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OF

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THE PUDUKKOTTAI DARBAR.

To

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POLITICAL AGENT FOR PUDUKKOTTAI.

SIR,

We have the honor to forward herewith, for submission to Government, the Administration Report of the State for Fasli 1327 (1917—1918).

We have the honor to be,

Sir,

Your most obedient servants,

SIDNEY BURN,

for Darbar.

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INTRODUCTORY AND PERSONAL.

1. PUDUKKOTTAI is the third in importance of the five Native States that have direct political relations with the Government of Madras. It is bounded on the north by the Trichinopoly and Tanjore Districts, on the west by Trichinopoly, on the south by Ramnad and on the east by Tanjore.

The State comprises an area of 1,178 square miles. Its greatest length from east to west is 52 miles and its greatest breadth from north to south is 41 miles.

The population of the State according to the Census of 1911 was 4,11,886 consisting of 1,96,566 males and 2,15,320 females.

Of the entire population 3,82,044 were Hindus, 16,393 Christians, 13,445 Mohammedans and 4 Buddhists.

By occupations, the inhabitants were classified as follows:—

		Per cent.
1.	Exploitation of the surface of the earth	73·4
2.	Industry	7·3
3.	Transport	·5
4.	Trade	8·1
5.	Public Force	·3
6.	Public Administration	2·[illegible]
7.	Professions and liberal arts	1·9
8.	Persons living on their income	·2
9.	Domestic service	·4
10.	Insufficiently described occupations	5·7
11.	Unproductive	·2

The capital of the State is Pudukkottai a well laid out Municipal Town with a population of 26,850 containing several fine buildings.

2. HIS HIGHNESS SRI BRIHADAMBA DAS RAJA SIR MARTANDA BHAIRAVA TONDIMAN BAHADUR, G.C.I.E., Raja of Pudukkottai, third grandson of His Highness the late Raja Ramachandra Tondaiman Bahadur, by his eldest daughter, was born on November 26, 1875. His Highness succeeded to the *gadi* in 1886 and assumed direct charge of the administration in 1894. His Highness is entitled to a salute of 11 guns.

Throughout the fasli His Highness was staying in Australia with his consort and his son and was unable to visit the State owing to the difficulties and dangers involved in travel by sea. His Highness's son Martanda Sydney is two years old, having been born on July 22, 1916.

3. The Collector of Trichinopoly is ex-officio Political Agent for Pudukkottai. The administration of the State under His Highness the Raja is entrusted to a State Council consisting of the Superintendent, the Dewan and the Chief Judge. The various departments are constituted on the model of those in British India.

4. There was no change in the personnel of the State Council, Mr. Sidney Burn, I.C.S., being State Superintendent, M. R. Ry. Vijaya Raghunatha Durai Rajah Avergal, B.A., Dewan, and the Chief Judge, M. R. Ry. G. Ganapati Sastrial Avergal, B.A., B.L., ex-officio Councillor.

Statement No. I.

5. Mr. E. S. Lloyd, I.C.S., was Political Agent for the greater part of the fasli. Mr. John Gray, I.C.S., was in charge of the office from 18-8-1917 to 25-9-1917 and Mr. E. P. Walsh, I.C.S., from 8-6-1918 to the end of the fasli.

FINANCIAL REVIEW.

6. A statement showing in detail, the actuals of the receipts and disbursements of the fasli together with the revised estimate for the fasli and the actuals of two previous faslis, is given in the Appendix with a detailed memorandum explanatory of the important variations between them.

Statement No. II.

7. The assets and liabilities of the Darbar as they stood on the last day of the fasli are given below :—

ASSETS.			LIABILITIES.		
1. Cash balance in the State Treasuries ...	Rs.	1,96,474	1. Departmental and other Deposits ...	„	2,94,700
2. Surplus investments in Government securities ...	„	20,21,200			
3. Surplus investments in Bank of Madras as fixed deposits ...	„	9,25,000	2. Suspense ...	„	7,768
4. Balance in the current account with the Huzur Treasury, Trichinopoly ...	„	55,199	3. Remittances ...	„	11,359
5. Do. Bank of Madras, Madras ...	„	13,928	4. Endowment Fund ...	„	29,307
6. Do. London ...	„	1,671			
7. Loans and advances ...	„	82,072	Total ...	„	3,43,134
8. Stock suspense ...	„	24,644			
9. Remittances ...	„	1,16,047	Add closing balance ...	„	30,93,101
Total ...	„	34,36,235	Total ...	„	34,36,235

Thus the assets of the Darbar amounted to Rs. 34,36,235 and the liabilities to Rs. 3,43,134 leaving a net closing balance of Rs. 30,93,101.

8. The actuals under the major heads of revenue for Fasli 1327 are compared below with the budget estimate and the revised estimate of the fasli and with the actuals of the preceding three faslis.

RECEIPTS.

Principal Heads.	Budget Estimate for Fasli 1327.	Revised Estimate for Fasli 1327.	Actuals of Fasli 1327.	1326.	1325.	1324.
	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
Land revenue ...	10,30,000	10,18,950	10,35,199	10,52,101	10,30,761	10,20,907
Salt and Excise ...	2,93,750	2,92,720	2,98,100	2,93,458	2,75,135	2,43,272
Stamps ...	2,11,700	2,11,900	2,30,578	2,27,105	2,23,613	2,09,783
Assessed Taxes ...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Forest ...	67,150	73,960	79,630	81,773	73,461	76,037
Registration ...	33,300	32,000	32,022	33,017	34,069	34,992
Interest ...	1,33,980	1,40,513	1,40,671	79,852	93,944	84,074
Civil works ...	69,185	91,456	1,01,800	67,470	65,191	67,267
Other receipts ...	61,515	77,563	85,493	71,089	74,914	94,940
Total ...	19,00,580	19,39,062	20,03,493	19,05,865	18,71,088	18,31,272

The increases of revenue are contributed mainly by civil works and interest.

The actual receipts of the fasli were Rs. 1,02,913 more than the budget estimate and Rs. 64,431 more than the revised estimate. This increase of Rs. 64,431 is contributed by all the principal heads of revenue.

9. The subjoined statement compares the expenditure of the fasli with the budget and the revised estimate of the fasli and with the actuals of the three previous faslis.

EXPENDITURE.

Principal Heads.	Budget Estimate for Fasli 1327.	Revised Estimate for Fasli 1327.	Actuals of Fasli 1327.	1326.	1325.	1324.
	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
Assignments to Religious and Charitable Institutions.	1,69,215	1,66,906	1,47,144	1,46,136	1,39,715	1,43,852
Palace other items, compensation to the members of the late Western Palace Jaghire and allowance to the Rani of the State and Yuvaraja.	1,51,795	1,46,616	1,47,498	1,53,267	1,39,054	1,57,937
Land Revenue ...	1,20,630	1,32,935	1,31,576	1,35,296	1,39,064	1,35,778
Salt and Excise ...	35,895	33,734	32,569	31,188	34,820	33,992
Forest ...	34,515	34,631	31,301	33,263	32,973	30,319
Registration ...	22,965	22,818	22,258	22,037	21,739	22,245
General Administration ...	2,38,745	2,34,604	2,33,723	2,33,966	2,38,830	2,22,992
Law and Justice and Police ...	1,57,730	1,61,860	1,53,474	1,44,637	1,40,226	1,44,544
Education ...	1,05,475	1,10,031	1,07,881	1,00,927	92,542	85,821
Medical and Vaccine ...	72,175	71,664	58,921	56,261	39,900	55,109
Political ...	9,900	1,14,771	1,13,554	26,221	9,631	2,35,002
Superannuation ...	44,200	44,812	44,044	44,606	44,398	42,834
Stationery and Printing ...	24,910	23,160	12,598	23,026	28,768	26,455
Contributions to Municipality and Unions.	19,000	5,000	3,000	14,000	19,000	18,000
Irrigation ...	1,19,660	95,000	86,039	1,13,845	1,12,330	1,02,740
Civil works ...	4,05,985	3,80,459	3,17,606	3,34,508	5,44,000	5,16,008
Military and Band ...	34,895	32,505	31,114	30,206	32,767	32,425
Other expenditure ...	2,47,520	3,04,015	2,99,018	49,955	50,672	43,069
Total ...	20,15,170	21,15,521	19,73,318	16,93,345	18,60,429	20,49,122

The special contribution of one lakh made to the Madras Hospital Ship and the net loss of 2·43 lakhs in the conversion of 3½ % Government securities into the New Indian War Loan of 1929—47 are the special items in the fasli which mainly account for the increase. Eliminating these items this fasli's expenditure was Rs. 63,000 less than that of the previous fasli. The savings were mainly under "Stationery and Printing", "Contributions to Municipality and Unions", "Irrigation" and "Civil works".

The expenditure of the fasli fell short of the revised estimate by Rs. 1,42,203. This fall occurs under most of the principal heads and mainly under "Assignments to religious and charitable institutions" and "Civil works".

The reasons for the variations have been dealt with in detail in the Appendix.

BALANCES.

—	Budget Estimate for Fasli 1327.	Revised Estimate for Fasli 1327.	Actuals of Fasli 1327.	1326.	1325.	1324.
	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
Revenue ...	19,00,580	19,39,062	20,03,493	19,05,865	18,71,088	18,31,272
Expenditure ...	20,15,170	21,15,521	19,73,318	16,93,345	18,60,429	20,49,122
Surplus+or deficit—	—1,14,590	—1,76,459	+30,175	+2,12,520	+10,659	—2,17,850
Opening balance ...	29,29,371	30,62,926	30,62,926	28,50,406	28,39,747	30,57,597
Closing balance :—						
Investment ...	...	...	29,22,200	30,21,345	21,25,600	19,25,600
Cash assets net ...	...	...	1,70,901	41,581	7,24,806	9,14,147
Total ...	28,14,781	28,86,467	30,93,101	30,62,926	28,50,406	28,39,747

10. The opening balance of the fasli was Rs. 30,62,926, the closing balance Rs. 30,93,101 as compared with Rs. 28,86,467 anticipated in the revised estimate. Out of this balance, a sum of Rs. 19,94,300 is invested in the New Indian War Loan and Rs. 9,25,000 in fixed deposits with the Bank of Madras. A sum of Rs. 2,900 invested in the 3½ % Government securities represents a value of Rs. 2,030 only, at the rate of 70 % prescribed by the Government of Madras.

11. The total amount to the credit of individual religious and charitable institutions under the control of the State was Rs. 50,458 of which Rs. 29,307 is included in the State general treasury balance under "Deposits," and Rs. 21,151 is invested in the names of the institutions themselves in the Post Office Savings Bank and in the Co-operative Credit Societies in the State. Out of Rs. 29,307 included in the State balance, Rs. 24,000 stands invested in 3½ per cent Government paper. The Darbar are arranging for converting these into stock certificates in the names of the charitable institutions.

12. The Provident Fund system introduced in the last fasli has been working satisfactorily. The balance at the credit of the fund on the last day of the fasli was Rs. 38,395.

13. The surplus funds of the State were as usual invested from time to time in fixed deposits bearing interest, after carefully estimating the sum required for current expenditure.

14. In addition to the investment of Rs. 19,94,300 in the First Indian War Loan during the fasli under report, Rs. 5,00,000 have since been invested in August, 1918, in the Second Indian War Loan, partly from State balances and partly by overdrafts on the Bank of Madras against the fixed deposits which mature on later dates.

15. The audit of the expenditure of all departments in the State continues to be conducted in the Audit Branch of the Darbar office as well as by local test audit of the accounts maintained by the several subordinate officers.

LEGISLATION.

16. The Legislative Advisory Council consisting of the members of the State Council, the State Vakil, two members elected by the members of the Representative Assembly and two members nominated by His Highness met thrice during the fasli and three draft regulations were considered. The following regulations were passed during the fasli :—

Statement No. III.

(1) Regulation No. III of 1917 (The Hindu Transfers and Bequests Regulation).
(2) Regulation No. IV of 1917 (The Pudukkottai Motor Vehicles Regulation).
(3) Regulation No. V of 1917 (The Pudukkottai Game Preservation Regulation).
(4) Regulation No. 1 of 1918 (The Pudukkottai Prisons Regulation).
(5) Regulation No. II of 1918 (The Stamp Regulation Amending Regulation).
(6) Regulation No. III of 1918 (The Pudukkottai Limitation Amending Regulation).
(7) Regulation No. IV of 1918 (The Pudukkottai Chief Court and Second Appeals Amending Regulation).

A Proclamation to control Tanning and Tanning Materials was issued by His Highness.

Three years having elapsed since the Legislative Advisory Council was constituted the members were re-elected and re-nominated during the fasli.

ADMINISTRATIVE DEPARTMENTS.

DEVASTANAM AND CHARITY.

17. *General.*—In the year 1897 the lands and endowments attached to temples, chattrams and other charitable institutions were taken over by the State and money grants assigned in place thereof.

18. *Number and class of institutions.*—The following table shows the number and class of the several Religious and Charitable institutions.

Heads.	Temples.	Chattrams.	Water-sheds.	Rest houses.	Uranies	Schools.	Nandavanams.	Total.
Sirkar ...	846	15	23	...	39	...	5	928
Private ...	124	10	12	32	58	6	14	256

Of the 928 State institutions, only 108 were under the direct control and management of the State, the rest being State-aided institutions managed by private individuals.

19. *Financial.*—The expenditure of the fasli was Rs. 1,47,084 as against Rs. 1,46,136 in the previous fasli.

20. *General remarks.*—The department was under the control of the Dewan Peishkar. During the latter part of the fasli a Personal Assistant to the Dewan Peishkar was appointed and placed in immediate charge of the Devastanam work.

LAND REVENUE.

21. *Revenue divisions.*—For administrative purposes the State is divided into three Taluks, Alangudi, Tirumayyam and Kolattur, each containing four Revenue Inspector's firkas.

22. *Rainfall and crops.*—The fasli was remarkably favourable for wet cultivation in all parts of the State. The rainfall was timely, well distributed and in quantity considerably above the average. The total rainfall in the fasli was 38·57 inches as against 33·57 inches in the preceding fasli and an average of 34·02 inches for the past five faslis. Though in many parts the dry crops suffered at the beginning of the fasli from excess and at the end from deficiency of rain the season on the whole was extraordinarily good.

Statement No. IV.

23. *Price of food stuffs.*—Notwithstanding the favourable character of the season the prices of food-grains with the exception of ragi, showed a tendency to rise.

Statement No. V.

24. *Condition of cattle.*—Pasture and fodder were available everywhere, though the former w s insufficient in parts. The condition of cattle was on the whole good. For free grazing 2,35,713 acres of assessed wastes and unreserved poramboke were available for 5,48,747 head of cattle.

25. *Extent and tenure of lands.*—The following table shows the extent and tenure of the lands in the State :—

Items.	Extent in acres.
1. Occupied lands ryotwari	3,23,875
2. Lands held on Inam tenure—	
(a) Minor Inam	70,481
(b) Whole Inam	70,801
3. Assessed and unassessed lands occupied without patta	999
4. Assessed waste lands available for Darkhast	42,643
5. (a) Porambokes included in the surveyed limits of villages excluding those registered as Forest Poramboke.	1,93,070
(b) Forest Porambokes included in the surveyed limits of villages	18,861
6. Forest blocks not included in the surveyed limits of villages	33,561
Total ...	7,54,291

During the fasli 2,671 acres were added to the area under ryotwari tenure; but against this increase there was a set off of 602 acres which resulted in a net increase of 2,069 acres in the extent held under ryotwari holding. Of the 2,671 acres newly added, 1,455 acres were lands assigned under Darkhast rules, and 249 acres were assigned under special orders, the rest representing transfers from Inam to Ayan. The 602 acres deducted from ryotwari tenure comprised 50 acres relinquished as worthless and 552 acres transferred from Ayan to Inam and those acquired or bought in by the Sirkar.

26. *Current Demand.*—In the following table the demand for the fasli under report is compared with that of the preceding fasli for the various items :— Statement No. VI.

Items.	Fasli 1327. Rs.	Fasli 1326. Rs.
Assessment on Ayan lands	7,32,686	7,28,514
Quit-rent and cesses on Inam lands	1,30,187	1,30,038
Assessment on assessed lands occupied without patta ...	2,962	3,079
Charges for occupation of poramboke lands	11,111	9,009
Water charge	4,008	3,571
Tree revenue of all sorts	25,934	25,143
Kudiswamiyam sales	40,694	62,458
Sale of house sites in non-chetty villages	2,433	3,100
Miscellaneous items of revenue	6,959	7,250
Arrears recoverable in instalments	5,958	6,373
Miscellaneous items of revenue which do not pass through village accounts.	1,458	2,302
Total ...	9,64,390	9,80,837

The increase under "Assessment on Ayan lands" is explained in the preceding paragraph. The charges for occupation of poramboke lands have risen by Rs. 2,000. This slight enhancement of penalties has been found necessary in order to attract the attention of the ryots to the provisions of the encroachment Regulation which is still comparatively new. Care is however taken at the jamabandi to remit or reduce penalties freely, where their imposition has resulted in the removal of encroachments. The decrease under "Kudiswamiyam sales" is the natural outcome of the gradual diminution in the extent and value of the lands available for Darkhast.

27. *Collection.*—Of the total demand of Rs. 9,64,390, Rs. 9,55,517 was either collected in the fasli, or written off or adjusted from overpayments made in the previous fasli, the percentage of collection to the demand being 99·08 as against 98·95 per cent of the previous fasli.

28. *Arrears.*—The arrear demand for the fasli was Rs. 14,950 out of which Rs. 10,622 was either collected in the fasli or adjusted from the excess collections made in the previous fasli or written off leaving a balance of Rs. 4,328 which includes a sum of Rs. 3,840 the collection of which has been deferred pending Inam Survey and Settlement. Statements Nos. VII & VIII.

29. *Loans.*—During the fasli loans amounting to Rs. 1,525 were granted for agricultural purposes, Rs. 925 for sinking wells, Rs. 75 for purchasing ploughing cattle and Rs. 525 for reclamation of waste lands. The comparative smallness of the number of applications for Sirkar loans is attributed to the fact that ryots have been availing themselves of assistance from Co-operative Societies to the extent of Rs. 18,600.

30. *Land Revenue charges.*—The Land revenue charges amounted to Rs. 1,20,761 or 12·33 per cent of the actual collections.

31. *General remarks.*—Collection was better than in the previous fasli, the season having been much more favourable. As regards despatch of business promptitude was fairly maintained. Inclusive of the opening balance of 1,213 papers pending at the commencement of the fasli there were 10,199 papers for disposal of which 8,660 were disposed of leaving a balance of 1,539 papers at the end of the fasli. Of the balance, 1,135 were papers received during the fasli and only 404 papers related to previous faslis. Still further efforts are necessary to reduce this large balance of papers over one year old.

The Dewan Peishkar considers that some revision of the scales of pay in the Revenue department is necessary, owing to the increase in work and in the cost of living. It is probable also that the work could be more efficiently done by a smaller staff of better paid clerks. The Dewan Peishkar's proposals are awaited.

SURVEY AND SETTLEMENT.

32. *Progress.*—Inam Survey work was almost completed during the fasli. Field work was completed in all the nine remaining villages and fair accounts for eight villages were handed over to the Revenue department.

Field measurement books for eight of the nine remaining villages were revised and handed over to the Revenue department. The staff was also employed on certain miscellaneous items of work, such as the revision and reproduction of a few original maps of certain villages and the preparation of paimash sketches of a few villages.

Two Chetty nathams were settled during the fasli. Fair records for nine nathams were got ready. The receipts from Natham Settlement amounted to Rs. 71,867.

Field work was done in five Chinnaranmanai Inam villages and supplemental accounts for 16 villages were handed over to the Revenue department.

33. *Financial.*—The expenditure of the department amounted to Rs. 10,815.

34. *General remarks.*—The work of the several branches being almost completed a reduction in the staff was effected. The department was placed under the control of a full-time officer in order to finish off the remaining work as soon as possible.

SALT AND ABKARI.

SALT.

35. *General.*—Prior to 1887 the revenue from earth-salt was a monopoly of the State. The Government of Madras being desirous that the State should, in the interests of the Imperial Salt revenue, suppress the manufacture of earth-salt,

a convention was entered into by which it was arranged that the State should receive a compensation of Rs. 38,000 per annum to make up for the loss of Salt revenue and for the maintenance of a preventive force. Since then the salt required for consumption in the State is being imported from the British factories on the east coast.

36. *Price and consumption of salt.*—Sea-salt was selling at two rates, viz. at 14 to 11·32, and at 22·57 Madras seers per rupee. Salt which was obtained by the State contractor from the Kattumavadi factory at the concession rate of Rs. 2-14-0 per bag of two maunds offered by the Board of Revenue was sold in some of the markets at 22·57 Madras seers per rupee while the price of salt bought at auctions at the factories and brought in by traders was selling at 14 seers at the beginning of the fasli and rose in price gradually. These traders find a ready sale for their salt as the quantity of salt given to us by the Board is very much below the demand.

37. *Number and disposal of offences.*—Including the four cases against four persons pending at the commencement of the fasli, there were in all 12 cases against 12 persons for disposal. Of these, 11 cases against 11 persons were committed to the Magistrates for trial and all of them ended in conviction; and the remaining one case involving a single person was pending disposal at the close of the fasli.

38. *Financial.*—The contribution of Rs. 38,000 was received from Government during the fasli. The cost of maintaining the salt preventive staff was Rs. 9,502 as against Rs. 10,268 in the previous fasli.

ABKARI.

39. *Sources of revenue.*—The excise revenue was derived from (1) sale of country liquor to the lessees, (2) shop rents for country and foreign liquors, toddy and intoxicating drugs and (3) tree-tapping license fees.

40. *Country liquor.*—Arrack was manufactured in the State Distillery by the contractor and supplied at the rate of Re. 1-1-0 per gallon of 30° U. P. The quantity manufactured during the fasli was 9,375 gallons. Inclusive of the opening balance of 363½ gallons the total stock available for issue was 9,738½ gallons and the entire quantity was issued as against 11,133½ gallons in the previous fasli. The still-head duty was raised from Rs. 4-6-0 to Rs. 4-13-0 per gallon in the fasli.

41. *Toddy.*—The number of cocoanut trees licensed to be tapped was 16,210 as against 15,117 in the previous fasli. The palmyrah trees and date palms licensed to be tapped were 1,026 and seven respectively as against 945 and 106 respectively in the previous fasli.

42. *Number of shops.*—The following comparative statement gives the number of shops under the several heads:—

Heads.	Fasli 1327.	Fasli 1326.
Country liquor	66	69
Toddy	145	141
Foreign liquor other than beer ...	1	1
Beer	1	1
Opium and Ganja	1	1
Total ...	212	213

43. *Demand.*—The following is the comparative statement of the Abkari demand for the fasli under report and the preceding fasli:—

Heads.	Fasli 1327.	Fasli 1326.
Country liquor	89,684	95,888
Toddy	1,48,608	1,42,683
Foreign liquor and country beer ...	7,380	10,488
Intoxicating drugs	7,902	5,865
Miscellaneous	1,551	2,018
Total ...	2,55,125	2,56,942

The decrease under 'Country liquor' may be attributed to the increased excise duty on liquor and the consequent diminution in its consumption. But the fall under this item is more than counterbalanced by the increase in the toddy revenue which indicates that a predilection in favour of the cheaper and more wholesome drink has been forming among the labouring classes addicted to drink. It may here be mentioned that Rs. 12,128-8-0 under "Tree tapping license fees" which should have been included in the demand for the fasli under report had by a change in the system of collection, to be taken as a demand for the next fasli, as the due date has been fixed as 1st July in accordance with the British rules.

44. *Collection.*—Out of the total demand, Rs. 2,54,428-15-11 was collected during the fasli leaving a balance of Rs. 695-9-9 as detailed below:—

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Demand.	Collection.			Balance.	Advance collection.
	Collection.	Excess collection adjusted.	Total.		
RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.
2,55,125	2,53,935	494	2,54,429	696	6,165

45. *Number and disposal of offences.*—Including the two cases involving two persons pending at the commencement of the fasli the total number for disposal was 80 cases involving 87 persons. Of these, 71 cases involving 77 persons were disposed of by the department, eight cases involving nine persons were committed to the Magistrates and the remaining one case against a single person was pending at the close of the fasli. Of the eight cases committed to the Magistrates, six cases involving seven persons ended in conviction and two cases involving two persons ended in acquittal.

46. *Financial.*—The total receipts of the department aggregated to Rs. 2,60,100 as against Rs. 2,55,458 in the previous fasli. The expenditure of the fasli was Rs. 23,067 as against Rs. 20,920 in the previous fasli.

47. *General remarks.*—The work of the department continued to be satisfactory.

STAMPS.

48. *General.*—As usual the Stamp Department was under the charge of the Registrar of Assurances, the ex-officio Superintendent of Stamps.

49. *Manufacture.*—4,14,283 stamps of the aggregate value of Rs. 1,89,839 were manufactured during the fasli as against 4,36,972 stamps of the aggregate value of Rs. 4,10,871 in the previous fasli. Of the stamps manufactured during the fasli 2,67,838 stamps worth Rs. 1,18,886 were of the old design and 1,46,445 stamps worth Rs. 70,953 were of the new design. The issues to the Treasury were 4,06,376 stamps valued at Rs. 2,31,676.

50. *Financial.*—The total revenue realised from stamps was Rs. 2,30,578 as against Rs. 2,27,105 in the previous fasli, the increase being chiefly contributed by the sale of non-judicial stamps.

The total expenditure of the department fell from Rs. 8,359 in the previous fasli to Rs. 5,875 in the fasli under report, the decrease in expenditure being due to the non-purchase of blank paper and to the reduction in the establishment.

51. *Number and disposal of offences.*—There were 15 cases of offences punishable under the Stamp Regulation. Eight cases were compounded and prosecution was ordered in the other seven cases all of which ended in the conviction of the accused.

FORESTS AND PLANTATIONS.

52. *General.*—There are no forests which deserve to be so called. They are mostly scrub jungles with scattered tree growths here and there. Ten of the thicker jungles have been declared to be Reserved forests. Most of the rest are more or less scattered scrub jungles with no timber trees of value. But they yield considerable quantities of fuel, green leaves for manure and certain other minor produce such as acacia, avaram bark and nux-vomica. Besides the jungles there were 26 topes and plantations under the control of the department. The valuable stone quarries found in many parts of the State which are worked on a system of licenses are also under the management of this department.

53. *Executive staff.*—The executive staff consisted of a Forest officer, three Rangers, four Foresters—three permanent and one temporary—and a number of guards and watchers.

54. *Sources of revenue.*—Forest revenue is derived from annual leases which include leases of green manure from jungles, avaram bark, nux-vomica and red ochre, license fees which include fees from stone-masons and manufacturers of bricks and tiles, receipts from casuarina and cashew plantations and miscellaneous collections such as fees for grazing, seigniorage fees for collecting stone and laterite, and receipts from the sale of fuel.

55. *Current demand.*—The current demand for the fasli compared with that of the preceding fasli under the several items is given below :—

Items.	Fasli 1327.	Fasli 1326.
	RS.	RS.
Reserve forest ...	23,983	18,955
Plantations ...	18,288	22,416
Quarries ...	27,818	29,980
Miscellaneous ...	10,503	7,572
Total ...	80,592	78,923

The increase under item No. 1 is due to a general rise in the income under the several sub-heads. A larger quantity of jungle fuel was supplied to the Depot for sale which brought in Rs. 1,647 over the figure of the previous fasli; the

favourable agricultural season of the year created a larger demand for green leaves which gave an additional sum of Rs. 2,360 over that of the previous fasli; a larger number of grazing permits were issued which contributed Rs. 486 more; and there was an increase in the income under "Miscellaneous forest produce" as an outcome of the lease of the mambalakkonnai bark.

The fall under item 2 was brought about by the smaller supply of casuarina trees for sale, which accounts for Rs. 1,283, and also by the cessation of the supply of casuarina trees to the New Palace works for scaffolding, which is responsible for the drop of Rs. 3,052.

The decrease under item 3 was due to the grant of free licenses to stone-masons working in the New Palace works. The rise under item 4 is contributed by the increase in compounding fees and fines.

56. *Collection.*—Out of the total demand, Rs. 77,177 was collected during the fasli leaving a balance of Rs. 3,415 of which Rs. 3,263 falls under "Compounding fees".

57. *Old arrear compounding fees.*—There was a large balance of uncollected compounding fees, at the beginning of the fasli. Special steps have been adopted in bringing the defaulters to book, and prompt collections are being insisted on. The receipts under this head aggregated to Rs. 2,453.

58. *Forest operations.*—Only 93 acres of land were planted with casuarina as against 159 acres in the previous fasli. The number of seedlings planted was 89,488. About 5,000 palmyrah seeds were dibbled in the outskirts of the areas planted with casuarina. Advantage was not taken of the favourable character of the season in the matter of carrying on cultural operations on a larger scale. The progress in this branch of work was disappointing.

59. *Forest offences.*—Inclusive of the 34 cases involving 88 persons pending at the commencement of the fasli, there were in all 1,537 cases involving 4,354 persons as against 1,402 cases involving 3,873 persons in the previous fasli. Of these, 123 cases involving 401 persons were placed before the magistrates and 1,538 cases involving 3,805 persons were dealt with departmentally leaving 56 cases pending at the close of the fasli.

60. *Financial.*—The receipts of the fasli amounted to Rs. 79,630 as against Rs. 81,773 in the previous fasli; and the expenditure also fell from Rs. 33,263 to Rs. 31,301, the decrease being due to the drop in the cutting and carting charges.

61. *General remarks.*—The work of the department requires much improvement. During the latter part of the fasli a general redistribution of work was effected when the control of the department was transferred to the Salt and Abkari Superintendent.

REGISTRATION.

62. *Registry offices.*—The number of Registry offices remained the same as in the previous fasli, viz. 12, the jurisdiction of each Registry office extended over 66 square miles of cultivable area and a population of 34,323 as in the preceding fasli.

63. *Number and value of registrations.*—The number of documents registered fell from 15,627 in the previous fasli to 14,223 in the fasli under report, the percentage of decrease being 8 9. Of the total number registered during the fasli, 13,391 related to immovable property, 790 to movable property and 42 were wills. Though the total number of documents registered decreased by 1,404, the value of the documents registered exceeded the past fasli's aggregate by Rs. 31,852.

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64. *Time taken to register.*—The percentage of documents registered on the day of presentation was 99·94 as against 99·96 of the previous fasli.

65. *Financial.*—The receipts of the department fell from Rs. 33,017 in the previous fasli to Rs. 32,022 in the fasli under report. The total expenditure of the fasli amounted to Rs. 22,258 as against Rs. 22,037 in the previous fasli.

Statement No. XVI.

66. *Inspection.*—All the Sub-Registry offices in the State were inspected by the District Registrar, seven during the fasli, and five since the close of the fasli and the result is reported to have been on the whole satisfactory.

67. *General remarks.*—There was a general decrease in the number of documents registered, no Registry office proving an exception. This is due to the better agricultural prospects of the year, to the passing of Regulation No. II of 1917 declaring registration of Revenue and Courts sale certificates optional, and the growing deficiency of money for circulation. The work of the department continued to be satisfactory.

LAW AND JUSTICE.

68. The administration of Criminal and Civil justice is conducted and the various Courts are constituted on the same lines as in British India. The Chief Court exercises the powers of a High Court both in Criminal and Civil jurisdiction. In civil suits, a Second Appeal on points of law lies to a Special Court of two Judges, who sit periodically to advise His Highness the Raja. Subordinate to the Chief Court, there were 19 Magistrates' Courts exercising first, second and third class powers. For Civil justice, there were 12 Small Cause courts, the Chief Court Registrar and 11 Sub-Registrars exercising the powers of Judges of Small Causes.

The Chief Court consists of a Chief Judge and two Puisne Judges. There was no change in the personnel of the Judges during the fasli under report.

In accordance with the provisions of Regulation I of 1910, M. R. Ry. Rao Bahadur S. Ramaswami Iyengar Avl., B. A., B. L., Retired Sub-Judge and M. R. Ry. C. Madhavan Nair Avl., Bar-at-Law, were appointed Special Judges. The Second Appellate Court sat from 18th May to June 9, 1918, during the midsummer recess of the Chief Court.

CRIMINAL JUSTICE.

ORIGINAL JURISDICTION.

69. *Court of Sessions.*—Two cases involving two persons were pending at the commencement of the fasli and eight cases involving 11 persons were committed to the Sessions. Of these, nine cases concerning 12 persons were disposed of during the fasli leaving one case in arrears. Of the 12 persons accused in the nine cases disposed of, four were acquitted and eight convicted.

70. *Magistrates' Courts.*—Of the 19 Magistrates including the Town Bench, four (including the Chief Magistrate) exercised powers of the first class, seven of the second class, and eight of the third class. The Court of the Special first class Magistrate was abolished in the latter part of the fasli.

71. *File and disposal.*—The total number of cases for disposal was 4,219 as against 4,011 in the previous fasli. Of these, 2,162 were cases under the Penal Code against 1,929 in the previous fasli. There was an increase both in cognizable and non-cognizable cases. Offences under other laws also slightly increased.

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4,058 cases were disposed of against 3,859 in the previous fasli. The percentage of disposal was 96·18 against 96·21 in the previous fasli. The percentage of conviction fell from 38·58 to 37·67. The percentage of conviction in respect of offences under the Penal Code increased from 10·09 to 11·38. The average duration of cases decided by Magistrates was 14·27 days as against 14·40 in the previous fasli. Of the 4,058 cases disposed of, 70 cases were pending over three months and four cases, over six months.

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Of the 161 cases pending at the close of the fasli, 60 were pending on account of the non-apprehension of the accused; and out of the balance of 101 cases, 52 were pending below one month, 41 below three months and eight below six months.

72. *Extradition.*—During the fasli 20 persons were extradited by the Political Agent for trial in the State Courts and 17 were extradited by the Darbar for trial in British Courts.

APPELLATE JURISDICTION.

Chief Court.

73. *Original Sessions side.*—The total number of appeals for disposal on the original side of the Chief Court was eight, all of which were disposed of during the fasli. The original decisions were confirmed in three cases, modified in one case and reversed in four cases.

74. *Appellate side.*—The number of criminal appeals for disposal was eight all of which were against the decisions of a single Judge on the original side in Sessions cases. Of these, seven appeals were disposed of, the original decision being confirmed in six cases and reversed in the other. One appeal was left pending at the close of the fasli.

Statement No. XIX.

75. *Revisional work.*—There were 54 criminal revision petitions inclusive of the four pending at the commencement of the fasli and of these 48 were disposed of leaving a balance of six as against a balance of four out of 46 in the previous fasli.

Chief Magistrate's Court.

76. *Appellate work.*—During the fasli the Deputy Magistrate and the Assistant first class Magistrate were empowered to hear such appeals as might be referred to them by the Chief Magistrate. There were 103 appeals for disposal as against 72 in the previous fasli. Of these 98 were disposed of during the fasli leaving a balance of five at the end of the fasli. The original decision was confirmed in 60 cases, modified in 11, reversed in 26 and one was otherwise disposed of.

77. *Revisional work.*—Inclusive of one petition pending at the commencement of the fasli there were 54 revision petitions for disposal all of which were disposed of during the fasli as against a balance of one out of a total of 47 in the previous fasli.

78. *General remarks.*—The volume of work before the criminal Courts slightly increased. The witnesses examined by the Magistrates and by the Sessions Court during the fasli were 5,394 and 100 as against 4,777 and 126 respectively in the previous fasli. 68 accused persons were awarded compensation under section 250, Criminal Procedure Code, as against 48 in the previous fasli. There is still much room for the exercise of the powers conferred by this section and more care is needed in the preliminary examination of complainants with a view to the summary dismissal of trivial and groundless complaints.

CIVIL JUSTICE.

79. *Civil Courts.*—As usual the Courts for Civil Justice were the Chief Court and its Registrar and 11 rural Small Cause Courts.

ORIGINAL JURISDICTION.

80. *File and disposal.*—The number of suits filed fell from 9,201 to 8,718. Including the 1,028 cases pending at the commencement of the fasli and the 242 re-admissions during the fasli, the total number of suits for disposal was 9,988 against 10,631 in the previous fasli. Of these, 8,764 suits were disposed of during the fasli leaving a balance of 1,224 against a balance of 1,028 in the previous fasli.

81. *Regular suits.*—Regular suits are tried by the Chief Court only. The number of regular suits for disposal was 2,850 as against 2,872 in the last fasli. Of this number, 2,199 suits were disposed of leaving a balance of 651 suits as against a balance of 565 suits at the end of the previous fasli. The percentage of disposal was 77·15 as against 78·49 in the previous fasli. The average duration of contested suits rose from 164 days in the previous fasli to 187 days in the fasli under report. Of the suits pending at the close of the fasli, 40 were pending over one year and 363 over three months and below one year as against 15 and 311 respectively during the previous fasli.

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Of the 2,199 suits disposed of, 115 were pending for over one year, 222 over six months but within one year and the others were disposed of within six months.

82. *Small Cause suits.* (i) *Judges' file.*—The number of suits for disposal was 2,144 as against 2,352 in the previous fasli. Of these, 1,950 suits were disposed of leaving a balance of 194. The percentage of disposal was 90·95 as against 92 in the previous fasli. The average duration of contested suits was 78 days as against 81 days in the previous fasli. Of the suits disposed of during the fasli, 214 were pending over three months, 24 over six months and one over one year. Of the suits pending at the close of the fasli 39 were pending over three months, two over six months and two over one year.

(ii) *Registrar's file.*—The number of suits for disposal was 1,324 of which 1,201 were disposed of leaving a balance of 123 suits pending at the close of the fasli. The percentage of disposal was 90·70 as against 93·79 in the previous fasli. The average duration of contested suits was 65 days as against 59 days in the previous fasli. Of the suits disposed of, 383 suits were pending over three months and 501 over six months. Of the suits pending at the close of the fasli 39 were pending over three months and four over six months and under one year.

(iii) *Rural Small Cause Judges' files.*—The total number of suits for disposal was 3,670 as against 3,828 in the previous fasli. Of these, 3,414 suits were disposed of leaving a balance of 256 suits pending at the close of the fasli. The percentage of disposal was 93·02 as against 95·37 in the preceding fasli.

APPELLATE JURISDICTION.

83. *Regular Appeals.*—The total number of regular appeals for disposal was 361 as against 390 in the preceding fasli. Of these, 279 were disposed of during the fasli. The percentage of disposal was 77·28 as against 63·84 in the preceding fasli. The average duration of an appeal disposed of was 230 days as against 282 days in the preceding fasli. The value of appeals filed during the fasli was Rs. 1,57,716 as against Rs. 2,71,768 in the previous fasli.

Statement No. XXII.

84. *Second Appeals.*—Inclusive of the 51 appeals pending at the commencement of the fasli there were in all 147 appeals for disposal. Of these, 121 were posted for hearing in the fasli of which 99 were disposed of leaving a balance of 48. The decision of the First Appellate Court was confirmed in 81, modified in six and reversed in five, the other seven being disposed of otherwise. The total value involved was Rs. 1,76,230—11—1 as against Rs. 45,947—10—11 of the previous fasli.

Statement No. XXII-A.

85. *General remarks.*—The volume of litigation in the fasli under review decreased a little, almost exactly to the extent it had increased in the previous fasli. The decrease in the number of Small Cause suits was marked. There was

some decrease in the value of claims involved in regular suits. The falling off in the number of Small Cause suits was due to the more favourable character of the season. Notwithstanding the fact that the total number of cases for disposal was less than in the previous fasli the number of suits pending at the close of the fasli exceeded the balance of the previous fasli. The average duration of contested suits in original cases showed a tendency to rise while in the case of regular appeals there was a satisfactory decrease.

Of the 2,285 regular suits filed or re-admitted during the fasli, 1,256 were instituted by Nattukkottai Chetties. Of these 756 were instituted by the Nattukkottai Chetties againsts ryots or agriculturists.

All the eleven rural Small Cause Courts were inspected during the fasli by the present District Registrar and his predecessor and the working of all of them save those of Ponnamaravathi and Keelanilai has been reported to be satisfactory.

PRISONS.

86. *Number of prisons.*—The number of prisons remained the same as in the previous fasli, viz. eight. These were the Central Jail at Pudukkottai and the seven Sub-Jails at Alangudi, Tirumayyam, Kolattur, Ponnamaravathi, Karambakkudi, Viralimalai and Keelanilai.

CENTRAL JAIL.

87. *Jail population.*—At the commencement of the fasli there were 77 prisoners (76 males and one female) consisting of 62 convicts, four under-trials, nine civil prisoners and two lunatics. 288 prisoners (276 males and 12 females) consisting of 126 convicts, 70 under-trials, 90 civil prisoners and two lunatics were admitted during the fasli. 306 prisoners (295 males and 11 females) consisting of 137 convicts, 71 under-trials, 95 civil prisoners and three lunatics were discharged leaving at the close of the fasli 59 prisoners (57 males and two females) consisting of 51 convicts, three under-trials, four civil prisoners and one lunatic. Of the 126 convicts admitted during the fasli two were Brahmins, three were Mohammedans and the other 121 were other Hindus. The number of life convicts in the Jail at the commencement of the fasli was five. One life convict was admitted during the fasli and one convict sent to Madras for deportation during the previous fasli was brought back as he was declared medically unfit for transportation and thus there were seven life convicts in all in the Central Jail at the end of the fasli. The new life convict could not be deported as he was temporarily unfit for transportation. The others had to be retained in Jail owing to age restriction. The accommodation for the prisoners was sufficient. The daily average of the Jail population was 67·63 as against 60·79 in the previous fasli.

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88. *Health of prisoners.*—The number of admissions into the Jail Hospital was 46 as against 21 in the previous fasli and the daily average of the sick was 1·33 as against 1·36 in the previous fasli. One lunatic who was in the Jail for a long period died in the Jail. 125 convicts were vaccinated during the fasli. The health of the Jail population was good. A Sub-Assistant Surgeon was in direct charge of the Jail Dispensary which was also frequently visited by the Chief Medical officer.

89. *Escapes.*—There were no escapes during the fasli under report.

90. *Prison offences.*—The total number of prison offences recorded during the fasli was 13 as against three in the previous fasli.

91. *Industries.*—In addition to the work in the Jail garden, prisoners were employed in oil-pressing, weaving, basket-making, mat-weaving and aluminium

metal work. Exclusive of the sum of Rs. 455 collected on account of the lease of the cocoanut trees, the total receipts from the sale of garden produce amounted to Rs. 537. The income derived from other Jail industries amounted to Rs. 1,703 as against Rs. 2,445 in the previous pasli.

92. *Financial.*—Exclusive of the outlay of Rs. 6,722 on Jail industries, the expenditure on the Central Jail amounted to Rs. 9,475 or Rs. 140 per head of the average daily population as against Rs. 118 per head in the previous fasli, the rise being mainly due to the purchase of larger quantities of food-grains. The average dieting charge per head *per diem* was 2 as. 10 ps. as against 2 as. 5 ps. in the previous fasli.

93. *General remarks.*—The general conduct and discipline of the Jail was fairly satisfactory. But the increase in the number of Jail offences which were for the most part cases of introducing prohibited articles reveals want of vigilance on the part of the Jail subordinates.

SUB-JAILS.

94. The Sub-Jails were as usual under the control of the Chief Magistrate. At the beginning of the fasli there were 12 prisoners in all the Sub-Jails together. There were 224 admissions and 232 discharges leaving four prisoners at the end of the fasli. The average daily population was six as in the previous fasli. The expenditure on Sub-Jails was Rs. 929 as against Rs. 901 in the previous fasli.

Statement No. XXIII.

POLICE.

95. *Constitution.*—The Police force as it stood at the close of the fasli consisted of a Deputy Superintendent, two Inspectors, 11 Sub-Inspectors, 28 Head Constables and 202 Constables and was 29 short of its full complement. The department was under the control of the Superintendent of Police, Trichinopoly, who is ex-officio Superintendent of the State Police.

Statement No. XXIV.

96. *Inspection work.*—The Superintendent of Police visited the State thrice and inspected all the seven investigating centres and seven out of the 14 outposts besides the office, Reserve and Stores. The Deputy Superintendent inspected all the centres and outposts twice except Yembal which was inspected only once

97. *Crime.*—The number of cases of all kinds reported during the fasli decreased from 2,142 to 2,052. The percentage of detection was 85 as against 83 in the previous fasli. The number of cases under the Penal Code fell from 538 to 514 as compared with the previous fasli; and the percentage of detection somewhat improved the percentage being 41 as against 39 in the previous fasli. There was a slight increase in the percentage of the value of property recovered which was 21 as against 19 in the previous fasli.

Statement Nos. XXV and XXVI.

98. *Grave Crime.*—The number of grave crimes reported during the fasli was 262 as against 312 in the preceding fasli. There were three cases of murder, eight cases of dacoity, 17 cases of robbery, 73 cases of burglary and 161 grave thefts. Of the three cases of murder, one ended in conviction, one was pending enquiry before the committing Magistrate and the third was reported to be undetectable. Of the eight cases of dacoity, two were pending enquiry before the committing Magistrate, two were thrown out, two were under Police investigation and the other two were reported to be undetectable. Of the 17 robberies reported during the fasli, two were detected, four were pending trial, three were thrown out, two were under Police investigation and the other six remained undetected. Of the 73 burglaries reported, 11 were detected, two were pending trial and the others

remained undetected. Of the 161 grave thefts reported, 67 were detected, 14 were under-trial and the others remained undetected. Besides these, one case of dacoity, one case of burglary and eight cases of grave thefts of the previous fasli were also detected.

99. *Preventive measures.*—Proceedings under the security sections of the Criminal Procedure Code were taken against nine persons during the fasli. Four persons were ordered to furnish security, one was awaiting trial, one case against one person was withdrawn and the cases against the other three persons were thrown out by the magistracy. Besides the above, two cases were put up at the close of the fasli but were not taken on file by the Magistrate.

100. *Processes.*—Exclusive of the warrants issued under the extradition rules the total number of processes received for service by the Police was 19,003 of which all but 19 were executed.

101. *Finger-prints.*—Finger-prints of 72 convicts were taken and the slips forwarded to the Madras Bureau for record.

102. *Health and conduct of the force.*—The health of the force was good. The general conduct of the force, judged by the number of punishments, was satisfactory. During the fasli rewards amounting to Rs. 275 were distributed to the members of the force and to outsiders who rendered aid to them.

103. *General remarks.*—The Police department was re-organised in Fasli 1323 on the lines recommended by Mr. C. C. Longden. The system then introduced was somewhat different from that obtaining in the British territory, but judged by results, it was not as satisfactory as was expected. Mr. Blackstone suggested that the scheme recently adopted in Trichinopoly might with advantage be introduced in the State. This has been done and the necessary revision effected in the work and the scales of pay of the several grades. The circles were abolished and the Sub-Inspectors were put directly under the Deputy Superintendent. It is too early to form any definite opinion as to the success or otherwise of the new system. But the Darbar think that the improvements noted in almost all the branches of the department cannot be attributed solely to happy chance. There has been a decrease in crime and in the value of property lost and at the same time there has been an advance in detection and an increase in the value of stolen property recovered. The Darbar agree with Mr. Blackstone in considering that these results represent a real improvement in Police work. The relations between the Police and the Magistrates continued to be satisfactory on the whole. There were however isolated instances in which the Courts appeared to approach cases with unjust suspicion of, if not actual bias against the Police. This is a most deplorable and unfortunate attitude for a Court to adopt and the Darbar hope it will not be remarked in future. It is useless to appeal to the public to have confidence in the Police if the public see that the Courts treat Police officers as being prima facie less trustworthy than ordinary persons. It is necessary for the Courts to bear in mind constantly that they and the Police are colleagues, working together for the suppression of crime. It is not to be presumed that the Police are intent upon filling the Jails with innocent persons whom the Courts have to protect against nefarious designs upon their liberty.

The Darbar are grateful for, and appreciate the careful supervision exercised over the whole force by Mr. Blackstone, who was Superintendent of Police throughout the fasli except for 15 days from 5—10—1917 to 23—10—1917, when M.R.Ry. R. S. Krishnaswami Aiyar Avl., acted for him.

EDUCATION.

104. *General.*—The total number of educational institutions at work in the State during the fasli was 420 as against 407 in the previous fasli. The number of pupils on the rolls on the last day of the fasli, which however does not denote the

maximum strength, was 17,050 as against 16,443 in the previous fasli. The various educational institutions distributed according to classes, together with their number and strength as compared with the corresponding figures of the previous fasli are shown below :—

Class.	Fasli 1327.		Fsali 1326	
	Number of institutions.	Strength.	Number of institutions.	Strength.
College ...	1	72	1	72
Secondary ...	6	1,436	8	1,363
Elementary ...	410	15,478	400	14,594
Special ...	3	64	3	54
Total ...	420	17,050	407	16,443

Of the total number of pupils under instruction 2,032 were Brahmins, 12,826, non-Brahmins, 1,147, Mohammedans and 1,045, Christians. Classified according to sex 15,238 pupils were males and 1,812, females. There was one school for every 2·8 square miles of the area and for every 980 persons of the population of the State. The percentages of male and female pupils to the male and female population of school-going age were 51·7 and 5·6 respectively. The percentage of both boys and girls under instruction to the total population of school-going age was 27·6. The net expenditure on "Education" was Rs. 89,067 as against Rs. 81,345 in the previous fasli. Elementary education is free throughout the State except for boys in the capital. Free Secondary education was given to boys in Mr. T. S. Nagappa Chettiar's school at Ramachandrapuram and to girls in the Rani's Free Secondary school.

GENERAL EDUCATION.

105. *Secondary schools.*—The number of Secondary schools increased from three to six. Two new schools, the Sri Bhumisvaraswami Free Secondary school at Ramachandrapuram and the National Secondary school at Tirumayyam containing the II and III Forms only were inaugurated during the fasli The Town Sirkar Girls' school was raised to the standard of a Secondary school under the designation of the Rani's Free Secondary school for girls.

Statement No. XXVII.

The other three Secondary schools were the State Secondary school at Alangudi, the Mission High school at Pudukkottai and the State school at Tirumayyam where education is imparted up to I Form only. The total number of pupils on the rolls in all these six schools on the last day of the fasli was 877.

106. *Elementary schools.*—Of the 410 Elementary schools that were at work during the fasli, 182 were State schools, 161 were schools under private management in receipt of grants-in-aid and the other 67 were unaided institutions. Out of these, 17 were schools set apart solely for the education of girls, 13 being State schools and four, aided schools.

The total number of boys in State and aided schools was 12,268. The number of pupils under instruction in unaided schools was 1,560. Thus the total number of boys in all the elementary schools in the State was 13,828.

The total number of girls in State and aided schools was 1,650.

107. *Special schools.*—There were three special schools viz., the State Training school, the Veda Sastra Patasala, and the Weaving school.

The Training school follows more or less the scheme of work adopted by similar institutions in British India. 36 teachers—19 in the Higher Elementary grade and 17 in the Lower grade—underwent training, of whom 33—17 in the former and 16 in the latter—were successful in the Preliminary Examination for Teachers' Certificates held in April last.

The Veda Sastra Patasala had 16 pupils on its rolls at the end of the fasli and all of them were given free board and lodgings. Sanskrit Grammar (Vyakaranam), Logic (Tarka) and Language and Literature (Kavya and Alankara) were taught besides Yajur Veda. Provision was also made for teaching the three R's in Tamil and for instruction in English and general knowledge.

The Weaving school which was shifted to Karambakkudi in the fasli under report had 12 pupils on its rolls at the end of the fasli all of whom were granted stipends of a monthly value of Rs. 3 each. There are large numbers of the Panchama community in and about Karambakkudi carrying on weaving on pit looms and by primitive methods It is with a view to teach the rising generation among them to handle improved implements and to induce them to take to modern methods that the school was shifted to that centre. The institution promises to thrive.

108. *Accommodation.*—Of the 188 State schools under the direct management of the General Education department, 32 were housed in substantial buildings, 78 other schools were held in thatched sheds erected by the State or by the villagers, 14 were held in rented houses and the remaining 64 were held in buildings which are occasionally required by the people for communal purposes. The number of *pucca* school buildings constructed during the fasli was four. Besides these, five sheds for holding schools and two teachers' quarters were constructed at a cost of Rs. 456 and repairs to the thatched school houses were also executed at a cost of Rs. 941.

109. *Teaching staff.*—There were in all 522 teachers at work in the fasli of whom 226 were trained men and 181 teachers held permanent or temporary licenses. The number of teaching licenses issued during the year was 162 of which all were temporary except four. Besides the above teachers there were four Drawing-Masters, four Drill Instructors, one Handicraft Instructor and seven Music Masters.

All the 17 Teachers' Associations consisting of 426 teachers did good work.

110. *Reading Rooms and Public Libraries.*—There were five institutions of the kind which received grants amounting to Rs. 314 during the fasli. There were others especially in the Chettynadu running independently of State help. A library conference was held at Alangudi in the fasli.

111. *Grants-in-aid* —The amount disbursed in the shape of grants-in-aid to educational institutions during the year was Rs. 18,474–14–11 as against Rs. 15,132–9–9 in the previous fasli.

112. *Financial.*—The expenditure on all heads exclusive of the College was Rs. 81,246 against Rs. 76,502 in the previous fasli.

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113. *General remarks.*—During the year School Boards were formed at the Taluk kasbas and at Annavasal to enlist the co-operation and sympathy of non-officials in the spread of free Primary education. A competent teacher was appointed to inspect all the Mohammedan schools and report from time to time on the progress made by them in regard to the teaching of Kôran and Arabic and Urdu. There was a slow but steady advance in the number of institutions and in the number of pupils under instruction. The quality of education also showed a marked advance. The department maintained its high standard.

COLLEGE.

114. *Staff.*—The permanent staff consisted of the Principal, two Lecturers, 12 Assistants, eight Teachers, one Tutor, three Pandits, two Drawing-Masters and two Gymnastic Instructors. In addition, two temporary Assistants were also employed during the fasli.

115. *Strength and attendance.*—The number of pupils on the rolls on the last day of the fasli was 631 (479 Brahmins, 143 Non-Brahmin Hindus, six Mohammedans and three Christians) as against 663 in the previous fasli. Of these, 72 were College class students and 559 secondary students. In fact the strength was 724 but it has been recorded as 631 because 93 students who appeared for the Secondary School Leaving Certificate Examination had to be regarded as having left school from the date the certificate books were sent to the Secondary School Leaving Certificate Board. The average strength on the rolls increased from 752 to 764. The average attendance also rose from 693 to 705. The percentage of absentees was 7·7 against 7·8 in the previous fasli.

116. *Results of Public Examinations.*—32 students were sent up for the Intermediate Examination of whom seven passed in full, two in Part I only and five in Part II only. Besides the above, seven students appeared for Part I alone of whom five passed. The number of students that were sent up for the Secondary School Leaving Certificate Examination held in March, 1918, was 93. Of these, 44 were declared by the University eligible for admission into the College class.

117. *College library.*—The College has a well-stocked library containing 6,100 volumes. Nearly 7,800 books were issued to students and staff by the Librarian. A sum of Rs. 1,086 was spent during the fasli in purchasing books for the library and in the preparation of historical charts and pictures in the College classes. The Reading Room continued to be a useful adjunct to the library.

118. *Games.*—The College has an extensive recreation ground with provision for Tennis, Football, Cricket and Hockey. Football and Cricket were more popular. The total number of members in the Sports Club was 143.

119. *Financial.*—The expenditure on the College was Rs. 26,635 against Rs. 24,425 in the previous fasli. The fees levied rose from Rs. 18,098 to Rs. 18,130.

120. *General remarks.*—During the fasli provision was made for imparting instruction to the pupils of the Secondary School Leaving Certificate course, in two more subjects—Shorthand and Typewriting and Commercial Correspondence and Geography. Religious instruction was as usual imparted in out-of-College hours. Physical training received due attention. The results in the Intermediate Examination are not good and the Principal and his staff cannot be said to have produced good work in this though in the Secondary School Leaving Certificate Examination the school average of marks gained was above the Presidency average in all the subjects.

HEALTH.

VITAL STATISTICS.

121. The public health was on the whole fairly good though cholera from which the State was spared in Fasli 1326 was prevalent in several parts of the State and caused 501 deaths. Deaths from small-pox decreased from 309 to 209 and there were no other epidemics. The total number of births registered during the fasli was 7,805 as against 7,551 in the previous fasli. Of the total number of births 4,034 were boys and 3,771 were girls. The number of deaths registered was 7,715 as against 7,022 in the previous fasli. The deaths among men and women were 3,994 and 3,721 as against 3,564 and 3,458 respectively in the previous fasli.

Statement No. XXIX.

MEDICAL.

122. *Institutions and staff.*—The medical institutions at work in the State during the fasli were the Town Hospital with 66 beds for men and women, the Women and Children's Dispensary, and nine rural Dispensaries.

The medical staff consisted of the Chief Medical and Sanitary officer, the House-Surgeon, the Lady Apothecary, 14 Sub-Assistant-Surgeons, 20 Compounders, two Nurses and 13 Midwives.

123. *General work.*—The number of in-patients treated during the fasli was 1,091 as against 1,138 in the previous fasli and that of out-patients 1,20,027 as against 1,24,132. The daily average of in-patients was 64·02 and that of out-patients 676·84.

The total number of surgical operations performed during the fasli was 3,288 of which 309 were major operations and the rest minor.

124. *Town Hospital.*—The number of in-patients treated in the Town Hospital decreased by 147 to 991 and the daily average attendance fell from 59·71 to 57·60. Out of these 991 in-patients treated, 695 were cured, 115 relieved, 91 discharged otherwise, 34 died and 56 remained under treatment at the close of the fasli. The number of out-patients treated was 36,222 as against 36,377 in the previous fasli.

Statements Nos. XXX and XXXI.

The total number of surgical operations performed during the fasli was 1,428 as against 1,308 in the previous fasli. Of these, 291 were operations among in-patients and 1,137 among out-patients. Out of the 291 operations among in-patients, 256 were cured, 29 relieved, four were discharged otherwise, one died and one remained under treatment at the end of the fasli. A list of the principal operations performed during the fasli with their results is given in the Appendix.

Statements Nos. XXX and XXX-A.

The total expenditure on the Town Hospital amounted to Rs. 32,976 as against Rs. 33,592 in the previous fasli.

125. *Dispensary for Women and Children.*—For six months in the fasli the institution was open as a Hospital for Women and Children. The total number of patients treated was 22,007, i. e. fewer by 716 compared with the previous fasli. The daily average attendance rose from 122·12 to 128·87.

Statement No. XXXI.

During the period in which the institution was open as a Hospital 100 in-patients were admitted, of whom 95 were cured and five relieved. 18 major operations were performed and all of them were cured.

126. *Rural Dispensaries.*—The number of patients treated was 61,898 as against 65,032 in the preceding fasli. The decrease in the number of patients was due to the prevalence of cholera in several parts of the State.

Statement No. XXXI.

127. *Midwives.*—There were 13 midwives on duty as in the previous fasli. Each midwife attended on an average to 24 cases as against 34 in the previous fasli.

128. *Financial.*—The total expenditure of the department was Rs. 55,611 as against Rs. 53,400 in the previous fasli. The increase in expenditure was due to the additional outlay on the Women and Children's Dispensary which was open as a Hospital for six months during the fasli.

129. *General remarks.*—The Town Hospital and the several Dispensaries continued to do useful work. During the fasli two trained nurses were added to the staff of the Town Hospital. For six months the Women and Children's Dispensary was worked as a Hospital under the charge of Mrs. M. D. Witney, M. B., B. ch., who bestowed much care and thought in properly equipping the Hospital. Dr. Witney left the State's service at the end of the six months period agreed on and on her departure the Darbar were obliged to convert the Hospital again to a

Dispensary owing to the difficulty of securing the services of a competent Lady Doctor. But the institution has been carefully and adequately equipped and is ready for work as soon as a Lady Doctor's services can be secured.

VACCINATION.

130. *Staff.*—There were as usual one Inspector of Vaccination, one Deputy Inspector and ten Vaccinators.

131. *Operations.*—The following table gives the number of persons primarily vaccinated and re-vaccinated during the fasli and the percentage of success as compared with the previous year:—

Fasli.	Primary vaccination	Re-vaccination.	Total.	Percentage of success.
1326 ...	11,387	255	11,642	92·24
1327 ...	11,491	462	11,953	91·18

There was an increase of 311 cases as compared with the last year but there was a slight fall in the percentage of successful cases. The number of persons successfully vaccinated per mille of the population was 26·16 against 26·06 in the previous fasli.

132. *Inspection.*—During the fasli the Vaccination Inspector was on tour for 221 days and visited 379 villages. The total number of vaccinated cases available for inspection was 6,456. Of these 4,210 cases were examined and 96·98 per cent of them was found successful.

133. *Small-pox.*—During the fasli there were 209 deaths from small-pox against 309 in the previous fasli, the ratio per mille being ·50 against ·75 in Fasli 1326.

134. *Animal Vaccine Depôt.*—The total quantity of vaccine manufactured during the fasli was 22,250 grains as against 24,452 grains in the previous fasli. The Deputy Inspector was in charge of the Animal Vaccine Depôt as usual.

135. *Financial.*—The total expenditure on vaccination including that of the Vaccine Depôt was Rs. 3,310 as against Rs. 2,861 in the previous fasli. The average net cost of each successful vaccination was 4as. 6ps. as against 3 as. 11 ps. in the previous fasli.

MUNICIPALITY.

136. *Constitution.*—The Municipal Council as it stood on the last day of the fasli consisted of a paid Chairman and eight Councillors of whom four were elected members and four nominated, one of these being a non-official and the rest officials. A general election was held in March, 1918, and the new Council entered upon its duties on April 1, 1918.

137. *Meetings and attendance.*—The total number of meetings actually held during the fasli was 28, that is to say two less than in the previous fasli. The number of meetings adjourned for want of quorum was five as against seven in the previous fasli. The average attendance at each meeting actually held was 3·8, a little above the last fasli's average of 3·3. It is pleasing to note that the average attendance of non-officials was better than of officials.

138. *Financial position.*—The fasli opened with a balance of Rs. 14,696. The income and expenditure of the fasli compared with those of the previous year are shown below:—

Items.	Fasli 1327. Rs.	Fasli 1326. Rs.
Income—		
1. Municipal rates and taxes	16,969	14,638
2. Realisations under special Acts	179	279
3. Revenue derived from Municipal property and powers apart from taxation	33,959	25,393
4. Grants and contributions	...	14,000
5. Miscellaneous	767	1,148
6. Extraordinary and debt	1,141	17
Total ...	53,015	55,475
Expenditure—		
1. Public Works	22,613	20,307
2. Sanitation and Public health	16,799	17,498
3. Lighting and miscellaneous	8,840	7,967
4. Supervision and management	5,102	5,491
5. Extraordinary and Debt	1,969	163
Total ...	55,623	51,426

At the close of the fasli a surplus of Rs. 12,088 was left. It is a matter for congratulation that during the fasli under report the Municipality was able to be independent of State aid. The State contribution was not utilised as it was not needed. Of the total current demand which stood at Rs. 52,319, 97·5 per cent was collected during the fasli against 96·3 per cent out of Rs. 41,717 in the previous fasli. The rise under the current demand in the fasli under report was due to the increase of Rs. 8,500 under "Market fees and rents" and of Rs. 2,000 under "Taxation" resulting from the quinquennial revision of assessments which had effect from the commencement of the fasli.

139. *Incidence of taxation.*—The total demand under "Taxes" was Rs. 17,392 and incidence of taxation per head of the population was 10 as. as against 8 as. 8 ps. in the previous fasli.

140. *Communications.*—The total outlay on "Communications" was Rs. 11,654 as against Rs. 9,840 in the previous fasli. Several lanes, streets and roads were newly gravelled and some road culverts were repaired. The entire length of the roads and streets which were newly gravelled or which were renewed was five miles. The roads and streets were maintained in their usual good condition.

141. *Town water-supply.*—The several conserved tanks in the town were carefully watched and preserved undefiled. Filtered water was supplied to the main part of the town from the Pudukkulam Reservoir by means of pipes. The cost of pumping filtered water was Rs. 3,273 as against Rs. 2,927 in the previous fasli.

142. *Prickly-pear removal.*—The campaign against prickly-pear was carried on during the fasli under report for about ten months. The extent cleared was 31,234 square yards as against 16,328 square yards in the previous fasli. The cost of the work was Rs. 450 or exactly half as much again as in the previous fasli.

143. *Drainage scheme.*—During the fasli Mr. W. Hutton, A. M. I. C. E., with the kind permission of the Government visited the town of Pudukkottai and prepared a report about the drainage scheme for the Town. It is an extremely valuable and useful report and the Municipal Council has been invited to consider it and make proposals to carry out the suggestions as funds permit.

144. *Public health.*—The public health of the town was fairly good. There were only 27 deaths from cholera in the town and these were either imported or contacts of imported cases. The careful preventive methods adopted were successful in stopping the epidemic. There were no other epidemics.

145. *Vital statistics.*—The total number of births and deaths registered during the year were 786 and 681 respectively against 921 and 836 in the previous fasli, the number of births being higher than the number of deaths as before.

146. *General remarks.*—The Darbar are glad to note the successful work of the Municipality and they heartily congratulate the Council on their zeal and co-operation which have had no small share in producing the satisfactory results which characterise the work of the year.

UNION PANCHAYATS AND VILLAGE CONSERVANCY.

147. *Union Panchayats.*—There were five Union Panchayats in the State as in the previous fasli. Two of these had non-official Chairmen. The total number of meetings actually held by all the five Panchayats was 45. The number of meetings adjourned for want of quorum was six.

The opening balance of the year was Rs. 24,858. The total receipts including the grant of Rs. 3,000 from the State Funds amounted to Rs. 13,479 as against Rs. 8,564 in the previous fasli. The expenditure for the fasli was Rs. 11,117 as against Rs. 6,731 of the previous fasli. At the close of the fasli a sum of Rs. 27,220 was left at the credit of the Unions. The large balance was due to the difficulties in carrying out the works for which provision had been made in the Union programme owing to the paucity of contractors. Arrangements have since been made to carry out the works departmentally.

148. *Village Conservancy.*—The Health committee's recommendations about the improvement of rural sanitation were considered by the Darbar and orders were issued to carry them out as far as possible. The most important recommendation made was about the appointment of three Sanitary Inspectors, one for each Taluk. This has been accepted and is given effect to in this fasli. The committee consisting of the Dewan Peishkar, the Chief Medical and Sanitary officer, the Municipal Chairman and four non-official members has been constituted a standing committee for the purpose of suggesting improvements from time to time. The Darbar regret that it has not been possible to utilise the special grant of Rs. 10,000 sanctioned by His Highness for the improvements of village sanitation owing to the refusal of the inhabitants of several villages to pay the contributions agreed to by them. The total expenditure under this head was Rs. 5,174 as against Rs. 5,066 in the previous fasli. Of this amount a sum of Rs. 2,290 was spent by the Revenue department in the improvement and conservancy of drinking-water uranies and in sweeping and lighting the streets in a few of the larger villages.

SCIENTIFIC AND OTHER MINOR DEPARTMENTS.

AGRICULTURE.

149. Another qualified Instructor was added to the Agricultural staff during the fasli bringing the total number of Instructors to four. Of these, three Instructors were posted one to each Taluk and the fourth was placed in charge of the Agricultural Farm at Pudukkottai. 50 Madras measures of Sun-hemp seeds, 250 measures of Kolinji seeds, 500 measures of Banku paddy and 150 measures of Daincha seeds were obtained and distributed to ryots by the Instructors. Under the guidance of the Instructors 673 cultivators in 134 villages transplanted 718 acres with single seedlings, 74 acres with double seedlings and 2,433 acres with economic seedlings. Besides, 830 acres were cultivated with mixed cropping in dry lands, 4 acres with Cambodia cotton and about 3½ acres with superior sugar-cane varieties.

150. The State Farm was used chiefly to demonstrate improved methods of agriculture to the ryots. The wet lands of the Farm were cultivated with different kinds of paddy and yielded 3,044 Madras measures. In the dry lands horse-gram, cholam, gingelly, black-gram and red-gram and other garden crops were raised and they yielded a fair outturn. 46 Aleppy cocoanut seedlings were obtained and planted in the Farm to demonstrate how cocoanut plantations may be raised under improved methods of cultivation and manuring.

The expenditure of the department was Rs. 4,349.

VETERINARY HOSPITAL.

151. The total number of animals treated during the fasli was 926 as against 859 in the previous fasli. Of these 81 were admitted as in-patients as against 75 in the last fasli. The daily average attendance also rose from 35·37 to 44·23. The total number of operations performed during the fasli was 118 as against 121 in the previous fasli. The institution was under the control of a duly qualified Assistant. The expenditure for the fasli amounted to Rs. 2,711.

MUSEUM.

152. The total number of visitors during the fasli was 94,765 as against 84,562 in the previous fasli. Of the total number of visitors, 55,735 were males and 39,030 were females. Several exhibits were newly added during the fasli. The increase in the number of visitors indicates that the institution is greatly appreciated by the people. The cost of maintenance amounted to Rs. 3,847.

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CO-OPERATIVE CREDIT SOCIETIES.

153. In co-operation the Registrar is able to point to considerable progress during the fasli. The number of societies increased from 2[illegible] to 27. The total number of members increased from [illegible] to 7,132, the shares from 12,562 to 17,360 and the working capital from Rs. [illegible],78,637 to Rs. 4,89,626. The profits amounted to Rs. 6,547 but this might have been greatly increased if some half dozen societies had taken sufficiently energetic steps to collect Rs. 1,450 overdue to them in the shape of interest. Their remissness in this respect has caused four societies to show a *loss* on the year's working which is an extremely disappointing result likely to discourage others from forming new societies. No effort should be spared to impress upon members the importance of discharging their debts to their societies promptly. The reserve fund amounted to Rs. 18,112 as against Rs. 14,677 at the close of the previous fasli.

Statement No. XXXI-A.

The total number of loans granted by the several societies inclusive of the Town Bank was 1,734 and the loans advanced aggregated to Rs. 1,11,330.

The accounts of 20 societies inclusive of the Town Bank were audited before the submission of the annual report. The variations in the figures relating to the last fasli are due to the subsequent audit of other societies and the figures given now are also subject to further alteration. It is hoped that, in future, arrangements will be made to get the accounts of all the societies audited before the submission of the annual report so that accurate figures may be furnished.

The Darbar are glad to recognise the earnest efforts of the many gentlemen, officials and non-officials, who have devoted much time and labour to the promotion of the movement.

PRESS AND STATIONERY.

154. The value of the work turned out by the State Press amounted to Rs. 6,704 as against Rs. 6,666 in the previous fasli.

The value of the stationery stock on hand at the commencement of the fasli and the stock newly added during the fasli aggregated to Rs. 25,978. Articles worth Rs. 8,168 were issued to various departments during the fasli leaving a balance of articles worth Rs. 17,810 at the close of the fasli.

Printing business was done with the minimum delay and great care was exercised to secure economy in the supply of articles of stationery.

ARCHÆOLOGICAL.

155. The work of comparing the original fair copies with the facsimiles which was undertaken in the previous fasli was completed during the fasli under review. All the transcripts were re-copied and the copper-plate inscriptions of the State, thirty-one in number were transcribed. Some of the temples were visited by the Archæologist for taking fresh estampages for some stone inscriptions.

The work of the Archæologist was done under the kind supervision and guidance of M. R. Ry. Dewan Bahadur, T. Desikachariar Avl., B. A., B. L., Trichinopoly, to whom the Darbar are grateful for his very valuable services.

PUBLIC WORKS.

156. *Organisation.*—The executive staff of the Public Works department consists of an Engineer, two Assistant Engineers and two Divisional officers.

There is also a Minor Irrigation establishment under the Dewan Peishkar consisting of a Supervisor and three Overseers to attend to the repairs and improvements of tanks with ayacuts of under 200 acres.

157. *Grant and outlay.*—The total grant for the fasli was Rs. 4,75,459 and the total expenditure was Rs. 4,03,645 as against Rs. 4,48,353 in the previous fasli.

158. *Expenditure compared.*—The following table compares the expenditure in Faslis 1327 and 1326.

Heads.	Actuals of Fasli 1327.	Actuals of Fasli 1326.
	RS.	RS.
Irrigation	86,039	1,13,845
Civil Buildings	1,80,651	2,04,805
Communications	86,339	80,554
Town Conservancy	1,669	163
Markets and Cartstands	290	284
Village Conservancy	6,825	7,644
Establishment	41,300	40,357
Tools and Plant	482	701
Miscellaneous	50	...
Total ...	4,03,645	4,48,353

159. *Lapse.*—The net lapse during the fasli under all heads was Rs. 71,814 or 17·5 per cent of the allotment in the revised estimate. This was due to the abundant rains which kept the larger tanks full throughout the fasli and many of the smaller ones till the end of March.

160. *Irrigation.*—The expenditure by the Public Works department further fell from Rs. 43,658 to Rs. 31,257. The reason for the fall in the expenditure under this head has already been accounted for. Of the above amount the outlay on original works was Rs. 10,420 and that on repairs Rs. 20,837.

161. *Minor Irrigation.*—The outlay on the repairs and improvements to minor tanks also fell from Rs. 70,187 to Rs 54,782. The outturn was not quite up to last year's standard but that was solely on account of the presence of water in the tanks which delayed the commencement of works. At the commencement of the dry season the repairs were put in hand vigorously and over and above the allotment of Rs. 45,000 the department was able to ask for another Rs. 10,000 which was readily sanctioned. Some 225 minor tanks were repaired during the fasli.

162. *Civil Buildings.*—The expenditure under this head also fell from Rs. 2,04,805 to Rs. 1,80,651. Of the total outlay the expenditure on the New Palace works was Rs. 1,17,828, the rest representing the expenditure on other State works.

163. *Communications.*—The total expenditure on communications was Rs. 86,339 as against Rs. 80,554 in the previous fasli. Of this, the amount spent on original works was Rs. 24,701 and on repairs and maintenance Rs. 61,638. The rainfall was favourable for road works; and a little over the full allotment was utilized. The roads were well maintained but there is still a good deal of original work to be done before the communications between the several parts of the State can be considered satisfactory.

164. *Workshop and Stores.*—The value of the output rose from Rs. 10,965 to Rs. 17,140.

The Srî Marthanda Industrial School attached to the Workshop had 15 apprentices on the rolls at the end of the fasli and these received instruction in carpentry, painting, tailoring and blacksmith sections.

165. *General remarks.*—The Public Works department was somewhat disorganised during the fasli owing to the sudden departure of the former Engineer owing to ill-health and his successor in office required some time to acquaint himself with the local conditions. It is hoped that during Fasli 1328 there will be no surrenders of any of the allotments made for Public works.

MILITARY.

166. As in the previous fasli the infantry consisted of four native commissioned officers, 14 non-commissioned officers and 92 men; and the cavalry consisted of one native commissioned officer, three non-commissioned officers and 15 men. The health of the force was good. The expenditure of the department was Rs. 21,568.

Statement No. XXXIII.

MISCELLANEOUS.

TRADE AND INDUSTRY.

167. Agriculture is the mainstay of the people of the State. There are no manufactures of importance. As shown in the introductory portion 3,02,216 of the inhabitants of the State or 73·4 per cent of the entire population live by exploitation of the surface of the earth and only 63,461 persons or 15·4 per cent of the total

population by trade and industry. The chief articles imported were, as usual, salt, paddy, cotton and hardware goods, tobacco, timber, Calicut tiles and kerosine oil. Shortage of transport and other more artificial difficulties operated to reduce the quantities of these articles imported and to raise their prices unduly. There were no exports of any importance. The manufacture of dyed cloths was almost nil and the weavers of Thiruvappur took to the manufacture of silk cloths used by the womenfolk in the Chettinad which were much in demand. Ground-nut cultivation declined in consequence of the difficulty of exporting it. The sale of avaram bark was restricted by the Proclamation about Tanning and Tanning materials.

CONDITION OF THE PEOPLE.

168. The fasli was, as already observed, remarkably favourable to the cultivator in all parts of the State. Of the total area of the State about 67 per cent was available for cultivation and 75·5 per cent of the area thus available was cultivated during the fasli. As much as 39 per cent of the cultivated area was irrigated and the percentage of total cultivated area under rice was 28·6 per cent. The incidence of Land revenue assessment per head of the population was Rs. 1–12–11.

Notwithstanding the favourable character of the agricultural season the price of all the necessaries of life rose abnormally high. The condition of the labouring classes was on the whole good. Money continued to be dear in the market and it was difficult for a person of moderate means to get money at less than 12 per cent interest per annum.

REPRESENTATIVE ASSEMBLY.

169. The sixteenth session of the Representative Assembly was held on September 7, 1917. Out of the 30 members, 22 were present. There were 109 interpellations by the members and six subjects for discussion.

DARBAR OFFICE, PUDUKKOTTAI,
October 10, 1918.

SIDNEY BURN,
for Darbar.

Rathnaswamy
27/10/18

APPENDIX.

STATEMENT I—(Para. 4 of report).

Names of high officials in the Pudukkottai State, showing changes in the personnel during Fasli 1327 (1917—1918).

Name of officer.	Appointment.	Period.		Remarks.
		From	To	
Mr. Sidney Burn, I. C. S.	Superintendent and President of the State Council.	1—7—1917	30—6—1918	
M. R. Ry. Vijaya Raghunatha Durai Rajah Avergal, B.A.	Dewan	1—7—1917	30—6—1918	
M. R. Ry. G. Ganapati Sastrial Avl., B.A., B.L.	(C. Judge) Ex-officio Councillor.	1—7—1917	30—6—1918	

STATEMENT II—(Para. 6 of report).

Summary of Financial transactions giving totals under each Major Head.

RECEIPTS.

	Group Heads.	Revised Estimate for Fasli 1327.	Accounts for Fasli 1327.	1326.	1325.
		RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.
	Opening balance (Ordinary Heads) ...	3062926	3062926	2850406	2839747
	Do. (Debt Heads)	312659	312659	120186	153621
	Total Do. (Ordinary and Debt Heads) ...	3375585	3375585	2970592	2993368
Ordinary Heads.	Principal Heads of Revenue ...	1645396	1693967	1699538	1647859
	Interest	140513	140671	79852	93944
	Receipts from Civil Departments ...	50755	52343	50430	52376
	Miscellaneous	9687	13457	8498	11595
	Railways	45	45	...	...
	Receipts from Civil Works ...	91456	101800	67470	65191
	Military	1210	1210	77	123
	Total	1939062	2003493	1905865	1871088
Debt Heads.	Debt Heads	8105	1240	192473	1257
	Grand Total Receipts (Ordinary Heads) ...	5001988	5066419	4756271	4710835
	Do. (Debt Heads)	320764	313899	312659	154878
	Grand Total (Ordinary and Debt Heads) ...	5322752	5380318	5068930	4865713

EXPENDITURE.

	Group Heads.	Revised Estimate for Fasli 1327.	Accounts for Fasli 1327.	1326.	1325.
		RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.
Ordinary Heads.	Direct Demands on the Revenue and charges for collection.	551015	524707	541669	531241
	Civil Departments	714545	688194	578922	537837
	Miscellaneous	311997	325658	93695	102251
	Railways	...	...	500	...
	Irrigation	95000	86039	113845	112330
	Civil Works	380459	317606	334508	544000
	Military	32505	31114	30206	32767
	Total	2115521	1973318	1693345	1860429
Debt Heads.	Debt Heads	143000	193528	...	34692
	Total expenditure (Ordinary & Debt Heads).	2258521	2166846	1693345	1895121
	Closing balance (Ordinary Heads) ...	2886167	3093101	3062926	2850406
	Do. (Debt Heads)	177764	120371	312659	120186
	Total Do. (Ordinary and Debt Heads) ...	3064231	3213472	3375585	2970592
	Grand Total (Ordinary Heads)	5001988	5066419	4756271	4710835
	Do. (Debt Heads)	320764	313899	312659	154878
	Grand Total (Ordinary and Debt Heads) ..	5322752	5380318	5068930	4865713

Detailed memorandum explanatory of the important variations between the Revised Estimate and the actuals of Fasli 1327.

RECEIPTS.

1. The increase under "Special Offerings to Devastanams" in the fasli was due to the larger collection of fines from defaulters of temple ooliem services and increased receipts under "Undial and other offerings".

2. The increase under "Land Revenue" was mainly due to the receipts under Kudiswamiyam sales, to the increased revenue owing to the incorporation of Inam Survey changes and to the increased area under occupation.

3. The increase under "Natham Settlement" was due to a larger amount than was anticipated having been realised by the sale of house sites. The settlement of two Nathams was done in the second half of April.

4. The increase under "Stamps" was mainly due to a larger sale of Judicial Stamps than was anticipated.

5. The increase under "Excise" represented the advance collection of Rs. 5,500 under "Toddy shop rentals" falling due in the next fasli.

6. The increase under "Forest" was due partly to larger sale of fuel and partly to larger collection of compounding fees and fines.

7 The increase under "Law and Justice, Courts" was due to heavier fines and forfeitures levied in this fasli by the Criminal Courts.

8. The increase under "Stationery and Printing" was mainly due to a larger sale of stationery and of regulations and books and to the amount realised for private work done in the State Press.

9. The increase under "Miscellaneous" was mainly due to a larger amount having lapsed to the State under "Deposits" than was anticipated.

10. The increase under "Civil works" was mainly due to (1) a larger contribution under "Irrigation works", (2) the sale of State buildings and (3) the sale of a Steam Road Roller.

EXPENDITURE.

11. The increase under "Refunds" was mainly due to the repayments under "Land Revenue" consequent on the settlement of inams retrospectively and of the value of spoiled and unused stamps.

12. The fall under "Assignment and Compensation—Religion and Charity" was due partly to a portion of padithram of temples not having been fully adjusted and partly to decreased expenditure under temple works.

13. The decrease under "Gardens" was due to the provision for improvements to the Ananda Bhag not having been utilised in the fasli.

14. The decrease under "Palace Repairs and Improvements" was due to the provision under "Repairs" not having been fully utilised by the P. W. D.

15. The increase under "Allowance to the Members of the Western Palace" was due to the expenditure in this fasli of the sum provided in the budget for Fasli 1328 for the marriage of the grandson of the late Western Palace Jagbirdar. The marriage was arranged to take place earlier than was anticipated.

16. The decrease under "Stamps" was mainly due to the postponement of the purchase of blank paper.

17. The decrease under "Forest" was due to the savings (1) under "Establishment charges" (2) under "Plantation charges" as the planting operations were not carried on as extensively as was anticipated and (3) under "Cutting and carting of casuarina fuel".

18. The decrease under "Jails" was mainly due to a smaller outlay in the purchase of articles for Jail industry.

19. The decrease under "Police" was due to the savings in the fasli in the pay of the force and to the full uniforms not having been supplied within the fasli.

20. The decrease under "Pounds" was mainly due to the provision under "Pound Buildings" not having been fully utilised.

21. The decrease under "Medical" was mainly due to the full provision made for the purchase of medicines and instruments not having been utilised as the medicines and instruments could not be indented for from England owing to the war.

22 The decrease under "Stationery and Printing" was mainly due to the provision for the purchase of stationery articles not having been fully utilised owing to the war.

23. The contributions provided for the several Unions were not drawn in the fasli (except in Tirumayyam) as the balances to their credit were sufficient. Hence the decrease under "Contribution to Municipality and Unions".

24. The lapse under "Irrigation" was due to most of the tanks having been full till near the close of the fasli.

25. The decrease under "Civil Building and Communications" was due to the full provision made not having been utilised by the P. W. D.

26. The lapse under "Village Conservancy" was due to the several works provided not having been taken up by the Public works and the Minor Irrigation departments.

Detailed memorandum explanatory of the important differences between the actuals of Faslis 1326 and 1327.

RECEIPTS.

27. The increase under "Palace Other Items" was mainly due to the sale of a State motor car.

28 The decrease under "Land Revenue" was the net result of an appreciable decrease in the Kudiswamiyam price owing to the diminution of lands available for darkhast, counterbalanced to some extent by an increase in extent under "Occupied" as a result chiefly of the incorporation of Inam Survey accounts in some villages.

29. The investment of surplus funds of the State in the new Indian War Loan in the fasli and the renewal of the fixed deposits to mature in the beginning of the fasli account for the increase under "Interest on Government Promissory Notes and Bank Deposits".

30. Interest on "Other advances" included in the last fasli the interest realised on the special loan to a Sirdar of the State.

31. The increase under "Law and Justice, Courts" was under "Criminal Courts fines and forfeitures" which were heavier in the fasli.

32. The decrease under "Jails" was mainly due to the fall under "Jail manufacture" owing to the prohibitive price of the articles.

33. The decrease under "Pounds" was mainly under "Fines on stray cattle".

34. The decrease under "Education" was mainly due to the transfer of the State Lower Secondary classes in Tirumayyam to the newly opened Free High School at Ramachandrapuram very near Tirumayyam.

35. The increase under "Scientific and Minor departments" was due to the larger receipts from the State Agricultural Farm.

36. The increase under "Stationery and Printing" is explained *supra*.

37. The increase under "Miscellaneous" was mainly due to the fact that the Bank of Madras generously forewent the commission on the State investment in the new Indian War Loan. There were also increased lapses of deposits to the State.

38. The increase under "Civil works" was mainly due to (1) Rs. 11,313 the collection of the last fasli under "Tolls and Markets" adjusted in the fasli, (2) a larger contribution under "Irrigation works" and (3) sale of State Building and a Steam Road Roller.

EXPENDITURE.

39. The decrease under "Refund" occurred under "Land revenue". The refund of a lump sum to an Inamdar was a special item in fasli 1326.

40. "Allowance to the members of His Highness's family". The allowance of the Yuvaraja for 13 months was debited in the accounts of the fasli. In the last fasli this allowance was paid for five months only.

41. "Allowance to the members of the Chinnaraumanai Jaghire". The decrease of Rs. 950 was due to the absence in this fasli of the special payment in the last fasli of Rs. 1,000 to a member for medical fees and to the payment of increased house rent allowance of Rs. 50 in this fasli to the members.

42. "Stables". The decrease was due to the absence of the special items of expenditure incurred in the last fasli representing (1) the portion of the cost of His Highness's saloon, (2) the cost of putting up a saloon shed and (3) the cost of a motor car purchased.

43. "Superannuation". This is a fluctuating item.

44. "Allowance to the members of the late Western Palace Jaghire". The increase was due to the excess expenditure of (1) Rs. 715 under "Buildings-Repairs" and (2) Rs. 300 on the marriage expenses of the grandson of the late Western Palace Jaghirdar.

45. The increase under "Land Revenue" was mainly due to (1) the larger outlay in the acquisition of lands for village improvements, (2) extra cost incurred in the leave arrangements of the Dewan Peishkar and the clerical establishment.

46. The decrease under "Inam Settlement, Survey and Land Records" was due to the winding up of the temporary establishment.

47. The decrease under "Salt" was mainly due to the postponement to the next fasli of the supply of uniforms.

48. The decrease under "Stamps" was due to small savings in the fasli in the pay of Superintendent on leave and also to the large expenditure in the purchase of blank paper in the last fasli.

49. The increase under "Excise" was mainly due to the larger outlay in the fasli for the purchase of "Opium and Ganja".

50. The decrease under "Forest" was mainly due to the smaller outlay in the cutting and carting charges than in the previous fasli.

51. The increase under "Law and Justice, Courts" was mainly due to (1) the debit of the refund of magisterial fines to this head instead of to "Refunds" as in previous faslis and (2) the increased expenditure under "Establishment charges".

52. The increase under "Jails" was the net result of the increased expenditure under "Rations" consequent on the payment in the fasli of the maintenance charges of State life convicts in Andamans for the previous faslis and under "Uniforms" owing to a marked rise in price and of the decrease under "Jail Industries".

53. The increase under "Police" was the net result of the increase under the pay of the force due to the revision in the fasli and of the decrease under "Travelling allowances of the force" and under "Purchase of Arms and Ammunitions".

54. The increase under "Education" was mainly due to (1) the payment of arrear grants to State Schools, (2) the revision of the establishment of the Rani's Free Secondary School for girls and (3) the increased cost under "Permanent and temporary establishment" of the College staff and under "Supplies and Services" for the College.

55. The increase under "Medical" was the net result of the increased expenditure under all the items owing to the opening in the middle of the fasli of the Rani's Free Hospital for Women and Children and of the reduced outlay on "Medicines and Instruments" owing to the war.

56. The increase under "Vaccination" was mainly under "Establishment charges" and "Travelling allowances".

57. The increase under "State contributions and donations" was due to the special payment of (1) a lakh of rupees to the Madras Hospitalship and the increased monthly contribution to the same and (2) to the contribution paid to (*a*) Madras War Fund in lieu of sending the State Band to compete in His Excellency's Band Tournament, (*b*) Y. M. C. A. Emergency War Fund and (*c*) Queen Mary's Technical Institute, Bombay.

58. "His Highness's tours outside the State" No expenditure was incurred under this head.

59. The increse under "Agriculture" was the net result of the appointment of a full-time Manager to the Farm and excess expenditure under "Travelling Allowance".

60. The increase under "Veterinary Hospital" was due to the payment in the fasli of the cost of medicines purchased in the previous fasli.

61. The increase under "Museum" was due to (1) the revision in the scale of pay of the Curator, (2) the increased expenditure under "Travelling allowances" occasioned by sending State exhibits to the Madras Exhibition and by the purchase of specimens there and (3) the preparation of show cases, etc., for exhibits.

62. The decrease under "Archæological" was due to the closing of the field operations and the consequent abolition of temporary establishment.

63. "Exhibition". This was a special item in the fasli incurred in sending the exhibits to the Madras Exhibition.

64. The decrease under "Stationery and Printing" has been explained already.

65. The decrease under "Contributions to Municipality and Unions" was due to the fact that the Town Municipality and all the Unions, excepting Tirumayyam, had sufficient funds to their credit.

66. The increase under "Miscellaneous" was mainly due to the following special items of expenditure in the fasli (1) Rs. 2,43,745, loss in the conversion of 3½ per cent Government Securities in War Loan 1929—47, (2) Rs. 6,645 refund to a Sirdar of a portion of the interest collected on the special loan granted, (3) Rs. 7,030 increased payment under "Refund of lapsed deposits"—a fluctuating item, (4) Rs. 1,160, bonus given to officers who prepared the first volume of the State Manual and (5) Rs. 190 spent under "Recruiting". Against these there was a decrease of Rs. 4,817 under "Entertainment of guests—Indian" which was a special expenditure in the last fasli in connection with the entertainment of His Highness the Maharajah of Mysore.

67. The variations under "Irrigation" and "Civil works" have been dealt with in detail in the body of the report.

68. The increase under "Town Conservancy" was due to the cost of drawing up of a report for the drainage scheme of the Town of Pudukkottai by Mr. Hutton.

69. The increase under "Band" was due to the purchase of some musical instruments in the fasli.

DEBT HEADS.

These are fluctuating items and the variations under these call for no remarks.

STATEMENT II—(Para. 6 of report).

Receipts of the Pudukkottai State for Fasli 1327 as compared with the Actuals of Fasli 1326 and the Revised Estimate for Fasli 1327.

Group Heads.	Major Heads.	Revised Estimate for Fasli 1327 (1917—18).	Accounts for Fasli 1327 (1917—18).	1326 (1916—17).	1325 (1915—16).
		RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.
	Opening balance (Ordinary and Debt Heads).	3375585	3375585	2970592	2993368
	ORDINARY HEADS.				
	Opening balance	3062926	3062926	2850406	2839747
Principal Heads of Revenue.	Special offerings to Devastanams.	7550	9872	10004	7177
	Palace other items Receipts ...	8316	8566	2080	3643
	Land Revenue	953800	963332	977137	1013677
	Natham Settlement	65150	71867	74964	17084
	Salt	38000	38000	38000	38000
	Stamps	211900	230578	227105	223613
	Excise	254720	260100	255458	237135
	Assessed Taxes	...	...	...	...
	Forest	73960	79630	81773	73461
	Registration	32000	32022	33017	34069
	Total ...	1645396	1693967	1699538	1647859
Interest.	Interest on Government Securities.	72800	72762	35010	39396
	Interest on money deposited in Bank	65938	65938	25256	52185
	Interest on other advances ...	1775	1971	19586	2363
	Total ...	140513	140671	79852	93944
Receipts from Civil Departments.	Law and Justice—Courts	13350	14555	9975	12494
	Law and Justice—Jails	9660	9436	10752	9997
	Police	44	98	86	30
	Pounds	7300	7596	8304	7739
	Education	18870	18815	19582	20296
	Medical	850	1053	1057	1586
	Scientific & other Minor Departments	681	790	674	234
	Total ...	50755	52343	50430	52376
Miscellaneous.	Superannuation	4	3	250	1
	Stationery and Printing	1583	2190	1016	1147
	Miscellaneous	8100	11264	7232	10447
	Total ...	9687	13457	8498	11595
Railways	Income from Railways	45	45	...	...
Civil Works.	Tolls	67954	67973	42109	44470
	Market fees, Cartstand fees, etc. ...	23502	33827	25361	20721
	Total ...	91456	101800	67470	65191
Military.	Sale of horses, etc.	1210	1210	77	123
	Total Receipts excluding Debt Heads.	1939062	2003493	1905865	1871088
	Grand Total Receipts excluding Debt Heads.	5001988	5066419	4756871	4710835
	DEBT HEADS.				
Debt Heads.	Opening balance	312659	312659	120186	153621
	Deposits	...	...	75165	...
	Advances	8105	1240	92670	...
	Suspenses	...	...	9171	1257
	Remittances...	...	...	15467	...
	Total ...	8105	1240	192473	1257
	Grand Total Debt Heads ...	320764	313899	312659	154878
	Total Receipts including Debt Heads.	1947167	2004733	2098338	1872345
	Grand Total Receipts ...	5322752	5380318	5068930	4865713

Disbursements of the Pudukkottai State for Fasli 1327 as compared with the Actuals of Fasli 1326 and the Revised Estimate for Fasli 1327.

Group Heads.	Major Heads.	Revised Estimate for Fasli 1327 (1917-18).	Accounts for Fasli 1327 (1917-18).	Accounts for Fasli 1326 (1916-17).	Accounts for Fasli 1325 (1915-16).
	ORDINARY HEADS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.
Direct Demands on the Revenue and charges for collection.	Refunds	5800	6136	12123	15267
	Assignments to Religious and Charitable Institutions.	166906	147111	146136	139715
	Palace Other Items—				
	(1) Allowance to the members of His Highness's family.	37600	37600	29600	24910
	(2) Allowance to the members of the late Chinnaranmanai Jaghire.	24950	24950	25900	25600
	(3) Dignity, &c., establishment ...	20025	19790	19623	20521
	(4) Stables	14000	14121	27274	18400
	(5) Gardens	4621	2883	2928	2607
	(6) Feasts and ceremonies ...	2000	1848	1758	1692
	(7) Devadayam charges	1000	1068	1008	995
	(8) Superannuation	3500	3303	4121	4329
	(9) Palace repairs & improvements	2420	1609	1915	2365
	(10) Palace furniture	500	498	327	846
		110616	107640	114154	102265
	Compensation to the members of the late Western Palace Jaghire.	18000	21858	20813	18789
	Fixed allowance to the Rani of the State.	18000	18000	18000	18000
	Land Revenue	121754	120761	113032	110384
	Inam Settlement, Survey and Land Records.	11181	10815	22264	28680
	Salt	9961	9502	10268	10558
	Stamps	7575	5875	8359	8609
	Excise	23773	23067	20920	24267
	Forest	34631	31301	33263	32973
	Registration	22818	22258	22037	21739
	Total ...	551015	524707	541669	531241
Civil Departments.	General Administration—				
	(1) Privy Purse to His Highness the Raja.	174000	174000	174000	174000
	(2) Huzur Office	5006	4995	6363	7681
	(3) Darbar Office	55598	54728	53603	57149
		234604	233723	233966	238830
	Law and Justice—Courts ...	76929	77846	74371	71942
	Law and Justice—Jails	19642	17126	16110	16147
	Police	65289	58502	53856	52137
	Pounds	5925	5307	5110	5607
	Education	110031	107881	100927	92542
	Medical—				
	(a) Medical Relief	68209	55611	53400	36606
	(b) Vaccination	3455	3310	2861	3294

Disbursements of the Pudukkottai State for Fasli 1327 as compared with the Actuals of Fasli 1326 and the Revised Estimate for Fasli 1327—cont.

Group Heads.	Major Heads.	Revised Estimate for Fasli 1327 (1917-18).	Accounts for Fasli 1327 (1917-18).	Accounts for Fasli 1326 (1916-17).	Accounts for Fasli 1325 (1915-16).
		RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.
Civil Departments—*cont.*	Political	1850	1583	1871	1931
	State presents to Native States ...	...	...	...	...
	State contributions and donations.	111900	110950	7317	6800
	His Highness's tours outside the State.	121	121	16130	...
	Other items	900	900	900	900
		114771	113554	26221	9631
	Observatory	374	366	378	314
	Agriculture	4774	4349	3640	3001
	Veterinary Hospital	2752	2711	1347	2458
	Museum	3780	3847	2648	2689
	Archæological Survey	1220	1270	2477	2071
	Industrial and Arts Exhibition ...	1350	1447	...	40
	Co-operative Credit Societies ...	940	940	883	304
	Zoological gardens ...	500	404	427	224
		15690	15334	11800	11101
	Total ...	714545	688194	578922	537837
Miscellaneous.	Superannuation	44812	44044	44606	44398
	Stationery and Printing	23160	12598	23026	28768
	Contributions to Municipality and Unions.	5000	3000	14000	19000
	Other miscellaneous	269025	266016	12063	10088
	Total ...	341997	325658	93695	102254
Railways.	Railways	...	...	500	...
Irrigation.	Irrigation	95000	86039	113845	112330
Civil Works.	Civil Buildings	226425	180651	204805	382523
	Communications	93615	86339	80554	97286
	Town Conservancy	1500	1669	163	13911
	Markets and Cartstands	859	290	284	499
	Village Conservancy	14550	6825	7644	7444
	Establishment	42475	41300	40357	37272
	Tools and Plant	1000	482	701	5065
	Miscellaneous	35	50	...	...
	Total ...	380459	317606	334508	544000
Military.	Infantry and His Highness's Body-Guard.	23325	21568	21880	24219
	Band	9180	9546	8326	8548
	Total ...	32505	31114	30206	32767
	Total Expenditure excluding Debt Heads.	2115521	1973318	1693345	1860429
	Closing balance excluding Debt Heads.	2886467	3093101	3062926	2850406
	Grand Total excluding Debt Heads.	5001988	5066419	4756271	4710835

Disbursements of the Pudukkottai State for Fasli 1327 as compared with the Actuals of Fasli 1326 and the Revised Estimate for Fasli 1327—cont.

Group Heads.	Major Heads.	Revised Estimate for Fasli 1327 (1917-18).	Accounts for Fasli 1327 (1917-18).	1326 (1916-17).	1325 (1915-16).
Debt Heads.	Debt Heads.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.
	Deposits	138000	142229	...	15896
	Advances	...	...	...	2770
	Suspenses	5000	1212	...	...
	Remittances	...	50087	...	16026
	Total ...	143000	193528	...	34692
	Closing balance (Debt Heads) ...	177764	120371	312659	120186
	Grand Total (Debt Heads) ...	320764	313899	312659	154878
	Total Expenditure including Debt Heads.	2258521	2166846	1693345	1895121
	Closing balance including Debt Heads.	3064231	3213472	3375585	2970592
	Grand Total ...	5322752	5380318	5068930	4865713

STATEMENT II—A.

Palace Expenditure.

No.	Description of charges.	Actuals of Fasli 1326.	Actuals of Fasli 1327.
		RS.	RS.
1	His Highness's privy purse...	174000	174000
2	Allowance to the members of His Highness's family ...	29600	37600
3	Allowance to the members of the late Chinnaranmanai Jaghire.	25900	24950
4	Stables...	27274	14121
5	Dignity, etc., Establishment	19623	19790
6	Palace repairs and improvements	1915	1609
7	Palace furniture	327	498
8	Feasts and Ceremonies	1758	1818
9	Devadayam charges	1008	1068
10	Superannuation	4121	3303
11	Gardens	2928	2883
12	Fixed allowance to the Rani...	18000	18000
13	State Contributions and Donations	7317	110950
14	Original Works to His Highness's Bungalows at Kodaikanal, Trichinopoly and Pudukkottai.	121301	109829
15	Repairs to Do. do. ...	8966	7999
16	Band	8326	9546
	Total ...	452364	537964

STATEMENT III—(Para. 16 of report).

Statement of Laws in force in the Pudukkottai State, Fasli 1327 (1917—1918).

Description.	Whether adopted from British Indian Acts.	Remarks.
Regulation for recovery of arrears of Revenue and other moneys due to the Sirkar in the Pudukkottai Territory, II of 1880.	Yes.	Amended by Regulations V of 1903, III of 1905, I of 1909 and II of 1911.
Regulation II of 1882—A Regulation to declare certain British Indian Acts as law in the State.	...	Amended by Regulations II of 1892, V of 1911, II of 1913 and III of 1913.
Pudukkottai Abkari Regulation, I of 1890 ...	Yes.	Amended by Regulations I of 1909 and I of 1915.
Breaches of Contract Regulation, I of 1891 ...	...	Amended by Regulation I of 1909.
Regulation to adopt British Indian Small Cause Courts Act (IX of 1887)—II of 1882.		
Pudukkottai Arms Regulation, III of 1892 ...	Yes.	Amended by Regulations I of 1909 and II of 1915.
Pudukkottai Extradition Regulation, IV of 1892 ...	Yes.	Amended by Regulations I of 1909 and VI of 1912.
Pudukkottai Earth-salt suppression Regulation, I of 1893 ...	Yes.	Amended by Regulation I of 1909.
Pudukkottai Police Regulation, II of 1893. ...	Yes.	Amended by Regulations III of 1907 and I of 1909.
Regulation for avoiding loss by the default of Public Accountants, I of 1895.	Yes.	Amended by Regulation I of 1909.
Pudukkottai Court Fees Regulation, III of 1895 ...	Yes,	Amended by Regulations II of 1896, IV of 1908, I of 1909 and II of 1909.
Regulation to assimilate the law relating to Post offices in the State to that applicable for the time being to Post offices in British India, I of 1896.	...	Amended by Regulation II of 1899.
Amendment to Court Fees Regulation, (III of 1895) II of 1896 ...		
Regulation protecting Judges, Magistrates, and other persons acting judicially, III of 1896.		
Regulation to give effect to certain unregistered leases of immoveable property, belonging to the Chinnaranmanai Jaghire, IV of 1896.		
Regulation for the punishment of gambling and keeping common gaming houses in the State, I of 1897.		
Regulation to provide for the better prevention of the outbreak or spread of dangerous Epidemic diseases, II of 1897.	Yes.	Amended by Regulation I of 1909.
Regulation to make better provision for sanitation in the Pudukkottai State, I of 1898.	...	Do.
Regulation to amend section 75 of the Indian Penal Code in force in the State, I of 1899.		
Pudukkottai Post offices Amendment Regulation, II of 1899 ...		
Regulation to provide for the issue of a warrant for the arrest and surrender of persons accused of having done an act amounting to an offence under the Criminal Tribes Act (XXVII of 1871), and who may be found within the State, III of 1899.	...	Do.
Regulation for compelling persons resorting to public offices to record their finger impressions when required to do so by certain officers, IV of 1899.		
Regulation for the Prevention of cruelty to animals, I of 1901 ...	...	Do.
Pudukkottai Tolls Regulation, II of 1901 ...	...	Amended by Regulations III of 1903, 1 of 1909 and III of 1915.
Pudukkottai Glanders and Farcy Regulation, I of 1902 ...	...	Amended by Regulation I of 1909.

Description.	Whether adopted from British Indian Acts.	Remarks.
Pudukkottai Compulsory Vaccination and Town Vital Statistics Registration Regulation, I of 1903.	...	Amended by Regulations I of 1909 and III of 1912.
Pudukkottai Registration of Births and Deaths Regulation, II of 1903.		
Pudukkottai Tolls amending Regulation, III of 1903 ...		
Pudukkottai Customary and Compulsory Labour Regulation, IV of 1903, known also as Kudimaramath Regulation.	...	Amended by Regulations I of 1909 and I of 1913.
Revenue Recovery Amending Regulation, V of 1903 ...	...	Amended by Regulation I of 1909.
Railway Protection Regulation, (regarding repairs to Railway-affecting irrigation works), VI of 1903.	Yes.	Do.
Pudukkottai Registration Regulation, I of 1905 ...	Yes.	Amended by Regulation I of 1909, III of 1909 and II of 1917.
Pudukkottai Stamps, Regulation II of 1905 ...	Yes.	Amended by Regulation IV of 1911.
The Revenue Recovery Amending Regulation, III of 1905 ...		
Printing Presses, News-papers, and Books Regulation, I of 1906 ...	Yes.	Amended by Regulation IV of 1907.
Pudukkottai Majority Regulation, I of 1907 ...	Yes.	
Pudukkottai Guardians and Wards Regulation, II of 1907 ...	Yes.	
Regulation to amend Pudukkottai Police Regulation, (II of 1893) III of 1907.		
Regulation to amend Printing Presses, News-papers, Books Regulation, (I of 1906) IV of 1907.	Yes.	
Regulation for the encouragement of learning in the Pudukkottai State, V of 1907.	Yes.	
Pudukkottai Transportation Regulation, I of 1908 ...	Yes.	
Regulation for the incorporation, Regulation for winding up of Trading companies and other Accociations, II of 1908.	Yes.	
Regulation to amend the Pudukkottai Court Fees Regulation, (1895) Regulation No. IV of 1908.		
Regulation No. I of 1909—The Pudukkottai Amending Regulation...		
Regulation No. II of 1909—The Regulation to amend the Pudukkottai Court Fees Regulation, 1895.		
Regulation No. III of 1909—The Pudukkottai Registration amendment Regulation.		
Regulation No. IV of 1909—The Pudukkottai Village Conservancy Regulation.		
Regulation No. I of 1910—The Pudukkottai Chief Court and Second Appeals Regulation.	...	Amended by Regulation IV of 1918.
Regulation No. II of 1910—The Pudukkottai Survey and Boundaries Regulation.		
Regulation No. III of 1910—The Pudukkottai Census Regulation ...	Yes.	
Regulation No. I of 1911—A Regulation to facilitate enquiries into matters connected with the administration of revenue and into the conduct of Public Servants.		
Regulation No. II of 1911—The Pudukkottai Revenue Arrears Recovery Amendment Regulation.		
Regulation No. III of 1911—The Succession Certificate Regulation.		
Regulation No. IV of 1911—A Regulation to amend the Pudukkottai Stamp Regulation, 1905.		
Regulation No. V of 1911—The Pudukkottai Amending Regulation of 1911.		
Regulation No. I of 1912—The Pudukkottai Treasure Trove Regulation.		
Regulation No. II of 1912—The Pudukkottai Municipal Regulation, 1912.	...	Amended by Regulations VIII of 1912 and V of 1915.
Regulation No. III of 1912—A Regulation to amend Regulation I of 1903, The Pudukkottai Compulsory Vaccination and Town Vital Statistics Registration Regulation of 1903, as amended by Regulation, I of 1909.		

Description.	Whether adopted from British Indian Acts.	Remarks.
Regulation No. IV of 1912—The Pudukkottai Land Acquisition Regulation.	Yes.	
Regulation No. V of 1912—A Regulation to make provision for the protection and management of Forests in the Pudukkottai State.	Yes.	
Regulation No. VI of 1912—The Pudukkottai Extradition Amendment Regulation.		
Regulation No. VII of 1912—The Pudukkottai Religious and Charitable Endowments Regulation.		
Regulation No. VIII of 1912—Regulation to amend the Pudukkottai Municipal Regulation, No. II of 1912.		
Regulation No. IX of 1912—The Places of Public Resort Regulation.		
Regulation No. I of 1913—Customary and Compulsory Labour Regulation Amendment Regulation.		
Regulation No. II of 1913—Pudukkottai Regulation introducing certain Acts of British Indian Legislature.	Yes.	
Regulation No. III of 1913—The Amending Regulation ...		
Regulation No. I of 1914—Suits Authorisation Regulation ...		
Regulation No. II of 1914—Immunity from Arrest Regulation ...		
Regulation No. III of 1914—Naval and Military News Regulation...		
Regulation No. I of 1915—Abkari Amendment Regulation ...		
Regulation No. II of 1915—Arms Regulation Amending Regulation.		
Regulation No. III of 1915—Tolls Amending Regulation ...		
Regulation No. IV of 1915—Pudukkottai Traffic Regulation ...		
Regulation No. V of 1915—Pudukkottai Municipal Amending Regulation.		
Regulation No. VI of 1915—The Pudukkottai Regulation, No. VI of 1915, introducing the Madras Co-operative Credit Societies Act and The Land Encroachment Act with Amendments.	Yes.	
Regulation No. I of 1916—The British Indian Criminal Tribes Act Introduction Regulation.	Yes.	
Regulation No. II of 1916—The Pudukkottai State Provident Fund Regulation.		
Regulation No. I of 1917—Regulation to control and regulate the importation, possession and transport of Petroleum and other substances.	Yes.	
Regulation No. II of 1917—Registration Regulation Amending Regulation.		
Regulation No. III of 1917—Hindu Transfers and Bequests Regulation.		
Regulation No. IV of 1917—The Pudukkottai Motor Vehicles Regulation.	Yes.	
Regulation No. V of 1917—Pudukkottai Game Preservation Regulation.		
Regulation No. I of 1918—Pudukkottai Prisons Regulation, 1918 ...		
Regulation No. II of 1918—The Pudukkottai Stamp (Amendment) Regulation, 1918.		
Regulation No. III of 1918—The Pudukkottai Limitation (Amending) Regulation, No. III of 1918.		
Regulation No. IV of 1918—The Pudukkottai Chief Court and Second Appeals Amending Regulation, No. IV of 1918		

STATEMENT IV—(Para. 22 of report).

Statement of Rainfall in the Pudukkottai State for Fasli 1327 (1917—1918).

Stations.	July 17.	August.	September.	October.	November.	December.	January 18.	February.	March.	April.	May.	June 18.	Total.	Total of Fasli 1326	Average of past 5 Fasalis.	Remarks.
Pudukkottai ...	1·01	13·35	4·05	3·85	8·95	2·19	1·78	0·19	0·25	0·00	1·96	1·42	39·00	44·80	38·59	
Alangudi ...	3·92	7·96	2·51	2·56	10·79	0·80	1·02	0·10	1·67	0·00	1·32	1·50	34·15	37·33	34·56	
Karambakkudi ...	1·09	11·39	10·59	3·25	11·14	2·64	1·99	0·12	0·32	0·00	1·82	0·76	45·11	30·96	33·53	
Tirumayyam ...	2·47	11·20	6·55	9·46	8·71	3·28	2·71	0·07	0·45	0·00	1·16	0·51	46·57	44·41	39·95	
Keelanilai ...	2·92	10·67	6·48	6·27	7·71	2·95	2·95	0·00	0·00	0·00	2·29	2·78	45·02	30·24	28·38	
Kolattur ...	3·41	8·92	16·34	4·80	5·31	0·87	1·50	0·00	0·00	0·00	1·29	1·38	43·82	35·77	34·59	
Viralimalai ...	0·00	8·74	10·99	7·65	5·21	0·87	3·15	0·00	1·08	0·00	4·51	2·51	44·71	33·77	36·37	
Odayalippatti ...	2·30	11·24	10·09	2·75	5·88	0·00	0·70	0·30	0·93	0·16	2·29	2·60	39·24	30·45	31·91	
Annavasal ...	1·65	6·70	10·26	5·56	3·53	1·95	1·82	0·00	0·44	0·00	3·03	1·55	36·55	30·80	35·40	
Ponnamaravathi ...	00·0	8·50	4·30	1·00	2·60	1·30	1·06	0·00	0·75	0·00	0·75	0·10	20·30	16·44	29·92	
Adanakkottai ...	0·98	5·51	6·31	2·18	8·06	0·55	1·77	0·40	1·32	0·00	2·30	0·50	20·88	34·40	31·08	

STATEMENT V—(Para. 23 of report).

Statement of the prices of Staple Food-Grains for Fasli 1327 (1917—1918).

Number.	Article.	During June of Fasli 1326.	During June of Fasli 1327.	Remarks.
		Seers.	Seers.	
1	Paddy ...	14·59	13·94	
2	Ragi ...	13·80	14·24	
3	Cholam ...	14·27	13·69	
4	Cumbu ...	14·30	14·03	

STATEMENT VI—(Paras. 26 and 27 of report).

Statement showing the Talukwar particulars of the Land Revenue Demand, Collection and Balance for Fasli 1327 (1917—1918).

Taluk.	Demand.	Collection.			Balance.	Percentage of collection.	Advance collection.	Remarks.
		Collection.	Written off or adjusted from excess collection of previous fasli.	Total.				
	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.		RS.	
Alangudi ...	306711	302282	1408	303690	3021	99·02	1362	
Tirumayyam ...	328001	322560	2293	324853	*3148	99·05	2274	
Kolattur ...	328220	323499	2017	325516	2704	99·18	1183	
Miscellaneous items which do not pass through village accounts.	1458	1458	...	1458	...	100	...	
Grand Total for F. 1327	964390	949799	5718	955517	*8873	99·08	4819	
Grand Total Demand for F. 1326.	980837	965230	5322	970552	10285	98·95	7205	

* Includes Rs. 161 the collection of which has been deferred pending Inam Survey and Settlement.

STATEMENT VII—(Para. 28 of report).

Statement showing the Talukwar particulars of the Demand, Collection and Balance of Old arrears under all items for Fasli 1327 (1917–1918).

Taluk.	Demand.	Collection.			Balance.	Percentage of collection.	Advance collection.	Remarks.
		Collection.	Written off or adjusted from excess collection of previous fasli.	Total.				
	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.		RS.	
Alangudi ...	5991	3420	233	3653	2338	91·86	17	
Tirumayyam ...	5698	3122	785	3907	1791	95·98	9	
Kolattur ...	3261	2135	927	3062	199	100	12	
Total ...	14950	8677	1945	10622	*4328	95·61	38	

* Includes Rs. 3,810 the collection of which has been deferred pending Inam Survey and Settlement.

STATEMENT VIII—(Para. 28 of report).

Fasliwar details for the balance of Old arrears, as per Statement No. VII Fasli 1327 (1917–1918).

Name of Taluk.	Up to Fasli 1324.	Fasli 1325.	Fasli 1326.	Total.	Remarks.
	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	
Alangudi	1874	74	390	2338	
Tirumayyam	1294	161	336	1791	
Kolattur	181	9	9	199	
Total ...	3349	244	735	4328	

STATEMENT IX.

Statement showing the number of villages, irrigation sources, etc., in the Pudukkottai State—Fasli 1327 (1917–1918).

Departments.	Villages.		Sources of Irrigation.																						Houses.					Population.		
			Rivers.		Lakes.		Yendals.		Tanks.		Channels		Jungle streams.		Wells.		Anicuts.															
	Villages.	Hamlets.	In repair.	In disrepair.	In repair.	In disrepair.	In repair.	In disrepair.	In repair.	In disrepair.	In repair.	In disrepair.	In repair.	In disrepair.	In repair.	In disrepair.	In repair.	In disrepair.	Total.	Thatched.	Tiled.	Terraced.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.
Ayan	427	1511			4	766	153306	218	2962	334	171	123965	247	18831	1627	85	3	79737	5489	1815	87041	196566	215320	411886
Inam, etc.	16																															
Total ...	443	1511																														

Departments.	Cattle.												Cultivators.			Plongths.	Remarks.
	Bullocks.	Cows.	Calves.	He-Buffaloes.	She-Buffaloes.	Buffalo Calves.	Sheep.	Total.	Resident ryots	Non-Resident ryots.	Total.						
Ayan	94550	55463	29486	7634	18671	8762	3401	8154	59005	19413	78503	56130					
Inam, etc.																	

STATEMENT X.

An abstract showing in one view the gross extent of lands of every description in the Pudukkottai State—Fasli 1327 (1917–1918).

Number.	Items.	Extent of land in acres.	Revenue.	Remarks.
1	2	3	4	5
		A.	Rs.	
1	Total area of the State	754291		*Includes Inam Poramboke also. †Gross assessment without deducting the increment and other remissions.
	Deduct—			
2	Game preserves	33561		
3	Poramboke and unclassified lands	*211931		
4	Assessed wastes	43642		
	Total ...	289134		
	Remainder—			
5	Occupied { Inam	141282	130187	
	Occupied { Ayan	323875	†734766	
	Total ...	465157	864953	

STATEMENT XI.

Statement showing the Demand under Land Revenue in the Pudukkottai State for Fasli 1327 (1917–1918).

Items.	As per Jamabandi of Fasli 1327.		Remarks.
	Extent of lands.	Demand.	
	Acres.	Rs.	
Assessment on occupied Ayan lands ...	323875	*732686	*Net assessment excluding baling and other remissions.
Quit-rent and cesses on Inam lands ...	141282	130187	
Assessment on assessed lands occupied without patta.		2962	
Charges for occupation of Poramboke lands.		11111	
Water rate		4008	
Tree revenue of all sorts		25934	
Sale proceeds of Kudiswamiyam right ...		40694	
Sale of house-sites in non-chetty parts ...		2433	
Land Revenue miscellaneous items ...		6959	
Chinnaranmanai and Ayan Inam arrears as per village account No. 5 (5).		5958	
Miscellaneous items which do not pass through village accounts.		1458	
Total ...	465157	964390	

STATEMENT XII.

List of Agricultural stock in the Alangudi, Tirumayyam and Kolattur Taluks, Pudukkottai State, during Fasli 1327 (1917—1918).

Taluks.	Fasli.	Horses and Cattle.									Ploughs.		Carts.	
		Bullocks.	Cows.	Buffaloes. Male.	Buffaloes. Female.	Horses.	Mares.	Colts and fillies.	Asses.	Sheep and goats.	With two bullocks.	With four bullocks.	Riding.	Load carrying.
Alangudi	1917—1918 Fasli 1327.	36060	16906	3185	8122	301	121	19	190	67210	19084	...	845	4003
Tirumayyam ...		35897	22117	5439	8336	117	86	12	327	124792	18793	...	157	5373
Kolattur		34938	27581	2967	7018	20	24	4	165	148179	18253	...	11	4152
	Total ...	106895	66604	11591	23476	438	231	35	682	340181	56130	...	1013	13528

STATEMENT XIII—(Para. 44 of report).

Statement showing the Excise shops and Excise Revenue of the Abkari department during Fasli 1327 (1917—1918).

Name of State.	Country Liquor. Number of shops.	Country Liquor. Revenue.	Toddy. Number of shops.	Toddy. Revenue.	Opium and Ganja. Number of shops.	Opium and Ganja. Revenue.	Country beer and Foreign liquor. Number of shops.	Country beer and Foreign liquor. Revenue.	Miscellaneous receipts.	Total. Number of shops.	Total. Revenue.	Remarks.
		RS. A. P.		RS. A. P.		RS. A. P.		RS. A. P.	RS.		RS. A. P.	
Pudukkottai	66	89630 0 0	143	147966 0 0	1	7902 0 0	2	7380 0 0	1551	212	254429 0 0	

STATEMENT XIV—(Para. 63 of report).

Registration of documents in the Pudukkottai State during Fasli 1327 (1917—1918).

Name of State.	Documents presented for registration. Fasli 1326.	Documents presented for registration. Fasli 1327.	Nature of documents presented. Mortgages. Fasli 1326.	Mortgages. Fasli 1327.	Sale-deeds. Fasli 1326.	Sale-deeds. Fasli 1327.	Wills. Fasli 1326.	Wills. Fasli 1327.	Money bonds. Fasli 1326.	Money bonds. Fasli 1327.	Miscellaneous. Fasli 1326.	Miscellaneous. Fasli 1327.	Documents registered. Fasli 1326.	Documents registered. Fasli 1327.	Value of documents registered. Fasli 1326.	Value of documents registered. Fasli 1327.	Documents of which registration has been refused. Fasli 1326.	Documents of which registration has been refused. Fasli 1327.	Documents pending enquiry at the close of the fasli. Fasli 1326.	Documents pending enquiry at the close of the fasli. Fasli 1327.	Remarks.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22
															RS.	RS.					
Pudukkottai ...	15711	14271	6341	5596	7747	7292	35	42	474	376	1114	965	15627	14223	5488720	5520572	118	105	83	105	

STATEMENT XV—(Para. 63 of report).

Statement showing the quantity of the work done, the revenue collected and the expenditure incurred by the Registration Department during Fasli 1327 (1917—1918).

Names of offices.	Number of documents relating to immovable property.	Number of documents relating to movable property.	Wills and authorities to adopt.	Total number of documents.	Value of documents.	Number of documents registered on payment of penalty.	Number of attendances at private residences.	Number of cases in which registration was refused.	Number of searches made.	Number of copies of documents given.	Number of memoranda forwarded.	Number of memoranda received.	Number of powers of attorney attested.	Number of documents returned to parties on payment of safe custody fees.	Receipts.	Expenditure.	Difference.	Remarks.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19
					RS.										RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.	
Pudukkottai ...	1147	81	13	1541	1035101	11	28	13	1071	807	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	82	8055 12 3	7981 12 5	—723 [illegible]	
Alangudi	1292	105	2	1399	365626	17	1	16	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	23	[illegible]	[illegible]	+210 [illegible]	
Karambakkudi	1039	81	...	1103	148556	9	2	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	13	[illegible]	2158 [illegible]	—519 13 [illegible]	
Malayur	832	66	...	898	145595	7	[illegible]	13	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	17	[illegible]	[illegible]	—307 [illegible]	
Perungalur ..	[illegible]	17	2	1156	214862	13	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	25	[illegible]	1757 [illegible]	—[illegible]	
Tirumayam	1181	158	4	1641	[illegible]	15	15	13	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	22	[illegible]	2477 [illegible]	+2[illegible]	
Pommaiyanathapuram	[illegible]	74	3	[illegible]	[illegible]	7	5	[illegible]	18	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	
Keelamilur	818	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	4	1	5	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	
Karaiyur ..	[illegible]	8	1	1037	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	
Kolattur	[illegible]	[illegible]	6	[illegible]	[illegible]	9	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	
Viralimalai	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	
Annavasal ...	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	
Total	[illegible]	[illegible]	12	[illegible]	[illegible]	101	61	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	
Deduct ¼ of the expenditure debitable to Law & Justice Courts of Law.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	
																—7419 3 1	+7419 3 1	
Total ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	22257 9 11	9763 14 9	

STATEMENT XVI—(Para. 65 of report).

Statement showing the receipts and expenditure on account of Registration during Fasli 1327 (1917—1918).

Description.	Fasli 1326.					Fasli 1327.					Remarks
	Number of deeds.	Value of property.	Fees realised.			Number of deeds.	Value of property.	Fees realised.			
		RS.	RS.	A.	P.		RS.	RS.	A.	P.	
Book No. I (relating to immovable property).	14683	4907012				13331	5032657				
Book No. IV (relating to movable property).	909	581708	33017	4	...	799	487915	32021	8	8	
Book III (Wills)	35	...				42	...				
Other receipts	...	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	
Total ...	15627	5488720	33017	4	...	14223	5520572	32021	8	8	
Deduct expenditure ...	...	...	22037	...	6	...	...	22257	9	11	
Net profit ...	...	...	10980	3	6	...	...	9763	14	9	

STATEMENT XVII—(Para. 71 of report).

Statement showing the No. of crimes committed, No. of cases disposed of, and cases awaiting trial in the Pudukkottai State during Fasli 1327 (1917—1918).

Description of offences.	No. of Offences. Balance from last fasli.	Committed during Fasli 1327.	Total.	No. of cases disposed of during F. 1326.	No. of cases disposed of during F. 1327.	No. of persons apprehended.	No. of persons convicted.	No. of persons sentenced. Imprisonment. Simple.	Rigorous.	Imprisonment & fine. Simple.	Rigorous.	Fine only.	Whipping.	Total.	No. of persons acquitted or discharged.	No. of persons otherwise disposed of.	No. of persons died during or before trial.	Terms of Imprisonment. Under 1 month.	From 1 to 2 months.	From 2 to 3 months.	From 3 to 6 months.	From 6 to 12 months.	From 1 to 2 years.	From 2 to 3 years.	From 3 to 5 years.	Above 5 years.	Transportation.	Capital punishment.	Awaiting trial cases.	Awaiting trial persons.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	31
Indian Penal Code.																														
Cognizable Offences.																														
231, 263, 467, 471: Offences relating to coins, stamps, and Government Notes.	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
224–226: Offences against public justice	...	9	9	6	6	9	3	1	1	...	...	1	...	3	2	...	1	...	1	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	3
143–153, 157, 158: Rioting or unlawful assembly ...	4	23	27	21	21	275	23	...	...	...	...	23	...	23	152	...	31	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6	69
140, 170, 171; Personating public servant or soldier.	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
302: Murder	...	2	2	1	1	2	1	...	...	...	1	...	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	*1	...	...	...	...	1	1
307: Attempts at murder	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
325, 326, 335: Grievous hurt...	...	3	3	1	2	4	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	2
327, 330, 332: Hurt for the purpose of extorting property or confession.	...	5	5	1	4	21	1	...	...	1	...	...	...	1	13	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	7
324: Hurt by dangerous weapons	...	16	16	11	15	37	3	...	...	...	...	3	...	3	18	...	16	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...
363–369: Kidnapping or abduction	...	6	6	12	5	18	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	11	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	7
346–348: Wrongful confinement and restraint in secret for extortion.	...	1	1	...	1	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
353, 354, 356, 357: Criminal force to public servant or woman or in attempt to commit theft or wrongfully confine.	3	7	10	3	8	25	7	...	...	4	1	2	...	7	17	...	...	2	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	1
338: Rash act causing grievous hurt	...	1	1	1	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
395: Dacoity	2	6	8	10	5	10	1	...	...	...	1	...	...	1	3	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	3	6
394, 397, 398: Robbery with hurt by other means...	1	1	2	...	2	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
392, 393: Other robberies	4	20	24	15	18	37	2	...	2	...	...	...	...	2	28	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	6	7
270, 281, 282, 428, 430–433, 435–440: Serious mischief and cognate offences.	...	22	22	23	21	70	16	...	...	...	...	16	...	16	53	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1
454, 455, 457–460: Lurking house-trespass or house-breaking with intent to commit an offence or having made preparation for hurt.	...	24	24	26	22	51	20	1	19	...	...	...	...	20	25	...	...	2	2	2	5	4	5	...	...	...	...	...	2	6
449–452: House-trespass with a view to commit an offence or having made preparation for hurt.	1	9	10	2	8	19	8	...	...	4	1	3	...	8	9	...	...	4	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	2
341–344: Wrongful restraint or confinement ...	...	9	9	15	8	27	5	...	...	...	...	5	...	5	12	...	7	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	3
336, 337: Rash act causing hurt or endangering life.	...	5	5	1	5	5	3	...	...	...	...	3	...	3	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
429: Mischief (simple)	1	...	1	1	1	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
453, 456: Lurking house-trespass or house-breaking	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
379–382: Theft of cattle	6	25	31	31	26	64	21	1	19	...	1	...	...	21	33	...	...	...	5	1	14	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	5	10
379–382: Ordinary theft	26	319	345	258	310	685	114	5	26	4	8	62	8	114	469	...	13	4	10	4	11	11	1	2	...	...	...	...	35	89
406–408: Criminal breach of trust	2	41	43	28	38	38	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	1	35	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5	2
409: Do. by public servants bankers, etc.	2	3	5	4	5	6	3	...	1	2	...	...	...	3	3	...	...	2	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
411–414: Receiving stolen property...	1	4	5	8	5	13	3	2	...	...	...	1	...	3	9	...	1	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
420: Cheating	...	5	5	5	5	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
447, 448: Criminal or house-trespass	7	111	118	101	112	271	26	1	...	2	...	23	...	26	103	...	120	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6	22
269, 277, 279, 280, 283, 285, 286, 289, 291–294: Public and local nuisances.	1	95	96	78	96	99	91	...	...	...	...	91	...	91	7	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
225-B: Rescue...	1	8	12	20	10	12	6	...	...	...	...	6	...	6	4	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	1
Total ...	65	780	845	687	761	1806	358	11	69	17	13	239	8	358	1015	1	194	17	24	8	31	20	6	3	1	...	...	...	84	239
Non-cognizable Offences.																														
172–190, 201–204, 213–215, 227, 228: Offences against public justice.	4	6	10	22	9	10	9	...	...	...	...	9	...	9	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...
161–169, 217–223: Offences by public servants ...	...	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
193–200, 205–211, 229, 421–424: False evidence, false complaints and claims.	2	44	46	16	43	127	26	1	...	3	...	22	...	26	89	...	7	1	...	2	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	3	5
465–477: Forgery or fraudulently using forged documents.	...	7	7	3	6	9	3	...	3	...	...	...	...	3	6	...	...	...	...	1	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...
264-267: Offences relating to weighing and measuring.	...	...	...	5	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
149, 154–156, 160: Rioting, unlawful assembly, affray.	...	3	3	2	3	6	6	...	...	...	...	6	...	6	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
323: Hurt (simple)	20	497	517	517	496	1232	56	...	...	...	...	56	...	56	306	...	834	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	21	36
384–389: Extortion	1	3	4	2	2	16	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	10
334: Hurt on grave or sudden provocation ...	...	1	1	1	1	1	1	...	...	...	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
352, 355, 358: Criminal force	10	263	273	188	271	449	18	...	...	...	...	18	...	18	57	...	373	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	1

Statement showing the No. of crimes committed, No. of cases disposed of, and cases awaiting trial in the Pudukkottai State during Fasli 1327 (1917–1918)—cont.

Description of offences.	No. of Offences.						No. of persons convicted.	No. of persons sentenced.							No. of persons acquitted or discharged.	No. of persons otherwise disposed of.	No. of persons died during or before trial.	Terms of Imprisonment.											Capital punishment.	Awaiting trial cases.	Awaiting trial persons.
	Balance from last fasli.	Committed during Fasli 1327.	Total.	No. of cases disposed of during F. 1326.	No. of cases disposed of during F. 1327.	No. of persons apprehended.		Imprisonment. Simple.	Imprisonment. Rigorous.	Imprisonment & fine. Simple.	Imprisonment & fine. Rigorous.	Fine only.	Whipping.	Total.				Under 1 month.	From 1 to 2 months.	From 2 to 3 months.	From 3 to 6 months.	From 6 to 12 months.	From 1 to 2 years.	From 2 to 3 years.	From 3 to 5 years.	Above 5 years.	Transportation.				
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	31
417–419: Cheating	...	...	...	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
403–404: Criminal misappropriation of property ...	...	...	...	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
426, 427, 434: Mischief (simple)	3	127	130	141	126	187	4	...	...	...	...	4	...	4	47	...	130	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4	6
493–498: Offences relating to marriage	...	6	6	8	5	14	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	10	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	3
500–502: Defamation	3	5	8	9	8	15	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4	...	11	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
504, 506–510: Intimidation and Insult	9	302	311	194	299	538	20	...	...	...	...	20	...	20	145	...	353	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	12	20
271–276, 278, 284, 287, 288, 290: Public and Local nuisances.	...	1	1	...	1	1	1	...	...	...	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Total ...	52	1265	1317	1116	1270	2605	144	1	3	3	...	137	...	144	670	...	1710	1	...	3	1	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	47	81
Other Laws.																														
Cattle Trespass Act, I of 1871	...	35	35	58	35	70	3	...	...	...	...	3	...	3	8	...	59	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Motor Regulation	...	6	6	14	4	6	2	...	...	...	...	2	...	2	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	2
Traffic Regulation	...	70	70	79	70	70	70	...	...	...	...	70	...	70	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Police Regulation	5	1170	1175	1262	1166	1182	1156	...	...	...	...	1156	...	1156	14	...	4	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	9	8
Abkari Regulation, No. I of 1890	...	15	15	8	15	16	15	...	...	...	...	15	...	15	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Stage carriage Rules	1	109	110	145	110	110	106	...	...	...	...	106	...	106	4	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Forest Regulation	2	147	149	152	147	398	325	...	...	...	...	325	...	325	43	...	24	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	6
Births and deaths Regulation	...	1	1	55	1	1	1	...	...	...	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Cruelty to Animals Act	...	161	161	98	159	159	159	...	...	...	...	159	...	159	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...
Maintenance under section 488, Cr. P. C.	3	3	6	3	6	6	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	‡2	...	...	4	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Workman's breach of Contract Act	1	43	44	44	44	45	3	...	...	...	...	3	...	3	6	...	36	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Security for good behaviour (section 110, Cr. P. C.).	4	10	14	29	9	15	4	...	2	...	...	...	...	§4	6	...	1	...	...	...	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	5	4
Arms Regulation	...	9	9	4	9	9	6	...	...	...	...	6	...	6	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Gambling Regulation	...	17	17	9	16	93	62	...	...	...	...	62	...	62	21	...	9	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1
Municipal Regulation...	4	102	106	38	102	100	95	...	...	...	...	95	...	95	1	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4	2
Registration Regulation	...	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Vaccination Regulation	...	93	93	4	93	99	46	...	...	...	...	46	...	46	37	...	16	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Brick License Regulation	...	2	2	2	1	1	1	...	...	...	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...
Possession under (section 145, Cr. P. C).	3	15	18	4	15	15	12	...	...	...	...	...	...	12	5	...	25	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	11
Stamp Regulation	1	15	16	14	16	16	9	...	...	...	...	9	...	9	5	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Earth-Salt Suppression Regulation...	...	6	6	7	5	5	5	...	...	...	...	5	...	5	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...
Tolls Regulation	...	4	4	25	4	4	3	...	...	...	...	3	...	3	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Total ...	24	2033	2057	2056	2027	2458	2085	...	2	...	...	2067	...	2085	155	...	184	...	...	...	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	30	34
Great Grand Total ...	141	4078	4219	3859	4058	6869	2587	12	74	20	13	2443	8	2587	1840	1	2088	18	24	11	32	22	8	3	1	...	...	...	161	354 †1

* Transportation for life. † Bound over. ‡ Ordered to pay maintenance. § Furnished security.

STATEMENT XVIII—(Para. 71 of report).

Statement showing the number of offences reported and dealt with by the various Courts in the Pudukkottai State during Fasli 1327 (1917–1918).

Name of Courts.	Number of offences reported.		Number of persons dealt with.								Persons disposed of.						
				Brought to trial 1917–1918.					Total.								
	Fasli 1326.	Fasli 1327.	Remaining at the end of Fasli 1326.	Arrested by Police & others.	Upon Warrant.	On Summons.	Voluntary.	Arrested in presence of the Magistrate.	Fasli 1326.	Fasli 1327.	Discharged.	Acquitted.	Convicted.	Committed or referred for investigation.	Died, escaped or transferred, etc.	Persons remaining at the end of Fasli 1327.	Cases pending disposal.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18
1. Chief Magistrate	16	15	...	16	...	14	...	...	20	30	12	...	18	...	...	...	...
2. Deputy 1st Class Magistrate	105	105	25	12	48	81	62	...	210	228	77	7	30	1	42	71	23
3. Special 1st Class Magistrate	48	41	13	8	7	32	11	...	94	71	30	11	11	...	19	...	...
4. Asst. 1st Class Magistrate	11	24	...	9	7	31	1	...	13	48	28	...	5	...	7	8	6
5. Town 2nd Class Magistrate	566	517	58	137	48	639	58	...	927	940	171	86	194	4	371	114	37
6. Town Bench Magistrates	732	798	11	648	5	134	2	...	744	800	...	13	771	...	6	10	11
7. Sty. Magistrate, Alangudi	554	651	42	82	48	996	22	...	1025	1190	192	119	210	4	614	51	16
8. Do. Tirumayyam	828	822	15	318	24	1123	5	...	1447	1485	352	81	627	6	390	29	27
9. Do. Kolattur	637	702	69	292	42	847	14	...	1154	1264	323	154	392	...	352	43	18
10. 3rd Class Magistrate, Viralimalai	53	47	4	5	1	63	15	...	107	88	25	8	4	...	40	11	4
11. Do. Karambakkudi	226	177	...	76	2	178	1	...	308	257	39	21	92	...	105	...	...
12. Do. Keelanilai	95	93	6	5	10	148	...	...	189	169	33	21	20	...	85	10	4
13. Do. Ponnamaravathi	83	104	7	72	11	69	14	...	110	173	19	3	90	...	57	4	12
14. Do. Annavasal	25	15	...	14	...	1	...	...	29	15	...	1	14	...	...	...	...
15. Do. Perungalur	22	94	...	79	1	8	9	...	36	97	...	8	89	...	...	...	1
16. Do. Karaiyur	10	14	...	11	...	3	...	...	10	14	...	2	12	...	...	...	...
17–19 Taluk Magistrates'...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Total ...	4011	4219	250	1784	254	4367	214	...	6423	6869	1301	535	2579	15	2088	351	159
20. Disposals by Sessions Court	...	...	...	...	..	..	...	...	...	...	..	4	8	...	...	3	*2
Grand Total ...	4011	4219	250	1784	254	4367	214	...	6423	6869	1301	539	2587	15	2088	354	161

Remarks: *One case involving 2 persons committed to Sessions Court for trial at the close of the fasli was not taken on file during the fasli.

STATEMENT XIX—(Para. 74 of report).

Statement showing the result of Appeals against decisions passed by the Criminal Courts in the Pudukkottai State during Fasli 1327 (1917—1918).

Tribunals.	Number of applications.	Number of persons and cases.																Remarks.
		Appeals rejected.		Sentences.						Proceedings quashed.		Otherwise disposed of.		Further inquiry, etc., ordered.		Pending.		
				Confirmed.		Modified.		Reversed										
		Persons.	Cases.	Persons.	Cases.	Persons.	Cases.	Persons.	Cases.	Persons.	Cases.	Persons.	Cases.	Persons.	Cases.	Persons.	Cases.	
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	
Chief Court, Original Sessions side.	8	...	...	4	3	1	1	4	4	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
Chief Court, Appellate side ...	8	...	...	6	6	...	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	
Chief Magistrate's Court ...	103	...	...	41	29	2	2	12	11	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
Deputy Magistrate's Court ...	...	...	...	58	26	24	9	40	14	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	2	
Assistant 1st class Magistrate's Court.	...	...	...	5	5	...	...	5	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	7	3	

STATEMENT XX—(Para. 81 of report).

CIVIL WORK :—*Nature and value of original suits filed and disposed of in the Chief Court of the Pudukkottai State for Fasli 1327 (1917–1918).*

Tribunal.	Opening balance.		Filed during the fasli, received by transfer or on remand.		Total.		Disposed of during the fasli.		Closing balance.		Suits filed during the Fasli 1327.									Suits disposed of during the Fasli 1327.						Remarks.
	Fasli 1326.	Fasli 1327.	Fasli 1326.	Fasli 1327.	Fasli 1326.	Fasli 1327.	Fasli 1326.	Fasli 1327.	Fasli 1326.	Fasli 1327.	Value.	Suits regarding landed property.	Suits for money transactions	Suits for other rights.	No. of suits not exceeding Rs. 100.	No. of suits above Rs. 100 but not exceeding Rs. 500.	No. of suits above Rs. 500 but not exceeding Rs. 1000.	No. of suits above Rs. 1000 but not exceeding Rs. 5000.	No. of suits above Rs. 5000.	*Ex parte.*	Admitted & compromised.	Struck off the file.	Otherwise disposed of.	Value.	Average duration.	
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27
											RS. A. P.													RS. A. P.		
Chief Judge ...	195	200	735	732	930	932	730	671	200	261	375297 2 9½	58	659	15	94	510	70	48	10	278	81	45	267	292305 1 3	105	
2nd Judge ...	106	118	797	810	903	928	785	792	118	136	453502 14 3	75	712	23	109	576	70	46	9	377	80	55	280	300834 10 3	71	
3rd Judge ...	286	247	753	743	1039	990	792	736	247	254	324102 3 7½	93	631	19	116	517	57	46	7	312	69	50	305	329700 ... 7	141	
Total ...	587	565	2285	2285	2872	2850	2307	2199	565	651	1152902 3 8	226	2002	57	319	1603	197	140	26	967	230	150	852	922929 12 1	104	

STATEMENT XXI—(Para. 81 of report).

CIVIL WORK :—*Results of applications for execution of decrees in the Chief Court and in the Rural Small Cause Courts for Fasli 1327 (1917–1918).*

Tribunal.	Opening balance.		Value of opening balance for Fasli 1327.	Applications brought to the register.			Total.			Disposed of.			Closing balance.			Nature of applications pending disposal at the close of F. 1327.			Remarks.
	Fasli 1326.	Fasli 1327.		Fasli 1326.	Fasli 1327.	Value for Fasli 1327.	Fasli 1326.	Fasli 1327.	Value for Fasli 1327.	Fasli 1326.	Fasli 1327.	Value for Fasli 1327.	Fasli 1326.	Fasli 1327.	Value for Fasli 1327.	Pending for six months and under.	Pending for more than 6 months but not exceeding 12 months.	Pending for more than 12 months.	
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20
			RS. A. P.			RS. A. P.			RS. A. P.			RS. A. P.			RS. A. P.				
CHIEF COURT.																			
Original side	870	802	986281 5 9	2367	2318	1888697 11 7	3237	3120	2874979 1 4	2435	2383	1773624 5 7	802	737	1101354 11 9	442	178	117	
Judges' Small Cause.	230	169	9765 2 1	1971	1726	107866 2 3½	2201	1895	117631 4 4½	2052	1637	101586 9 4½	169	258	16044 11 ...	219	26	13	
Registrar's Do.	146	154	2977 13 9	1133	1015	19992 12 2	1279	1169	22960 9 11	1125	1033	20276 14 11	154	136	2683 11 ...	114	16	6	
Total ...	1246	1125	999024 5 7	5471	5059	2016546 10 ½	6717	6184	3015570 15 7½	5592	5053	1895487 13 10½	1125	1131	1120083 1 9	775	220	136	
RURAL SMALL CAUSE COURTS.																			
Alangudi	8	...	... ...	144	127	2675 10 4	152	127	2675 10 4	152	121	2546 5 ...	...	6	129 5 4	6	...	...	
Tirumayyam	9	2	13 5 ...	149	170	2500 9 2	158	172	2513 14 2	156	155	2212 13 1	2	17	301 1 1	16	1	...	
Kolattur	13	29	609 15 1½	481	409	7183 12 7½	494	438	7793 11 9	465	416	7591 1 4	29	22	202 10 5	21	1	...	
Karambakkudi ...	5	11	210 4 5	596	590	12039 2 6	601	601	12249 6 11	590	596	12152 1 7	11	5	97 5 4	5	...	...	
Keelanilai	6	10	137 2 11	93	85	1685 6 ...	99	95	1822 8 11	89	91	1733 2 8	10	4	89 6 3	4	...	...	
Annavasal	...	...	... ...	106	145	2374 13 4	106	145	2374 13 4	106	145	2374 13 4	...	...	... ...	...	...	...	
Viralimalai	1	...	... ...	87	53	1122 4 3	88	53	1122 4 3	88	51	1069 1 3	...	2	53 3 ...	2	...	...	
Ponnamaravathi ...	4	...	... ...	79	112	2462 14 1	83	112	2462 14 1	79	108	2392 4 9	4	4	70 9 4	4	...	...	
Perungalur	...	1	13 7 ...	121	67	1215 3 9	121	68	1228 10 9	120	66	1179 7 ...	1	2	49 3 9	2	...	...	
Karaiyur	2	...	... ...	42	23	366	44	23	366	44	22	356 5 3	...	1	9 10 9	1	...	...	
Malayur	...	4	113 15 4	159	161	3545 14 8	159	165	3659 14 ...	155	164	3621 9 8	...	1	38 4 4	...	1	...	
Total ...	48	57	1098 1 9½	2057	1942	37171 10 8½	2105	1999	38269 12 6	2044	1935	37229 ...	11	57	64 1040 11	7	61	3	...

STATEMENT XXII—(Para. 83 of report).

CIVIL WORK:—*Number and results of Appeals in Civil suits for Fasli 1327 (1917—1918).*

Tribunal.	Opening balance.		Filed during		Total.		Disposed of during		Closing balance.		Value of appeals filed during		How disposed of. Decisions confirmed.		Decisions reversed.		Decisions amended.		Cases remanded for re-trial.		Cases compromised & otherwise disposed of.		Average duration.	
	Fasli 1326.	Fasli 1327.	Fasli 1326.	Fasli 1327.	Fasli 1326.	Fasli 1327.	Fasli 1326.	Fasli 1327.	Fasli 1326.	Fasli 1327.	Fasli 1326.	Fasli 1327.	Fasli 1326.	Fasli 1327.	Fasli 1326.	Fasli 1327.	Fasli 1326.	Fasli 1327.	Fasli 1326.	Fasli 1327.	Fasli 1326.	Fasli 1327.	Fasli 1326.	Fasli 1327.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25
Chief Court, Appellate side.	141	141	*249	*220	390	361	249	279	141	82	Rs. 271768-5-8	Rs. 157715-14-10	158	182	†53	†65	26	22	7	18	12	10	$282\frac{171}{249}$	$230\frac{179}{279}$

* Including those re-admitted.
† Including those that were remanded for re-trial.

STATEMENT XXII-A.—(Para. 84 of report).

CIVIL WORK:—Number and results of Second Appeals in Civil suits for Fasli 1327 (1917—1918).

Name of the Court the decrees of which were appealed against.	Pending at the commencement of the fasli.	Filed during the fasli.	Total.	No. posted for hearing.	No. disposed of.	Balance.	How disposed of. Confirmed.	Modified.	Reversed.	Compromised or otherwise disposed of.	Value of the Second Appeals filed during the fasli. RS.	A.	P.	Remarks.
Chief Court, Appellate side ...	51	96	147	*121	99	48	81	6	5	7	176230	11	1	

* 14 cases were adjourned to next Sessions of which 7 cases were adjourned to enable the parties to take fresh steps and 4 were adjourned as the connected appeals were not ready and 3 cases were adjourned as some of the respondents therein are reported to be dead.
8 cases were remitted to the Lower Courts to record findings on the issues left undisposed of and to resubmit the findings to this Court.

STATEMENT XXIII—(Paras. 87 and 94 of report).

Statement showing the number of persons confined in the Jails of the Pudukkottai State during Fasli 1327 (1917—1918).

Stations.	Number of prisons.	Number of prisoners. Remaining from Fasli 1326.	Admitted during the Fasli 1327.	Total. Fasli 1326.	Fasli 1327.	Daily average. Fasli 1326.	Fasli 1327.	Number of prisoners remaining at the end of Fasli 1327.	Total cost of Jail and prisoners. RS.	A.	P.	Average period of accused under trial. DAYS.	Remarks.
Pudukkottai ...	1	77	288	342	365	60·79	67·63	59	16197	7	1	67·63	
Alangudi	1	1	36	28	37	·06	·11	...	121	8	3	2·35	
Tirumayyam ...	1	3	52	79	55	·21	·15	3	224	...	11	2·54	
Kolattur	1	8	58	56	66	·15	·18	...	254	3	3	1·65	
Karambakkudi ...	1	...	11	6	11	·08	·03	1	87	...	6	·002	
Keelanilai	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	78	...	...	...	
Viralimalai ...	1	...	...	6	...	·07	·18	...	79	11	7	...	
Ponnamaravathi ...	1	...	67	23	67	·06	...	...	84	3	...	·06	

STATEMENT XXIV—(Para. 95 of report).

Statement showing the strength, cost, discipline and education of the Police force for Fasli 1327 (1917–1918).

Description of officers.	Number.	Pay, etc., of grades.	Total cost.	Punishments. Dismissed.	Fined, degraded, or suspended departmentally.	Punished judicially.	Rewards. By promotion.	By money.	Education. No. able to read and write.	No. under instruction.	Remarks.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
		Rs.									
Superintendent of Police, allowance ...	1	150	Total cost of establishment including Pay, Travelling allowance, Reward, Contingencies, etc., Rs. 58,502.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
Do. writer	1	10		...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
Deputy Superintendent of Police ...	1	270		...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
Inspector of Police	2	290		...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
Sub-Inspectors 40—70	11	675		...	...	...	...	1	...	...	
1st Grade Head constables	6	120		...	...	2	...	6	...	...	
2nd Grade Head constables	9	157½		...	...	1	...		...	...	
3rd Grade Head constables	13	195		...	...	1	...		...	...	
Constables Rs. 9—13	231	2498		2	...	7	2	50	194	8	
Station charge allowance at Rs. 3 ...	14	42		...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
Drill and School Instructor and Armourer allowance at Rs. 3 each.	3	9		...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
Station writer allowance 1 at Rs. 3, 7 at Rs. 2.	8	17		...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
Other allowances—good conduct, local and house rent.	...	172		...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
Office establishment	5	93½		...	...	...	...	1	...	...	
Monthly ...	...	4699½		...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
Annually ...	...	56388		...	...	...	...	...	...	...	

STATEMENT XXV—(Para. 97 of report).

Statement showing the working of the Police in the Pudukkottai State during Fasli 1327 (1917—1918).

Divisions.		No. of offences. Fasli 1326.	Fasli 1327.	No. of accused arrested. Fasli 1326.	Fasli 1327.	No. of accused sent for trial. Fasli 1326.	Fasli 1327.	No. of accused convicted. Fasli 1326.	Fasli 1327.	No. of accused acquitted or discharged. Fasli 1326.	Fasli 1327.	Percentage of convictions. Fasli 1326.	Fasli 1327.	Percentage of convicted of accused sent for trial. Fasli 1326.	Fasli 1327.	Remarks.
1		2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16
Of all centres.	Grave crimes.	312	272	298	301	298	301	100	129	148	124	30	40	30	40	
	Other crimes.	1830	1780	2798	2945	2798	2945	1793	1799	877	939	60	70	60	70	
Total ...		2142	2052	3096	3246	3096	3246	1893	1928	1025	1063	61	60	61	60	

Under-trial prisoners in grave cases—48; Under-trial prisoners in petty cases—206. Total 254. Otherwise in security case—1.

STATEMENT XXVI—(Para. 97 of report).

Statement showing the value of property stolen and amount of recoveries in the Pudukkottai State during Fasli 1327 (1917—1918).

Divisions.	Amount stolen.				Amount recovered.				Percentage of recoveries of properties.		Remarks.
	Fasli 1326.		Fasli 1327.		Fasli 1326.		Fasli 1327.		Fasli 1326.	Fasli 1327.	
	Rs.	A. P.	Rs.	A. P.	Rs.	A. P.	Rs.	A. P.			
All centres ...	28805	1 9	24045	8 ...	5406	1 ...	6568	...	19	21	Property recovered in cases investigated by the Police.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
Total ...	28805	1 9	24045	8 ...	5406	1 ...	6568	...	19	21	
Grand Total ...	28805	1 9	24045	8 ...	5406	1 ...	6568	...	19	21	Property recovered in cases taken up direct and disposed of by Magistrates.

STATEMENT XXVII—(Paras. 105, 106 and 107 of report).

Particulars as to the Schools maintained by the Pudukkottai State for the Fasli 1327 (1917—1918).

Fasli 1326.	Fasli 1327.	Description of Schools.	No. of pupils on the rolls on 30th June.		Daily average attendance.		Expenditure.						Remarks.
			Fasli 1326.	Fasli 1327.	Fasli 1326.	Fasli 1327.	Secondary Schools.			Elementary Schools.		Total.	
							Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A. P.	Rs. A. P.	
2	2	**Caste Boys.**											
		Secondary.											
		Tirumayyam ...	219	11	162	13	307 ...	4		... ...		307 ... 4	
144	149	Alangudi ...	130	118	71	74	1157	12	2	1175 5 ...		2333 1 2	
		Elementary.											
		Pilaviduthi											
		Thithanviduthi ...	52	41	21	22	... ...			265 8 ...		265 8 ...	
		Songamedu ...	31	30	16	13	... ...			132		132	
		Mangottai ...	26	10	15	16	... ...			9		9	
		Chettividuthi ...	51	45	27	32	... ...			128 1 1		128 1 1	
		Kaliaranviduthi ...	26	22	18	11	... ...			105 15 4		105 15 4	
		Malaiyur ...	27	22	14	11	... ...			108 2 4		108 2 4	
		Konakkollaipatti ...	32	36	21	21	... ...			180		180	
		Seyvaipatti ...	56	42	31	34	... ...			151 10 1		151 10 1	
		Raghunathapuram ...	28	39	21	24	... ...			176 8 ...		176 8 ...	
		Vandankonviduthi ...	41	34	30	25	... ...			120		120	
		Varappur ...	28	25	11	13	... ...			96 10 10		96 10 10	
		Adanakkottai ...	40	55	19	23	... ...			150		150	
		Ganapathipuram ...	109	109	50	58	... ...			420		420	
		Pappapatti (Kirathur)	26	25	14	17	... ...			95 12 9		95 12 9	
		Therkuthern ...	37	29	17	17	... ...			83 11 5		83 11 5	
		Manaviduthi ...	54	48	26	30	... ...			119 ... 6		119 ... 6	
		Vaithikoil ...	30	21	20	13	... ...			120 4 1		120 4 1	
		Thanjur ...	30	22	17	14	... ...			145 3 5		145 3 5	
		Nedungudi ...	31	28	20	17	... ...			127 6 ...		127 6 ...	
		Posampatti ...	29	27	21	19	... ...			120		120	
		Pudippatti ...	43	25	21	14	... ...			104 11 8		104 11 8	
		Kuromangudi ...	32	50	33	31	... ...			192		192	
		Irumbanadu ...	30	25	17	16	... ...			108 4 8		108 4 8	
		Sembattividuthi ...	33	32	21	26	... ...			120		120	
		Malavarampatti ...	38	41	17	20	... ...			90 1 7		90 1 7	
		Onangudi ...	29	27	15	16	... ...			116 10 11		116 10 11	
		Monasandai ...	52	61	43	37	... ...			305 10 8		305 10 8	
		Kaikurichi ...	22	28	19	20	... ...			159 13 2		159 13 2	
		Vennavalkudi ...	60	56	34	29	... ...			281 13 8		281 13 8	
		Vallathirakottai ...	71	81	28	48	... ...			297 3 2		297 3 2	
		Suppammalpatti ...	48	30	28	16	... ...			160 13 7		160 13 7	
		Kolavaipatti ...	67	43	53	31	... ...			417 2 8		417 2 8	
		Shrothriakadu ...	46	46	30	32	... ...			119 15 4		119 15 4	
		Arasadipatti ...	22	39	21	16	... ...			112 12 10		112 12 10	
		Keelayur ...	50	28	27	20	... ...			121		121	
		Kolandirakottai ...	30	30	25	17	... ...			108		108	
		Sevalpatti (Ayipatti).	98	79	52	45	... ...			328 7 5		328 7 5	
		Vaithur ...	16	25	10	16	... ...			100 4 3		100 4 3	
		Melanilaippatti ...	38	27	27	16	... ...			97 8 3		97 8 3	
		Tiruvarangulam ...	46	36	30	21	... ...			150		150	
		Arimalam ...	45	33	20	19	... ...			120		120	
		Surakkadu ...	76	109	74	72	... ...			532 9 3		532 9 3	
		Pallivasal ...	22	22	21	12	... ...			146 ... 2		146 ... 2	
		Palaiyur ...	42	33	29	26	... ...			82 3 4		82 3 4	
		Keelavilai Rayapuram. ...	21	23	22	15	... ...			113 11 4		113 11 4	
			52	40	38	20	... ...			115 14 5		115 14 5	

Particulars as to the Schools maintained by the Pudukkottai State for the Fasli 1327 (1917—1918)—cont.

Fasli 1326. / Fasli 1327. No. of Schools.	Description of Schools.	No. of pupils on the rolls on 30th June. Fasli 1326	Fasli 1327.	Daily average attendance. Fasli 1326.	Fasli 1327	Expenditure. Secondary Schools. Rs.	A.	P.	Elementary Schools. Rs.	A.	P.	Total. Rs.	A.	P.	Remarks.
	Melathur ...	28	37	28	15	...	...	...	149	4	5	149	4	5	
	Kallukaranpatti ...	23	25	13	12	...	...	...	102	15	11	102	15	11	
	Keeranipatti ...	28	20	20	11	...	...	...	110	10	2	110	10	2	
	Alangudi (Night) ...	20	22	16	14	...	...	...	130	...	...	130	...	...	
	Chinniachatram ...	43	26	17	10	...	...	...	71	15	6	71	15	6	
	Periathambi Odayanpatti.	20	25	16	11	...	...	...	109	12	10	109	12	10	
	Kolathupatti ...	60	30	30	20	...	...	...	160	1	8	160	1	8	
	Ambukoil ...	28	28	20	14	...	...	...	154	3	2	154	3	2	
	Mailankonpatti ...	32	25	22	15	...	...	...	105	3	5	105	3	5	
	Mathur ..	24	23	24	18	...	...	...	107	1	10	107	1	10	
	Thekkattur ...	39	26	27	21	...	...	...	131	10	2	131	10	2	
	Pallavaranpathai—Puduppatti.	55	45	23	19	...	...	...	108	9	3	108	9	3	
	Thithanipatti ...	12	26	28	19	...	...	...	106	1	2	106	1	2	
	Anganviduthi ...	27	22	12	9	...	...	...	107	6	5	107	6	5	
	Kattathi ...	33	39	30	29	...	...	...	88	8	...	88	8	...	
	Maniambalam ...	46	52	36	37	...	...	...	158	11	7	158	11	7	
	Mullapatti ...	...	37	...	26	...	...	...	124	12	8	124	12	8	
	Themmavur ...	...	32	...	20	...	...	...	51	6	5	51	6	5	
	Vamban ...	...	72	...	12	...	...	...	36	11	1	36	11	1	
	Koilur ...	...	39	...	25	...	...	...	15	7	3	15	7	3	
	Nemmelipatti ...	...	40	...	21	...	...	...	23	8	3	23	8	3	
	Pachikottai ...	...	20	...	19	...	...	...	23	3	7	23	3	7	
	Therku Pallavaranpathai.	...	31	...	19	...	...	...	31	14	8	31	14	8	
	Karukkakurichi Therkutheru.	...	35	...	32	...	...	...	32	12	7	32	12	7	
	Nagarappatti ...	43	52	32	23	...	...	...	120	...	...	120	...	...	
	Melathanayam ...	86	76	57	48	...	...	...	353	7	6	353	7	6	
	Oliamangalam ...	35	43	19	21	...	...	...	119	...	...	119	...	...	
	Sembootbi ...	52	52	36	37	...	...	...	252	3	4	252	3	4	
	Karaiyur ...	60	74	44	43	...	...	...	330	10	4	330	10	4	
	Thirukkalambur ...	28	59	21	32	...	...	...	113	8	3	113	8	3	
	Kovanur ...	23	34	11	19	...	...	...	76	...	6	76	...	6	
	Idayathur ...	35	35	26	20	...	...	...	127	5	2	127	5	2	
	Ponnamaravathi ...	71	60	40	31	...	...	...	317	12	...	317	12	...	
	Athur ...	23	21	20	19	...	...	...	108	11	4	108	11	4	
	Varpet ...	95	66	46	49	...	...	...	122	13	8	122	13	8	
	Variapatti ...	27	35	13	17	...	...	...	103	8	...	103	8	...	
	Alavayal ...	31	31	31	27	...	...	...	153	5	4	153	5	4	
	Nallur (Annavasal) ...	37	26	21	19	...	...	...	108	...	...	108	...	...	
	Kadambarayapatti ...	36	43	24	28	...	...	...	146	8	...	146	8	...	
	Parambur ...	31	30	21	20	...	...	...	111	11	11	111	11	11	
	Tiruvappar ...	76	44	40	32	...	...	...	314	8	2	314	8	2	
	Karathope ...	30	46	23	23	...	...	...	146	8	...	146	8	...	
	Thachampatti ...	23	23	15	13	...	...	...	151	9	10	151	9	10	
	Ariyur ...	27	36	14	16	...	...	...	122	15	5	122	15	5	
	Mangudi ...	31	29	17	21	...	...	...	95	14	3	95	14	3	
	Lembalakkudi ...	46	42	37	27	...	...	...	305	12	...	305	12	...	
	Uppiliakudi ...	86	54	41	33	...	...	...	449	3	1	449	3	1	
	Viralimalai ...	72	69	51	41	...	...	...	295	15	10	295	15	10	
	Kodumbalur ...	14	16	10	9	...	...	...	22	10	2	22	10	2	
	Odayalipatti ...	64	43	37	26	...	...	...	239	5	8	239	5	8	

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Fasli 1326. / Fasli 1327. No. of Schools.	Description of Schools.	No. of pupils on the rolls on 30th June. Fasli 1326.	Fasli 1327.	Daily average attendance. Fasli 1326.	Fasli 1327.	Expenditure. Secondary Schools. Rs.	A.	P.	Elementary Schools. Rs.	A.	P.	Total. Rs.	A.	P.	Remarks.
	Kannangudi ...	51	37	28	23	...	...	...	99	...	...	99	...	...	
	Vellayakavandanpatti	52	29	31	20	...	...	...	77	...	1	77	...	1	
	Puliyur ...	51	46	30	32	...	...	...	132	8	...	132	8	...	
	Thodiyur ...	30	25	14	15	...	...	...	113	1	4	113	1	4	
	Kalamavur ...	37	37	19	18	...	...	...	108	...	...	108	...	...	
	Palandanpatti ...	43	27	26	20	...	...	...	150	...	...	150	...	...	
	Vilapatti ...	30	41	17	18	...	...	...	152	...	10	152	...	10	
	Nirpalani ...	31	29	13	13	...	...	...	101	2	9	101	2	9	
	Odukku- ...	36	25	21	20	...	...	...	113	10	11	113	10	11	
	Letchumanpatti ...	23	29	14	13	...	...	...	108	...	...	108	...	...	
	Oduvampatti ...	33	33	27	25	...	...	...	78	5	11	78	5	11	
	Nallur (Kolattur) ...	32	30	21	18	...	...	...	121	10	7	121	10	7	
	Audakkulam ...	50	70	25	40	...	...	...	355	3	7	355	3	7	
	Akkalanayakanpatti.	24	32	10	19	...	...	...	23	13	11	23	13	11	
	Melapuduvayal ...	23	24	15	13	...	...	...	120	...	...	120	...	...	
	Valamangalam ...	29	28	11	20	...	...	...	120	...	...	120	...	...	
	Sembattur ...	31	27	15	10	...	...	...	113	15	6	113	15	6	
	Melur ...	26	31	16	15	...	...	...	108	...	...	108	...	...	
	Panampatti ...	28	23	13	10	...	...	...	76	6	11	76	6	11	
	Vagavasal ...	26	19	10	11	...	...	...	119	5	1	119	5	1	
	Puthambur ...	21	36	19	20	...	...	...	161	7	...	161	7	...	
	Annavasal ...	191	198	173	146	...	...	...	1009	15	8	1009	15	8	
	Vellanur ...	33	37	20	17	...	...	...	150	...	...	150	...	...	
	Sathiamangalam ...	27	45	16	25	...	...	...	90	1	9	90	1	9	
	Kalkudi ...	36	40	23	26	...	...	...	118	9	...	118	9	...	
	Keelathanayam ...	30	27	19	13	...	...	...	114	6	11	114	6	11	
	Ammangurichi ...	38	36	23	15	...	...	...	70	10	7	70	10	7	
	Adappakkaranchatram	32	23	19	17	...	...	...	138	6	8	138	6	8	
	Mandaiyur ...	25	20	18	12	...	...	...	104	7	10	104	7	10	
	Kedayappatti ...	26	25	11	11	...	...	...	141	13	8	141	13	8	
	Keelakurichi ...	27	41	27	25	...	...	...	155	3	10	155	3	10	
	Keeranur A. V. ...	73	59	49	47	...	...	...	559	12	9	559	12	9	
	Town Backward class school.	30	23	22	11	...	...	...	50	...	...	50	...	...	
	Valakurichi ...	29	26	14	20	...	...	...	107	11	2	107	11	2	
	Koilpatti (Kottur) ...	26	25	19	15	...	...	...	102	6	6	102	6	6	
	Nangupatti ...	37	46	17	13	...	...	...	52	5	8	52	5	8	
	Ammankoilpatti ...	36	26	21	20	...	...	...	37	11	10	37	11	10	
	Karugapulampatti ...	22	31	17	23	...	...	...	174	...	...	174	...	...	
	Tholayanur ...	25	30	18	12	...	...	...	73	14	10	73	14	10	
	Maravamadurai ...	25	34	21	21	...	...	...	76	11	...	76	11	...	
	Kulamangalam ...	15	20	12	20	...	...	...	38	6	11	38	6	11	
	Kummangudi ...	22	27	17	20	...	...	...	96	14	5	96	14	5	
	Valathupatti ...	37	37	27	20	...	...	...	107	11	2	107	11	2	
	Kunnandarkoil ...	31	21	25	20	...	...	...	110	1	7	110	1	7	
	Veerakkudi ...	29	25	21	17	...	...	...	108	...	...	108	...	...	
	Rajagiri ...	43	19	28	17	...	...	...	108	...	...	108	...	...	
	Kalimangalam ...	31	25	17	14	...	...	...	114	...	...	114	...	...	
	Ammampettai ...	...	26	...	18	...	...	...	14	6	5	14	6	5	
	Koilpatti (Pudukotah)	...	29	...	13	...	...	...	35	...	...	35	...	...	
	Pudur Adampatti ...	...	48	...	41	...	...	...	27	...	...	27	...	...	
	Sevalur ...	...	21	...	15	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
	Model school ...	49	44	29	36	...	...	...	503	12	6	503	12	6	
	Tirumayyam ...	...	83	...	81	...	...	...	1074	4	4	1074	4	4	

Particulars as to the Schools maintained by the Pudukkotiai State for the Fasli 1327 (1917-1918)—cont.

No. of Schools. Fasli 1326.	No. of Schools. Fasli 1327.	Description of Schools.	No. of pupils on the rolls on 30th June. Fasli 1326.	No. of pupils on the rolls on 30th June. Fasli 1327.	Daily average attendance. Fasli 1326.	Daily average attendance. Fasli 1327.	Expenditure. Secondary Schools. RS.	A.	P.	Expenditure. Elementary Schools. RS.	A.	P.	Expenditure. Total. RS.	A.	P.	Remarks.
		Caste Girls.														
		Secondary.														
1	1	Rani's Free Secondary school for girls.	197	162	141	109	822	5	4	2630	1	9	3452	7	1	
		Elementary Higher.														
1	1	Tirugokarnam ...	61	79	31	51	...	...	...	482	7	...	482	7	...	
		Elementary Lower.														
5	5	Alangudi ...	94	106	67	66	...	...	...	648	2	3	648	2	3	
		Tirumayyam ...	35	28	23	19	...	...	...	362	10	3	362	10	3	
		Keeranur ...	32	34	24	24	...	...	...	141	3	7	141	3	7	
		Uppiliakudi ...	36	34	29	26	...	...	...	194	13	5	194	13	5	
		Viralimalai ...	65	32	31	35	...	...	...	162	13	2	162	13	2	
3	3	**Mohammedan Boys.**														
		Pudukkottai ...	90	103	55	51	...	...	...	609	15	...	609	15	...	
		Keeranur ...	42	36	33	30	...	...	...	193	10	6	193	10	6	
		Karambakkudi ..	156	101	83	70	...	...	...	430	8	9	430	8	9	
8	7	**Mohammedan Girls.**														
		Pudukkottai ...	99	96	62	56	...	...	...	591	14	9	591	14	9	
		Alangudi ...	35	25	18	15	...	...	...	108	7	2	108	7	2	
		Keeranur ...	36	26	23	19	...	...	...	165	9	4	165	9	4	
		Annavasal ...	23	23	17	16	...	...	...	138	...	...	138	...	...	
		Parambur ...	24	24	13	17	...	...	...	138	12	10	138	12	10	
		Karambakkudi ...	41	40	26	26	...	...	...	144	...	...	144	...	...	
		Vallathirakottai ...	27	29	21	22	...	...		140	14	5	140	14	5	
19	17	**Panchama Boys.**														
		Pilaviduthi ...	51	59	31	29	...	...	...	264	8	..	264	8	...	
		Pallathiranmanai ...	29	27	17	15	...	...	...	132	8	...	132	8	...	
		Marudangianviduthi.	34	28	20	16	...	...	...	106	...	...	106	...	...	
		Ponnanviduthi ...	21	20	13	16	...	...	...	162	8	...	162	8	...	
		Irungolavanviduthi ...	33	26	12	13	...	...	...	114	...	...	114	...	...	
		Ambukoil ...	28	24	14	12	...	...	...	107	11	2	107	11	2	
		Pallavaranpathai ...	27	24	15	13	...	...	...	120	...	...	120	...	...	
		Cinnankonviduthi ...	34	21	14	16	...	...	...	123	4	10	123	4	10	
		Rangianviduthi ...	39	32	16	24	...	...	...	120	...	...	120	...	...	
		Pattividuthi ...	27	28	14	13	...	...	...	119	...	...	119	...	...	
		Panduvakottai ...	31	23	15	15	...	...	...	121	2	8	121	2	8	
		Karambakkudi ...	...	60	...	45	...	...	...	240	8	...	240	8	...	
		Karukkakurichi ...	24	30	16	21	...	...	...	56	8	6	56	8	6	
		Karambaviduthi ...	33	24	15	16	...	...	...	100	3	1	100	3	1	
		Pathuthakku ...	26	26	11	13	...	...	...	104	7	7	104	7	7	
		Konnaiyur ...	21	18	18	15	...	...	...	90	...	...	90	...	...	
		Kulipirai ...	22	22	18	17	...	...	...	106	8	9	106	8	9	
3	3	**Special Schools.**														
		Veda Sastra Patasala.	16	16	12	14	...	...	...	998	...	8	998	...	8	
		Training School ...	38	36	34	34	...	...	...	2609	6	10	2609	6	10	
		Weaving School ...	...	12	...	12	...	...	...	1026	14	7	1026	14	7	
		Total ...	7367	7280	4754	4578	2287	1	10	38312	11	2	40599	13	...	

STATEMENT XXVIII—(Para. 112 of report).

Statement showing the Expenditure, Receipts and net cost to the State under several heads of "Education" for Fasli 1327 (1917-1918).

Heads.	Gross expenditure. RS.	A.	P.	Receipts. RS.	A.	P.	Net expenditure. RS.	A.	P.	Remarks.
Collegiate.										
College	6588	7	9	3497	15	6	3090	8	3	
Secondary.										
College Secondary	20046	11	...	14631	15	...	5414	12	...	
State schools :—										
Establishment	2287	1	10	522	13	1	1764	4	9	
Supervision, Inspection and other charges ...	564	12	6	...	...	...	564	12	6	
Aided schools :—										
Grants	2398	...	...	...	...	...	2398	...	...	
Supervision, Inspection and other charges ...	592	2	7	...	...	...	592	2	7	
Total ...	25888	11	11	15154	12	1	10733	15	10	
Elementary.										
State schools :—										
Establishment including stipends to teachers ...	43396	2	11	161	14	7	43234	4	4	
Supervision, Inspection and other charges ...	10716	4	2	...	...	...	10716	4	2	
Aided schools :—										
Grants	16076	14	11	...	...	...	16076	14	11	
Supervision, Inspection and other charges ...	3970	...	8	...	...	...	3970	...	8	
Total ...	74159	6	8	161	14	7	73917	...	1	
Vedas and Sastras.										
Establishment cost	998	...	8	...	...	...	998	...	8	
Supervision, Inspection and other charges ...	246	7	4	...	...	...	246	7	4	
Total ...	1244	8	...	...	...	...	1244	8	...	
Grand Total ...	107881	2	4	18814	10	2	80066	8	2	

STATEMENT XXIX—(Para. 121 of report).

Statement of Births and Deaths for Fasli 1327 (1917—1918).

Stations.	Births.			Deaths.											Remarks.
				Cholera.		Small-pox.		Fever.		Other causes.		Total.			
	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Total.	
Town	415	371	786	12	15	...	1	32	35	301	285	345	336	681	
Alangudi ...	1196	1151	2347	52	36	9	7	249	257	820	790	1130	1090	2220	
Tirumayyam ...	1219	1102	2321	73	45	73	66	191	155	989	884	1326	1150	2476	
Kolattur ...	1204	1147	2351	136	132	31	22	304	277	722	714	1193	1145	2338	
Total ...	4034	3771	7805	273	228	113	96	776	724	2832	2673	3994	3721	7715	

Birth rate: 18·95 per mille of the population.

Death rate: 18·73 per mille of the population.

STATEMENT XXX—(Para. 124 of report).

Annual return of the Town Hospital for Fasli 1327 (1917-1918).

Number of beds available—66.

In and Out-patients treated for the various diseases with their results.

Diseases.	In-patients.						Out-patients.			Total In and Out-Patients.
	Total treated.	Number cured.	Number relieved.	Number discharged otherwise.	Died.	Remaining.	Attended in person.	Attended by proxies.	Total.	
Cholera ...	5	3	...	..	2	..	...	..	60	65
Dysentery	34	26	..	1	4	3	...	..	903	937
Enteric fever	33	33	..	...	...	...	...	..	14	47
Gonorrhœa	10	8	2	...	...	..	...	..	193	203
Kala Azar	1	...	1	...	...	..	...	...	...	1
Leprosy ...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	..	58	59
Malaria ...	5	5	...	...	...	...	...	...	969	974
Plague ...	...	...	...	...	..	...	..	..	...	...
Pneumonia	6	5	...	...	1	...	...	..	20	26
Pyrexia of uncertain origin	26	23	..	1	1	1	...	...	1213	1239
Rheumatic fever & Rheumatism	20	15	2	1	1	1	...	...	1994	2014
Small-pox	1	1	..	...	..	...	...	...	...	1
Syphilis (primary & secondary)	32	25	...	3	1	3	...	...	188	220
Tubercle of the lung ...	3	...	1	2	..	...	...	...	56	59
Other tubercular diseases	25	20	1	1	1	2	...	...	21	46
All other infective diseases	1	1	..	...	..	.	...	...	...	1
Anæmia ...	43	31	8	..	3	1	...	...	679	722
Diabetes	2	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	28	30
Scurvy ...	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
New Growth — Non-malignant	...	...	...	...	...	..	...	..	1	1
New Growth — Malignant	...	...	..	...	...	..	...	..	2	2
All other general diseases	50	40	8	2	...	...	...	..	678	728
Diseases of the nervous system	19	5	7	3	1	3	...	...	1433	1452
Do. eye ...	13	12	...	...	...	1	...	...	1149	1162
Do. ear ...	3	2	1	...	...	...	...	...	1801	1804
Do. nose	1	1	...	..	...	...	...	..	46	47
Do. circulatory system	10	5	...	...	2	3	...	..	92	102
All other diseases of the respiratory system except pneumonia and tubercle of the lung.	23	20	1	...	1	1	...	..	2019	2039
Dyspepsia	10	8	...	...	...	2	...	..	152	162
Diarrhœa	29	15	3	7	2	2	...	..	878	907
Abscess of the liver	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
All other diseases of the liver	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	84	84
Appendicitis	2	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2
All other diseases of the digestive system	127	90	20	7	2	8	...	..	7738	7865
Inflammation & suppuration of lymphatic glands	19	10	5	3		1	..	...	115	134
Goitre	..	...	...	..	...	...	...	..	...	...
Bright's disease...	94	50	15	18	6	5	...	...	103	197
All other diseases of the urinary system	36	10	17	9	...	...	..	...	386	422
Hydrocele	22	14	2	6	...	...	...	...	9	31
Other diseases of the generative system	25	10	5	9	...	1	...	...	531	556
Disease of the organs of locomotion	2	...	1	1	...	.	..	...	5	7
Do. connective tissue	108	90	3	4	1	10	...	...	1246	1354
Ulcers ...	48	40	...	1	1	6	...	...	4912	4960
Other diseases of the skin	28	15	3	4	1	...	...	...	5043	5066
All other local diseases	4	4	...	..	...	...	...	...	150	154
Injuries (general & local)	69	50	7	7	3	2	...	...	971	1040
Poisoning — By opium...	...	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	...
Poisoning — By other poisons...	2	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	8	10
Labor — Normal	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	274	275
Labor — Abnormal	4	4	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	4
Total ...	991	695	115	91	34	56	...	...	36222	37213

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Town Hospital—Surgical Operations.

The total number of operations performed during the period was 1,428.

Under Chloroform	271	In-patients.
Other operations.	20	In-patients.
	1,137	Out-patients.
Total ...	1,428	

Classes and Sexes of Patients with the daily average.

—	Europeans.				Eurasians.				Hindus.				Mohammedans.				Other classes.				Total.					Daily average.				
	M.	W.	M.C.	F.C.	M.	W.	M.C.	F.C.	M.	W.	M. C.	F. C.	M.	W.	M.C.	F. C.	M.	W.	M. C.	F. C.	M.	W.	M. C.	F. C.	Total.	M.	W.	M. C.	F. C.	Total.
In ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	583	195	25	24	34	9	1	2	76	32	5	5	693	236	31	31	991	38·08	15·11	2·42	1·99	57·60
Out ...	21	23	7	17	...	...	...	...	18273	9277	2250	1717	1501	793	348	284	857	436	221	197	20652	10529	2826	2215	36222	156·05	101·31	18·27	15·27	290·90
Total ..	21	23	7	17	...	...	...	...	18856	9472	2275	1741	1535	802	349	286	933	468	226	202	21345	10765	2857	2246	37213	194·13	116·42	20·69	17·26	348·50

STATEMENT XXX-A—(Para. 124 of report).

Statement of important Surgical operations performed at the Town Hospital during Fasli 1327 (1917–1918) with their results.

Diseases.	Total number operated.	Result.					Remarks.
		Cured.	Relieved.	Discharged otherwise.	Died.	Remaining.	
Varicose Veins including Hæmorrhoids ...	10	10	...	...	...	...	
Tumours	12	12	...	...	...	...	
Stricture urethra Dilatation	12	11	...	1	...	...	
External urethrotomy	3	3	...	...	...	...	
Urinary fistula	4	4	...	...	...	...	
Hypospadias	1	1	...	...	...	...	
Hydrocele	15	14	...	1	...	..	
Hæmatocele	1	1	...	...	...	...	
Castration	2	2	...	...	..	...	
Elephantoid Scrotum	3	3	...	...	...	...	
Sub phrenic abscess	1	1	...	...	...	...	
Iliac abscess	2	1	...	...	...	1	
Reducible Inguinal Hernia	12	12	...	...	...	...	
Strangulated Inguinal Hernia	3	3	...	...	...	...	
Appendicular abscess	1	1	...	...	...	...	
Laparotomy (a) Tumours	1	...	...	...	1	...	
(b) Appendicites	1	1	...	...	...	...	
(c) Peritonites	1	1	...	...	...	...	

Statement of important Surgical operations performed at the Town Hospital during Fasli 1327 (1917–1918) with their results—cont.

Diseases.	Total number operated.	Result.					Remarks.
		Cured.	Relivered.	Discharged otherwise.	Died.	Remaining.	
Hare lip	2	2	...	...	...	...	
Cancer Amputation Penis	3	3	...	...	...	...	
Necrosis of Bone	6	5	1	...	...	...	
Excesion of the Elbow joint	1	1	...	...	...	...	
,, of the Hip joint	1	...	...	...	...	1	
Arthrotomy Knee joint	1	1	...	...	...	...	
Amputation	1	1	...	...	...	...	
Prostatectomy Suprapubic	1	1	...	...	...	...	
Paracentecis thoracis	3	1	2	...	...	...	
Plastic operation for contraction of tendons.	1	1	...	...	...	...	
Eye (*a*) Cataract	5	5	...	...	...	...	
(*b*) Eviceraton (Straphyloma cornea) ...	1	1	...	...	...	...	
(*c*) Iredectomy	1	1	...	...	...	...	
(*d*) Excision of the fornix	2	2	...	...	...	...	
Tonsillotomy	2	2	...	...	...	...	
Spina Bifida	1	1	...	...	...	...	
Intravenous injection of Neo-salverson ...	3	3	...	...	...	...	
Total ...	120	109	7	2	1	1	

STATEMENT XXXI—(Paras. 124, 125 and 126 of report).

Statement of Medical Relief afforded in the Medical Institutions, Pudukkottai State, during Fasli 1327 (1917—1918).

Names of Institutions.	Number of patients treated.		Results of In-door patients.					Expenditure.			Daily average.	Remarks.
	Out-door.	In-door.	Cured.	Relieved.	Discharged otherwise.	Died.	Remaining.	RS.	A.	P.		
Town Hospital, Pudukkottai	36222	991	695	115	91	34	56	32976	1	10	290·90	Out-door.
											57·60	In-door.
Dispensary for Women and Children, Pudukkottai.	21907	100	95	...	5	...	...	10516	10	...	122·45	Out-door.
											6·42	In-door in Rani's Hospital.
Kolattur Dispensary	8144	...	...	...	...	...	...	1493	8	4	28·70	
Perungalur Dispensary	3640	...	...	...	...	...	...	1068	13	10	15·04	
Karambakkudi Dispensary	9922	...	...	...	...	...	...	1591	14	6	35·23	
Alangudi Dispensary	7348	...	...	...	...	...	...	1556	5	8	33·89	
Keelanilai Dispensary	3478	...	...	...	...	...	...	1479	2	1	17·58	
Tirumayyam Dispensary	8508	...	...	...	...	...	...	1168	5	1	49·94	
Ponnamaravathi Dispensary	7575	...	...	...	...	...	...	1253	15	7	30·46	
Viralimalai Dispensary	5619	...	...	...	...	...	...	1290	7	3	20·39	
Annavasal Dispensary	7664	...	...	...	...	...	...	1216	2	5	32·26	
Total ...	120027	1091	790	115	96	34	56	55611	6	7	740·86	

STATEMENT XXXI-A—

Comparative Statement showing the progress of Co-operative Societies, Pudukkottai State, for Fasli 1327 (1917—1918).

(Para. 153 of report).

Serial No.	No.	Name of the Society.	No. of Members at the end of Fasli 1326.	No. of Members at the end of Fasli 1327.	No. of shares at the end of Fasli 1326.	No. of shares at the end of Fasli 1327.	Working capital. Total in Fasli 1326.	Working capital. Share capital.	Working capital. Deposits.	Working capital. Loans from State.	Working capital. Loans from the Town Bank.	Working capital. Total.	Receipts. Fasli 1326.	Receipts. Fasli 1327.	Expenditure. Fasli 1326.	Expenditure. Fasli 1327.	Profits earned in Fasli 1326.	Profits earned in Fasli 1327 if the uncollected interest is excluded.	Reserve Fund accumulated up to the end of the Fasli 1326.	Reserve Fund accumulated up to the end of the Fasli 1327.	Remarks.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22
							RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	
1	1	Karambakkudi Rural ...	257	268	599	612	5771	612	142	800	3700	5254	8250	3794	8260	3753	364	—209	1136	927	* The variations in the figures relating to Fasli 1326 are due to the result of the subsequent audit of the accounts of the several societies.
2	3	Alangudi Paraspara Sahaya Sabha Rural.	356	1051	426	1106	7623	1106	4144	800	3280	9330	15003	21630	14823	21356	378	208	1189	1313	
3	4	Sri Venugopalaswami Sowrashtra Weavers' Union, Tiruvappur.	54	86	126	144	4437	2384	358	3193	1000	6935	10068	13078	10504	13336	434	450	412	520	
4	5	Town Bank (Ltd.) ...	1024	1068	5241	5767	89811	5767	87399	400	...	93566	262294	342633	259210	343880	2489	3860	6027	7847	
5	6	Karambakkudi Panchama Weavers' Union.	85	60	184	185	1667	209	...	1500	...	1709	6115	4879	8199	5295	311	166	569	700	
6	7	Keeranur Rural	338	308	1438	1374	6890	1374	1125	1600	1951	6050	10320	10804	10235	10474	412	184	1368	1530	
7	8	Viralimalai Rural ...	168	179	377	388	2543	388	575	800	866		3754	3000	3762	2991	177	108	350	425	
8	9	Annavasal Rural ...	127	137	510	532	3660	532	250	800	2000	3582	4521	4155	4680	3466	202	230	420	610	
9	10	Malayur Rural ...	177	158	354	332	3814	332	...	700	2510	3612	5970	4950	6098	4920	172	62	440	475	
10	11	Kottaikkadu Rural ...	135	128	219	206	2219	206	100	...	800	1806	1693	1244	1778	1180	148	—26	347	321	
11	12	Tirumayyam Rural ...	315	1075	347	1223	5751	1223	5780	...	1000		16892	25371	16610	25329	374	324	791	1041	
12	13	Ponnamaravathi Rural ...	110	553	112	533	1203	533	...	900	500	1033	1899	1166	1900	1170	100	107	333	400	
13	14	Karaiyur Rural ...	64	248	75	259	1548	259	...	800	900	2059	1368	2837	1403	2785	143	120	233	323	
14	15	Perungalur Rural ...	59	145	65	157	1145	157	...	...	...	957	1138	2128	1213	2202	89	87	189	251	
15	16	Puliyur ...	81	81	219	219	2219	219	...	...	2000	2219	1736	91	1752	76	73	—194	110	—84	
16	17	Poovarasagudi ...	140	207	951	1391	3901	1391	2191	...	2000	5582	4320	9663	4619	8361	198	358	370	676	
17	18	Adanakkottai ...	134	371	190	529	2271	529	...	2000	2500	3029	4365	6579	4363	6505	105	150	107	225	
18	19	Sri Brihadambal Co-operative Society, Town.	271	404	347	705	2655	408	1512	...	685	4605	6223	10975	6170	10636	184	200	61	127	
19	20	Kolavoippatti Rural.	54	67	208	272	2708	272	...	...	2500	2772	3569	1365	3000	1891	67	—58	67	9	
20	21	Vallathirakottai ...	63	83	185	263	1788	263	252	...	1750	2265	2393	3588	2439	3373	44	77	46	98	
21	22	Farmers' association', Alangudi.	42	41	56	53	56	53	25	...	...	78	180	189	195	187	5	6	12	18	
22	23	Vellanur	140	185	336	441	3736	441	530	...	2900	3871	6566	6827	6453	6699	134	157	100	210	
23	24	Parambur ...	...	70	...	174	...	174	...	...	2000	2174	...	3079	...	3008	...	75	...	60	
24	25	Manjamviduthi ...	...	63	...	189	...	189	250	...	2000	2439	...	3044	...	2864	...	43	...	32	
25	26	Uppliakudi ...	...	39	...	105	...	105	...	...	1000	1105	...	1294	...	888	...	24	...	20	
26	27	Arnipatti ...	...	24	...	71	...	71	...	...	1000	1071	...	1101	...	1030	...	10	...	10	
27	28	Keelanilai ...	...	33	...	130	...	130	...	...	...	130	...	162	...	145	...	28	...	28	
		Total ...	4194	7132	12562	17360	157416	19327	104633	15093	38842	177895	378637	489626	377666	487780	6603	+7034 −487	14677	18112	

STATEMENT XXXII—(Para. 158 of report).

Expenditure on Public Works, Pudukkottai State, during Fasli 1327 (1917—1918).

Locality.	Item No.	Project.	Total Estimate.	Previous faslis' Expenditure.	Expenditure in Fasli 1327.	Total.	Remarks.
		Religion and Charity.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	
		ORIGINAL AND REPAIRS.					
Town ...	1	Repairs to the Patasala building at Tirugokarnam.	795	128	499	627	
	2	Repairs to the Karupparkoil attached to the Singamuthu Aiyanarkoil at Sandaipettai.	710	...	610	610	
	3	Renewing the float of the Tirugokarnam temple.	677	...	579	579	
Alangudi ...	4	Repairs to Tirumananjeri Siva temple.	880	831	135	966	
	5	Repairs to the front shed of the Ambukoil temple.	720	42	564	606	
	6	Putting up Mangalore tiled roof over the Vahanamantapam in the Ambukoil temple.	3190	...	464	464	
Tirumayyam ...	7	Repairs to the Perumalkoil at Karaiyur.	2550	1365	27	1392	
	8	Construction of a Vahanamantapam at Nedungudi.	1270	...	683	683	
Kolattur ...	9	Repairs to the Madathukoil, Nangupatti.	750	117	92	209	
	10	Repairs to the Eswarankoil at Kolattur.	940	219	53	272	
	11	Expenditure on minor works each having an estimated amount not exceeding Rs. 500.	...	307	764	1071	
		Total ...	...	...	4470	...	
		Works by the Revenue Department ...	...	...	1405	...	
		Total ...	...	...	5875	...	
		Palace.					
		ORIGINAL AND REPAIRS.					
Town ...	1	Petty works in the Dewan's Palace ...	...	...	21	21	
	2	Construction of a platform and petty works for fitting up sanitary fittings in the old Palace.	...	...	85	85	
	3	Repairs to the drain in the Brihannayaki Vilas in the old Palace	...	...	30	30	
	4	Providing a window in the Bath room of the Darbar Hall of the old Palace.	...	5	15	20	
	5	Repairing the wooden doorway in the Drawing room of the Dewan's Palace.	..	...	2	2	
	6	Repairs to the Kallakottai Palace ...	900	...	720	720	
	7	Providing Pongal ovens in the old Palace and Kallakottai Palace and whitewashing the Kallakottai Palace.	40	...	40	40	
	8	Repairs to the grain shed of the old Palace stables.	...	...	33	33	
	9	Repairs to the drain from the Forest office to the Reserve Police line.	221	...	221	221	
	10	Hazaram maintenance	...	...	114	...	

Expenditure on Public Works—*cont.*

Locality.	Item No.	Project.	Total Estimate.	Previous faslis' Expenditure.	Expenditure in Fasli 1327.	Total.	Remarks.
		Palace—*cont.*	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	
	11	Closing holes in the kitchen and covering the drain in the old Palace.	6	...	6	6	
	12	Palace lighting charges	...	...	322	...	
		Total ...	...	...	1609	...	
		Western Palace.					
		ORIGINAL AND REPAIRS.					
Town ...	1	Repairs to the portion in the Western Palace occupied by the second wife of the late Western Palace Jaghirdar.	150	72	22	94	
	2	Repairs to the quarters occupied by M. R. Ry. Chinna Rajayee Sahib Avergal.	400	...	398	398	
	3	Providing a pair of gates for the Western Palace and providing a gate in the northern side of M. R. Ry. Chinna Rajayee Sahib Avergal.	...	12	8	20	
	4	Repairs to the broken terrace in the quarters occupied by the late Western Palace Jaghirdar.	140	...	125	125	
	5	Repairing the terrace of the quarters occupied by the second wife of the late Western Palace Jaghirdar.	95	...	95	95	
	6	Blue and whitewashing, etc., to the Western Palace for the ceremony on April 14, 1918.	70	...	61	61	
	7	Repairs to the well in the Western Palace.	...	..	21	21	
	8	Whitewashing the building occupied by the second wite of the late Western Palace Jaghirdar.	...	...	21	21	
	9	Repairs to the chowkandi in the Western Palace.	...	...	19	19	
	10	Erecting a tiled covered passage to the quarters occupied by the second wife of the late Western Palace Jaghirdar.	200	...	172	172	
	11	Repairs to the quarters occupied by M. R. Ry. Chinna Rajayee Sahib Avergal.	95	...	16	16	
		Total ...	...	...	958	...	
		Irrigation.					
		ORIGINAL.					
		Visalur Project.					
I. Vellar Basin.	1	Construction of a culvert across the Kudumiamalai road for the Vayalogam supply channel.	1887	2023	—136	1887	
	2	Construction of an anicut across the Vellar near Kadayakkudi at the head of Vallanad supply channel.	17930	11811	5899	17710	

Expenditure on Public Works—*cont.*

Locality.	Item No.	Project.	Total Estimate.	Previous faslis' Expenditure.	Expenditure in Fasli 1327.	Total.	Remarks.
		Irrigation—Original—*cont.*	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	
		Gudalur tank.					
	3	Construction of a dam across the Kundar for the supply of Gudalur tank	950	372	639	1011	
		Ponnachikulam channel.					
	4	Construction of a super-passage work No. 2 Vallanad tank foreshore channel.	545	129	307	436	
	5	Cutting an embankment from head-work dam to the drop.	105	5	15	20	
	6	Training the surplus channel of the Vallanad tank in Palakudipatti limit.	165	...	83	83	
		Palayakanmoi.					
	7	Construction of a tower head sluice at C. S. No. 5 Periamadai in Palaya-kulam.	800	357	—357	...	
	8	Construction of a tower head sluice at C. S. No. 2 Palayakanmoi Chinna-madai.	774	20	—20	...	
	9	Construction of a masonry sluice at C. S. No. 7 Koilmadai to Palaya-kanmoi.	500	20	—20	...	
	10	Construction of a pipe sluice at C. S. No. 9 Mettumadai to Palayakanmoi.	270	155	—155	...	
	11	Construction of a tower head sluice at C. S. No. 4 Aiyamadai in Palaya-kanmoi.	690	232	—232	...	
	12	Cutting a supply channel from Pon-nachikulam to Kokkalikulam.	255	...	42	42	
		Total Vellar Basin ...	...	...	6065	...	
II. Agniar Basin.	13	Construction of a surplus weir at the left flank of Vythikulam.	2350	...	1047	1047	
III. Ambiliar Basin.	14	Construction of a surplus weir at the right flank of Manjankanmoi.	2300	2481	119	2600	
	15	Construction of a surplus weir to Alangudi Periakulam.	1600	...	585	585	
		Total Ambiliar Basin ...	...	...	704	...	
IV. Pambar Basin.	16	Widening and revetting the road and bund of Vengaikanmoi.	1820	771	40	811	
	17	Construction of a surplus weir at C. S. No. 3-A and 26 to Perunduraikanmoi.	1452	132	1307	1439	
	18	Repairing the bund of Karambakkudi-kanmoi in Pambar series.	2280	...	807	807	
	19	Repairs to the bund of Mosakudi kanmoi in Pambar series.	1835	...	321	321	
	20	Forming a new yendal at Kurungalur...	1100	...	128	128	
		Total Pambar Basin ...	...	...	2603	...	
V. Koraiyar Basin.		Nil.					
VI. Vennar Basin.		Nil.					
VII. Maharaja-samudram Basin.		Nil.					
VIII. Virushuliar Basin.		Nil.					
IX. Manimuthar Basin.		Nil.					
		Total Original ...	...	...	10419	...	

Expenditure on Public Works—*cont.*

Locality.	Item No.	Project.	Total Estimate.	Previous faslis' Expenditure.	Expenditure in Fasli 1327.	Total.	Remarks.
		Irrigation.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	
		REPAIRS.					
		Kavinad tank.					
I. Vellar Basin.	21	Improvements to Karathamadai ...	800	804	83	887	
	22	Maintaining Kavinad tank	210	...	202	202	
	23	Improvements to the Periamadai sluice No. 3 to Kavinad tank.	640	455	72	527	
	24	Closing gullies on the bund of Kavinad tank.	510	...	381	381	
	25	Repairs to Sirumadai, Kavinad tank ...	...	...	8	8	
		Total Kavinad tank ...	...	...	746	...	
		Vallanad tank					
	26	Improvements to the sand escape ..	2140	2117	14	[illegible]	
	27	Repairs to the old head works of Vallanad tank.	1160	...	1[illegible]	19	
	28	Repairs to the bund of Vallanad tank near the anicut.	...	...	[illegible]	569	
	29	Closing the breach in the sand dam of Vallanad tank.	...	...	8[illegible]	86	
	30	Repairs to the Silakkarai in the surplus channel of Vallanad tank in Pala-kudipatti limit.	310	...	[illegible]	229	
		Total Vallanad tank ...	...	...	917		
		Perumanad tank.					
	31	Construction of a tower head sluice at the site of Periamadai to Perumanad tank.	220	...	154	154	
	32	Removal of earth in the surplus site of Perumanad tank.	...	...	101	101	
		Total Perumanad tank ...	...	...	255	...	
		Nerinjikkudi tank.					
	33	Improvements to the surplus weir of Nerinjikkudi tank.	440	280	111	391	
	34	Improving the old calingulah in Nerinjikkudi tank.	560	319	113	432	
	35	Improvements to the old weir of Nerinjikkudi tank.	...	...	71	71	
		Total Nerinjikkudi tank ...	...	...	295	...	
		Pulankulam.					
	36	Construction of a pipe sluice to Pulan-kulam, Kudumiamalai vattam.	136	...	36	36	
		Visalur tank.					
	37	Construction of a pipe sluice at C S. No. 17-A to Visalur tank.	290	211	59	270	
	38	Construction of a pipe sluice at C. S. No. 10-A to Visalur tank.	580	397	73	470	
	39	Improvements to the supply channel, Visalur tank.	2060	1935	48	1983	
	40	Construction of a masonry sluice at C. S. No. 14-A to Visalikulam.	613	528	83	611	
	41	Raising the bund of Visalur tank at the breach side.	65	...	32	32	
	42	Construction of a pipe sluice to Visalur Chinnakulam.	350	...	118	118	

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Expenditure on Public Works—*cont.*

Locality.	Item No.	Project.	Total Estimate.	Previous faslis' Expenditure.	Expenditure in Fasli 1327.	Total.	Remarks.
		Irrigation—Repairs—*cont.*	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	
	43	Construction of a surplus weir to Visalur tank for the supply of Thethanvayal vari.	375	...	296	296	
		Total Visalur tank ...	...	...	709	...	
		Vayalogam tank.					
	44	Repairs to the bund of Vayalogam tank.	3425	3191	7	3198	
	45	Construction of a tower head sluice at C. S. No. 20 to Vayalogam tank.	865	720	181	901	
	46	Construction of a masonry sluice at C. S. No. 20-A to Vayalogam tank.	586	559	49	608	
		Total Vayalogam tank ...	...	...	237	...	
		Mangudi tank.					
	47	Repairs to the bund of Mangudi tank.	520	500	2	502	
		Oliamangalam Periakulam.					
	48	Repairs to the bund of Periakulam ...	1480	765	381	1146	
	49	Construction of a masonry sluice at 6-B to Periakulam.	605	146	362	508	
	50	Construction of masonry sulice at C. S. No. 12-A to Periakulam.	720	199	300	499	
		Total Oliamangalam tank ...	...	...	1043	...	
		Kothamangalam Periakulam.					
	51	Repairs to the bund of Periakulam ...	4075	3993	56	4049	
		Palaykanmoi.					
	52	Construction of a pipe sluice at C. S. No. 9 to Palayakanmoi.	330	...	305	305	
	53	Improvements to the surplus weir ...	1400	789	235	1024	
	54	Construction of a tower head sluice at C. S. No. 2 Chinnamadai.	1030	691	317	1008	
	55	Construction of a masonry sluice at C. S. No. 7 Koilmadai.	730	385	313	698	
	56	Construction of a tower head sluice at C. S. No. 5 Periamadai.	1050	366	549	915	
	57	Do. at C. S. No. 4 Aiyamadai.	980	...	942	942	
	58	Repairs to the bund	390	440	118	558	
	59	Closing gullies on the bund at the site of old sluice.	160	...	286	286	
	60	Removal of prickly-pear on the bund of Palayakanmoi.	420	...	121	121	
		Total ...	...	...	3186	...	
		Kadavankulam.					
	61	Repairs to the bund of Kadavankulam including removal of prickly-pear.	3000	1816	618	2434	
	62	Construction of a pipe sluice at C. S. No. 5.	520	412	108	520	
	63	Do. at C. S. No. 2 ...	444	141	302	443	
	64	Construction of a calingulah at the right flank of Kadavankulam.	1485	13	—13	...	
	65	Construction of a pipe sluice at C. S. No. 7 to Kadavankulam.	312	216	117	333	
		Total ...	...	...	1132	...	

Expenditure on Public Works—*cont.*

Locality.	Item No.	Project.	Total Estimate.	Previous faslis' Expenditure.	Expenditure in Fasli 1327.	Total.	Remarks.
		Irrigation—Repairs—*cont.*	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	
		Melathanyam Ayangudikulam.					
	66	Repairs to the tank ...	1530	1231	328	1559	
		Melathanyam Periakanmoi.					
	67	Repairs to the bund ...	1080	...	279	279	
		Keelathanyam Chinnakulam.					
	68	Closing breaches	...	...	259	259	
		Gudalur tank.					
	69	Bund repairs	5200	4649	1188	5837	
	70	Removal of prickly-pear ...	...	10	—10	...	
	71	Construction of a Sathirathumadai to Gudalur tank.	380	...	330	330	
		Total ...	...	...	1508	...	
		Melapanaiyur Panayakanmoi.					
	72	Bund repairs	600	...	47	47	
		Velakurichi Periakulam.					
	73	Bund repairs	520	81	234	315	
		Annavasal Periakulam.					
	74	Bund repairs	1730	...	98	98	
		Govinjankanmoi.					
	75	Strengthening the bund in front of the surplus weir ...	...	...	12	12	
	76	Construction of a pipe sluice ...	255	...	242	242	
	77	Construction of a paved escape ...	350	...	260	260	
	78	Construction of a masonry sluice at C. S. No. 7.	510	...	548	548	
	79	Construction of a masonry sluice at C. S. No. 11.	510	...	563	563	
	80	Forming a new bund at site of original weir.	...	...	238	238	
		Total ...	...	...	1863	...	
		Saliankulam of the Tanjore District.					
	81	Alterations to the pipe sluice ...	...	...	195	195	
		Total Vellar Basin ...	...	...	13425	...	
II. Agniar Basin.		*Perungalur Perungakulam.*					
	82	Construction of a masonry sluice at C. S. No. 1.	440	390	390	780	
	83	Construction of a masonry sluice at C. S. No. 2.	1310	749	429	1178	
		Total ...	...	...	819	...	
		Sembattur Periakulam.					
	84	Construction of tower head sluice at site of Periamadai to Sembattur Periakulam.	1475	365	41	406	
	85	Construction of a surplus weir at the right flank.	1160	903	48	951	
	86	Completion of the weir at the right flank.	800	...	635	635	
		Total ...	...	...	724	...	
		Sathinikulam.					
	87	Construction of a masonry sluice at C. S. No. 12.	424	357	75	432	
	88	Do. at C S. No. 15 ...	475	457	27	484	

Expenditure on Public Works—*cont.*

Locality.	Item No.	Project.	Total Estimate.	Previous faslis' Expenditure.	Expenditure in Fasli 1327.	Total.	Remarks.
		Irrigation—Repairs—*cont.*	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	
	89	Construction of a masonry sluice at C. S. No. 19.	415	385	27	412	
		Total ...	...	...	129	...	
		Senaikudi Periakulam.					
	90	Construction of a masonry sluice at C. S. No. 18.	625	406	75	481	
	91	Do. at C. S. No. 12 ...	560	93	389	482	
		Do. at C. S. No. 21 ...	410	25	178	203	
		Total ...	...	...	642	...	
		Valamangalam Perunjakulam.					
	92	Bund repairs	1170	...	60	60	
		Minnathur Periakulam.					
	93	Construction of a tower head sluice at site of Theradimadai.	650	...	611	611	
	94	Do. of a pipe sluice to Pidari-koilmadai.	225	...	208	208	
		Neduvakulam.					
	95	Construction of a surplus weir ...	995	...	742	742	
		Vythikulam.					
	96	Construction of a high level sluice to Vythikulam.	325	...	168	168	
		Thethanviduthi Pudukkulam.					
	97	Construction of a pipe sluice ...	315	175	88	263	
	98	Construction of a masonry sluice	645	192	423	615	
		Total ...	...	...	511	...	
		Kumarakulam.					
	99	Construction of pipe sluice at site of Keelamadai.	365	...	157	157	
	100	Do. pipe sluice at Vanniyadi-madai.	365	...	158	158	
	101	Do. masonry sluice at Pungadi-madai.	595	...	477	477	
	102	Do. do. at Mannavayal-malai.	595	...	479	479	
		Total ...	...	...	1271	...	
		Raghunathpuram Karakulam.					
	103	Strengthening the weak portion of Raghunathapuram Karakulam.	245	...	237	237	
	104	Construction of a surplus weir in the left flank.	1420	...	189	189	
	105	Do. do. at the right flank ...	1015	...	945	945	
	106	Do. masonry sluice at C. S. No. 8.	450	...	110	110	
	107	Do. do. at C. S. No. 10 ...	450	...	132	132	
	108	Do. do. at C. S. No. 14 ...	220	...	35	35	
		Total ...	...	...	1648	...	
		Total Aguiar Basin ...	...	...	7533	...	
III. Ambiliar Basin.		*Alangudi Periakulam.*					
	109	Construction of a masonry sluice (Thondamanmadai).	570	354	170	524	

Expenditure on Public Works—*cont.*

Locality.	Item No.	Project.	Total Estimate.	Previous faslis' Expenditure.	Expenditure in Fasli 1327.	Total.	Remarks.
		Irrigation—Repairs—*cont.*	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	
	110	Construction of Semburanmadai ...	280	237	30	267	
		Manjankanmoi.					
	111	Restoring Periamadai	190	164	21	185	
	112	Restoring the shutters	...	...	40	40	
		Total ...	...	...	61	...	
		Total Ambiliar Basin ...	...	...	261	...	
		Meppliakanmoi.					
Pambar Basin.	113	Construction of a calingulah at the right flank of Panankanmoi for the supply of Meppliakanmoi.	190	...	191	191	
	114	Maintaining the Nedungudi dam for Fasli 1327.	140	...	138	138	
		Thalayathikanmoi.					
	115	Closing the breach in the right flank of Thalayathikanmoi.	92	...	92	92	
		Karambakkudikanmoi.					
	116	Repairs to the bund of Karambakkudi kanmoi in Pambar series.	2280	490	—490	...	
		Yethanattukanmoi.					
	117	Construction of a pipe sluice ...	80	...	76	76	
		Total Pambar Basin ...	..	...	7	...	
Koraiyar Basin.	118	Repairs to the surplus escape at the left flank of Nirpalani Periakulam.	533	535	12	547	
		Total Koraiyar Basin ...	...	...	12	...	
VI. Vennar Basin.		Nil.	...	400	—400	...	
VII. Maharajasamudram.	119	Repairs to the Kattathi and Kusavanodaikulam.					
VIII. Virushuliar Basin.		Nil.					
IX. Manimuthar Basin.		Nil.					
		Total Repairs ...	...	...	20838	...	
		Grand Total, Original and Repairs ...	...	...	31257	...	
		Minor Irrigation Works ...	...	...	54782	...	
		Buildings.					
		ORIGINAL.					
		(i) Post offices.					
Town ...	1	Improvements to the Town Post office building.	635	596	197	793	
Tirumayyam ...	2	Construction of Sub-Registry and Post office, Tirumayyam.	7983	3380	4578	7958	
	3	One item having an estimated amount amount not exceeding Rs. 500.	37	24	1	25	
		Total Post offices ...	...	...	4776	...	

Expenditure on Public Works—*cont.*

Locality.	Item No.	Project.	Total Estimate.	Previous faslis' Expenditure.	Expenditure in Fasli 1327	Total.	Remarks.
		Buildings—Original—*cont.*	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	
		(ii) Other Buildings.					
		I—General Administration.					
Town.	4	(*a*) The New Palace Main building ...	600000	511402	53825	565227	
		(*b*) Constructing Hazaram in the compound wall.	10250	...	6799	6799	
		(*c*) Construction of a compound wall.	51100	...	40176	40176	
		(*d*) Land compensation	...	37965	...	37965	
		(*e*) Landscape gardening	...	24716	6521	31237	
	5	Improvements to the Roseneath Bungalow next to the Traveller's Bungalow.	1100	852	166	1018	
Alangudi.	6	Improvements to the Taluk cutcherry at Alangudi.	7180	8280	—363	7917	
	7	Improvements to the Vattam cutcherry at Alangudi and construction of a kitchen.	1230	1021	98	1119	
	8	Construction of Clerks' quarters at Karambakkudi.	9480	..	506	506	
	9	Improvements to the Vattam cutcherry at Sembattur.	500	...	529	529	
Kolattur.	10	Construction of a new Taluk cutcherry at Keeranur.	58313	60828	—1378	59450	
	11	Construction of Clerks' quarters at Keeranur.	6845	6696	4	6700	
	12	Preparing a strong Treasury room for the new Taluk cutcherry at Keeranur.	785	...	612	612	
	13	Fitting up record rack in the new Taluk cutcherry at Keeranur.	1050	...	1172	1172	
	14	Construction of a compound to the new Taluk cutcherry, Keeranur.	4650	...	37	37	
Tirumayyam.	15	Providing additional accommodation to the Sirkar house at Ponnamaravathi.	855	676	128	804	
	16	Construction of Clerks' quarters at Tirumayyam.	6700	...	34	34	
Trichinopoly.	17	Wirefencing the northern compound of the Trichy Palace.	530	257	356	613	
	18	Improving the Palace Manager's office, Trichy Palace.	1410	...	1542	1542	
	19	Construction of a cooling water tank near the Engine house, Trichy Palace.	600	...	610	610	
	20	Expenditure on minor works each having an estimated amount not exceeding Rs. 500.	...	673	2019	2692	
		Total ...	...	...	113393	...	
		II—Military—Nil.					
		III—Registration.					
Tirumayyam.	21	Improvements to the Sub-Registry office at Ponnamaravathi.	710	201	674	875	
	22	Expenditure on minor works each having an estimated amount not exceeding Rs. 500.	...	729	70	799	
		Total ...	...	...	744	...	
		IV—Education.					
Town.	23	Construction of a tiffin shed in the old College.	519	...	308	308	

Expenditure on Public Works—*cont.*

Locality.	Item No.	Project.	Total Estimate.	Previous faslis' Expenditure.	Expenditure in Fasli 1327.	Total.	Remarks.
		Buildings—Original—*cont.*	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	
	24	Improvements and alterations in the Training School at Tirugokarnam for giving additional accommodation to the Museum building.	1290	76	1729	1805	
Alangudi.	25	Construction of a Weaving School on the basement of the old Indigo factory at Karambakkudi.	2850	3097	—15	3082	
Kolattur.	26	Improvements to the State School at Uppiliakudi.	1080	24	897	921	
	27	Extension of the State School at Annavasal.	2050	1093	222	1315	
	28	Expenditure on minor works each having an estimated amount not exceeding Rs. 500.	...	...	1352	1352	
		Total ...	...	...	4493	...	
		V—Police.					
Alangudi.	29	Improvements to the Police lines at Malayur.	980	321	585	906	
	30	Improvements to the Police lines at Kuliaviduthi.	1410	550	710	1260	
Kolattur.	31	Construction of a Police station at Karambakkudi.	3280	1086	2318	3404	
	32	Construction of a compound wall to the Police line and station at Annavasal.	650	539	140	679	
	33	Construction of a compound wall for the south Police lines at Keeranur.	515	171	334	505	
	34	Improvements to the Police lines at Odayalipatti.	1500	...	599	599	
Tirumayyam.	35	Construction of Police lines at Pudupatti.	5340	4270	793	5063	
	36	Construction of a Police station and Liquor depot at Ponnamaravathi.	2700	16	1353	1369	
	37	Construction of Police lines at Arimalam	7620	7617	2	7619	
	38	Expenditure on minor works each having an estimated amount not exceeding Rs. 500.	...	531	1159	1690	
		Total ...	...	...	7993	...	
		VI—Jails.					
	39	Expenditure on minor works each having an estimated amount not exceeding Rs. 500.	595	136	466	602	
		VII—Medical					
Town.	40	Construction of quarters for the nurses in the Town.	4684	50	4723	4773	
	41	Construction of the front portion of the Chief Medical officer's quarters.	4000	4673	49	4722	
	42	Construction of quarters for the House Surgeon.	3700	3919	5	3924	
	43	Construction of a sceptic ward in the Town Hospital.	2650	...	2648	2648	

Expenditure on Public Works—*cont.*

Locality.	Item No	Project.	Total Estimate.	Previous faslis' Expenditure.	Expenditure in Fasli 1327.	Total.	Remarks.
		Buildings—Original—*cont.*	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	
	44	onstruction of quarters for the Veterinary Doctor.	3110	...	1624	1624	
	45	Improvements to the out-patient's ward in the Women and Children Hospital.	1570	...	1425	1425	
Tirumayyam.	46	Construction of a compound wall around the Dispensary at Ponnamaravathi.	510	142	374	516	
	47	Construction of quarters for the Sub-Assistant Surgeon at Puduppatti.	2100	...	204	204	
Alangudi.	48	Repairs and improvements to the Dispensary at Karambakkudi.	1000	38	703	741	
	49	Construction of quarters for the Sub-Assistant Surgeon at Karambakkudi.	2315	...	2006	2006	
	50	Construction of a Dispensary at Perungalur.	3750	...	1494	1494	
	51	Construction of a compound wall around the Dispensary at Perungalur.	1050	...	135	135	
	52	Construction of quarters for the Sub-Assistant Surgeon at Perungalur.	2200	...	580	580	
	53	Expenditure on minor works each having an estimated amount not exceeding Rs. 500.	...	409	1317	1726	
		Total ...	...	...	17287	...	
		Total Other Buildings ...	...	..	144376	...	
		Total Original ...	...	...	149152	...	
		Buildings.					
		REPAIRS.					
		(i) Post offices.					
	54	Expenditure on minor works each having an estimated amount not exceeding Rs. 500.	...	...	29	29	
		Total ...	...	...	29	...	
		(ii) Other Buildings.					
		I—GENERAL ADMINISTRATION.					
Town.	55	Repairs to the Rosalind Bungalow occupied by the late State Engineer.	581	...	609	609	
	56	Improvements to the Patasala building wherein the Town Sub-Magistrate's office is located.	695	...	498	498	
	57	Periodical repairs to Public offices ...	...	...	1246	1246	
	58	Residency Bungalow, Pichithampatti...	...	...	2067	2067	
	59	Bungalow occupied by the State Superintendent.	...	...	393	393	
	60	His Highness's Bungalow Electric plant maintenance and repairs.	600	...	200	200	
	61	His Highness's Bungalow maintenance and repairs.	...	...	1755	1755	
	62	Ananda Bhag maintenance	...	...	531	531	
Trichy.	63	Trichy Palace and other State buildings.	..	...	3812	3812	
	64	House, Water and Land-tax, Trichy Palace.	...	...	939	939	

Expenditure on Public Works—*cont.*

Locality.	Item No.	Project.	Total Estimate.	Previous faslis' Expenditure.	Expenditure in Fasli 1327.	Total.	Remarks.
		Buildings - Repairs—*cont.*	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	
Kodaikanal.	65	Kodaikanal Bungalow and other State buildings.	...	...	1293	1293	
	66	Expenditure on minor works each having an estimated amount not exceeding Rs. 500.	...	794	6287	7081	
		Total ...	...	...	19630	...	
		II—MILITARY—Nil.					
		III—REGISTRATION.					
Tirumayyam.	67	Repairs to the New Sub-Registry office at Puduppatti.	325	508	52	560	
	68	Expenditure on minor works each having an estimated amount not exceeding Rs. 500.	...	...	362	362	
		Total ...	...	...	414	...	
		IV—EDUCATION.					
Town.	69	Repairs to the terrace of the second floor of His Highness the Maharajah's College.	685	...	338	338	
	70	Expenditure on minor works each having an estimated amount not exceeding Rs. 500	...	...	898	898	
		Total ...	...	...	1236	...	
		V—POLICE.					
	71	Expenditure on minor works each having an estimated amount not exceeding Rs. 500.	...	407	1037	1444	
		Total ...	...	...	1037	...	
		VI—JAILS.					
	72	Expenditure on minor works each having an estimated amount not exceeding Rs. 500.	...	...	155	155	
		Total ...	...	...	155	155	
		VII—MEDICAL.					
Town.	73	Repairs to the Town Hospital ...	1610	1289	3	1292	
	74	Laying out branch pipe line to the kitchen and the operation in the Town Hospital.	665	...	602	602	
	75	Repairs to the Veterinary Hospital ...	545	...	322	322	
	76	Expenditure on minor works each having an estimated amount not exceeding Rs. 500.	...	959	852	1811	
		Total ...	...	...	1779	...	
		Total Repairs ...	...	...	24280	...	
		Total Original and Repairs ...	...	...	173432	...	
		Works by the Revenue Department ...	...	...	7220	...	

Expenditure on Public Works—*cont.*

Locality.	Item No.	Project.	Total Estimate.	Previous faslis' Expenditure.	Expenditure in Fasli 1327.	Total.	Remarks.
		Communications.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	
		ORIGINAL.					
Trichinopoly Road	1	Widening and bifurcating Trichy road from 1/7 to 9/1.	3800	...	2859	2859	
Budalur Road.	2	Construction of a tunnel at 10/7 ...	600	321	229	550	
	3	Do. at 10/4	600	...	530	530	
	4	Do. at 8/7	360	...	331	331	
	5	Do. at 11/1	560	...	516	516	
		Total ...	...	...	1606	...	
Tanjore Road.	6	Widening Tanjore road from 9/6 to 10/3 including Land compensation.	1000	692	379	1071	
	7	Construction of a tunnel to the vari crossiong between Tanjore road and Kattupatti village.	330	...	305	305	
		Total ...	...	...	684	...	
Pattukkottai Road.	8	Construction of a bridge across the river, Periar.	12500	13563	—348	13215	
	9	Construction of a dam across the river, Nariar.	4650	2821	1351	4172	
	10	Construction of a tunnel at 21/4 in Pattukottai road.	290	...	267	267	
	11	Do. at 22/1	1060	...	760	760	
	12	Forming approaches with earth for Nariar dam, East side.	190	...	20	20	
	13	Construction of a tunnel at 13/5 ...	480	...	442	442	
		Total ..	...	...	2492	...	
Alangudi—Karambakkudi Road.	14	Construction of a road dam at 14/5 ...	350	299	35	334	
	15	Do. of a skew culvert at 18/6+500.	1185	747	451	1198	
	16	Do. of a tunnel at 21/4 ...	230	170	41	211	
	17	Do. of a tunnel at 17/0+200.	820	...	706	706	
	18	Do. of a culvert at 15/1 ...	165	...	151	151	
	19	Do. of a tunnel at 19/4 ...	290	...	240	240	
		Total ...	...	...	1624	...	
Peraoorani Road.	20	Adding a vent of 3′ to the tunnel at 15/7.	185	...	96	96	
Yembal Road ...	21	Construction of a road tunnel of 2 vents at 9/1.	625	35	625	660	
	22	Do. of a culvert at 8/7 ...	1180	712	514	1226	
	23	Do. of 4 tunnels at 7/5, 6, 7, and 8/1.	800	...	828	828	
	24	Formation of a road over Neivasalpatti Mela and Keelakanmoi.	3530	1888	1500	3388	
	25	Construction of a tunnel at 10/4 Yembal road.	380	...	397	397	
	26	Do. of a masonry sluice to Seerathankanmoi.	550	...	535	535	
		Total ...	..	...	4399	...	

Expenditure on Public Works—*cont.*

Locality.	Item No.	Project.	Total Estimate.	Previous faslis' Expenditure.	Expenditure in Fasli 1327.	Total.	Remarks.
		Communications—Original—*cont.*	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	
Ponnamaravathi Road.	27	Gravelling the sandy portion between 17/0 to 23/0.	4700	3132	387	3519	
	28	Constructing a road dam betwee 17/1 and 17/2.	130	...	98	98	
		Total ...	...	...	485	...	
Manapparai Road.	29	Widening the road over the bund of Thalingikanmoi.	295	290	14	304	
	30	Construction of a tunnel at 15/3 ...	720	...	230	230	
	31	Do. between 8/5 and 8/6 ...	90	...	69	69	
	32	Do. at 12/2+20	185	...	165	165	
		Total ...	...	...	478	...	
Keerannr—Adanakkottai Road.	33	Construction of a tunnel of one vent 4×2 at 14/5½.	220	...	195	195	
	34	Do. of atunnel at 15/0 ...	360	326	14	340	
	35	Do. of a tunnel at 14/0 ...	420	...	386	386	
		Total ...	...	...	595	...	
Village Road F.	36	Gravelling the road from Sengirai to Kanadukathan.	4160	3997	10	4007	
Kudumiamalai—Kolattar Road.	37	Formation of a road from Annavasal to Kudumiamalai.	5000	3071	2112	5183	
Tiramayyam—Kanadukathan Road.	38	Construction of a pipe tunnel at the junction of Kanadukathan and Madura road.	225	...	1	1	
	39	Construction of a tunnel in Vari No. I for Ammanikanmoi.	215	...	205	205	
Pilivalam—Virachilai Road.	40	Do. in Vari No. II ...	265	...	248	248	
	41	Formation of a road from Pilivalam to Virachilai.	5000	4512	2	4514	
	42	Construction of a road dam at Thoppukollai Vari.	170	...	172	172	
	43	Construction of a tunnel for Ponnachi Vari.	205	...	165	165	
	44	Gravelling Pilivalam, Virachilai road from 10/1 to 13/5.	1980	...	200	200	
		Total ...	...	...	992	...	
Tirumayyam—Pudupatti Road.	45	Construction of a tunnel at 18/4 ...	1020	188	551	739	
	46	Construction of a road culvert at 19/2 in Keelanilai Pudupatti road at the crossing of Pillaikanmoi supply Vari.	403	...	403	403	
		Total ..	...	...	954	...	
Nachandupatti—Panayapatti Road.	47	Acquisition of lands for the formation of a road from Nachandupatti to Panayapatti.	...	...	2716	2716	
	48	Compensation for the lands acquired for the formation of a road from Nachandupatti to Lakshmipuram.	...	...	1093	1093	
		Total ...	...	...	3809	...	

Expenditure on Public Works—*cont.*

Locality.	Item No.	Project.	Total Estimate.	Previous faslis' Expenditure.	Expenditure in Fasli 1327.	Total.	Remarks.
		Communications—Original—*cont.*	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	
Kalamavur Road.	49	Formation of a road from the left flank of Parambur tank to Avayapatti Natham site.	6710	...	697	697	
	50	Repairs to the bund of Neerpalani tank and forming a road over it.	1820	...	378	378	
		Total ...	...	...	1075	...	
Pudukkottai—Karayur Road.	51	Compensation for the lands taken up for the formation of the road.	...	...	210	210	
Vellanur Road.	52	Constructing a tunnel of one vent of 3′ span across the Vellanur road between 9/4 and 9/5 to let down the surplus weir of Siruthittakulam.	285	54	219	273	
		Total Original ...	...	...	24700	...	
		Communications					
		REPAIRS.					
Trichinopoly Road.	53	Maintenance for Fasli 1327	16270	1766	13812	15578	
Budalur Road.	54	Do. for Fasli 1327	2320	204	1572	1776	
Tanjore Road.	55	Do. for Fasli 1327	8040	1001	6861	7862	
Pattukkottai Road	56	Do. for Fasli 1327	2830	588	2881	3469	
Alangudi—Karambakkudi Road.	57	Do. for Fasli 1327	1210	269	854	1123	
Peraoorani Road.	58	Do. for Fasli 1327	3150	703	2382	3085	
Aranthangi Road.	59	Do. for Fasli 1327	2625	347	1865	2212	
Yembal Road.	60	Do. for Fasli 1327	3080	567	3433	4000	
Madura Road.	61	Do. for Fasli 1327	6700	1770	5209	6979	
	62	Maintenance for 1915 (gravel and metal collection).	13510	12260	15	12275	
		Total ...	...	...	5224	...	
Ponnamaravathi Road.	63	Maintenance for Fasli 1327... ...	4000	373	4113	4486	
Manapparai Road.	64	Do. for Fasli 1327	2100	276	2289	2565	
	65	Do. for 1915	2700	2629	28	2657	
	66	Do. for 1916	1650	1850	159	2009	
		Total ...	...	...	2476	...	
South Kolattur Road.	67	Maintenance for Fasli 1327	3475	333	2917	3250	
Keeranur—Adanakkottai Road	68	Do. for Fasli 1327	1640	244	1536	1780	
Adanakkottai—Alangudi Road.	69	Do. for Fasli 1327	1620	232	1089	1321	
Alangudi—Arimalam Road.	70	Do. for Fasli 1327	1490	202	1146	1348	
Arimalam—Tirumayyam Road.	71	Do. for Fasli 1327	1630	256	1464	1720	
Kudumiamalai—Kolattur Road.	72	Do. for Fasli 1327	780	53	568	621	
Viralimalai—Kalamavur Road.	73	Do. for Fasli 1327	950	...	848	848	
Tirumayyam—Kanadukathan Road.	74	Do. for Fasli 1327	1180	291	1237	1528	
	75	Do. for 1915—1916 ...	2770	1683	70	1753	

Expenditure on Public Works—*cont.*

Locality.	Item No.	Project.	Total Estimate.	Previous faslis' Expenditure.	Expenditure in Fasli 1327.	Total.	Remarks.
		Communications—Repairs—*cont.*	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	
	76	Earth-work from 16/2 to 16/6 ...	190	...	133	133	
		Total ...	...	...	1440	...	
Tirumayyam—Puduppatti Road.	77	Maintenance for Fasli 1327	700	112	663	775	
Pilivalam—Sengirai Road.	78	Do. for Fasli 1327	670	65	516	581	
Village Road D.	79	Do. for Fasli 1327	900	84	577	661	
Village Road E.	80	Maintenance for Fasli 1327... ...	760	94	626	720	
Karayur Road ...	81	Maintenance of the road	790	...	938	938	
	82	Expenditure on minor works each having an estimated amount not exceeding Rs. 500.	...	335	1838	2173	
		Total Repairs ...	...	...	61639	...	
		Total Original ...	...	...	24700	...	
		Grand Total, Original and Repairs ...	...	...	86339	...	
		Town Conservancy.					
		ORIGINAL.					
Town ..	1	Putting up jewell filter for the Town Water-works.	26000	26098	169	26267	
	2	Improving the drainage of the Town...	...	...	1500	1500	
		Total Original ...	...	...	1669	...	
		REPAIRS.					
		Nil.					
		Grand Total Original and Repairs ...	...	...	1669	...	
		Market and Cartstand.					
		ORIGINAL.					
Alangudi ...	1	Wirefencing round the Malaiyur Market.	730	289	9	298	
		Total Original ...	...	...	9	...	
		REPAIRS.					
		Nil.					
		Grand Total, Original and Repairs ...	...	...	9	...	
		Village Conservancy.					
		ORIGINAL.					
		Nil.					
		REPAIRS.					
Kolattur ...	1	Construction of a surplus pipe sluice to Akasaoorani, Narthamalai.	100	11	60	71	
		Total Repairs ...	...	...	60	...	
		Grand Total, Original and Repairs ...	...	...	60	...	
		Works by the Revenue Department...		...	2341	...	

STATEMENT XXXIII—(Para. 166 of report).

Statement showing the Strength, Cost and other particulars of the Military Force in the Pudukkottai State for Fasli 1327 (1917–1918).

Arm of service.	Number of fighting officers and men.						Details of force at the end of Fasli 1327.						Total cost on account of pay and allowances of the force including followers.	Remarks.
	At the end of Fasli 1326.	Recruited in Fasli 1327.	Casualties.			At the end of Fasli 1327.	Number of Regiments, Battalions or Batteries.	Number of guns.	Number of men.					
			Died.	Invalidated.	Discharged, deserted, etc.				European Commissioned officers.	Native Commissioned officers.	Non-Commissioned officers.	Fighting men.		
													RS.	
Cavalry	19	2	1	...	1	19	No system of Battalions in vogue.	10	...	1	3	15	15319-1-5	Out of the force, a private and a non-commissioned officer do the duty of gunner. Out of the 10 guns possessed by this department, four guns are serviceable. One has been condemned for use and the remaining five being unserviceable, are kept for show. In the Infantry, one Havildar has been given the Honorary rank of Havildar Major. In the Body-guard one Sowar has been given the Honorary rank of Naik.
Sappers	...	...	...	...	...	...			...	...	...	...		
Artillery	...	...	...	...	...	...			...	...	...	...		
Infantry	110	11	3	3	5	110			..	4	14	92		
Imperial Service Troops...	...	...	...	...	...	...			...	...	...	...		
Total ...	129	13	4	3	6	129		10	...	5	17	107		

STATEMENT XXXIII—A.

Statement showing the Arms and Ammunitions imported into the Pudukkottai State during Fasli 1327 (1917–1918).

	Arms.			Ammunitions.							
	Muskets.	Pistols.	Revolvers.	Cartridges. Blank.	Cartridges. Filled.	Gunpowder (lb).	Percussion Caps.	Safety fuses.	Sulphur (lb).	Dynamites (lb).	Detonators.
State purchases ...	...	...	...	...	750 M.L.	...	1000 M.L.	500	...	...	...
Private purchases...	1	:	1	400	300	190	60000 +1 box	600	2000	...	...
Remarks.											

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