Field-Mice	26th & 23rd	Purchased.	
2	Hens	1st, 20th, 21st, 25th	"	
5	Do.	7th Parattasy	"	
4	Squirrels	14th	"	
3	Pair Ducks	24th	"	
2	Lion Cubs			Whelped in the Department.
3	Pea Fowls	22nd	C.F. Kohlhoff Esq.	
5	Hens	Arpasy	Purchased.	
1	Black Panther	9th	Sirkar.	Brought from Ne-doovengaud.
1	Peacock	15th	T. Vebelrisadasa	
2	Tiger cubs	30th	Mudellar Esq.	Whelped in the Department.
1	Young Land Tortoise	23rd Kartigay	Mr. Ferguson.	
1	Python	26th	Mr. C. Kohlhoff.	
1	Kid	28th Margaly		Born in the Department.
1	Cygnets	1st Thic		Hatched in the Department.
1	Barn-Owl with its young	6th & 8th	Dewan Feishcar in Charge.	
1	Deer	11th	His Highness the First Prince.	
1	Pair Jungle Pigs	1st & 5th Mausy	G. A. Ballard Esq.	
3	Kingfishers			
1	Bulbul	14th & 23rd	Purchased.	
2	Maggies			
1	Minah			
1	Toddy-bird			
2	Young Jackals	26th	"	
2	Young Doves	4th Pangunay	"	
1	Slender Loris	10th	"	
1	Young Owl	22nd	"	
1	Pair Turkeys	25th	"	
2	Young Kites	29th	His Highness the First Prince.	
1	Young Owl			
1	Elk			
4	Tiger cubs	10th Chitray		Whelped in the Department.
2	Barn-Owls	14th	Purchased.	
1	Bottle-bird	18th	"	
2	Small Owls	22nd	"	
2	Lion cubs	27th	"	Whelped in the Department.
1	Pair Pigeons (ground)	15th Vaikunay	"	
2	Do. (tumbler)	24th	"	
1	Monkey	10th	"	
1	Do.	1st	"	Born in the Department.
1	Cornhill	7th	"	
1	Pair Pigeons		"	

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