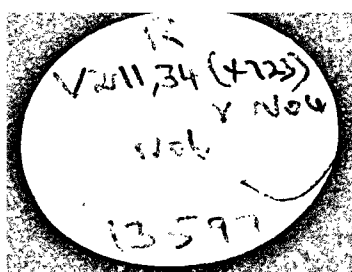


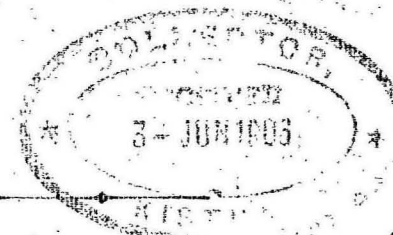
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Estates under management.—The number of estates under wardship at the beginning of fasli 1314, that is, on 1st July 1904, was 31. One of these, Sérugadā, was handed over to the proprietor on the 29th August 1904, on which date he attained majority. Two estates—Parlákimedi and Chundi—were taken under the Court's management during the year. The number of estates under the Court's superintendence at the close of the fasli year was thus 32. The restoration of the Sérugadā estate took place early in the fasli, and accordingly figures relating to that estate are shown in statements Nos. I, IV and VI alone; and as the Court assumed management of the Parlákimodi estate so late as the 20th May 1905, information in regard to that estate will be found only in statement No. I. Of the 32 wards who were under the care of the Court at the end of the fasli, one was incapacitated by imbecility, twenty-six by minority and three by sex. The other two estates (Kālahasti and Kārvétnagar) were taken under management under Madras Act IV of 1899 (since repealed by Madras Act I of 1902), owing to the financial embarrassment of the proprietors.

2. *Estate handed over.*—During the Court's management of the Sérugadā estate, which lasted a little over seven years and a quarter, the annual current demand of the estate rose from Rs. 30,186 to Rs. 42,825—an increase of 41·8 per cent. Debts due to the estate amounting to Rs. 46,785 were collected, and debts due by the estate amounting to over Rs. 22,300 were discharged. More than Rs. 16,700 were spent on repairs to irrigation works and other improvements, and an actual net surplus of Rs. 36,586 was handed over to the proprietor. The ward was brought up in the Court's Educational Institution at Newington, where he spent over six years. During the last year of the ward's tutelage, the Court appointed a special guardian-instructor who instructed him in the details of the practical management of his estate, and in Revenue law and accounts.

3. *Season.*—The season during the fasli was on the whole unfavourable for agricultural operations; but in the estates in the Ganjām, Vizagapatam, Bellary, Malabar and Tanjore districts, it was generally favourable. Exceptions were Bodogodo in Ganjām and Kavalappara in Malabar, where the season was less favourable than in the previous year. In Kavalappara the second crop suffered owing to insufficient rain. T. Chokkappa Mudaliyar's estate in Tanjore suffered for want of rain and timely freshes in the river. In Kondamodalu, the season, though unfavourable for cultivation, facilitated the felling of timber in the forests. In

Komaramangalam, the scanty rainfall hampered cultivation, and in parts affected the supply of drinking water. In Telaprole, though the wet crops under the upland tanks suffered, those irrigated by the Kistna canal, and the dry crops, both in the uplands and in the "lankas", yielded a fair outturn. In Arni, both monsoons were disappointing. The supply in the tanks was deficient, and the rain-fed irrigation channels almost ran dry. In consequence a large extent of cultivable land both "wet" and "dry" was left waste, and such crops as were raised yielded little or nothing. In Marungapuri, where the rainfall was neither sufficient nor well-timed, the outturn both of the wet lands under rain-fed tanks and of the dry lands, was scanty. In Kalahasti, the rainfall during the fasli was far below the average, being in fact the lowest recorded during the past twenty-eight years; and a large extent of land was left waste in consequence. In Palaiyampatti, the rainfall in two out of five firkas was insufficient, except for dry cultivation, and with a single exception the tanks did not receive a supply adequate for wet cultivation.

4. *Holdings*.—Excluding rented villages, and the villages in the Jarada estate, Statement No. II-A. regarding which the Court is not in possession of accurate information, the

aggregate area of the holdings of the ryotwari villages in the estates under management was 799,212 acres. The extent of holdings in the estates which were under management in both faslis was 792,510 acres in fasli 1314, and 794,832 acres in fasli 1313, the decrease of 2,322 acres being the net result of an increase of 5,327 acres in thirteen estates, and a decrease of 7,649 acres in nine. The decrease was marked in Saluru, Kalahasti and Palaiyampatti, and was due in the case of the estate first mentioned to the exclusion from the figures for fasli 1314 of the areas of certain inams which were classified as "jeroyati" in fasli 1313. In the other two estates, it was due to the unfavourable season. The acquisition of the Kalyani Mittah for Komaramangalam, during fasli 1314, accounts for the greater part of the increase. Slight increases elsewhere were due either to the adoption of correct areas based on survey or to extension of occupation.

5. *Cultivation*.—The extent actually cultivated in the year under report was Statement No. II-A. 5,31,034 acres, or 66 per cent. of the holdings; against 615,228 acres or 76·8

per cent. in the previous year. In Bodogodo and Palaiyampatti the entire holdings have been returned as cultivated. No village accounts are maintained in Jarada, which is consequently left out of account in these figures. The Collector has been requested to report on the feasibility of introducing a proper system of village accounts. The proportion of cultivation to holdings exceeded 90 per cent. in six estates, and ranged between 75 and 90 per cent. in eleven others. In only ten estates did it fall below 75 per cent., the explanation as regards nine of these being the unfavourable season, while in the other—V. U. Ayyanna's estate—the low percentage is ascribed to the difficulty experienced by the ryots in obtaining loans to enable them to meet cultivation expenses. The Court has invited the attention of the Collector to the expediency of granting advances from estate funds to cultivating tenants for agricultural purposes.

6. *Demand of the estates*.—The total gross demand of the estates for the year Statement No. II-B. amounted to Rs. 32,13,933. Rs. 3,72,945 were remitted, leaving a net demand of

Rs. 28,40,988. The total net demand of the estates which were under management in both the years was Rs. 28,11,326 in fasli 1314 and Rs. 34,73,987 in fasli 1313. Owing mainly to the unfavourable character of the season, there was a decrease of Rs. 3,52,923 in the gross beriz, and an increase of Rs. 3,09,738 under remissions, as compared with the previous year. The result was a fall of Rs. 6,62,661 in the net demand, the bulk of which occurred in Kalahasti (Rs. 3,02,112) and Kárvétnagar (Rs. 2,50,364), where the season was very bad.

7. *Demand, collection and balance—Arrears*.—The total arrear demand at the beginning of the fasli amounted to Rs. 16,41,225. Rs. 5,19,717 were collected and Statement No. III. Rs. 1,58,716 were written off, leaving a balance of Rs. 9,62,792 on the 30th June 1905. Deducting subsequent collections and remissions (Rs. 42,687) and the amounts since found to be irrecoverable (Rs. 9,499), the net recoverable balance on the dates

of the Collectors' reports was Rs. 9,10,606. The corresponding figure for the previous year was Rs. 7,88,205. Leaving out of account the Sérugadá estate, there were on the dates of the Collectors' reports four estates in which there was no outstanding balance, and five others with balances of less than Rs. 1,000. The balances ranged between Rs. 1,000 and Rs. 5,000 in Saluru (Rs. 4,775), Jarada (Rs. 3,980), Sivagiri (Rs. 3,712), Párvatipuram (Rs. 3,340), Belgám (Rs. 1,147) and T. Chokkappa Mudaliyar's estate (Rs. 1,124); and between Rs. 5,000 and Rs. 10,000 in Arni (Rs. 8,037), Kavalappara (Rs. 6,880), Sivasamudram (Rs. 6,471), Telaprole (Rs. 5,697), Kondamodalu (Rs. 5,381), and Komaramangalam (Rs. 5,216). The Court has instructed the Collectors concerned to take prompt measures to clear off the arrears in all these estates, except Sivasamudram which was handed over in the early part of the current fasli. The balances exceeded Rs. 10,000 in the remaining eight estates, namely, Kalahasti (Rs. 3,83,404), Kárvétnagar (Rs. 2,28,761), Pithápuram (Rs. 1,19,044), Uttumalai (Rs. 60,263), Punnattúr (Rs. 23,616), Chundi (Rs. 18,226), Palaiyampatti (Rs. 10,684) and Nandigám (Rs. 10,202). In Kalahasti and Kárvétnagar, the heavy arrears were due to the adverse season. These two estates have since been restored to their proprietors under the special orders of Government. In Pithápuram a suit is being filed for the recovery of Rs. 31,081 due from an ex-renter; and Rs. 38,806 are covered by decrees passed in favour of the estate, or by suits filed and pending. The greater part of the balance is considered to be irrecoverable, and the Court has directed the Collector to expedite his enquiry on this point, and to devote his constant and personal attention to the realisation of the arrears. The estate is to be handed over to its proprietor in October next. In Uttumalai, arrears amounting to Rs. 36,039 are covered by pending suits and decrees under execution, and steps are being taken to institute legal proceedings in respect of Rs. 15,125. The arrear collections in this estate were slightly better, it is true, than in the previous fasli, but there is still abundant room for improvement, and the Court has instructed the Regulation Collector to pay particular attention to this matter. The balance in Punnattúr consists of arrears due in respect of a large number of old time-expired *kanom* leases which are pending renewal. The Collector has been directed to expedite their renewal, and to clear off the outstandings as soon as possible. In Chundi a sum of Rs. 6,329 has been ascertained to be irrecoverable, Rs. 3,162 are covered by suits, and Rs. 3,031 by decrees and bonds. The bulk of the remainder is considered to be irrecoverable, and forms the subject of investigation. Over 50 per cent. of the arrears in Palaiyampatti is covered by suits and decrees. The remainder could have been cleared off, had the Manager exerted himself in the matter as he should have done. The Head Assistant Collector, Ramnad, has now been placed in immediate charge of the estate. In Nandigám, Rs. 4,422 are covered by decrees, suits and bonds, and the Collector has been asked to take steps to wipe off the balance.

8. *Current collections*.—The total current demand of the year for all the estates Statement No. III. under management was Rs. 28,13,020; of this, Rs. 21,69,263 were collected and Rs. 12,624 were written off. The balance at the end of the fasli was thus Rs. 6,31,133. Deducting subsequent collections and remissions (Rs. 1,62,664), and a small sum of Rs. 128 since found to be irrecoverable, the net recoverable balance on the dates of the Collectors' reports was Rs. 4,68,341, or 16·6 per cent. of the demand, against 13·7 per cent. in the preceding year. Leaving Sérugadá out of account, the whole of the current demand was realised in Chipurupalle, Telaprole and Sivaganga; nine estates showed a balance of less than 5 per cent. of the demand; six estates had a balance of between 5 and 10 per cent. of the demand; and eight others a balance of between 10 and 25 per cent.; while the balance exceeded 25 per cent. in the remaining five estates, namely, Uttumalai (51·4), Kalahasti (47·1), Kárvétnagar (43·9), Punnattúr (36·6) and Jarada (30·3). In Uttumalai, the Regulation Collector attributes the large balance to the unfavourable character of the season, and also to the fact that steps could not be taken to enforce the payment of the greater part of the current demand within the year, as under the system followed the pattas had not been tendered before its close. In Kalahasti and Kárvétnagar, the collections were much affected by the bad season. In Punnattúr, the heavy arrears were due mainly to the Manager's inefficiency. He has since been replaced. The current collections in Jarada were better than in the previous year, but the balance is heavy, and the Collector has been requested to devote special attention to the subject.

there. The Sivasamudram ward was at Newington for so short a period that he can hardly be regarded as a pupil of that institution. The conduct of all the wards at Newington is reported to have been satisfactory. The educational and general progress made by the Pithápuram ward was particularly good. His English reading has been extensive, and his essays show a decided advance both in subject matter and in composition. His proficiency in Telugu is also remarkable. The Kavalappara ward (senior) made rapid progress in all directions. The Telapróle and Sivaganga wards made fair progress. The Telapróle ward takes special interest in carpentry and photography, and is said to show a greater taste for reading than the other wards. The Komáramangalam ward made good progress, and is very intelligent. The Sivagiri ward, though not lacking in abilities, is being gradually distanced by the other wards so far as scholastic pursuits are concerned, owing to lack of application and to an inherent distaste for "lessons" of all kinds. His interests lie rather in the direction of such pursuits as carpentry, photography and sport. The Pálaiyampatti and Berikai wards made but indifferent progress, owing to lack of ability and application, but the latter is said to evince more interest in his studies than formerly. The progress of the younger Kavalappara ward has been reported upon favourably.

The physical development of the wards continued to receive special attention. Gymnastics, bicycling, riding, tennis and cricket formed part of their daily routine. The usual visit was not paid to Ootacamund during the summer of 1905, but during the holidays the senior wards (Marungápurí, Bodogodo, Pithápuram and Sálúru) under the escort of Mr. Payne, travelled in Northern India; and the junior wards (Telapróle, Sivagiri, Kavalappara, Sivaganga, Berikai and Pálaiyampatti), accompanied by Mr. de la Hey, went on a shorter tour in Southern India. The senior wards visited Benares, Lucknow, Agra, Delhi, Jeypore, Ajmere and Bombay. The junior wards visited Courtallam, Travancore and Cochin. Both tours were entirely successful, and the wards derived much benefit from them. The arrangements started during fasli 1311 to instruct the wards in Hindu Religion and Philosophy, and to superintend their daily worship and religious ceremonies, were continued. The Advisory Committee visited the Institution twice during the year, and its suggestions received the due attention of the Court.

The Árni ward continued to study under his special tutor, Mr. Roddon, and made fair progress. As usual, he spent the midsummer in company with his tutor at Bangalore and Ootacamund. The ward made a short tour in his estate, and another through Northern India about the beginning of 1905. The latter was unfortunately cut short by the ward's illness.

The Jarada and Parlákimedi wards have now joined Newington. The Nandigám ward continued to prosecute his studies in the Kallikota College at Berhampur and under private tuition, making fair progress. The Idaiyakóttai minor attended the Setupati High school, Madura, and is reported to have made very good progress. The remaining wards were taught in various local schools, and their progress was reported upon favourably, except in the case of the Chipurupalle and the younger Marudándanallúr wards.

The Court appointed Guardian-Instructors for the Bodogodo, Sálúru, Pithápuram and Sivasamudram wards to teach them Revenue law and accounts, and to familiarise them on the spot with the details of estate-management. The Árni ward is undergoing the same course of practical training under the care of Mr. Roddon, the Karuvalakkarai ward under the guardianship of his maternal uncle, and the elder Marudándanallúr ward under the supervision of the Manager who has been appointed Guardian-Instructor.

A sister of the Kavalappara minor passed the annual first form examination in the Estate Lower Secondary school at Kavalappara. To enable her to prosecute her studies further, the Court has since accepted the Collector's proposal to open a second form in the school. Four of the five girls of the Punnattúr family continued to make good progress under their private tutor. A sister of the Jarada ward continued her studies in Uriya and Telugu under private tuition. The wives of the Árni and Marungápurí wards remained under the tuition of European governesses. Both of them were examined by Miss E. Carr, Inspector of Girls' Schools, who reported very favourably on their progress.

17. *Suits*.—The appeal preferred to the Privy Council by the Zamindar of Mirzapuram, against the decision of the High Court relating to the resumption of the Hanumantunigudam mokhasa village belonging to the Telapróle estate, has since been decided in favour of the ward. A decree was obtained in the District Court of Gódávári for a sum of Rs. 15,032 against the Kondamodalu estate, and the Court has preferred an appeal to the High Court against the District Judge's decision. The suit filed by the Zamindar of Polavaram in the Court of the Government Agent, Gódávári, against the same estate, has since been decided in favour of the plaintiff. As this decision is one of vital importance, affecting as it does the ward's very title to the estate, the Court has preferred an appeal to the High Court. The suit instituted in fasli 1312, for the recovery of mesne profits illegally enjoyed by certain usufructuary mortgagees of the Kárvétnagar estate, was compromised to the great advantage of the estate.

18. *Religious and charitable institutions attached to estates*.—The demand, collection and balance, and the financial condition, of the several religious and charitable institutions attached to the estates under management, are given in statement No. VI.

19. *Encumbered estates*.—During the year under report, the Decree Collector referred to the District Court of North Arcot for decision a single claim relating to the Kárvétnagar estate. Three claims relating to Kálahasti, and 79 claims relating to Kárvétnagar, were pending with the Decree Collector at the close of the year. Of the cases which he had referred to the District Court, 3 relating to Kálahasti and 7 relating to Kárvétnagar remained undecided. Since the estates have been handed over to their proprietors, as already stated, the Regulation Collector has requested the Decree Collector to withdraw the references still pending in the District Court.

The Court passed orders for the declaration of the net rents and profits for fasli 1313, in respect of the villages of the Kárvétnagar estate which were previously in the possession of usufructuary mortgagees, but no declaration or payments could be made before the close of the year, as the proprietor died immediately afterwards, and the question of the future management of the estate came under consideration. A sum of Rs. 45,221 was, however, paid or adjusted towards the debts due to the creditors of the estate. The current demand in the Kálahasti and Kárvétnagar estates has been provisionally returned as Rs. 2,56,400 and Rs. 3,86,350, respectively, against Rs. 5,58,512 and Rs. 6,36,714 in the previous year; the marked decrease being due to the unfavourable character of the season. For the same reason, the collections during the year including arrears also declined, amounting to Rupees 2,34,188 in Kálahasti and Rs. 3,80,255 in Kárvétnagar, against Rs. 6,31,059 and Rs. 7,75,690, respectively, in the previous year.

In Kálahasti, 409 irrigation sources were repaired by the end of fasli 1314, at a total cost of Rs. 1,54,527, and works estimated to cost Rs. 26,000 were in progress at the end of the fasli. In Kárvétnagar, works costing Rs. 1,14,183 had been carried out by the end of the year. 2,510 acres of land previously lying waste in Kálahasti were assigned on reduced rates of assessment, and 6,291 acres at full assessment. As stated in the report for fasli 1313, nearly the whole extent of the arable land in Kárvétnagar is already under occupation.

The Court ordered the resumption of nine "amaram" villages in Kálahasti, and seven in Kárvétnagar. Two in the former and one in the latter estate had been surrendered by the owners up to the end of fasli 1314. In the case of the remaining villages—seven in Kálahasti and six in Kárvétnagar—the "amaramdars" did not consent to yield possession. A suit was accordingly filed against the "amaramdar" of one of the villages in Kárvétnagar. The death of the two wards stopped further action in the other cases. The "kattubadi" inams in the Kachinád taluk of the Kálahasti estate, referred to in the report for the previous fasli, were resumed. The suits instituted on behalf of this estate, to secure an enhancement of rents in cases in which leases had been granted for inadequate consideration, were still pending in the Civil Court at the close of the year.

The Court passed final orders on the two claims relating to the Úttumalai estate which were pending at the close of fasli 1313, and has requested the Regulation Collector to submit a revised decision disallowing one of them. Towards the end of

the fasli the Regulation Collector submitted a scheme for the liquidation of the liabilities of the estate; but for want of accurate details regarding the liabilities of the estate and its value no orders could be passed before the close of the year. Enquiries were set on foot as to the feasibility of developing the resources of the estate in the following directions:—(1) the substitution for the present assessment on dry lands, which varies with reference to the crops and to the actual areas cultivated, of equitable and fixed assessments on the lands, payable whether they are cultivated or not; and (2) the substitution for the *varam* (sharing) system, in the case of wet lands, of a system of money rents. The Court has deferred orders on the Regulation Collector's proposals on the latter subject until the Estates Land Bill, now under consideration by the Select Committee, passes into law, and awaits his report on the former subject.

20. *Miscellaneous remarks.*—The Ex-Zamindar of Parlákimedi is physically in good health, and continues to receive an allowance of Rs. 5,000 per mensem from the funds of the Parlákimedi estate, now under the Court's management.

The Marungápur and Sivagiri forests continued to be worked under the rules sanctioned by Government under section 26 of the Forest Act. Similar rules were introduced during the year in the forests of the Árni estate. The Ranger appointed for Pithápuram towards the end of fasli 1313 completed the inspection of all the estate forests during the year. Part of the forests has been reserved, and the Court has sanctioned the entertainment of the establishment of guards and watchers necessary for its proper conservancy.

The survey of the 36 villages of the Komáramangalam estate was completed in the year under report. That of the Kalyani Mittah belonging to the same estate was in progress.

The scheme for the introduction in Sivagiri of fixed grain rents payable in cash, in the place of the pernicious sharing system now in force, has not yet been introduced owing to the adverse season.

Village accounts are reported to have been maintained satisfactorily in the estates of Belgám, Párvatipuram, Chápurupalle, Sálúru, Pithápuram, Telapróle, Árni, Tumba, Marungápur, Sivasamudram (British portion), Berikai and Komáramangalam, and in the Ravilanka portion of the Kondamodalu estate.

APPENDIX A.

No. I.—Statement showing the ages, etc., of the wards and the periods during which the estates have been under management for fasli 1314 (1904–1905).

Districts.	Estates.	Government Orders by which the estates came under the management of the Court of Wards.	Sex of the wards.	Grounds of disability.	The periods during which the estates have been under management.	Ages of the wards at the end of the fasli.	Dates on which the wards attained or will attain majority.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
Ganjám ..	Parlákimedi ..	No. 463 (Confdl. No. 67), dated 20th May 1905.	Male ..	Minority.	YRS. M. D. 0 1	YRS. M. D. 13 2 5	26th April 1913.
	Parlákimedi (ex-zamindar's estate).	No. 1279, dated 22nd June 1830 ..	Do. ..	Imbecility.	74 11	75 0 0	....
	Dodogodo ..	" 1028 " 11th Sept. 1885 ..	Do. ..	Minority.	19 9	20 3 16	15th Mar. 1906.
	Sérugadá ..	" 2179 " 30th April 1897 ..	Do. ..	Do.	8 2	21 10 2	(a) 29th Aug. 1904.
	Nandigám ..	" 1340 " 17th Mar. 1898 ..	Do. ..	Do.	7 3	9 9 1	29th Sept. 1916.
Vizagapatam.	Jarádá ..	" 565 " 3rd June 1903 ..	Do. ..	Do.	2 1	12 7 16	15th Nov. 1913.
	Chipúrupallo {	No. 510, dated 13th May 1882 ..	Do. ..	Do.	23 2	18 2 24	6th April 1908.
	Sálúru ..	" 482 " 23rd July 1895 ..			10 8	20 1 22	22nd May 1906.
	Belgám ..	" 367 " 7th May 1901 ..			4 1	17 3 22	9th Mar. 1909.
	Párvatipuram ..	" 368 " 7th " " ..			4 1	11 0 25	6th June 1915.
Gódvári ..	Pithápuram ..	No. 678, dated 19th Aug. 1890 ..	Do. ..	Do.	13 2	19 8 26	5th Oct. 1906.
	Kondamodalu ..	" 580 " 31st " 1899 ..	Do. ..	Do.	5 7	15 5 15	15th Jan. 1911.
Kistna ..	Telaprólo ..	No. 347, dated 19th May 1890 ..	Do. ..	Do.	15 0	15 10 0	31st Aug. 1910.
Nellore ..	Chundi..	No. 710 (Confdl. No. 96), dated 4th July 1904.	Do. ..	Do.	1 0	2 5 0	1st Feb. 1924.
Bellary ..	V. U. Ayyanna's estate.	No. 699, dated 13th Aug. 1889 ..	Do. ..	Do.	15 8	19 8 0	1st Nov. 1906.
North Arcot.	Tumbá ..	No. 816, dated 13th Sept. 1893 ..	Do. ..	Do.	11 10	16 11 5	26th July 1909.
	Kálahasti ..	" 472 " 20th July 1899 ..	Do. ..	(d) Incapacity.	5 10	(f) ..	(e)
	Kárvénagar ..	" 465 " 19th " " ..	Do. ..	(d) Do.	5 10	(g) ..	(e)
Tanjore ..	Árni ..	" 411 " 9th May 1902 ..	Do. ..	Minority.	3 2	19 11 16	14th July 1906.
	Karuvalakkarai ..	No. 637 dated 25th July 1889 ..	Do. ..	Do.	15 10	19 10 15	16th Aug. "
	Marudándanallur.	" 621 " 17th June 1892 ..	Do. ..	Do.	13 0	20 2 15	16th Apr. "
	T. Chokkappa Mudaliyar's estate.	" 392 " 5th " 1894 ..	Do. ..	Do.	11 0	16 10 24	6th Aug. 1909.
Trichinopoly.	Marungápur ..	No. 163, dated 22nd Feb. 1888 ..	Do. ..	Do.	17 8	20 7 23	(e) 8th Nov. 1906.
Madura ..	Pálayampatti..	No. 705, dated 16th Oct. 1894 ..	Do. ..	Do.	10 9	17 5 23	7th Jan. 1909.
	Sivagangá ..	" 349 " 18th June 1898 ..	Do. ..	Do.	7 0	17 1 28	3rd May "
	Idaiyakóttai ..	" 392 " 18th April 1903 ..	Do. ..	Do.	2 2	16 9 7	24th Sept. "
Tinnevelly..	Sivagiri ..	No. 455, dated 10th Sept. 1896 ..	Do. ..	Do.	8 9	16 2 7	24th April 1910.
	Úttumalai ..	" 857 " 14th " 1901 ..	Female..	Sex ..	3 9	58 2 3	..
Coimbatore.	Sivasamudram.	No. 5273, dated 19th Dec. 1896 ..	Male ..	Minority.	8 6	(i) 20 10 28	(e) 3rd Aug. 1905.
Salem ..	Ankusagiri (or Berikai).	" 93 " 4th Feb. 1894 ..	Do. ..	Do.	11 4	15 11 5	25th July 1910.
	Komáramangalam.	" 931 " 26th Sept. 1900 ..	Do. ..	Do.	4 9	15 9 22	9th Sept. "
Malabar ..	Kavalappara..	No. 1187, dated 9th Aug. 1872 ..	Female.	Sex ..	32 11	(h) 21 0 11	(d) 13th Aug. 1910.
	" ..	" 599 " 21st June 1887 ..					
	" ..	" 1144 " 20th Mar. 1896 ..					
	" ..	" 757 " 16th Aug. 1905 ..					
Malabar ..	Punnathór ..	" 375 " 20th Apr. 1892 ..	Do. ..	Do. ..	13 2	51 11 0	(e) 16th Feb. 1911.
	Kóvilagam.						

(a) Handed over on 29th August 1904. (b) Vide Madras Act IV of 1899 repealed by Madras Act I of 1902. (c) Since handed over.

(d) This is the date on which the eldest of the ward's (Naráyani Nethiyár's) brothers will attain majority.

(e) This is the date on which the eldest male member of the family will attain majority.

(f) The ward died on the 11th May 1905. (g) The ward died on the 13th June 1905.

(h) This is the age of Naráyani Nethiyár, the present ward: her mother, Párvathí Nethiyár, the late ward, died on the 24th November 1904. (i) These are the correct figures.

APPENDIX B.

No. II-A.—Statement showing the number of villages and the proportion of cultivation to holdings in the estates under management for fasli 1314 (1904-1905).

Districts.	Estates.	Number of villages.					Holdings and cultivation.		
		Ryotwari or joint-rent.	Rented to middlemen : whether paying rent in money or in kind.	Partly ryotwari and partly treated.	Inam or shrotriyam.	Total.	Holdings.	Actual cultivation.	Percentage of cultivation to holdings.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
Ganjām	Parlakimedi	..	..	..	..	..	ACS.	ACS.	..
	Parlakimedi (ex-zamindar's estate).	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
	Bodogodo	98	175	17	22	310	7,299	7,299	100.0
	Sérugadā	2	38	..	26	(a) 66	2,322	2,146	92.4
	Nandigām	66	6	..	30	(b) 92	(g) ..	..	..
Vizagapatam.	Chipurupalle	1	..	..	..	1	2,498	1,898	75.9
	Sālūru	99	11	..	58	(c) 168	14,387	14,325	99.5
	Belgām	4	3	..	1	(d) 8	774	747	96.5
	Pārvatipuram	6	3	..	1	10	1,384	1,223	88.3
Gōdāvari	Pithāpuram	144	19	5	..	168	(h) 136,383	90,940	71.8
	Kondamodālū	9	..	..	..	9	589	258	43.8
Kistna	Telaprolē	34	6	..	18	57	29,691	24,787	83.4
Nellore	Chundi	44	..	..	3	47	12,009	7,468	62.1
Bellary	V. U. Ayyanna's estate	..	..	..	..	..	65	40	61.5
North Arcot.	Tumbā	10	..	..	..	10	458	325	70.9
	Kālabasti	485	33	3	343	864	127,326	73,850	58.0
	Kārvētnagar	516	5	..	150	680	135,472	58,859	43.4
	Ārni	141	..	6	45	192	39,380	29,848	75.7
Tanjore	Karuvālakkarai	..	..	..	..	..	175	162	92.5
	Marudāndanallur	..	..	..	..	..	620	579	93.3
	T. Chokkappa Mudaliyar's estate.	..	..	..	..	..	426	379	88.9
Trichinopoly.	Marungāpuri	78	..	..	22	100	42,063	32,314	76.8
Madura	Pālaiyampatti	25	..	..	13	38	16,813	16,843	100.0
	Sivagangā	1	..	..	2	3	97	29	29.8
	Idaiyakōttai	13	..	..	..	13	22,831	14,661	64.2
Tinnevely	Sivagiri	26	..	..	..	26	48,746	36,856	75.6
	Uttumalai	60	1	..	1	62	86,675	42,856	48.2
Coimbatore	Sivasamudram	..	..	..	9	9	13,314	11,453	86.0
Salem	Ankusaḡiri (or Berikai)	68	18	..	53	(e) 169	23,428	18,182	77.6
	Komāramangalam	68	15	..	2	(f) 83	27,221	23,965	88.0
Malabar	Kavalappara	..	..	..	..	..	15,491	14,391	92.8
	Punnathūr Kōvilagam	..	..	..	..	..	6,558	5,351	81.1
Total ..		2,014	332	31	808	3,185	(h) 804,519	531,034	66.0

- (a) The decrease (1) as compared with the preceding year is due to the separate registration of a village.
 (b) The Collector has been called upon to explain the decrease (1).
 (c) The sale of two villages to the Maharaja of Bobbili accounts for the decrease (2).
 (d) This excludes a village in the possession and enjoyment of Indumani Devi, the mother-in-law of the late zamindar's predecessor in title.
 (e) The increase (1) is due to the treatment of a permanently alienated hamlet as a separate village.
 (f) The acquisition during the year of the Kalyani mitta accounts for the increase (4).
 (g) Columns 8 to 10 are left blank against this estate as proper village accounts have not yet been introduced.
 (h) These figures include the area of rented tracts (5,507 acres). The net total holdings amount to 799,212 acres.

APPENDIX C.

No. II-B.—Statement showing the settled demand of the estates under management for fasli 1314 (1904-1905).

Districts.	Estates.	Extent.	Land revenue.	Miscellaneous revenue.	Total.	Deduct remissions.	Net revenue.	Net demand for previous fasli (1313).	Difference.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
Ganjām	Parlakimedi	ACS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.
	Parlakimedi (ex-zamindar's estate).	..	(a) 23	60,000	60,023	..	60,023	(c) 60,000	+ 23
	Bodogodo	7,299	49,369	11,069	60,438	..	60,438	(c) 62,141	- 1,703
	Sérugadā	2,322	41,798	2,146	43,944	..	43,944	41,629	+ 2,315
	Nandigām	(b) 92	38,339	361	38,700	..	38,700	48,301	- 9,601
Vizagapatam	Chipurupalle	2,498	7,518	7	7,525	..	7,525	7,590	- 65
	Sālūru	14,387	1,07,652	1,386	1,09,038	3,340	1,05,698	(c) 1,02,518	+ 3,180
	Belgām	774	10,121	412	10,533	..	10,533	(c) 13,216	- 2,683
	Pārvatipuram	1,384	16,000	671	16,671	50	16,621	(c) 17,833	- 1,212
Gōdāvari	Pithāpuram	126,583	8,23,738	27,570	8,56,308	..	8,56,308	9,13,919	(r) -57,611
	Kondamodālū	589	2,227	4,143	6,370	..	6,370	(c) 5,900	+ 470
Kistna	Telaprolē	29,691	1,17,910	8,162	1,26,072	4,675	1,21,397	(c) 1,25,580	- 4,183
Nellore	Chundi	12,009	30,193	2,212	32,405	2,743	29,662	(d) ..	..
Bellary	V. U. Ayyanna's estate	65	902	4	906	..	906	(c) 1,009	- 103
North Arcot.	Tumbā	458	4,426	2,139	6,565	1,209	5,356	5,484	- 128
	Kālabasti	127,326	3,92,680	25,720	4,18,400	1,62,000	2,56,400	(c) 5,58,512	(g) -3,02,112
	Kārvētnagar	135,472	4,15,011	29,355	4,44,966	58,616	3,86,350	(c) 6,36,714	(g) -2,50,364
	Ārni	39,380	1,38,160	6,291	1,44,831	46,217	1,48,234	1,96,701	(g) -47,467
Tanjore	Karuvālakkarai	175	3,749	1	3,750	..	3,750	3,806	+ 444
	Marudāndanallur	620	10,583	155	10,738	..	10,738	9,824	+ 914
	T. Chokkappa Mudaliyar's estate.	426	7,051	118	7,169	..	7,169	(c) 5,462	+ 1,707
Trichinopoly	Marungāpuri	42,063	70,681	10,163	80,844	..	80,844	85,684	- 4,840
Madura	Pālaiyampatti	16,843	44,463	3,333	47,796	282	47,514	59,479	(g) -11,965
	Sivagangā	97	657	53,969	54,626	..	54,626	2,528	(i) +52,098
	Idaiyakōttai	22,831	22,904	1,903	24,807	..	24,807	24,695	+ 112
Tinnevely	Sivagiri	48,746	1,62,597	14,662	1,77,259	49,892	1,27,367	1,63,257	(g) -35,890
	Uttumalai	36,375	1,16,083	28,857	1,44,940	29,599	1,15,341	1,02,924	(h) +12,417
Coimbatore	Sivasamudram	13,314	19,717	6,526	26,243	1,555	24,688	28,342	- 3,654
Salem	Ankusaḡiri (or Berikai)	23,428	39,919	405	40,324	2,052	38,272	38,875	- 603
	Komāramangalam	27,221	76,798	730	77,528	11,715	65,813	(c) 63,395	+ 2,418
Malabar	Kavalappara	15,491	45,280	10,098	55,378	..	55,378	(c) 58,298	- 2,920
	Punnathūr Kōvilagam	6,558	21,666	8,550	30,216	..	30,216	(c) 31,871	- 1,655
Total ..		804,519	28,93,815	3,20,118	32,13,933	3,72,945	28,40,988	34,78,987	(e) -6,38,999

- (a) This is the value of the grain rent due on the two acres of land inherited by the ward from his step-mother.
 (b) Vide foot-note (g) in statement No. II-A.
 (c) The variations noticeable in these figures as compared with those entered in column 8 of the statement for fasli 1313 are due to subsequent revision.
 (d) The estate came under the Court's management only in fasli 1314.
 (e) This difference is exclusive of the settled demand of the Chundi estate in respect of which figures for fasli 1313 have not been entered.

Explanations for large variations between the settled demand for faslis 1314 and 1313.

- (f) Due to the exclusion from the figures for fasli 1314 of the demand under "water-tax," as Government collected it directly from the tenants during the year, their contract with the estate having been terminated.
 (g) Due chiefly to the unfavourable character of the season in fasli 1314.
 (h) Due mainly to greater strictness in fasli 1314 in the levy of interest on arrears of rent.
 (i) Due to the inclusion in the demand for fasli 1314 of the allowances amounting to Rs. 53,000 payable to the minor by the European lessees.

APPENDIX D₁.

No. III.—Statement showing the “arrear” demand, collection and balance of the estates under management for fasli 1314 (1904–1905).

Districts.	Estates.	Demand.	Collection.	Amount written off.	Balance at the end of the fasli.	Subsequent collections and remissions.	Amount since recommended to be written off.	Net recoverable balance on the date of the Collector's report.	Percentage of column 9 to column 3.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
		RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	
Ganjām ..	Parlakimedi (ex-zamin-dar's estate) ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
	Bodogodo ..	(a) 785	560	89	136	5	90	41	5.2
	Sérugadā ..	..	3,121	..	10,206	..	..	10,202	73.3
	Nandigām ..	(a) 13,909	15,695	582	3,980	4	..	3,980	20.2
	Jaradā ..	(b) 19,675	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Vizagapatam ..	Chipurupalle ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
	Sālārū ..	(a) 11,684	3,202	2,234	6,248	7	1,466	4,775	40.8
	Belgām ..	(a) 2,217	457	394	1,366	219	..	1,147	51.7
	Pārvatipuram ..	(a) 8,380	778	3,778	3,824	484	..	3,340	39.8
Gōdāvari ..	Pithāpuram ..	(a) 2,01,758	28,556	53,296	1,19,906	862	..	1,19,044	59.0
	Kondamōdalu ..	(a) 6,161	675	105	5,381	..	..	5,381	87.3
Kistnā ..	Telaprolē ..	(a) 10,514	2,935	1,289	6,290	497	96	5,697	54.1
Nellore ..	Chundi ..	..	22,934	3,710	19,224	998	..	18,226	79.4
Bellary ..	V. U. Ayyanna's estate ..	(a) 79	7	30	42	35	..	7	8.8
North Arcot ..	Tumbā ..	(a) 401	346	52	3	..	..	3	0.7
	Kālahasti ..	(b) 4,96,613	80,606	29,594	3,86,413	3,009	..	3,83,404	77.2
	Kārvētnagar ..	(b) 4,24,185	1,69,111	9,493	2,45,581	16,820	..	2,28,761	53.9
	Ārni ..	..	43,270	30,433	3,624	9,213	1,176	8,037	18.5
Tanjore ..	Karuvālakkarai ..	(a) 136	134	2	..	197	..	189	7.8
	Marudāndanallur ..	(a) 2,408	1,461	561	386	..	..	1,244	65.3
	T. Chokkappa Mudaliyar's estate ..	..	1,719	8	1,641	517	..	..	..
Trichinopoly ..	Marungāpuri ..	(a) 4,136	3,366	734	36	36	..	..	..
Madura ..	Pālaiyampatti ..	(b) 19,460	7,828	649	10,983	299	..	10,684	54.9
	Sivagangā ..	..	20	..	..	..	..	..	..
	Idaiyakōttai ..	(a) 4,558	4,347	211	..	..	..	..	..
Tinnevelly ..	Sivagiri ..	(a) 73,411	68,136	1,271	4,004	289	3	3,712	5.0
	Ūttumalai ..	..	51,772	46,037	74,853	6,746	7,844	60,263	34.9
Coimbatore ..	Sivasamudram ..	(a) 14,767	7,593	364	6,810	839	..	6,471	43.8
Salem ..	Ankūsgiri (or Berikai) ..	(a) 3,242	2,659	15	568	112	..	456	14.0
	Komāramangalam ..	(a) 17,967	5,267	3,114	9,696	4,380	..	5,216	29.0
Malabar ..	Kavalappara ..	(a) 19,693	8,877	1,128	9,688	2,858	..	6,830	34.6
	Punnathūr Kōvilagam ..	(a) 44,481	18,067	..	26,414	2,798	..	23,616	53.0
Total ..		16,41,225	5,19,717	1,58,716	9,62,792	42,687	9,499	9,10,606	55.4

(a) The variations between these figures and those entered in column 6 of statement No. III (Appendices D₁ and D₂—Arrears and Current) for fasli 1313 are due to subsequent revision of figures.
(b) These figures exclude grain dues in respect of which information has been called for.

APPENDIX D₂.

No. III.—Statement showing the “current” demand, collection and balance of the estates under management for fasli 1314 (1904–1905).

Districts.	Estates.	Demand.	Collection.	Amount written off.	Balance at the end of the fasli.	Subsequent collections and remissions.	Amount since recommended to be written off.	Net recoverable balance on the date of the Collector's report.	Percentage of column 9 to column 3.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
		RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	
Ganjām ..	Parlakimedi (ex-zamin-dar's estate) ..	60,023	60,000	..	23	..	..	23	0.03
	Bodogodo ..	60,438	59,165	..	1,273	229	..	1,044	1.7
	Sérugadā ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
	Nandigām ..	43,944	42,195	..	1,749	332	..	1,417	3.2
	Jaradā ..	38,700	26,947	..	11,753	..	..	11,753	30.3
Vizagapatam ..	Chipurupalle ..	7,525	7,525	..	..	..	..	..	..
	Sālārū ..	1,05,698	97,711	..	7,987	656	37	7,294	6.9
	Belgām ..	10,533	10,309	..	224	35	..	189	1.7
	Pārvatipuram ..	16,621	15,733	..	888	..	..	888	5.3
Gōdāvari ..	Pithāpuram ..	8,56,305	8,06,980	12,069	35,259	8,247	..	27,012	3.1
	Kondamōdalu ..	6,370	4,976	..	1,394	50	..	1,344	21.0
Kistnā ..	Telaprolē ..	1,21,397	1,21,308	..	91	..	91	..	..
Nellore ..	Chundi ..	29,662	22,808	..	6,854	2,285	..	4,569	15.4
Bellary ..	V. U. Ayyanna's estate ..	906	790	..	116	4	..	112	12.3
North Arcot ..	Tumbā ..	5,356	5,269	..	87	58	..	29	0.5
	Kālahasti ..	(a) 2,50,530	1,38,535	..	1,36,995	18,917	..	1,18,078	47.1
	Kārvētnagar ..	(a) 3,86,053	2,03,105	..	1,82,948	13,292	..	1,69,656	43.9
	Ārni ..	1,48,234	1,03,694	464	44,076	31,123	..	12,953	8.7
Tanjore ..	Karuvālakkarai ..	3,750	3,601	..	149	72	..	77	2.0
	Marudāndanallur ..	10,738	9,249	..	1,489	729	..	760	7.0
	T. Chokkappa Mudaliyar's estate ..	7,169	6,394	..	775	107	..	668	9.3
Trichinopoly ..	Marungāpuri ..	80,844	62,739	57	18,048	4,465	..	13,583	16.8
Madura ..	Pālaiyampatti ..	47,514	38,412	..	9,102	2,563	..	6,539	13.7
	Sivagangā ..	54,826	54,453	..	173	173	..	..	..
	Idaiyakōttai ..	24,307	19,554	..	4,953	4,563	..	390	1.5
Tinnevelly ..	Sivagiri ..	1,27,367	71,289	..	56,078	42,355	..	13,723	10.7
	Ūttumalai ..	(a) 93,540	22,529	..	71,011	22,570	..	48,441	51.4
Coimbatore ..	Sivasamudram ..	24,688	20,016	..	4,672	1,056	..	3,616	14.6
Salem ..	Ankūsgiri (or Berikai) ..	38,272	35,415	34	2,823	1,462	..	1,361	3.5
	Komāramangalam ..	65,813	59,552	..	6,261	889	..	5,372	8.1
Malabar ..	Kavalappara ..	55,378	42,567	..	12,811	6,132	..	6,679	12.0
	Punnathūr Kōvilagam ..	30,216	19,145	..	11,071	..	..	11,071	36.6
Total ..		28,13,020	21,69,263	12,624	6,31,133	1,62,664	128	4,68,341	16.6

(a) The variations between these figures and those entered in column 3 of statement No. II-B are due to the exclusion from this statement of grain dues in respect of which information has been called for.

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No. IV.—Financial statement of receipts and charges of the

Districts.	Estates.	Amount to the credit of the estate at the beginning of fasli 1314.				Total cash receipts.	Total of columns 4 and 7.	Total charges.
		Government securities and Rangoon Municipal debentures.	Cash.	Value of grain.	Total.			
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.
Ganjām ..	Parlakimedi ..	18,98,200	54,298	..	19,52,498	1,32,493	1,86,791	1,49,781
	Parlakimedi (ex-zamin-dar's estate).	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
	Bodogodo ..	1,46,800	(b) 5,644	(b) 24	1,51,468	1,06,975	1,12,619	83,866
	Sérugadā ..	30,800	(b) 2,612	445	33,857	6,272	8,884	4,764
	Nandigām ..	6,100	2,228	..	8,328	55,121	57,349	49,424
Vizagapatam ..	Jarada ..	..	7,645	19,200	26,845	67,775	75,420	39,812
	Chipurupalle ..	2,500	181	..	2,681	7,624	7,805	7,534
	Sālārū ..	77,200	(a) 16,214	..	93,414	2,36,273	2,52,487	2,50,269
	Belgām ..	..	1,859	..	1,859	20,193	22,052	19,092
	Parvatipuram ..	..	5,942	..	5,942	17,037	22,979	22,335
Gōdāvari ..	Pithāpuram ..	17,96,400	(b) 1,03,033	..	18,99,433	15,94,490	16,97,523	15,09,979
	Kondamodalu ..	..	(b) 11,084	(b) 770	11,854	8,881	19,965	14,541
Kistna ..	Telaprole ..	8,20,400	84,801	..	9,05,201	1,64,857	2,49,658	2,47,019
Nellore ..	Chundi ..	..	..	..	..	27,748	27,748	21,018
Bellary ..	V. U. Ayyanna's estate.	17,500	438	..	17,938	3,598	4,038	3,519
North Arcot ..	Tumba ..	..	1,286	..	1,286	5,601	6,887	6,011
	Kālabasti ..	..	2,74,069	60,331	3,24,400	2,34,188	5,08,257	3,74,669
	Kārvētnagar ..	..	(b) 2,41,380	1,752	2,43,132	3,80,255	6,21,635	4,76,899
	Arni ..	1,99,900	16,807	..	2,16,707	2,80,006	2,96,813	2,64,510
Tanjore ..	Karuvallakkarai ..	11,800	1,271	230	13,301	4,460	5,731	4,102
	Marudandanallur ..	9,000	1,602	1,709	12,311	12,145	13,747	12,308
	T. Chokkappa Mudaliyar's Estate.	..	3,562	..	3,562	9,480	13,042	8,821
Trichinopoly.	Marungāpuri ..	1,25,500	23,803	..	1,49,303	1,21,164	1,44,967	1,15,413
Madura ..	Pālaiyāmpatti ..	..	4,863	20,941	25,804	67,297	72,160	61,058
	Sivaganga ..	15,700	16,666	(b) 1,157	33,523	57,901	74,567	47,035
	Idaiyākōttai ..	..	9,114	..	9,114	26,413	35,527	30,665
Tinnevely ..	Sivagiri ..	3,93,800	(b) 19,793	35,164	4,48,757	2,45,484	2,65,277	2,38,884
	Uttamalai ..	8,900	22,326	22,908	54,134	1,25,869	1,48,195	1,37,652
Coimbatore.	Sivasamudram ..	13,000	(a) 5,783	1,686	21,469	54,766	61,549	55,406
	Ankusa-giri (or Berikai).	13,600	8,562	..	22,162	42,207	50,769	36,030
	Komāramangalam ..	62,500	531	..	63,031	86,031	86,562	77,973
Malabar ..	Kavalappara ..	94,900	(a) 15,409	3,722	1,14,031	58,394	73,803	68,543
	Punnathūr Kovilagam.	700	1,738	705	3,143	47,700	49,438	39,107
	Total ..	57,44,200	9,65,544	1,60,744	68,70,488	43,08,698	52,74,242	44,75,839

(a) The variations between these figures and those entered in column 11 of the statement for fasli 1313 are due to the rounding of fractions of a rupee.
 (b) In these cases, the variations are due to subsequent revision of figures.

DIX E.

estates under management for fasli 1314 (1904-1905).

Government securities and Rangoon Municipal Debentures.	Balance to the credit of the estate at the close of fasli 1314.			Increase or decrease as compared with the opening balance.	Percentage of establishment charges and Government commission to normal receipts.	Estates.
	Cash.	Value of grain.	Total.			
10	11	12	13	14	15	16
RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.		
19,80,200	37,010	..	20,17,210	+ 64,712	5-0	Parlakimedi. (ex-zamin-dar's estate).
1,26,800	28,753	..	1,55,553	+ 4,085	12-8	Bodogodo.
30,800	4,120	445	35,365	+ 1,508	(c) ..	Sérugadā.
..	7,925	..	7,925	+ 403	11-4	Nandigām.
..	35,608	3,970	39,578	+ 12,733	7-4	Jarada.
3,000	271	..	3,271	+ 590	9-7	Chipurupalle.
..	2,218	..	2,218	+ 91,196	10-9	Sālārū.
8,300	2,969	..	11,269	+ 9,401	7-8	Belgām.
2,000	644	..	2,644	+ 3,298	9-7	Parvatipuram.
12,32,100	1,87,544	..	14,19,644	+ 4,79,789	11-6	Pithāpuram.
7,900	5,424	570	13,894	+ 2,040	16-9	Kondamodalu.
9,23,600	2,639	..	9,26,239	+ 21,038	13-8	Telaprole.
..	6,730	..	6,730	+ 6,730	12-9	Chundi.
15,500	617	..	16,017	+ 1,921	22-3	V. U. Ayyanna's estate.
700	876	..	1,576	+ 299	19-1	Tumba.
..	1,33,588	12,191	1,45,779	+ 1,78,621	32-1	Kālabasti.
..	1,44,736	1,164	1,45,900	+ 97,232	21-6	Kārvētnagar.
60,600	32,303	..	92,903	+ 1,23,804	20-7	Arni.
12,100	1,629	169	13,898	+ 597	18-5	Karuvallakkarai.
10,700	1,439	566	12,705	+ 394	17-9	Marudandanallur.
..	4,421	..	4,421	+ 859	16-5	T. Chokkappa Mudaliyar's estate.
86,700	29,554	..	1,16,254	+ 33,049	16-5	Marungāpuri.
..	11,102	3,957	15,059	+ 10,715	15-8	Pālaiyāmpatti.
43,000	27,532	117	70,649	+ 37,126	6-7	Sivaganga.
12,000	4,862	..	16,862	+ 7,748	16-8	Idaiyākōttai.
4,26,500	28,393	9,765	4,64,658	+ 15,901	13-2	Sivagiri.
45,600	10,543	11,001	67,144	+ 13,010	16-0	Uttamalai.
24,900	6,143	616	31,659	+ 10,190	22-0	Sivasamudram.
12,600	14,739	..	27,339	+ 5,177	16-0	Ankusa-giri (or Berikai).
55,800	8,589	73	64,462	+ 1,431	13-0	Komāramangalam.
94,900	5,260	3,160	1,03,320	+ 10,711	16-8	Kavalappara.
2,000	10,331	753	13,084	+ 9,941	17-1	Punnathūr Kovilagam.
52,18,300	7,98,403	48,517	60,65,250	+ 8,05,238	15-4	Total.

(c) This column is left blank as the estate was handed over on the 29th August 1904.

APPENDIX G.

ENCLOSURE B to Statement No. IV showing the expenditure incurred on maramat works in the estates under management in fasli 1314 (1904-1905).

Districts.	Estates.	Irrigation works.		Buildings.		Com- muni- cations and other works.	Estab- lish- ments.	Total expend- iture.	Allotment in the budget in- cluding subsequent modifi- cations.	Percent- age of expendi- ture to allot- ment.
		New works.	Repairs.	New works.	Repairs.					
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11
Ganjām ..	Parlakimedi ..	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	..
	Parlakimedi (ex- zamindar's estate) ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
	Bodogodo ..	386	3,339	1,353	865	138	844	6,925	12,111	57.1
	Sérugadā ..	..	..	..	617	..	84	1,921	3,784	50.7
	Nandigām ..	..	1,220	..	605	..	194	1,376	1,521	90.4
Vizaga- patam ..	Jarada ..	..	577	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
	Chipurupalle ..	..	50	..	400	..	..	450	..	100
	Sālūru ..	..	7,996	..	874	..	383	9,263	9,753	94.9
	Belgām ..	..	1,428	..	192	..	40	1,660	1,706	97.3
Gōdāvari ..	Parvatipuram ..	..	2,332	..	532	..	63	2,927	2,968	98.6
	Pithāpuram ..	..	1,45,694	..	41,890	5,841	21,272	2,14,697	2,20,694	97.2
Kistna ..	Kondamodalu ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Nellore ..	Telaprole ..	1,087	8,957	15,305	16,496	5,467	1,809	48,921	49,279	99.2
Bellary ..	Chundi ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
North Arcot ..	V. U. Ayyanna's estate ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
	Tumba ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
	Kālahasti ..	..	60,067	..	4,076	..	4,942	69,085	74,174	93.1
	Kārvētnagar ..	..	55,292	..	736	..	7,656	63,684	73,700	86.4
Tanjore ..	Ārni ..	..	84,000	..	23,171	533	15,269	1,22,973	1,23,086	99.9
	Karuvalakkurai ..	..	3	..	..	20	..	23	97	23.7
	Marudāndanallur ..	..	..	..	15	50	..	65	85	76.4
	T. Chokkappa Mu- daliyar's estate ..	..	104	..	180	..	..	284	286	99.3
Trichino- poly ..	Marungāpuri ..	..	24,666	10,833	3,328	6,888	6,807	52,522	86,359	60.8
Madura ..	Pālaiyampatti ..	..	6,584	..	160	..	328	7,072	8,961	78.9
	Sivaganga ..	..	..	..	403	..	..	403	417	96.6
	Idaiyakottai ..	..	..	140	..	295	..	435	461	94.3
Tinnevely ..	Sivagiri ..	..	28,960	..	10,072	3,109	3,055	45,196	58,555	77.1
	Ūttumalai ..	..	11,053	..	1,609	404	1,007	14,073	15,356	91.6
Coimbatore ..	Sivasamudram ..	..	11,875	..	779	98	..	12,752	15,964	79.8
Salem ..	Ankusagiri (or Berikai) ..	..	2,786	..	398	593	..	3,777	11,011	34.3
	Komāramangalam ..	..	331	..	402	311	..	1,044	1,251	83.4
Malabar ..	Kavalappara ..	..	..	3,550	2,923	..	..	6,473	10,051	64.4
	Punnathūr Kovi- logam ..	..	..	727	1,904	293	..	2,924	4,876	59.9
Total ..		1,473	4,57,314	31,908	1,12,627	24,040	63,563	5,90,925	7,86,956	87.7

APPENDIX H.

No. V-A.—Statement showing the debts, other than arrears of rent covered by bonds, due to the estates under management for fasli 1314 (1904-1905).

Districts.	Estates.	Debts as per last year's account.	Loans newly granted.	Debts newly brought to account during the year.	Interest accrued during the year.	Total.	Debts collected.	Debts written off.	Total.	Remainder at the end of the fasli.
		3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11
Ganjām ..	Parlakimedi ..	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.
	Parlakimedi (ex-zamin- dar's estate) ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
	Bodogodo ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
	Sérugadā ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
	Nandigām ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Vizagapa- tam ..	Jarada ..	(b) 691	..	..	20	711	35	..	35	..
	Chipurupalle ..	..	5,155	..	..	5,155	..	..	..	5,155
	Sālūru ..	(b) 8,500	533	..	313	9,346	1,353	..	1,353	7,991
	Belgām ..	(b) 24,646	..	..	553	25,499	8,962	1,985	10,947	14,552
Gōdāvari ..	Parvatipuram ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
	Pithāpuram ..	..	73,121	6,80,000	1,098	19,948	7,74,067	52,058	880	62,938
Kistna ..	Kondamodalu ..	(a) 2,423	631	..	..	3,054	921	2,132	3,053	1
Nellore ..	Telaprole ..	..	17,851	..	..	1,023	18,874	1,820	590	16,455
Bellary ..	Chundi ..	..	..	3,016	350	3,366	..	..	..	3,366
North Arcot ..	V. U. Ayyanna's estate ..	(b) 1,144	..	..	..	1,144	41	..	41	1,103
	Tumba ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
	Kālahasti ..	(a) 15,345	820	..	..	16,665	710	..	710	15,955
	Kārvētnagar ..	..	10,284	..	7,300	17,584	5,605	1,603	7,208	10,376
Tanjore ..	Ārni ..	..	3,435	..	459	3,894	316	..	316	3,578
	Karuvalakkurai ..	..	..	1,802	79	1,881	..	..	..	1,881
	Marudāndanallur ..	(b) 2,220	..	68	..	2,288	68	..	68	2,220
	T. Chokkappa Mudaliyar's estate ..	(b) 2,147	..	..	..	2,147	52	..	52	2,095
Trichinopoly ..	Marungāpuri ..	..	9,369	2,500	..	757	12,626	3,126	..	3,126
Madura ..	Pālaiyampatti ..	(b) 16,948	..	86	818	16,852	920	9	929	15,923
	Sivaganga ..	..	655	..	464	1,020	421	..	421	599
	Idaiyakottai ..	..	3,698	..	56	3,654	1,854	..	1,854	1,800
Tinnevely ..	Sivagiri ..	..	20,250	..	1,176	1,013	22,439	8,299	..	8,299
	Ūttumalai ..	(b) 2,164	..	..	157	2,321	..	1,056	1,056	1,265
Coimbatore ..	Sivasamudram ..	(b) 9,881	..	..	526	10,407	900	520	1,420	8,987
Salem ..	Ankusagiri (or Berikai) ..	(b) 92	..	7	..	99	35	..	35	64
	Komāramangalam ..	(b) 1,80,424	..	16,134	8,859	2,05,417	9,691	305	9,996	1,95,421
Malabar ..	Kavalappara ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
	Punnathūr Kovilagam ..	18,362	..	28	9	18,899	228	..	228	18,671
Total ..		4,35,743	8,84,494	31,235	35,450	11,86,942	1,00,166	9,816	1,09,982	10,76,960

The variations between the figures entered in column 3 of this statement and those entered in column 11 of the statement for fasli 1313 are due in the case of (a) to the rounding of fractions of a rupee and in the case of (b) to the adoption in this statement of revised figures as since ascertained.

APPENDIX I.

No. V-B.—Statement showing the debts due by the estates under management for fasli 1314 (1904-1905).

Districts.	Estates.	Debts as per last year's accounts.	Debts contracted.	Debts newly brought to account during the year.	Interest accrued during the year.	Total.	Debts paid off.	Debts struck off.	Total.	Remainder due by the estate at the end of the fasli.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11
		RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.
Ganjām ..	Parlakimedi Parlakimedi (ex-zamin- dar's estate). Boogodo .. Séruganā .. Nandigām .. Jarada ..	 18,180 (a) 58,383	.. .. .. .. .. .. ..	.. .. .. .. 217	 956 2,518	 19,353 80,901	 9,253 18,428	.. .. .. .. .. ..	.. .. .. .. 9,253 19,428	 10,100 41,475
Visagapatam.	Chipurupalle Sālārā .. Belgām .. Pārvatipuram ..	.. 1,35,250 .. 18,743	.. 35,000 .. ..	.. .. .. ..	.. 8,100 .. 686	.. 1,78,356 .. 19,429	.. 1,43,125 .. 3,810	.. .. .. ..	.. 1,43,125 .. 3,810	.. 35,225 .. 15,619
Godāvari ..	Pithāpuram Kondamodalu ..	.. ..	.. ..	.. 1,860	.. ..	.. 1,860	.. 1,860	.. ..	.. 1,860	.. ..
Kistna ..	Talaprole ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Nellore ..	Chundi ..	..	..	1,17,209	31,868	1,49,077	7,387	53,075	60,462	88,615
Bellary ..	V. U. Ayyanna's estate ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
North Arcot.	Tumba .. Kālahasti .. Kārvētnagar .. Ārni ..	.. (a) 41,92,856 65,43,369 12,830	 500 ..	.. 20,180 3,31,800 450	.. 1,75,683 2,35,627 ..	.. 43,88,719 71,11,396 13,280	.. 10,389 46,221 450	.. .. .. ..	.. 10,389 45,221 450	.. 43,78,330 70,66,175 12,830
Tanjore ..	Karuvallakkarai .. Marudāndanallur .. T. Chokkappa Mudaliyar's estate.	 7,204	.. 2,500 ..	.. 4,110 ..	.. 875 ..	.. 14,689 ..	.. 540 ..	.. .. ..	.. 540 ..	.. 14,149 ..
Trichinopoly.	Marungāpuri ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Madura ..	Pālaiyampatti Sivaganga .. Idaiyakōrtai ..	.. 93,450 ..	.. .. ..	.. .. ..	.. 7,204 ..	.. 1,00,654 ..	.. 10,031 ..	.. .. ..	.. 10,031 ..	.. 90,623 ..
Tinnevely ..	Sivagiri Uttumalai ..	.. (a) 3,50,480	.. ..	.. ..	.. 18,680	.. 3,69,160	.. 783	.. ..	.. 783	.. 3,68,377
Coimbatore	Sivasamudram ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Salem ..	Ankusaigiri (or Perikai) .. Kōmāramangalam ..	.. 2	.. ..	.. 334	.. ..	.. 336	.. ..	.. ..	.. ..	.. 336
Malabar ..	Kavalappara Punnathūr Kovilagam ..	.. 29,050	.. ..	.. ..	.. 500	.. 29,550	.. 950	.. ..	.. 950	.. 28,600
	Total ..	1,14,59,797	38,000	4,76,260	4,82,697	1,24,56,754	2,53,225	53,075	3,06,300	1,11,50,454

(a) The variations between these figures and those entered in column 11 of the statement for fasli 1313 are due to the adoption in this statement of revised figures as subsequently ascertained.

APPENDIX J.

No. VI.—Statement showing the demand, collection and balance, as also the financial condition of the Religious and Charitable Institutions under management for fasli 1314 (1904-1905).

Districts.	Estates.	Endowments.	Demand.				Amount remitted or collected.				Balance.		Financial condition.				
			Arrears.	Current.		Total.	Arrears.	Current.		Total.	Arrears.	Current.	Total.	Receipts.	Charges.	Balance.	
				Rs.	P.			Rs.	P.								Rs.	P.	Rs.	P.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18
Ganjam ..	Bodogodo ..	Four religious institutions.	Rs. 16	3,038	3,054	16	3,023	3,039	..	15	..	0-5	(e) 1,762	4,762	6,524	4,770	Rs. 1,754
	Sgrugad ..	Two religious institutions.	(a) ..	..	..	..	2,888	3,708	56	..	..	..	1,800	2	1,802	30	1,772
	Jāredā ..	Devasānam ..	886	2,903	3,789	820	2,888	3,708	..	16	..	2-1	..	8,921	8,921	4,291	8,921
	Kālahastī ..	Two religious institutions.	1,292	815	2,017	231	623	994	921	192	1,113	65-2	4,374	3,221	7,595	7,595	800
	Arcoṭ ..	Karvetnagar ..	(c) ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	3,239	36,170	39,409	36,339	2,470
Tanjore ..	T. Chokkappa ..	Eight religious institutions.	..	403	403	..	403	403	..	..	..	..	2,016	442	2,458	1,884	574
	Mudaliyar's estate.	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Trichinopoly ..	Marungapuri. {	Devasānam ..	1,601	14,482	16,083	1,601	10,632	12,233	..	3,850	3,569	23-9	(d) 1,928	16,043	17,969	15,811	2,353
	.. {	Uruti ..	140	932	1,072	140	920	1,060	..	32	..	..	(e) 1,700	1,806	1,826	1,497	329
Madura ..	Sivaganga ..	Devasānam ..	80,231	1,20,075	2,00,306	47,880	88,180	1,34,039	23,581	33,895	66,276	33-0	(f) 13,467	2,00,711	2,14,178	1,90,818	14,28,850
	Idaiyakkottai ..	Devasānam and Chattram.	126	35,184	48,569	12,278	25,968	37,737	3,777	7,616	10,932	22-4	(g) 21,814	68,711	86,528	74,890	11,663
Tinnevely ..	Sivagiri ..	Devasānam and Chattram.	3,292	9,159	12,451	3,292	9,169	12,451	..	119	141	18-4	(h) 457	325	782	281	511
	..	Devasānam ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	(i) 1,787	22,645	24,432	19,747	4,685
	Uttamalai ..	Devasānam ..	20,437	15,360	35,797	2,654	1,471	4,395	17,783	13,689	31,472	87-9	(j) 5,474	5,959	11,433	10,657	776
	Kavalappara ..	Trikkangode Devasānam ..	610	2,513	3,123	381	2,618	2,509	229	295	524	18-7	(k) 788	3,763	4,041	3,442	599
	Sivasamudram ..	Devasānam and Chattram.	(d) 5,794	11,162	16,956	4,222	6,138	10,360	1,572	5,024	6,596	38-9	..	69,364	69,264	6,513	62,761
Coimbatore ..	..	Total ..	(r) 1,39,840	2,14,686	3,44,526	73,589	1,49,885	2,23,474	56,251	64,801	1,21,052	35-1	64,844	4,32,328	4,97,172	3,77,935	1,19,237

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GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.

REVENUE DEPARTMENT.

READ—the following paper :—

Proceedings of the Court of Wards, No. 6, Press, dated 30th January 1906.

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The Hon'ble Mr. C. J. WEIR, I.C.S.

The Hon'ble Mr. A. E. CASTLESTUART STUART, I.C.S.

The Court resolves to submit to Government its report on the administration of the estates under its management during fasli 1314 ending 30th June 1905.

(True Extract.)

A. R. LOFTUS-TOTTENHAM,
Acting Secretary.

To the Secretary to Government, Revenue Department,
with copy of the report, a file of the Collectors' reports and a map.
„ all Collectors and Regulation Collectors in charge of Wards' estates, with
copies of the report and a map (Divisional-officers and Managers).
„ the Accountant-General, with copies of the report and a map.
„ O. Morrison, Esq., with copies of the report and a map.
„ Collectors of other districts, with copies of the report and a map.
„ the Director of Public Instruction, with two copies of the report and a map.

Order—No. 234, Revenue, dated 14th March 1906.

Miscellaneous.

The report of the Court of Wards on the administration of the estates under its management during 1904–1905 is generally satisfactory and will be recorded with the following remarks.

2. *Estates under wardship.*—The number of estates under wardship at the beginning of the year was 31, of which Sérugadá was handed over to the proprietor in August 1904 when he attained majority. The zamindari estates of Parlákinedi and Chundi were taken under management during the year.

3. *Condition of estate handed over.*—The Sérugadá estate which was handed over to the proprietor was under the Court's management for over seven years and the results thereof summarised in paragraph 2 of the report show that the estate has been handed over in a prosperous condition with a surplus balance of Rs. 36,586. The demand of the estate increased by more than 40 per cent., mainly owing to the improvement of irrigation works.

4. *Season and cultivation.*—The season was on the whole unfavourable for agricultural operations and in consequence only 66 per cent. of the holdings were brought under cultivation against 76·8 in the previous year. It is observed that advances were granted to the ryots only in three estates. In V. U. Ayyanna's estate cultivation was retarded owing to the difficulty experienced by the ryots in obtaining loans for cultivation expenses and the Court has rightly invited the Collector's attention to the expediency of granting advances from the funds of the estate.

5. *Demand and collection.*—The arrear demand at the beginning of the year amounted to Rs. 16.41 lakhs, of which Rs. 5.20 lakhs were collected and Rs. 1.58 written off within the year. The balance at the close of the year was Rs. 9.63 lakhs, of which more than 6.32 lakhs or nearly 65 per cent. appertained to the Kálahasti and Karvetnagar estates which were taken under management owing to the financial embarrassment of the proprietors. Since the close of the fasli these two estates have, owing to the death of the proprietors on whose behalf they were taken under management, been handed over to the respective claimants. The current demand of all the estates amounted to Rs. 28.13 lakhs, of which Rs. 21.69 were collected and Rs. 1.13 lakh remitted, leaving at the close of the year Rs. 6.31 lakhs or 22 per cent. of the total demand. But for the very unfavourable season in the Kálahasti and Karvetnagar estates where 3.20 lakhs of the demand could not be collected, the current balance would have been only Rs. 3.11 lakhs. The Court will doubtless consider whether improvement on the state of collections in the Uttumalai estate is not practicable.

6. *Receipts and charges.*—The total receipts of the year amounted to Rs. 43.08 lakhs and the total charge Rs. 32.21 lakhs, of which Rs. 2.57 lakhs represent the debts due by the estates which were paid off during the year. Excluding this amount the normal expenditure amounted to Rs. 29.64 lakhs, of which Rs. 6.90 lakhs or 23 per cent. represent the expenditure on Public Works against 12.5 per cent. in the previous year. There was also an improvement in the percentage of expenditure on maramat works to the allotment which, during the year under review, was 87.7 against 74 in 1903-1904.

7. *Improvement of estates.*—The Government note with pleasure the attention paid by the Court of Wards to the improvement of the estates under its management and hope that, with the aid of the new agricultural expert, Mr. Sampson, the investigation and development of the agricultural resources of the several estates will make rapid progress. The surplus balance to the credit of the several estates was large in Pithapuram, Telaprole, Sivagiri, Bodogodo and Kavalpara and during the year some progress was made towards spending the surplus in useful improvements to the estates. In paragraph 8 of the last year's review the Government observed that, after providing for the material improvement of the estates and tenantry, any surplus income should be devoted to the purchase of land or to loans on mortgages rather than to accumulation in the form of pecuniary investments. In pursuance of this policy it is observed that in Pithapuram and Bodogodo Rs. 6.80 lakhs and Rs. 35,000, respectively, were lent during the year on the mortgage of certain zamindari estates, and it is hoped that further progress will be made in this direction.

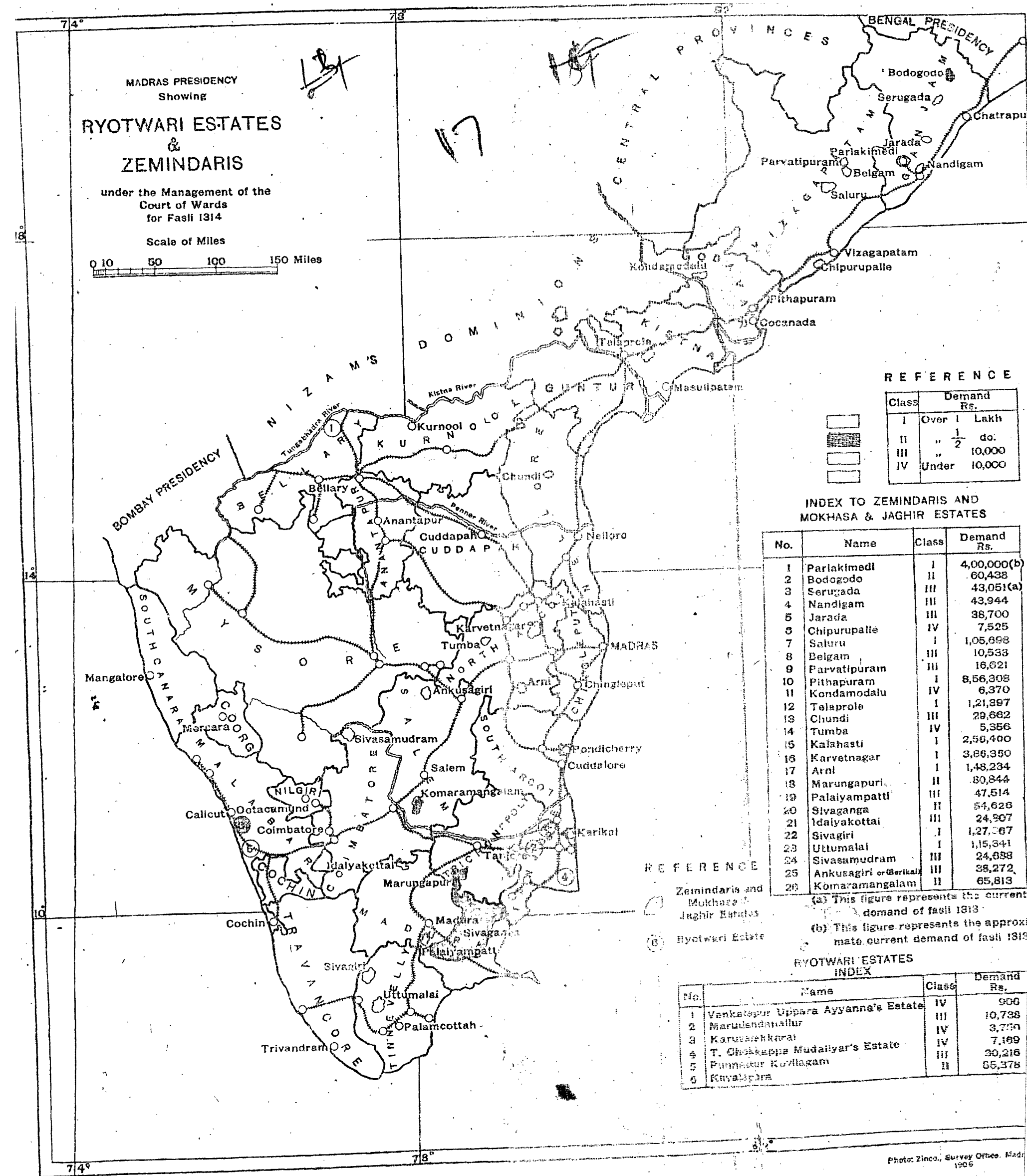
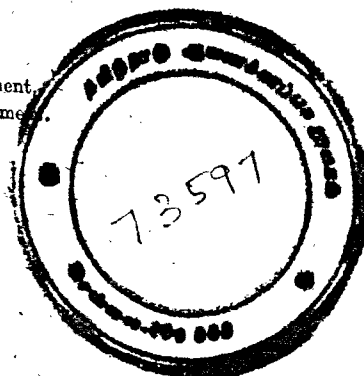
8. *Debts due by the estates.*—Omitting Kálahasti and Karvetnagar which have since been handed over to their proprietors the only estates which are heavily indebted are Uttumalai, Chundi and Palayampatti. The reduction of the rate of interest now payable on the debts of the last-mentioned estate is a matter requiring early attention if the estate is to be cleared of debt before the Court's control terminates. Schemes for the liquidation of the Uttumalai and Chundi estates are under consideration of the Court, and important enquiries having in view the improvement of the system of assessment in the Uttumalai estate are being carried out. The Government trust that these enquiries will be completed with as little delay as possible.

9. *Education of the wards.*—The educational progress of the wards during the year was satisfactory. In the case of seven of the estates the wards were undergoing instruction in revenue law and practical administration of their estates.

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