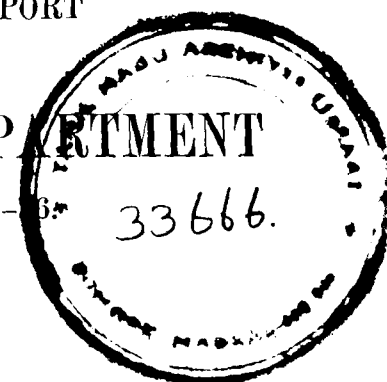


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ADMINISTRATION REPORT
OF THE
MADRAS EXCISE DEPARTMENT
FOR THE YEAR 1935-36



CHAPTER I.

ESTABLISHMENT.

Personnel. Mr. J. F. Hall, C.I.E., O.B.E., I.C.S., was in charge of the department during the year.

Establishment. 2. Statement (1) shows the establishment sanctioned and abolished during the year and the strength at the end of the year. The experiment of converting certain circles which were in charge of Inspectors into sub-circles in charge of Assistant Inspectors which was started in 1931-32 was proceeded with during the year.

Punishment. 3. The total number of punishments inflicted on officers of the department was 245 (231). The percentage of punishment to total strength was 6. It was 5 in the previous year. As usual, the majority of punishments consisted of fines and stoppages of pay imposed on menials for absence without leave.

Prosecution. 4. One Sub-Inspector in the Waltair subdivision (Bhadrachalam Agency) was convicted under sections 506 (i) and 323 of the Indian Penal Code and was acquitted on appeal. One Sub-Inspector of the same subdivision was prosecuted under section 211 of the Indian Penal Code but was discharged under section 253 (1), Criminal Procedure Code. In the Bellary subdivision one Sub-Inspector and two peons were prosecuted under sections 161 and 355 of Indian Penal Code. The Sub-Inspector and peons concerned were discharged.

Resignation. 5. One peon resigned his appointment during the year.

CHAPTER II.

COUNTRY SPIRITS.

Contract supply area and Excise duty. 6. There was no change in the areas for the contract supply of arrack. The excise duty on arrack was reduced by about 25 per cent throughout the Presidency. The rates of duty per proof gallon with effect from 1st April 1935 were Rs. 8 in nine districts and Rs. 6-8-0 in the remaining districts except special tracts.

7. The issue strength of arrack continued to be 35° U.P. throughout the Presidency except in the case of Agency tracts where it was 60° U.P. In the case of cashew arrack the sale of which was permitted in certain parts of South Kanara district the issue strength was 30° U.P. for a part of the year and 35° U.P. for the remaining part. There was no change in the limits imposed on the private possession of arrack without a licence.

8. The number of wholesale depots was 371 (371). The number of shops licensed for the retail vend of country spirits in the areas under the contract distillery system was 5,579 (5,133). There was on an average one shop for 16,299 (16,367) persons in municipal areas, and for 7,752 (7,969) persons in the areas outside municipal limits.

9. During the year the consumption of country spirits amounted to 963,325 proof gallons as against 811,456 proof gallons in 1934-35, the increase amounting to about 19 per cent. The increase was contributed by the majority of the districts and is to be ascribed mainly to the reduction in the excise duty on arrack, though the rigorous measures taken to suppress illicit distillation, where that class of crime was rampant, were no doubt a contributory cause for the increase. The average incidence of consumption per 100 of the population throughout the Presidency was 2.13 (1.80) proof gallons.

10. The total revenue derived from country spirits decreased from Rs. 123.11 lakhs to Rs. 119.60 lakhs. The decrease of Rs. 3.81 lakhs was the result of a decrease of about Rs. 7.19 lakhs under duty and an increase of Rs. 3.38 lakhs under licence fees.

11. There was no change in the system on which liquor was supplied in the Agency tracts. The number of shops sold under the Central Distillery system in the Jeypore and Parvatipur circles was 115 (115). The consumption during the year was 178,821 (141,665) gallons of 60° U.P. mohwa arrack. Under the outstill system 19 (19) combined shops and still licences were sold for Rs. 23,748 (25,032). In the Nugur and Bhadrachalam taluks the Central Distillery system was continued. The contract for the manufacture and supply of mohwa arrack to the two taluks was granted to Messrs. Fraser and Ross, Receivers and Managers of the Nadar Estate, for a period of three years from 1st October 1935. With a view to suppress illicit distillation crime in those taluks and to place licit liquor within the purchasing power of the Agency people the excise duty was reduced from ten annas in 1934-35 lease to three annas per gallon of 60° U.P. mohwa arrack from 1st October 1935 and a maximum retail selling price of six pies per dram in the arrack shops in this area was also imposed from that date. The effect of these measures was a considerable increase in consumption from 1st October 1935 and a reduction of reported crime. The Koyas who used to resort to illicit distillation were reported to have taken to licit arrack in shops as the price charged was within their means. Thirty-six (36) shops were sold for Rs. 8,976 (32,130) and the consumption was 50,767 (20,625) gallons of 60° U.P. mohwa arrack.

CHAPTER III.

TODDY.

12. There was no change in the rates of tree-tax during the year 1935-36. The following rates were in force:—

Districts.	Coconut palms for each half-year.			Sago palms for each half-year.			Palmyra or date palms for the whole year.			Dadasal for the whole year.		
	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.
Ganjam, Vizagapatam (except certain villages), South Kanara and Malabar and the Gudalur taluk of the Nilgiris district ..	4	8	0	9	0	0	3	0	0	1	0	0
2 Vizagapatam (certain villages) ..	0	12	0	1	8	0	0	8	0	..	..	..
3 Vizagapatam (certain Agency villages) ..	3	12	0	7	8	0	2	8	0	..	..	..
4 Agency tracts of East Godavari (areas under the tree-tax system) ..	3	0	0	6	0	0	2	0	0	..	..	..
5 All other districts ..	5	10	0	11	4	0	3	12	0	..	..	..

13. The limit of private possession of toddy without a licence was half a gallon throughout the Presidency except in certain special localities where it was one dram.

14. The total revenue derived during the official year amounted to Rs. 2,21,67,310 (Rs. 2,26,91,845) comprising of Rs. 1,21,67,487 (Rs. 1,29,26,569) under rentals, Rs. 96,99,170 (Rs. 97,65,276) under tree-tax and Rs. 653 (nil) under transport duty on Hyderabad toddy.

15. Ten thousand one hundred and forty-six (9,928 *) shops were sold for the lease 1935-36. The following comparative statement shows the number of trees marked during the last three years:—

Toddy year.	Coconuts.	Palmyras.	Dates.	Sagos.	Total.
1933-34	995,741	538,316	627,265	3,333	2,164,655
1934-35	1,003,338	550,919	642,203	3,563	2,200,023
1935-36 (up to July 1936). ..	927,765	528,162	632,789	3,214	2,091,930
1934-35 (up to July 1935).*	1,003,165	545,163	606,041	3,554	2,157,923

Reduced to terms of coconuts by the application of the formula, 2 coconuts = 3 palmyras = 3 dates = 1 sago, the consumption for the toddy year 1934-35 is represented by the figure 1,805,879 (1,779,461) and that for the first ten months of the toddy year 1935-36 by 1,708,160 (1,777,742).

16. The number of trees tapped for fermented toddy for domestic consumption was 57,128 (64,926) of which 51,246 (60,006) trees were tapped by the 'Koyas' in the Agency tracts. The decrease in the number of trees tapped by the Koyas is reported to be due to the lack of trees on lands belonging to the 'Koyas' and to the fact that many of the 'Koyas' lost possession of their lands on account of the large

* Revised figures.

arrears of rent which they owed to the Zamindar of Polavaram. The restriction of the concession of tapping by the Koyas to trees standing on lands in the enjoyment of Koyas or belonging to the Government has been temporarily suspended in ten villages in the East Godavari Agency.

17. During the year 3,481 (nil) gallons of toddy were transported from Hyderabad through the Hospet Railway Chowkie for the toddy shop at Kurugodu, Bellary circle. The imports have ceased since January 1936.

18. The number of trees tapped in British territory for the toddy shops in Mysore and Pudukkottai States was 13,272 (10,518). Five thousand two hundred and sixty-eight (5,537) trees were tapped in those States for toddy shops in the British territory. Nobody availed himself of the concession to mark trees in the Cochin State for British shops and vice versa.

19. The sweet juice rules were in force in the East Godavari (ordinary areas and the tree-tax areas of the Agency) and West Godavari districts and in the Repalle and Bapatla taluks of the Guntur district. In those areas licences were issued free of fee to sweet toddy tappers. In the tree-tax areas of the East Godavari Agency the sweet juice industry was carried on only in Polavaram taluk. Sixty-nine (67) licences were issued in that taluk for 4,140 (4,020) trees. The rules relating to sweet toddy worked satisfactorily. In the rest of the Presidency tapping for sweet juice was not under control.

20. During the year the tree-tax system was in force in 39 villages of the Gudem taluk of the Vizagapatam Agency. In the East Godavari Agency it was in force in the whole of Polavaram taluk, 147 villages of Yellavaram, 121 villages of Chodavaram, 44 villages of Bhadrachalam and 17 villages of Nugur taluks.

Two shops were sold under the farming system in the Parlakimedi Maliahs of the Ganjam Agency for Rs. 588 (Rs. 492).

CHAPTER IV.

FOREIGN LIQUOR.

21. The rate of duty on Indian-made foreign spirits remained unaltered at Rs. 21-14-0 per proof gallon. The rate of duty on beer brewed in India was reduced from 12 to 10 annas a gallon with effect from 1st April 1935. On imported beer the standard rate of Re. 1-2-0 per gallon and the preferential rate of 14 annas per gallon introduced in consequence of the Indian Tariff (Ottawa Trade Agreement) Amendment Act, 1932, continued to be in force. The rate of duty on imported spirits also continued at Rs. 37-8-0 per gallon.

22. A comparative statement showing the consumption of foreign liquor including Indian-made foreign spirits and beer is given below :—

	1912-13.	1934-35.	1935-36.
	GALLONS.	GALLONS.	GALLONS.
Wines (excluding medicated wines) ..	27,265	19,242	15,952
Spirits	146,044	94,976	89,859
Beer	581,465	706,084	678,820
Denatured spirits	19,557	102,829	107,307
Methyl alcohol	..	1,368	1,255

There is a decrease under all the heads except Denatured spirits. The consumption of imported spirits shows a slight increase 65,608 (65,261). The decrease under the other heads is attributed to the general economic depression.

The consumption of beer brewed in India shows a considerable fall 193,133 (218,611). In spite of the reduction of the excise duty from 12 annas a gallon to 10 annas a gallon it has not been able to compete successfully with the cheaper varieties of imported beer—especially Japanese beer—placed on the market. As the reduction in duty did not in any way benefit either the Government or the consumer and as it did not help to replace cheap imported beer by Indian beer, the duty was restored to the old rate of 12 annas a gallon with effect from 1st April 1936.

The increase in consumption of denatured spirits is due to the more extensive use of the spirit for petromax lights and spirit stoves.

The issue of beer from the two breweries in this presidency was 193,263 gallons against 217,859 gallons in 1934-35. The quantity of beer exported to places outside the presidency was 3,623 (4,451) gallons. The issues of beer to licensed vendors in this presidency from the Bangalore brewery amounted to 13,619 (15,811) gallons. A statement showing the quantity of beer manufactured in the three breweries is appended (Statement E-1).

23. The quantity of foreign liquor imported by sea shows a slight increase 686,834 (681,527).

24. The rate of duty on spirit contained in medicinal preparations, culinary, aerated water and other flavouring essences, extracts, colourings, perfumes and toilet preparations manufactured in bond in this presidency remained unaltered at Rs. 5 per proof gallon. The duty on spirit contained in medicinal preparations and the duty on culinary, aerated water and other flavouring essences, extracts, colourings, perfumes and toilet preparations, manufactured elsewhere in India and imported into this presidency by land or underbond by sea continued to be Rs. 10 and Rs. 17-8-0 per proof gallon respectively. In G.O. Ms. No. 2522, Revenue, dated 25th October 1935, the duty on spirit contained in certain medicinal preparations was raised with effect from 1st November 1935 to Rs. 17-8-0 per proof gallon whether manufactured in bond in this presidency or manufactured elsewhere in India and imported into this presidency by land or underbond by sea, as a precautionary measure against the preparations being used as flavouring essences.

In the pharmaceutical laboratories of Messrs. Spencer & Co., Ltd., Madras, the Karnataka Chemical and Pharmaceutical Works, Limited, Udipi, and the Alembic Chemical Works Company, Limited, Madras, and in the special bonded warehouse of Messrs. McDowell & Co., Ltd., Madras, work was in progress during the year. Though the licence of the pharmaceutical laboratory of Messrs. A. S. R. Murthy & Sons., Madras, was renewed for the year, there were no issues of spirituous medicinal preparations from the laboratory during the year. The duty realized on the spirituous preparations issued from these manufacturing firms is given below :—

	Spirituous medicinal preparations.		Other spirituous preparations.	
	1934-35.	1935-36.	1934-35.	1935-36.
	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.
The Alembic Chemical Works Company, Limited ..	17,275	22,159	..	..
Messrs. Spencer & Co., Ltd.	4,448	5,472	598	918
The Karnataka Chemical and Pharmaceutical Works, Limited.	1,858	599	..	..
Messrs. McDowell & Co., Ltd.	..	..	2,245	2,527
Messrs. A. S. R. Murthy & Sons	221	..	..	..
Total ..	23,802	28,230	2,843	3,445

The amount of duty realized on the preparations manufactured in this presidency has increased. The duty realized on spirituous preparations imported from Bengal and other places underbond by sea amounted to Rs. 53,978 (53,157).

25. There were 66 clubs which supplied foreign liquor to their members during the year. A sum of Rs. 7,222 (6,850) was realized as fees from them.

26. A licence fee at the rate of 8 annas per gallon of denatured spirit and methyl alcohol consumed continued to be levied during the year. A sum of Rs. 51,572 (50,196) was realized on this account.

27. The number of licences for the sale of foreign liquor for consumption on the licensed premises (F.L. 5 and F.L. 5-a) was 19 (18) and the number of beer shops (F.L. 6 and F.L. 6-a) was 26 (27). The rentals of the taverns increased from Rs. 1,87,200 in 1934-35 to Rs. 1,88,604 in 1935-36 and the rentals of the beer shops increased from Rs. 1,69,416 to Rs. 1,85,544. The number of licences for the retail sale of foreign liquor for consumption off the licensed premises (F.L. 2) was 160 (155).

Two hundred and forty-seven (236) licences were issued during the year for the sale of foreign liquor at entertainments, 251 (269) for the sale of medicated wines and similar preparations, 66 (68) for hotels, refreshment rooms and bars, 79 (77) for railway refreshment rooms and dining cars and 60 (56) for the sale of brandy by chemists (F.L. 3). The number of special and canteen licences issued was 23 (31). Twenty-two (27) methyl alcohol licences and 1,037 (1,033) denatured spirit licences were issued.

28. A comparative statement showing the revenue derived from the principal kinds of liquor is given below :—

Revenue.	1934-35.	1935-36.
	RS.	RS.
1. Excise duty—		
Indian made foreign spirits	5,80,739	5,78,312
Beer brewed in India	1,85,671	1,30,051
2. Rentals—		
Foreign liquor taverns and beer shops ..	3,56,077	3,74,148
3. Other—		
Foreign liquor licences, licence fees on denatured spirits, etc.	1,70,098	1,79,292
Total ..	12,92,585	12,61,803

CHAPTER V.

OPIUM.

29. The issue price of opium remained at Rs. 80 per seer. The limit of private possession continued to be one tola in the ordinary tracts and two tolas in the Agency tracts.

30. Five hundred and sixty-three (562) shops were sold for the year for Rs. 9.25 (9.78) lakhs. One hundred and eighty-two (181) shops were working under restriction of supplies.

31. The consumption of raw opium amounted to 28,034 (28,567) seers, i.e., 533 seers less than in 1934-35.

32. Seventeen seers and fifty-two tolas (21 seers and 44 tolas) of raw opium, and opium preparations containing 1 oz. and 44 grains of opium were sold by licensed vendors for veterinary purposes. Opium preparations containing 11 lb. 7 oz. and 125 grs. of opium were used by the officers of the Government Civil Veterinary Department.

33. The revenue derived from opium amounted to Rs. 32.42 (34.52) lakhs, of which Rs. 9.25 (9.78) lakhs represented shop rentals. The sale-proceeds of opium amounted to Rs. 23.10 (24.60) lakhs.

34. There were no issues of opium to Mysore during the year under report. The issues of opium to Travancore were 2,000 (4,000) seers, to Cochin 1,300 (1,300) seers and to Pudukottai 80 (60) seers. The issues to French establishments were 207 (220) seers. Ten (14) seers of opium were issued to Coorg.

35. The retail selling price of opium in the Agency tracts of Ganjam, Vizagapatam and East Godavari districts continued to be Re. 1-2-0 per tola or Rs. 90 per seer. In the ordinary tracts the retail price varied from Re. 1-4-11 to Rs. 2-6-7 per tola or Rs. 104-10-8 to Rs. 192-14-0 per seer.

Practice of administering opium to children—adoption of new measures to check or discourage.

36. No new measures were adopted by the Education or Health Department during the year to check or discourage the practice of administering opium to children.

COCAINE.

37. The transactions in cocaine and its preparations were conducted under M-1 and M-2 licences. Two hundred and fifty-seven (287) licences were issued. The total sales amounted to 2 lb. 14 oz. and 29 grs. (3 lb. 1 oz. and 388 grs.). The retail sales were 1 lb. 4 oz. and 94 grs. and the wholesale sales 1 lb. 9 oz. and 372 grs.

CHAPTER VI.

HEMP DRUGS.

38. The cultivation of ganja was restricted to Santaravur in the Guntur district where 74 (40) licences were issued for cultivation on 310 acres and 5 cents (173 acres) of land. The outturn was 1,404 maunds, 23 seers and 65 tolas of ganja and 190 maunds of bhang, giving an average outturn of 4.5 (4.6) maunds of ganja per acre.

39. The botanical investigation which was started in 1928-29 but which was suspended during 1934-35 was conducted in the year under report in the Santaravur centre. During the year no new scheme of scientific work was undertaken, and the investigation was confined mainly to local cultural problems. The results of the investigation conducted during a period of seven years have clearly established the fact that the hemp plant responds best to intensive methods of cultivation as an 'irrigated dry' crop.

40. The rates of duty on ganja and bhang continued to be Rs. 27-8-0 and Rs. 12-8-0 per seer respectively during the year. The limits of private possession also remained unaltered.

41. Four hundred and sixty-two (460) shops were sold for the year, of which 157 (156) shops were sold subject to restrictions on supplies. One shop in the Tanjore district the supply to which was restricted could not be disposed of in auction and was worked for a part of the year on a commission basis.

42. The consumption of ganja and bhang and their preparations amounted to 40,340 (44,586) seers. Forty (80) seers of bhang were issued to the Government of Central Provinces and Berar and 9 seers to the shops in the Civil and Military Station, Bangalore. The total revenue derived from hemp drugs amounted to Rs. 18.95 (20.36) lakhs. There was a decrease of Rs. 0.32 lakh under rentals and Rs. 1.10 lakhs under duty.

43. There was no manufacture or sale of ganja seed oil or poonac in the Vetapalem store-house during the year.

CHAPTER VII.

REVENUE.

44. The total revenue (demand) [column (3) of Statement A] is compared in the following table with that of the previous year :—

Demand and collection.	Head of revenue.	1934-35. RS.	1935-36. RS.	Increase. RS.	Decrease. RS.
1	Country spirits (including distilleries)	1,23,40,800	1,19,60,083	..	3,80,717
2	Country fermented liquor.	2,26,91,845	2,21,67,310	..	5,24,535
3	Malt liquors	3,54,578	3,15,625	..	38,953
4	Wines and spirits (foreign liquor other than beer, medicated wines and commercial spirits)	9,34,777	9,43,218	8,441	..
5	Commercial spirits (including medicated wines)	3,230	2,960	..	270
6	Hemp drugs	20,36,432	18,94,917	..	1,41,515
7	Opium	34,51,852	32,42,345	..	2,09,507
8	Fines and forfeitures	3,44,589	3,56,408	11,819	..
9	Miscellaneous	1,01,942	97,006	..	4,936
	Total	4,22,60,045	4,09,79,872	20,260	13,00,433

The total collection for the year amounted to Rs. 4,10,00,968 (4,22,94,274). A sum of Rs. 65,962 was written off as irrecoverable.

45. The total expenditure during the year amounted to Rs. 35,19,903 (33,74,110) details for which will be found in Imperial Return II. The net percentage of charges to receipts was 8.6 (7.9).

46. The incidence of the total excise revenue per head of population was Re. 0-14-0 (0-14-6).

47. The collection of the abkari and opium revenue in the enclaves of Anjengo and Tangasseri continued to be in the hands of the Travancore Government during the year. An amount of Rs. 7,900 was collected from the Travancore Government as rents for the privilege of collection in the two enclaves and was credited to the accounts of the Madras Government. The details for this sum are to be found in the Imperial Return I.

CHAPTER VIII.

OFFENCES.

48. The total number of cases under the Abkari Act during the year was 24,576 (23,164). The increase was mainly under illicit distillation and kindred offences, unlicensed sales and possession without licence.

49. Five thousand seven hundred and fifteen cases (5,421) of illicit distillation and kindred offences were detected. The increase occurred noticeably in Ganjam 1,087 (745), Cuddapah 445 (426), Anantapur 299 (219), Bellary 336 (257) and Salem 471 (361) and the decrease in East Godavari 216 (426), Guntur 187 (275), Kurnool 342 (373) and South Arcot 91 (135).

The increase in the Ganjam district was contributed mainly by the Chicacole circle. It is reported that illicit distillation is rampant generally in the Ceded districts and that particularly in Cuddapah district this has become the recognized subsidiary occupation of whole villages. With the help of the special armed staff sanctioned for the two circles in this district, systematic raids were conducted by the Inspectors with good results. It is hoped that the situation will soon be brought under better control. The increase in the number of illicit distillation cases in the Salem district was marked in the Sankari circle 222 (143). Earnest efforts were made in most of these cases to get at the root of the crime by detecting persons in the very act of distillation. The decrease in the other districts is attributed to better control during the previous year.

The increase in the number of cases under unlicensed sales and possession of country spirits was due to the special attention paid to this class of crime in the areas in which they existed.

50. The number of cases detected under illicit manufacture of toddy showed a fall 8,821 (9,153). The decrease was mainly in East Godavari 695 (755), Coimbatore 581 (648), Malabar 1,128 (1,187) and Madras 50 (148). The decrease in Malabar under illicit tapping was chiefly in the Palghat circle 488 (583) which was reported to be due to the late spathing of palmyras and to the deterrent sentences inflicted. In Madras there was no real fall, because the figures of detection under this head rose in 1934-35 owing to an outbreak of illicit tapping in Saidapet range. The decrease in other districts was due to the greater efforts made to check illicit tapping.

Admixture of sweet toddy with fermented toddy was prevalent to a very large extent in Tinnevely and portions of Rannad and to some extent in south Kanara, Malabar and Coimbatore. In order to safeguard the revenue under the tree-tax, special instructions have been issued to effect closer control of shops, but the admixture of sweet toddy with fermented toddy is so widespread that it will be some time before this form of crime can be suppressed.

51. There was an increase in the number of hemp drug offences 726 (615) chiefly under smuggling 59 (32), unlicensed sales 323 (245) and possession without licence 224 (183). The increase in smuggling occurred mainly in Hosur circle of Salem 37 (14) and Hospet circle of Bellary 10 (3). Smuggling of ganja from Mysore has shown a tendency to increase largely because of the poor quality of Madras ganja. Despite the efforts of the police and the local staff hawking of ganja continued to increase in the City of Madras 145 (101).

52. Cases convicted under the Dangerous Drugs Act are embodied in statement J.I.

53. Enquiry into cases by departmental officers was generally prompt and efficient. In five hundred and fifty-four cases (645) the accused persons were released and in 11,424 (12,504) cases the offences were compounded. Eleven thousand two hundred and forty-eight (9,099) cases were dealt

with by the Magistrates. Convictions were obtained in 9,756 (7,990) cases and 224 (189) cases ended in acquittal. One thousand two hundred and sixty-eight (920) cases were pending with the Magistrates at the end of the year.

Rewards. 54. A sum of Rs. 36,909 (29,435) was paid as rewards during the year.

55. The Excise supplement to the Criminal Intelligence Gazette was regularly issued.

Assaults. 56. Twenty cases of assaults on Excise officers and peons were reported during the year. One of them in the Kasaragod circle was of a very serious nature. The Sub-Inspector sustained grievous hurt and his peon succumbed to the injury on the spot. The accused was awarded capital punishment.

CHAPTER IX.

LABORATORY.

57. The total number of samples analysed and articles examined during the year under review was 2,866 (3,007).

58. Seven hundred and seven (869) samples of country arrack were examined during the year. The results of the analysis of the samples of liquor received for periodical examination were found to be generally satisfactory, and in some samples there was a noticeable diminution in the acid content and the extent of copper contamination samples received from 6 out of the 10 pot-still distilleries indicating freedom of the distillate from copper. During the year 598 (771) samples of weak liquor taken periodically from the pot-still distilleries were examined for copper, of which 262 (108) were found to be free from copper, 154 (315) were found to contain copper within the permissible limit of 0.25 grain per gallon, while in 168 (315) there was over 0.25 grain and in 14 (33) over 1 grain of copper per gallon. Excessive copper contamination was noticeable in the samples received from Chowghat, Tachanallur Old and Bhadrachalam Distilleries. Fifteen samples of arrack suspected to be of illicit manufacture were examined, and of these, 4 were declared to be illicit. Forty-two samples of arrack from stocks suspected to be diluted and seized at certain depots and shops were examined and found to be diluted in the majority of cases. A sample of arrack suspected to be an admixture of denatured spirit received from the Inspector, Vellore Circle, was found on examination to be free from denaturants.

59. One hundred and forty-two (135) samples of beer, wort and wash were examined during the year. Of the 18 samples of wort received for periodical analysis from the Breweries, the original gravity of one of the samples was found to have been declared at 1.5°, while that of another at 3.8° higher than the true original gravity. The qualitative analysis of all the samples disclosed a high grade of manufacture. One hundred and nine samples of beer submitted by Inspectors on suspicion of being diluted were examined and 2 samples were found to be free from dilution.

while the other 107, diluted, the extent of dilution exceeding 10 per cent in 22 cases. In one instance, the extent of dilution noticed was 33·4 per cent. To bring home the offence of dilution, as an experimental measure, a comparative analysis is now being made of the samples taken by Inspecting officers from beer under sale at shops with samples of the same beer taken from the respective casks at the time of issue from the breweries. A sample of beer received from the Inspector, Dindigul Circle, was found to be highly acid and was declared to be unfit for consumption, while another sample of Japanese beer (Pilsener beer—Star brand) was examined for concoction of material ingredients and it was found to be free from alkaloids and thirst producing agents. Two samples of spent wash taken from two distilleries were examined and found to be free from spirit. Nine samples of wash received from certain distilleries were examined for acidity and except in two cases, the acidity of the samples was found to be normal.

60. The number of samples of toddy analysed during the year was
 Toddy. 1,157 (1,069). As in previous years, the Trichinopoly subdivision sent the largest number, 696 (641) or 60 per cent of the total number examined and the West Coast subdivision comes next, having sent 365 (351). The number of samples that contained more than 10 grains of lime per gallon was 760 (794) of which 72 samples contained more than 100 grains of lime per gallon.

61. Nineteen (16) samples of foreign liquor were tested. Of these,
 Foreign liquor. 13 samples were found to be weaker than the minimum strength prescribed for the sale of foreign liquor. Five samples of imported foreign liquor were examined for quality and they were found to be immature spirit of inferior quality.

62. The number of samples of opium and its preparations including
 Opium. morphia drugs examined during the year was 91 (82). Of these, 63 samples were 'prepared' opium received for examination in connexion with offences under the *Dangerous Drugs Act*. Two samples of opium seized by the Excise Intelligence Bureau were examined and found to be of Ghazipur manufacture.

63. Thirty-nine (83) samples of ganja and preparations containing
 Ganja Indian Hemp, were received during the year. The fall is due to the fact that no sample was received from the Ganja Special Botanist in connexion with his investigation into the life history of the plant and improved methods of culture. Two lots of ganja cakes taken from 1936 crop, were received and on examination the first lot of 4 cakes was found to be hard and well-pressed and of average quality, while the second of 5 cakes manufactured during a period when the normal operations were interrupted by rains, was comparatively low in resin value. One sample of ganja received from the Inspector, Palghat Circle, was examined and found to be illicit ganja of poor quality. A sample of beedies received from the Assistant Inspector, Namakkal Sub-circle, was found to contain Bhang. Twelve tins containing laghium received from the Second Presidency Magistrate, Georgetown, were examined and Indian Hemp was identified in the contents of each of the tins. Samples of

laghiums were also received from Inspectors, of the Sankari, Villupuram and Madras Town Circles and all of them were found to contain Indian Hemp. It has been found that Beam's test for indicating presence of "Cannabis Indica" in the preparations of Indian Hemp, as detailed in standard works of reference, is not quite positive and the reaction in the test not distinct in the case of samples which contain the drug in very small quantities mixed with other drugs similar in their Botanical aspects, oils and fats. A series of experiments conducted in the Laboratory disclosed that the same test can be employed with more definite results in the identification of "Cannabis Indica" though present in very small quantities, by modifying the process described, i.e., by passing dry Hydrogen chloride into a Petroleum ether extract of the drug mixed with an equal quantity of absolute alcohol nearly saturated with dry Hydrogen Chloride. By this modification of the method it was noticed, that on passing dry Hydrogen Chloride, the liquid separates into two distinct layers, the bottom layer showing in great relief the cherry red colour, the intensity of colour depending upon the quantity of the active principle of the drug. By this process "Cannabis Indica" was identified in a number of samples containing the drug in very small quantities which by the ordinary process could not be definitely identified. Of the two consignments of confiscated ganja, received from the Salt and Customs Department for disposal, one weighing 27 lb. and 15½ oz., was found to be illicit ganja and hence it was destroyed. Of the other consignment 549½ tolas were found to be of average quality while 79 tolas were of poor quality which had been subjected to the ravages of moths. The stuff was destroyed as not being fit for consumption.

64. The samples of water received for the two half-years, ending 31st
 Miscellaneous. May 1935 and 30th November 1935, from all the Distilleries, Warehouses and Breweries, were found generally to be free from abnormal impurities, except in the case of the one submitted for the second half-year, from the Cuddapah Warehouse well. As this sample contained a large amount of total solids, it was not passed for use in reducing spirit. Fifty-five dram measures and 23 gallon measures suspected to be short of standard capacity, were tested and of these, excepting 4 dram measures and 2 gallon measures, the others were found to fall short of the standard capacity. Two dram measures received from the Inspector, Nellore Circle, were found to be counterfeit ones. A batch of six grades of paints (red and black) were examined to determine their suitability for marking trees and the best qualities were selected. Two samples of Mohwa flowers received from the Agency Distilleries and a sample of molasses received from the Distillery Officer, Tachanallur New Distillery, were examined and found to be of fairly good quality. Twelve samples of Pyridine and nine samples of Caoutchoucine were examined and passed for use as denaturants. Five samples of wood naphtha were also examined and passed for use in the methylation of potable spirit. Five samples of essences to be used in compounding spirits were examined and the proportion in which they should be used in the compounding of Indian-made foreign spirits was fixed in each case. A shrub said to have been soaked in toddy apparently to increase the

intoxicating effect of toddy, received from Inspector, Penukonda Circle, was examined and found to be 'tippatigo' heartleaved moonseed. Two samples of margosa toddy received from the Inspector, Chingleput Circle, on two occasions, were examined, and one of them submitted for test nearly three months after the date of drawing the toddy was found to be free from spirit but highly acid, while the other which was a fresh sample submitted immediately the toddy was drawn, was found to contain 3.7 per cent proof spirit. A packet containing broken seeds and fibrous matter obtained from the residual matter in a sample of toddy was received from the Inspector, Vizianagram Circle, and on examination was found to give reaction for 'saponin' which is found in the fruits of the various species of 'sapindus' or soap-nut tree. Three hundred and ninety-eight (482) instruments (266 Hydrometers, 124 Thermometers and 8 Saccharometers) were received during the year for repairs, test and standardization. Of these 26 Hydrometers, 6 Thermometers and 1 Saccharometer were found to be unserviceable and were condemned.

65. During the year under review, a quantity of 22 seers of confiscated opium of the value of Rs. 1,760 was repressed into half seer cakes and supplied to the Madras Taluk Office for issue to licensed shops.

66. A Distillery School was held in the year under review and as a part of the course a class was held in the Laboratory for a period of 18 days when the officers under training were instructed with experimental demonstration in Elementary Chemistry with special reference to carbo-hydrates and alcohol, principles of fermentation and distillation, experimental determination of sugar and spirit values, application of results of analysis in Distillery practice, standardization of weights and measures and testing of instruments.

Statement showing the number of samples analysed in the Laboratory, during 1935-36.

	1935-36.	1934-35.
1 Samples of toddy tested for lime	1,157	1,069
2 Samples of foreign liquor	19	16
3 Samples of country arrack	707	869
4 Samples of beer, wort, etc.	142	135
5 Samples of intoxicating drugs, viz., Ganja and its preparations, Cocaine and its preparations ...	39	83
6 Samples of opium and its preparations including morphine and its salts	91	82
7 Samples of denaturants (Pyridine, Caoutchoucine and wood naphtha)	26	28
8 Instruments repaired and standardised	398	482
9 Dram and other measures tested and standardised.	78	27
10 Miscellaneous samples—Caramel, water, essences, spirituous preparations, etc.	209	216
Total ...	2,866	3,007

CHAPTER X.

GENERAL.

67. The circumstances which rendered it necessary to reduce the duty on country spirits by about 25 per cent from 1st April 1935 were set out in detail in paragraph 72 of the previous year's report. The

figures of consumption of arrack in the year under report and in the preceding five years were as under :—

Year.	Consumption in proof gallons.
1930-31	1,210,221
1931-32	986,633
1932-33	934,225
1933-34	827,706
1934-35	811,456
1935-36	963,325

The figures for 1935-36 represent an increase of 19 per cent over those for the previous year. The increase was due largely to the reduction in 'excise' and partly also to the general stiffening of control over the work of the preventive staff with special reference to the detection of crime. The consumption of licit liquor would have been greater than it was if the full benefit of the reduction in duty had been passed on to the consumer. This was not the case in some parts of the Presidency, especially in certain large towns where renters continued to maintain the old high prices, thus profiteering at the expense of both the Government and the consumer. There is no doubt, however, that the reduction in duty has arrested the tendency for the consumption of licit liquor to decrease. The financial effect of the reduction was an increase of about Rs. 3 lakhs under rentals in the areas under the contract distillery system and a decrease of Rs. 7 lakhs under duty, or a net decrease of Rs. 4 lakhs in the total arrack revenue under rentals and duty in those areas. Though the reduction in duty may not have had any marked effect on illicit distillation and cognate offences, in some areas there seems no doubt that licit liquor is taking the place of illicit. Nevertheless successful raids conducted by Inspectors in various parts of the Presidency showed only too clearly that crime was still very widespread. The disparity between the prices of the licit and illicit liquor is very great and it is impossible to bring the price of licit liquor anywhere near to that of illicit by reduction of the excise duty. Illicit distillation crime, which has assumed serious proportions in recent years, must be suppressed by continued vigilance on the part of the preventive staff and the close co-operation of the magistracy on whom the department relies to inflict deterrent punishments when cases of excise crime are proved.

68. One of the results of the policy of effecting radical reduction in the number of shops which was pursued in the past has been a change in the class of persons interested in the liquor trade. It is the common experience throughout the presidency that a large number of small shops usually managed by the actual renters have been replaced by a comparatively small number of big shops largely controlled by financiers who have no interest other than a financial one in the working of shops. The disadvantages of such a system which were realized as early as 1926 have been accentuated during the last nine years. Experience of the auction sales of shops held during the year 1935-36 revealed that the shops in several important towns were being worked as a local monopoly and that there was not sufficient competition at the auctions to enable the Government to secure the full rental

value for shops. Lack of competition has also tended to force up the retail prices and encourage illicit practices as a result of which illicit liquor is provided at a much cheaper rate than licit liquor to the detriment of the Government revenue, and licit liquor is provided in illicit places also to the detriment of the Government revenue. In numerous places regularly established illicit shops were brought to light. It became necessary therefore to devise adequate measures to cope with the situation. Steps have now been taken to provide adequate licit sources of supply in areas where their absence was proving a direct incentive to crime, and, with a view to control prices, Collectors have been instructed to reserve one or two arrack shops in important towns as "key" shops for being worked under 'amani' or the 'surcharge' system in case the attempts to dispose of shops by the usual method prove infructuous on account of local monopoly or combination. Such 'key' shops are being worked under the 'surcharge' system in three municipalities in the current year. Failure of the individual auction of toddy shops in the year under report in some parts of the Presidency made it necessary to resort to the system of group sale subject to the condition of marking of a prescribed number of trees to protect the interests of both the Government and the consumer. Experience has shown that there are disadvantages to these group sales, and they are only being resorted to where circumstances make this absolutely essential.

69. In pursuance of repeated representations that a section of the population of the South Kanara district strongly desired cashew arrack, it was proposed to the Government that an experiment might be made by which licit cashew arrack would be put on sale in the Mangalore taluk at much the same price as the licit molasses arrack supplied to that district. The object of the experiment was to test whether there was a real demand for cashew arrack in the Mangalore taluk where, it was understood, the demand was greatest and most constant, and to test the correctness of the claim that cashew arrack was genuinely required by the public more for its inherent qualities than for its cheapness as an illicitly distilled and therefore untaxed article of consumption. The proposal was sanctioned by the Government and it was arranged with Messrs. Parry and Co., the contract suppliers for the district, that they should distil as much cashew arrack as they could during the cashew season, March to May 1935 in the Chowghat distillery and supply it through their warehouse at Mangalore for sale in the arrack shops of Mangalore town and taluk side by side with molasses arrack during the year under report. The issue strength of cashew arrack was prescribed as 30° U.P. and the duty was fixed as Rs. 4-8-10 per gallon of that strength. Under this arrangement a total quantity of 10,917 gallons of 30° U.P. was manufactured by the distillers and made available for sale. The demand for licit cashew arrack was heavy during the early part of April 1935 when it was more or less a novelty, but the demand decreased considerably after that, and the extension of the arrangements for the sale of such arrack to certain other taluks of the same district produced no appreciable effect on the disposal of the large quantity of cashew arrack in stock. The

demand for molasses arrack continued to be as keen as ever and the expectations with which the experiment was undertaken were not realized. With a view to stimulate the sale of cashew arrack by marketing it at the same strength and price as molasses arrack, the issue strength was reduced to 35° U.P. and the duty was fixed as Rs. 3-12-4 per gallon of that strength in the course of the year under report. The demand, however, continued to be poor which rendered it unnecessary to undertake further distillation of cashew arrack during the cashew season of 1936. The consumption in the Mangalore circle which amounted to 1,346 gallons of 30° U.P. in April 1935 decreased to 110 gallons of 35° U.P. in March 1936. The introduction of cashew arrack has also had no effect on illicit distillation crime in the district and there is little prospect that cashew arrack will become so popular as to be preferred to molasses arrack. The sale of such arrack from the old stock is however being continued in the current year.

70. The system of sale of molasses arrack in sealed bottles introduced from 1st April 1933 in Mangalore town cannot be said to have attained as much popularity as was expected. The sale in bottles amounted to 68.25 proof gallons against 77.3 proof gallons in the previous year, which represents but a very small fraction of what was sold on draught in shops. The comparatively high price of a bottle, despite its reduction from 3 to 2½ annas, was mainly responsible for the poor demand for bottled arrack. The system of sale in bottles was adopted for cashew arrack also, but the position was in no way better in respect of that.

71. The experiment of closing arrack shops in toddy-drinking areas was continued in the year under review in the Shiyali and Tiruturaipundi taluks of the Tanjore district and in the Tiruvadanai and Paramakudi taluks of the Ramnad district. No grave crime was noticed in these areas.

72. The orders forbidding the sale of liquor of any kind to any member of the hill tribes on the Nilgiris except on a medical certificate continued to be in force during the year. The consumption in that area, of the various classes of liquor during the last five years is set out below :—

Year.	Country spirits. PROOF GALLONS.	Wines. GALLONS.	Spirits. GALLONS.	Beer. GALLONS.
1931-32	10,230	2,304	10,625	133,138
1932-33	8,989	1,875	7,476	102,812
1933-34	9,105	1,844	8,324	99,931
1934-35	9,090	2,024	8,567	99,750
1935-36	9,009	2,011	8,192	116,116

Under the orders of the Government, a detailed investigation was made by the Collector during the year to ascertain whether the experiment had been attended with a sufficient measure of success to justify its continuance. The result of his enquiries among Planters, certain Hindu gentlemen who took the lead in pressing for the introduction of the experiment in 1924, a number of Badaga villagers, etc., only

confirmed what was already evident, namely that prohibition as at present worked had been successful, if at all, only in a minor degree. Drink was easily purveyed through intermediaries to the members of the hill tribes both from Mettupalaiyam and from the liquor shops in the district—in Ootacamund and Kotagiri and was consumed in tea shops especially in Ootacamund on market days.

Temperance
Societies.

73. No temperance work of importance was done by private associations.

74. The number of meetings of the Excise Licensing Boards and Excise Advisory Committees which had to be adjourned for want of quorum was 38 and 33, respectively. The recommendations of these bodies and the action taken thereon are embodied in Statement B. The Excise Licensing Board, Madras, met nine times during the year.

In areas where there were no Licensing Boards or Advisory Committees, the Collectors, either on their own initiative or on the recommendations of the local bodies, etc., ordered the closure of 7 shops and changed the sites of 25 shops.

75 In 19 districts arrack shops were closed during important festivals, fairs and market days. Restrictions on hours of sale were enforced in respect of the arrack and toddy shops in the vicinity of the Buckingham and Carnatic Mills in Madras City.

Closure during
fairs, festivals, etc.

Opening of
shops.

76. Statement B-1 shows the number of shops newly opened in the localities concerned.

Convictions for
drunkenness.

77. There were 7,633 (8,796) convictions for offences of which drunkenness formed a part in places in which the Town Nuisances Act was in force. The number was 2,467 (2,992) in the Madras City.

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Imperial Return No. I, Revenue, 1935-36.

Imperial Revenue

Name of district. (1)	Country spirits.				
	Duty on distillery spirits. (2) RS.	Licence fees for sale of distillery spirits. (3) RS.	Total receipts from distil- lery spirits. (4) RS.	Receipts from outstills and other systems. (5) RS.	Total receipts from country spirits. (6) RS.
1 Ganjam ..	3,20,796	1,22,880	4,43,682	..	4,43,682
2 Visagapatam ..	4,44,164	3,42,103	7,86,267	1,43,600	9,29,867
3 East Godavari ..	4,83,590	2,95,599	7,79,195	35,575	8,14,770
4 West Godavari ..	1,95,971	1,52,592	3,48,563	..	3,48,563
5 Kistna ..	4,56,028	2,46,076	7,02,702	..	7,02,702
6 Guntur ..	3,90,808	2,14,843	6,05,741	..	6,05,741
7 Nellore ..	1,10,803	68,650	1,79,453	..	1,79,453
8 Cuddapah ..	2,11,302	80,596	2,91,898	..	2,91,898
9 Anantapur ..	1,16,440	72,750	1,89,190	..	1,89,190
10 Bellary ..	1,78,064	1,36,717	3,14,781	..	3,14,781
11 Sandur ..	..	..	..	..	..
12 Kurnool ..	1,93,211	92,007	2,85,218	..	2,85,218
13 Madras ..	7,24,161	6,52,564	13,76,725	..	13,76,725
14 Mysore ..	..	..	..	..	..
15 Travancore ..	3,19,607	1,86,016	5,05,623	..	5,05,623
16 Chingleput ..	1,14,835	82,094	1,96,929	..	1,96,929
17 Chittoor ..	2,74,717	1,62,956	4,37,673	..	4,37,673
18 North Arcot ..	4,93,627	1,58,004	6,51,631	..	6,51,631
19 South Arcot ..	..	..	..	..	..
20 Pondicherry ..	1,41,413	1,49,543	2,90,956	..	2,90,956
21 Tanjore ..	1,79,915	2,07,882	3,87,797	..	3,87,797
22 Karikal ..	..	..	..	..	..
23 Trichinopoly ..	2,67,825	1,78,858	4,46,683	..	4,46,683
24 Pudukkottai ..	67,253	1,31,408	1,98,661	..	1,98,661
25 Madura ..	2,47,876	2,58,881	5,06,757	..	5,06,757
26 Ramnad ..	3,50,894	3,10,384	6,61,278	..	6,61,278
27 Tinnevely ..	59,386	2,15,870	2,75,256	..	2,75,256
28 Coimbatore ..	2,17,860	1,34,544	3,52,404	..	3,52,404
29 The Nilgiris ..	2,31,276	60,827	2,92,103	..	2,92,103
30 Salem ..	1,86,222	1,12,681	2,98,903	..	2,98,903
31 South Kanara ..	..	..	..	..	..
32 Malabar ..	..	..	..	..	..
33 Cochin ..	..	..	..	..	..
34 Mahe ..	..	..	..	..	..
35 Coorg ..	..	..	..	..	..
36 Anjengo ..	..	..	..	..	..
Total for 1935-36 ..	68,87,147	48,41,646	1,17,28,793	1,79,244	1,19,08,037
Total for 1934-35 ..	75,55,675	45,81,880	1,21,37,555	1,89,122	1,23,26,677

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Country fermented liquors.			Malt liquors.		
Tar tree-tax receipts. (7) RS.	Other receipts from tari (licence fees, etc.). (8) RS.	Total receipts from fer- mented liquors other than malt liquors. (10) RS.	Duty on beer manufactured in India. (11) RS.	Licence fees for sale of beer manufactured in India or elsewhere. (12) RS.	Total receipts from beer. (13) RS.
74,525	33,483	1,08,008	..	..	..
1,51,701	2,28,861	3,80,562	..	..	..
2,95,036	4,38,180	7,33,215	..	..	..
3,46,028	2,88,307	6,34,335	..	..	..
3,66,896	1,75,405	5,42,301	..	..	..
1,72,110	1,44,122	3,16,232	..	..	..
1,43,982	95,475	2,39,457	..	..	..
86,821	1,19,074	2,05,895	..	..	..
3,17,567	5,51,097	8,68,664	..	1,860	1,860
3,22,530	4,95,036	8,17,566	..	..	..
3,86,819	5,24,294	9,11,113	..	..	..
6,83,191	5,80,032	12,13,223	37,633	..	37,633
..	..	..	..	..	..
7,37,957	5,41,864	12,79,321	..	2,903	2,903
1,96,999	3,31,750	5,28,749	..	1,826	1,826
7,14,979	5,42,114	12,57,093	..	952	952
2,76,311	3,02,241	5,78,552	..	..	..
11,14,549	11,16,772	22,31,321	..	5,539	5,539
4,40,636	8,57,908	12,98,544	..	..	..
2,23,623	4,07,082	7,20,705	..	16,944	16,944
2,30,847	3,83,834	6,14,681	..	..	..
3,14,102	3,03,254	6,17,356	..	31,198	31,198
7,15,237	14,76,425	21,91,662	92,418	1,06,855	1,99,273
63	..	63	..	2,040	2,040
6,90,597	17,12,792	24,03,389	..	672	672
2,96,627	3,75,328	6,71,955	..	545	545
3,57,069	4,44,472	8,01,541	..	..	..
..	..	..	..	..	..
..	..	..	..	..	..
..	..	..	..	..	..
..	..	..	..	..	..
96,06,301	1,25,58,892	2,21,64,993	1,30,051	1,85,161	3,15,212
98,48,376	1,29,83,906	2,28,32,182	1,85,872	1,69,005	3,54,877

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Name of district.	Wines and spirits (foreign liquors other than beer, medicated wines and commercial spirits).			Receipts
	Duty on wines and spirits manufactured in India and classed as foreign liquors.	Licence fees for the sale of foreign liquors generally, whether imported or manufactured in India.	Total of columns (14) and (15).	
	(14)	(15)	(16)	
	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.
1 Ganjam		2,477	2,477	5,54,167
2 Vizagapatam	14,450	18,458	32,908	13,43,396
3 East Godavari		5,709	5,709	15,53,694
4 West Godavari		1,852	1,852	9,84,750
5 Kistna		7,010	7,010	12,52,013
6 Guntur		2,104	2,104	8,34,077
7 Nellore		799	799	4,28,718
8 Cuddapah		823	823	5,04,416
9 Anantapur		1,592	1,592	10,59,452
10 Bellary		2,305	2,305	11,36,512
11 Kurnool		3,413	3,413	11,89,804
12 Madras	2,43,380	1,76,371	4,19,751	30,47,332
13 Mysore				1,25,245
14 Travancore				
15 Chingleput		17,749	17,749	18,06,196
16 Chittoor		1,283	1,283	7,27,861
17 North Arcot		4,191	4,191	17,00,783
18 South Arcot	2,00,000	3,303	2,03,303	14,34,438
19 Pondicherry				
20 Tanjore		6,525	6,525	25,34,341
21 Karikal				
22 Trichinopoly		4,347	4,347	17,04,515
23 Pudukkottai				
24 Madurai		17,281	17,281	12,01,613
25 Ramanad		5,520	5,520	8,18,362
26 Tinnevely		2,579	2,579	11,26,492
27 Coimbatore	2,367	3,671	6,038	28,90,476
28 The Nilgiris		13,300	13,300	4,87,892
29 Salem		2,976	2,976	27,60,858
30 South Kanara		2,396	2,396	9,73,126
31 Malabar	82	15,665	15,747	11,16,736
32 Cochin				10
33 Mahe				
34 Coorg				
35 Anjengo				
Total for 1935-36 ..	4,60,279	3,23,499	7,83,778	3,51,72,020
Total for 1934-35 ..	4,55,839	3,67,394	8,23,233	3,63,38,239

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from commercial spirits, including denatured spirit and medicated wines.

Sale-proceeds of excise opium.

Opium.

Duty on spirits used for other commercial, scientific or industrial purposes.	Licence fees for medicated wines.	Licence fees for commercial spirits.	Total of columns (18) to (21).	Sale-proceeds of excise opium.		Opium.	
				Cost price.	Duty.	Licence fees for the sale of opium (wholesale and retail).	Total receipts from opium.
(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)
RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.
..	70	..	70	84,081	2,49,059	88,851	4,21,991
..	210	10	220	1,22,268	3,87,332	1,63,308	6,72,908
..	220	40	260	1,28,104	3,74,656	1,50,972	6,53,732
..	..	..	..	969	3,111	..	4,080
..	110	80	190	44,173	1,39,187	64,242	2,47,602
..	120	10	130	16,178	50,982	41,407	1,08,567
..	140	..	145	23,872	70,728	45,021	1,39,621
..	20	..	20	9,857	30,910	14,630	55,397
..	..	..	..	3,494	11,106	7,669	22,269
..	..	..	..	1,694	5,666	3,716	11,076
..	90	..	90	1,268	3,252	3,757	8,277
..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
..	20	..	20	5,558	10,442	12,364	34,364
..	330	220	550	15,201	47,319	58,440	1,20,960
..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
..	..	..	..	40,375	2,000	..	42,375
..	..	..	..	2,313	7,487	..	18,156
..	20	..	20	8,748	12,132	8,915	24,795
..	10	..	10	6,266	20,494	15,562	42,322
..	40	20	60	5,047	15,913	13,033	38,993
..	..	..	..	941	3,219	..	4,160
..	200	..	200	16,865	55,615	48,683	1,21,163
..	..	..	..	2,221	5,579	..	8,800
..	70	10	80	6,132	19,268	14,988	40,388
..	..	..	..	1,540	80	..	1,620
..	70	..	70	7,638	19,682	32,733	60,053
..	110	..	110	3,977	12,103	12,536	28,616
..	140	..	140	6,743	20,777	21,534	49,054
..	90	40	130	12,254	36,660	38,364	87,284
..	60	30	90	5,365	14,535	16,070	35,990
..	30	..	30	6,402	20,558	14,137	41,097
..	70	10	80	1,640	5,360	3,942	10,942
..	240	60	300	14,248	38,872	25,866	78,986
..	..	..	..	24,641	1,300	..	25,941
..	..	..	..	38	122	..	160
..	..	..	..	212	..	..	212
..	..	..	..	..	150	..	150
5,526	2,460	480	1,34,806	5,54,406	16,86,251	9,29,096	31,69,753
1,121	2,820	600	1,22,328	70,937	16,411	..	87,348
				5,40,621	17,37,636	9,76,660	32,55,017
				1,34,886	20,339	..	1,55,225

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Hemp drugs.						
Name of district.	Sale-proceeds.		Licence fees (wholesale and retail) from		Medicinal preparations of hemp drugs (drugists' permits).	Total receipts from hemp drugs.
	Duty on ganja.	Duty on bhang.	Ganja.	Bhang.		
(30)	(34)	(35)	(37)	(38)	(40)	
RS.	RS.	RS.		RS.	RS.	
1 Ganjam ..	1,03,726	2,450	56,493	..	..	1,62,669
2 Vizagapatam ..	50,847	750	39,297	..	..	90,894
3 East Godavari ..	33,385	75	15,372	..	..	48,832
4 West Godavari ..	138	..	..	..	..	138
5 Kistna ..	21,835	..	9,960	..	..	31,795
6 Guntur ..	26,634	..	16,838	..	..	43,472
7 Nellore ..	45,375	..	33,536	..	..	78,910
8 Cuddapah ..	29,961	..	26,664	..	..	56,625
9 Anantapur ..	47,823	62	22,762	..	..	70,647
10 Bellary ..	21,945	187	16,808	..	..	38,940
11 Sandur ..	31,130	75	22,457	..	..	53,662
12 Kurnool ..	426	..	..	..	..	426
13 Madras ..	54,148	37	24,933	..	..	79,118
14 Mysore ..	95,576	4,500	94,320	..	..	1,94,396
15 Travancore ..	8,125	..	..	..	..	8,125
16 Chingleput ..	19,869	787	29,332	..	..	49,988
17 Chittoor ..	30,869	88	26,262	..	..	57,219
18 North Arcot ..	27,012	150	24,149	..	..	51,311
19 South Arcot ..	20,817	487	22,041	..	..	43,345
20 Pondicherry ..	2,943	..	..	..	..	2,943
21 Tanjore ..	28,114	..	36,778	..	..	64,892
22 Karikal ..	3,025	..	..	..	..	3,025
23 Trichinopoly ..	22,633	975	26,525	..	..	50,133
24 Pudukkottai ..	550	..	..	..	..	550
25 Madurai ..	48,131	2,538	66,997	..	..	1,17,666
26 Ramnad ..	32,808	431	52,177	..	..	85,416
27 Tinnevely ..	38,596	..	43,770	..	..	82,366
28 Coimbatore ..	68,778	2,687	66,659	..	..	1,38,124
29 The Nilgiris ..	2,368	..	4,140	..	..	6,508
30 Salem ..	35,102	17,238	28,032	..	..	80,372
31 South Kanara ..	19,415	..	15,009	..	12	34,436
32 Malabar ..	36,340	..	28,312	..	213	64,865
33 Cochin ..	1,969	..	..	..	..	1,969
34 Mahe ..	193	..	..	..	..	193
35 Coorg ..	..	..	..	..	..	..
36 Anjengo ..	3,500	..	..	..	..	3,500
Total for 1935-36 ..	9,96,737	33,517	8,49,622	..	225	18,80,101
Total for 1934-35 ..	11,02,114	36,284	8,79,420	..	226	20,18,044
	21,338	..	..	..	..	21,338

NOTE.—The revenue derived from excisable articles issued to Indian States and foreign territory is shown

No. I—Revenue, 1935-36—cont.

Licence fees for the sale of cocaine and its allied drugs.		Distilleries.		Miscellaneous.	Grand total of columns (1) to (47).	Refunds.	Deduct from column (48) expenditure as per Return II.	Total net excise revenue in the year
Fines and forfeitures.		Fees from distilleries.						
Government.	Private.							
(41)	(42)	(43)	(47)	(48)	(49)	(50)	(51)	
RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	
..	8,155	100	1,547	11,48,699	3,128	..	..	
..	12,537	250	3,370	21,28,575	8,030	..	..	
..	12,336	150	5,171	22,74,635	4,373	..	..	
..	..	..	..	4,218	..	..	..	
..	16,299	..	5,406	12,85,992	1,899	..	..	
..	11,084	..	3,233	14,18,504	1,424	..	..	
..	10,158	..	1,583	10,64,494	4,030	..	..	
..	8,290	..	3,022	5,52,072	4,303	..	..	
..	8,724	..	1,873	6,07,429	2,454	..	..	
..	8,825	100	4,207	11,22,600	2,329	..	..	
..	9,930	100	1,514	12,07,085	3,660	..	..	
..	..	..	..	426	..	..	..	
..	10,944	..	5,398	13,19,648	3,912	..	..	
..	7,028	..	8,187	35,09,204	1,362	..	..	
..	..	..	..	50,500	..	..	..	
..	13,677	..	1,856	18,89,873	2,931	..	..	
..	8,583	100	1,789	8,20,367	2,729	..	..	
..	16,111	..	4,049	18,14,686	3,375	..	..	
..	10,417	100	2,480	15,24,833	5,704	..	..	
..	..	..	..	7,103	..	..	..	
..	22,344	..	2,283	27,45,223	4,504	..	..	
..	..	..	..	11,825	..	..	..	
..	13,303	..	1,555	18,09,974	3,057	..	..	
..	..	..	..	2,170	..	..	..	
..	9,748	..	1,623	13,90,773	1,181	..	..	
..	25,015	..	2,757	9,60,276	367	..	..	
..	42,027	200	5,583	13,05,862	5,894	..	..	
..	30,500	100	5,209	31,51,823	12,369	..	..	
..	661	..	303	5,31,444	35	..	..	
..	19,337	..	4,227	29,05,921	3,196	..	..	
..	13,909	..	6,879	10,39,972	1,013	..	..	
..	16,159	1,300	7,870	12,86,026	10,218	..	..	
..	..	..	..	27,910	..	..	..	
..	..	..	..	353	..	..	..	
..	..	..	..	212	..	..	..	
..	..	..	4,250	7,900	..	..	..	
..	3,63,101	1,300	1,370	96,509	4,08,18,790	97,977	35,19,903	3,73,00,910
..	..	..	..	..	1,04,717	..	..	1,04,717
..	3,54,189	100	1,370	1,04,531	4,21,92,348	57,182	33,74,110	3,87,61,056
..	..	..	..	..	1,76,563	..	..	1,76,563

In italics below the figures relating to the districts of issue and is not included in those figures.

Imperial Return No. I-A—1935-36.—Supplementary table showing the duty realized (a) in other British Indian Provinces on excisable articles exported to the Madras Presidency and (b) in the Madras Presidency on excisable articles exported to other British Indian Provinces.

Description of excisable articles.	Amount of duty realized in other Provinces of India on excisable articles exported to the Madras Presidency.		Amount of duty realized in the Madras Presidency on excisable articles exported to other Indian Provinces.				
	In Bangalore.		To Cochin.	To Travancore.	To French Settlements.	To Bangalore.	Total.
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Beer	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Spirits	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
	8,511 14 0	1,325 0 0	921 4 0	..	5 10 0	..	2,251 14 0
	..	..	..	..	..	..	..

Imperial Return No. II—Expenditure for 1935-36.

Imperial Return No. II—

Name of district.	Pay of officers and establishments.	Allowances other than rewards.	Supplies and services other than rewards.			
			Construction and repairs of buildings.		Other charges.	
			RS.	A. P.	RS.	A. P.
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)		
Ganjam ..	66,821 8 0	17,736 8 0	450 0 0	..		
Vizagapatam ..	1,71,758 11 0	43,526 15 0	2,068 2 0	12 7 0		
East Godavari.	1,08,117 0 0	23,410 2 0	1,454 9 10	..		
West Godavari.	49,408 13 0	9,939 5 0	596 3 0	27 0 0		
Kistna ..	60,068 6 0	11,600 0 0	1,240 10 11	46 7 0		
Guntur ..	79,336 14 0	13,916 14 0	2,903 5 6	1,087 0 5		
Nellore ..	83,644 6 0	17,932 3 0	1,016 4 0	55 0 0		
Cuddapah ..	49,479 13 0	11,881 9 4	128 13 0	137 8 0		
Anantapur ..	63,633 11 0	12,508 9 0	653 5 0	22 1 0		
Bellary ..	72,243 0 0	12,323 10 0	397 14 0	16 0 0		
Kurnool ..	65,459 3 0	13,394 10 0	1,060 9 2	38 14 0		
Madras ..	1,64,533 2 0	17,835 5 6	4,154 15 2	9,823 10 2		
Chingleput ..	47,735 12 0	9,144 11 0	154 13 0	..		
Chittoor ..	54,797 11 0	10,492 7 0	619 0 0	..		
North Arcot ..	84,615 10 0	14,356 5 0	1,550 7 0	123 14 0		
South Arcot ..	58,059 6 0	11,058 9 0	479 5 0	79 1 0		
Tanjore ..	86,929 4 0	15,516 10 0	306 13 0	1 6 0		
Trichinopoly ..	57,466 14 0	11,785 14 9	1,400 1 0	29 12 0		
Madura ..	43,420 6 0	9,179 10 0	797 3 0	11 2 0		
Ramnad ..	64,080 2 0	12,276 12 0	88 5 8	..		
Tinnevely ..	75,705 5 0	14,992 3 0	21 0 0	..		
Coimbatore ..	1,20,221 10 0	23,508 5 0	2,786 1 0	38 3 6		
The Nilgiris ..	14,082 15 0	3,610 3 0	..	3 9 0		
Salem ..	88,647 1 0	16,962 6 0	656 14 0	74 15 0		
South Kanara ..	91,662 2 0	23,151 2 0	1,098 0 0	14 0 0		
Malabar ..	1,47,157 1 0	31,813 12 0	355 14 0	35 8 0		
Bangalore ..	3,074 11 0	39 14 0	..	..		
Expenditure in England ..	17,520 0 0	..	..	1,013 5 4		
Loss or gain by exchange ..	-89 0 0	..	..	-5 0 0		
Total ..	20,89,591 5 0	4,13,894 6 7	26,438 8 3	12,685 11 5		
Total of the previous year ..	21,45,020 10 0	3,97,070 8 0	30,904 7 10	18,122 9 7		

NOTE.—The total cost of opium supplied to the Excise department

Expenditure for 1935-36.

Contingencies and special charges other than rewards.	Rewards.	Cost of opium supplied to the Excise department.	Assignments and compensations.	Total charges.
(6)	(7)	(8)	(12)	(15)
RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.
2,933 13 3	1,942 0 0	..	..	89,883 13 3
15,767 2 6	1,366 4 0	..	..	2,34,499 9 6
8,825 0 9	865 8 0	..	..	1,42,672 4 7
2,076 12 9	759 8 0	..	..	62,807 9 9
1,875 2 0	315 8 0	..	..	75,146 1 11
3,843 13 0	1,342 4 0	..	..	1,02,430 2 11
4,983 4 5	970 12 0	..	..	1,08,601 13 5
2,623 9 3	3,104 1 4	..	..	67,355 5 11
2,351 5 3	1,353 8 0	..	..	80,522 7 3
3,882 3 3	1,860 8 0	..	400 0 0	91,123 3 3
2,484 7 3	2,462 4 0	..	40,806 5 6	1,25,706 4 11
21,832 13 8	1,135 6 0	6,67,406 11 0	87,838 7 7	9,74,560 7 1
2,315 2 3	481 8 0	..	39 11 0	59,871 9 3
2,246 2 3	835 12 0	..	..	68,991 0 3
3,575 3 11	895 8 0	..	..	1,05,116 15 11
1,992 11 11	1,929 8 0	..	22,544 10 0	96,143 2 11
3,750 6 9	487 12 0	..	..	1,06,992 3 9
3,174 8 6	665 0 0	..	98 8 10	74,620 11 1
1,312 7 3	943 12 0	..	..	55,664 8 3
3,131 10 9	149 12 0	..	..	79,726 10 5
3,920 11 2	550 8 0	..	..	95,189 11 2
7,411 8 9	3,430 10 0	..	..	1,57,396 6 3
36 15 0	101 8 0	..	..	17,835 2 0
3,770 8 1	4,264 8 0	..	..	1,14,376 4 1
3,349 14 0	2,633 8 0	..	..	1,21,908 10 0
7,782 4 9	2,062 8 0	..	..	1,89,206 15 9
..	..	..	..	3,114 9 0
..	..	..	..	18,533 5 4
..	..	..	..	-94 0 0
1,21,249 10 8	36,909 1 4	6,67,406 11 0	1,51,727 10 11	35,19,903 1 2
1,11,024 5 0	29,435 7 0	5,50,473 12 0	92,058 8 0	33,74,110 3 5

during the year is shown in lump in column (8).

Districts.	Manufacture of liquor —Number of—				Number of wholesale licences for the sale of				Country liquors—Number of shops licensed for retail sale of				Foreign liquors— Retail licences— Number for sale of			
	Breweries.	Government distilleries.	Private distilleries.	Out-stills.	(6)	(7)	(8)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(21)	(22)	(23)	
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(21)	(22)	(23)	
Ganjam ..	..	..	1	..	13	..	..	..	223	..	..	159	..	..	..	
Visakhapatnam ..	..	..	1	..	(c) 23	..	..	(e) 4,001	134	..	(f) 134	203	..	..	9	
East Godavari ..	..	..	(b) 1	..	(d) 24	..	4	5,236	211	..	(g) 36	354	..	1	7	
West Godavari ..	..	..	..	..	11	..	..	3,163	136	..	..	275	..	..	4	
Kistna ..	..	..	..	..	14	..	..	3,780	272	..	..	482	..	..	3	
Guntur ..	..	..	..	..	19	..	..	1,754	316	..	..	301	..	..	4	
Nellore ..	..	..	..	..	21	..	..	1,760	207	..	..	336	..	..	2	
Cuddapah ..	..	..	..	..	19	..	..	591	251	..	..	272	..	..	4	
Andrapur ..	..	..	1	..	19	..	..	1,273	223	..	..	547	..	..	2	
Bellary ..	..	..	1	..	10	..	..	1,234	179	..	..	381	..	..	4	
Karnool ..	..	..	1	..	16	..	..	1,429	187	..	..	481	..	..	4	
Madrass ..	..	..	..	..	..	17	10	7,890	18	..	..	54	..	..	26	
Chingleput ..	..	1	..	..	11	..	..	7,890	180	..	..	842	..	..	8	
Chittoor ..	..	..	1	..	13	..	..	1,679	191	..	..	316	..	..	8	
North Arcot ..	..	..	..	..	18	..	..	4,929	285	..	..	439	..	..	8	
South Arcot ..	..	..	1	..	24	..	1	2,635	427	..	..	268	..	..	3	
Tanjore ..	..	..	..	..	10	..	..	12,171	89	..	..	1,000	..	..	7	
Tiruchinopoly ..	..	..	..	..	12	1	1	3,581	219	..	..	257	..	1	5	
Madras ..	..	..	..	..	10	..	4	2,080	154	..	..	154	..	..	9	
Bannard ..	..	..	..	..	10	..	..	2,660	146	..	..	452	..	..	9	
Tinnevely ..	..	..	2	..	11	..	..	4,175	222	..	..	484	..	..	4	
Coimbatore ..	..	..	1	..	24	1	1	5,344	321	..	..	437	..	..	14	
The Nilgiris ..	..	..	..	..	..	4	..	5,344	321	..	..	552	..	..	9	
Salem ..	..	..	..	..	16	..	1	5,396	311	..	..	497	..	..	5	
South Kanara ..	..	..	..	..	17	..	2	6,487	303	..	..	560	..	..	6	
Malabar ..	..	..	..	..	24	3	4	7,282	420	..	..	974	..	..	9	
Total, 1936-36 ..	2	1	10	23	389	30	29	96,941	5,579	..	170	10,146	26	19	160	
Total, 1934-35 ..	2	1	10	23	390	33	30	1,03,879	5,433	..	170 (A)	9,938	27	18	155	

(e) Includes 3 Central distilleries in the Jeypore and Parvatipur circles.

(f) One Central distillery in the Bhadrachalam taluk.

(g) Includes 15 shops under the Ganjam district transferred to Vizagapatnam.

(h) Includes 13 depots in the Jeypore and Parvatipur circles.

(i) Includes 5 depots in the Nugar and Bhadrachalam taluks.

- (e) Includes 3 Central distilleries in the Jeypore and Parvatipur circles.
- (b) One Central distillery in the Bhadrachalam taluk.
- (c) Includes 13 depots in the Jeypore and Parvatipur circles.
- (d) Includes 5 depots in the Nudur and Bhadrachalam taluks.

(e) Includes figures for the portions of Ganjam district transferred to Vizagapatam.
 (f) Includes 115 shops under the Central distillery system in the Jeypore and Parvathipur circles.
 (g) Shops under the Central distillery system in the Nurgur and Bhadrachalam taluks.
 (h) Revised figure.

Imperial Return No. III—Shops and Licences, 1935-36—*cont.*

Districts.	Foreign liquors—Retail licences—Number for sale of				Number of shops licensed for retail sale of		Retail licences—Number							
	Liquors in hotels, restaurants, bars, boarding houses and clubs and refreshment rooms and stalls other than railway refreshment rooms (excluding canteens).	Liquors in canteens.	Liquors in railway refreshment rooms, dak bungalows, dining cars and steamers.	Liquors in temporary refreshment other stalls (including temporary foreign liquors).	Foreign liquors—all other special retail licences.	Reelected spirits and medicinal wines (drug-gists' permits).	Denatured spirits.	Raw opium.	Ganja.	Bhang.	Opium and its preparations for medical purposes only (ordinary drug-gists' permits).	Morphine (special drug-gists' permits).	Hemp drugs for medical purposes only (drug-gists' permits).	Cocaine (drug-gists' permits).
	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)	(28)	(29)	(30)	(31)	(32)	(34)	(35)	(36)	(37)	(38)
Ganjam ..	1	..	1	..	..	5	36	56	35	35	..	6	..	6
Visakhapatnam ..	6	..	4	21	..	19	51	61	28	28	..	14	..	14
East Godavari ..	1	..	1	..	1	23	30	88	23	23	..	7	..	7
West Godavari ..	1	..	1	..	4	12	28	28	10	10	..	..	..	..
Katna ..	1	..	1	..	4	14	28	28	23	23	..	..	..	..
Guntur ..	1	..	1	..	..	6	20	18	18	18	..	..	..	..
Nellore ..	1	..	1	..	..	2	12	10	15	15	..	..	..	..
Oddandapah ..	1	..	1	..	..	1	28	11	18	18	..	..	..	..
Anantapur ..	1	..	4	..	..	8	28	28	23	23	..	..	..	..
Bellary ..	2	..	2	..	1	3	23	24	23	23	..	..	..	..
Kurnool ..	25	2	4	78	14	63	98	4	8	8	..	68	..	68
Madras ..	2	3	12	16	1	..	19	4	10	10	..	2	..	2
Chingleput ..	2	..	2	..	..	..	13	14	14	14	..	2	..	2
Chittoor ..	..	..	2	..	1	..	53	11	15	15	..	2	..	2
North Arcot ..	..	..	4	..	3	5	33	10	15	15	..	17	..	17
South Arcot ..	..	..	2	2	7	20	63	16	18	18	..	17	..	17
Tanjore ..	1	..	4	65	1	8	39	9	10	20	..	7	..	7
Trichinopoly ..	1	..	2	3	3	9	47	10	17	17	..	6	..	6
Madura ..	2	..	4	..	..	13	58	13	17	17	..	7	..	7
Ramanad ..	..	..	6	..	..	12	55	10	14	14	..	8	..	8
Tinnevely ..	..	..	6	..	6	17	47	16	23	23	..	8	..	8
Coimbatore ..	2	1	2	14	6	12	29	4	10	10	..	15	..	15
The Nilgiris ..	10	7	2	25	1	9	20	4	15	15	..	3	..	3
Salem ..	..	..	1	3	1	6	45	10	10	10	..	7	..	7
South Kanara ..	2	..	1	..	7	7	37	7	10	10	..	39	..	39
Malabar ..	7	1	4	14	2	31	76	23	30	30	..	7	7	7
Total, 1935-36 ..	66	14	79	347	69	296	1,037	563	463	463	..	237	8	257
Total, 1934-35 ..	68	14	77	337	73	333	1,003	563	460	460	..	237	7	237

(s) Includes 60 F.L., 3 licences.

Imperial Return No. IV—Consumption,

Name of district.	Issues in Imperial gallons.			Country
	At strength of 35° under-proof.	At strength of 30° under-proof.	At strength of 60° under-proof.	
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)
1 Ganjam	58,645	..	..	38,119
2 Vizagapatam—				
Certain Agency tracts under Excise ..	..	..	1,646	658
Rest of the district	81,273	..	..	52,827
3 East Godavari—				
Certain Agency tracts under Excise ..	..	..	34,985	13,994
Rest of the district	84,066	..	..	54,643
4 West Godavari	40,601	..	..	20,391
5 Kistna—				
Munagala and Lingagiri zamindaris.	1,432	..	..	931
Rest of the district	76,598	..	..	49,789
6 Guntur	70,770	..	..	46,001
7 Nellore	21,218	..	..	13,702
8 Cuddapah	46,994	..	..	30,546
9 Anantapur	27,645	..	..	17,969
10 Bellary	41,003	..	..	26,652
11 Kurnool (including Banganapalle) ..	43,085	..	..	28,005
12 Madras	109,430	..	..	71,162
13 Chingleput	67,006	..	..	43,554
14 Chittoor	39,511	..	..	25,682
15 North Arcot	72,052	..	..	46,834
16 South Arcot—				
Frontier tracts	6,533	..	..	4,247
Rest of the district	84,751	..	..	55,088
17 Tanjore	35,686	..	..	23,196
18 Trichinopoly	56,790	..	..	36,913
19 Madurai	51,681	..	..	33,593
20 Ramnad	27,629	..	..	17,959
21 Tinnevely	55,191	..	..	35,874
22 Coimbatore	83,524	..	..	54,290
23 The Nilgiris	13,860	..	..	9,009
24 Salem	56,336	..	..	36,618
25 South Kanara	57,526 (a)	3,289 (b)	..	39,694
26 Malabar	45,069	..	..	29,295
Hospitals and dispensaries in the Presidency ..	..	..	..	..
Total ..	1,455,955	3,289	36,631	963,325
Total for the previous year ..	1,229,972	..	29,936	811,456

(a) Includes 1,469 gallons of cashew arrack.
(b) Cashew arrack.

rates of duties and prices, 1935-36.

spirits.	Foreign liquors.		Imported liquors.		Liquors manufactured in India and classed as foreign liquors.	
	Rate of duty per gallon.	Cost price per London proof-gallon.	Rate of duty per gallon.	Cost price per London proof-gallon.	Rate of duty per gallon.	Cost price per London proof-gallon.
(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)
	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.				
35° under-proof, Rs. 5-3-2.	2 4 11	11 1 7	982	405	4,330	..
60° under-proof, Rs. 0-4-8.	2 4 11	4 8 0	..	..	..	..
35° under-proof, Rs. 5-3-2.	2 4 11	12 4 6	2,252	877	10,715	767
60° under-proof, Rs. 0-15-0	1 11 8	4 11 0	..	..	..	..
35° under-proof, Rs. 5-3-2.	1 11 8	10 8 0	1,718	268	5,630	2,227
Do.	1 11 8	11 10 0	516	61	601	428
35° under-proof, Rs. 4-3-7 ..	1 11 8	7 8 0	..	..	..	..
35° under-proof, Rs. 5-3-2.	1 11 8	11 12 9	1,121	104	4,667	256
Do.	1 11 8	12 0 0	845	146	3,209	263
Do.	1 11 8	11 10 0	287	82	1,970	..
35° under-proof, Rs. 4-3-7.	1 11 8	9 9 8	117	7	842	..
Do.	1 11 8	10 4 0	411	71	3,051	1
Do.	2 6 6	11 0 0	472	123	3,288	131
Do.	2 6 6	10 7 0	464	18	946	..
35° under-proof, Rs. 5-3-2.	2 6 6	13 2 7	24,184	6,455	288,459	11,356
Do.	2 6 6	10 8 0	..	..	..	..
35° under-proof, Rs. 4-3-7 ..	1 11 8	9 0 6	190	18	1,802	87
Do.	1 10 2	9 0 1	614	126	4,204	142
35° under-proof, Rs. 3-12-0	1 10 2	8 0 0	..	..	..	..
35° under-proof, Rs. 4-3-7.	1 10 2	8 0 0	238	64	2,907	42
Do.	1 10 2	10 5 4	923	222	7,777	402
Do.	1 10 2	9 7 3	3,228	564	18,104	393
Do.	1 14 1	10 10 0	2,539	605	18,000	1,510
Do.	1 14 1	18 2 0	681	97	6,210	49
Do.	1 12 6	11 13 0	1,704	541	7,728	556
Do.	1 14 9	11 8 0	3,906	915	19,712	640
Do.	1 14 9	19 8 0	5,030	1,817	21,440	3,162
Do.	1 10 2	8 15 0	446	86	4,023	189
Do.	1 10 2	8 2 0	424	614	4,050	253
Do.	1 10 2	10 8 0	11,585	2,112	85,129	440
....	..	..	..	..	..	..
....	..	..	65,608	15,952	465,837	24,251
....	..	..	65,261	19,242	467,473	29,716
....	..	..	..	..	..	..

† Figures relate to Imperial gallons.

rates of duties and prices, 1935-36—*cont.*

Opium and other drugs.														
			Ganja.				Bhang.							
Average retail price of opium per seer.			Sales of morphia in lb. oz. and grs.		Sales in seers.		Cost price per seer.	Duty per seer.	Retail price per seer.	Sales in seers of bhang and its preparations.		Duty per seer.	Retail price per seer.	Sales of cocaine in lb. oz. and grs.
(21)	(22)	(27)	(28)	(29)	(30)	(31)	(33)	(34)	(35)					
RS. A. P.	LB. OZ. GRS.	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.	LB. OZ. GRS.					
106 9 0	0 7 136	3,365			45 6 0	165		19 11 0	0 0 249					
117 10 0	0 1 23	1,882			60 4 0	56		15 0 0	0 1 257					
..	..	..			..	..		..	..					
116 13 0	0 3 200	1,216			48 7 4	3		17 8 0	0 0 163					
..	..	..			..	..		..	..					
104 10 8	..	788			45 12 0	0		..	..					
120 0 0	0 2 352	964			50 0 0	..		..	0 0 35					
..	..	..			..	..		..	..					
123 0 0	0 10 89	1,657			54 3 8	..		..	..					
125 0 0	..	1,102			57 11 7	..		..	..					
131 14 0	0 8 2	1,722			47 12 0	9		23 12 0	0 0 48					
130 0 0	..	789			57 4 4	18		25 0 0	0 0 2					
155 0 0	0 1 283	1,142			53 5 4	5		40 0 0	0 0 250					
..	..	..			..	..		..	..					
153 5 4	0 1 17	1,948			51 10 8	3		20 0 0	0 1 293					
160 0 0	7 14 209	3,509			60 0 0	1,864		26 4 0	0 5 170					
150 0 0	0 0 132	728			55 15 0	107		24 1 0	0 0 2					
..	..	..			..	..		..	..					
130 5 0	0 0 123	1,142			51 11 2	6		25 0 0	0 0 342					
186 13 0	0 2 289	972			58 3 5	11		19 2 8	0 1 124					
160 0 0	1 0 231	760			60 0 0	40		27 8 0	0 0 352					
..	..	..			..	..		..	..					
160 0 0	0 1 367	1,057			70 0 0	5		20 0 0	0 0 321					
140 10 0	0 0 206	849			65 13 4	84		25 0 0	0 0 205					
192 14 0	0 1 256	1,762			68 9 1	206		20 13 4	0 0 177					
167 8 0	0 1 46	1,205			73 7 4	37		23 9 1	0 0 128					
147 8 0	0 1 81	1,412			52 12 5	..		..	0 0 101					
152 0 0	0 9 323	2,481			57 10 9	506		25 0 0	0 0 369					
140 0 0	0 1 303	83			93 5 4	..		..	0 1 303					
140 0 0	0 1 316	1,299			49 11 0	1,387		18 2 0	0 0 9					
148 5 0	0 8 332	695			60 0 0	..		..	0 0 215					
144 4 0	0 15 165	1,299			62 15 2	..		..	0 0 309					
..	12 5 114	6,507			..	..		..	9 12 315					
..	26 1 330	35,228	..	..	..	4,512	..	..	11 0 409					
..	29 5 374	39,239	..	..	..	4,697	..	..	10 5 163					

* Mahe	::	::	::	::	::	7
Travancore	::	::	::	::	::	5,000
Cochin	::	::	::	::	::	1,500
				Total	::	6,507

Imports and exports of excisable articles of different descriptions from and

(a) Figures relate to proof gallons.

to other British Indian Provinces (a) on payment of duty and (b) in bond.

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Name of district.	Area in square miles.		Population (in thousands).		Number		
	Out-still system.	Distillery system.	Out-still system.	Distillery system.	Country spirit.		
					Distillery area.		
					Out-still area.	Urban.	Rural.
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	
Ganjam	3,510	9 4,863	358	75 1,979	..	1.3	22.5
Visagapatam	12,253	19 4,914	1,122	135 2,351	91.4	1.6	43.9
East Godavari	1,504	13 4,702	88	147 1,686	41.8	1.3	23.4
West Godavari	..	16 2,356	..	74 1,149	..	1.0	18.0
Kistna	..	16 3,532	..	117 1,137	..	1.5	13.5
Guntur	..	14 5,743	..	151 1,885	..	2.0	18.6
Nellore	..	25 7,924	..	46 1,440	..	8.3	38.8
Cuddapah	..	13 5,906	..	43 907	..	3.3	23.9
Anantapur	..	7 6,734	..	42 1,008	..	2.8	30.6
Bellary	..	16 5,697	..	105 865	..	2.7	32.9
Kurnool (including Ban- ganapalle).	..	10 7,827	..	58 1,006	..	5.0	42.2
Madras	..	31 ..	..	647 ..	..	1.7	..
Chingleput	..	13 3,078	..	113 1,542	..	2.2	20.0
Chittoor	..	9 5,892	..	41 1,406	..	1.5	31.8
North Arcot	..	16 4,632	..	162 2,105	..	1.1	18.5
South Arcot	..	17 4,191	..	104 2,350	..	2.1	10.0
Tanjore	..	31 3,711	..	253 2,133	..	1.5	54.6
Trichinopoly	..	15 4,400	..	187 1,757	..	1.4	21.2
Madura	..	24 4,787	..	301 1,864	..	2.0	33.7
Ramnad	..	13 4,806	..	102 1,737	..	1.9	34.4
Tinnevely	..	7 4,308	..	169 1,871	..	0.8	20.2
Coimbatore	..	24 7,061	..	199 2,246	..	2.4	23.7
The Nilgiris	..	20 962	..	39 130	..	10.0	481.0
Salem	..	6 7,052	..	102 2,332	..	2.0	23.9
South Kanara	..	9 4,012	..	84 1,288	..	1.1	13.6
Malabar	..	30 5,764	..	236 3,298	..	1.2	14.6
Anjengo	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Total for 1935-36 ..	17,267	411 124,854	1,568	3,732 41,472	101.6	1.8	23.3
Total for 1934-35 ..	17,267	407 124,853	1,568	3,715 41,439	101.6	1.8	24.0

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of square miles per shop.		Ganja.		Bhang.		Number of shops per 10,000 of population.			
						Country spirit.		Opium.	
						Distillery area.			
						Out-still area.	Urban.	Rural.	Urban.
Urban.	Rural.	Urban.	Rural.	Urban.	Rural.	Out-still area.	Urban.	Rural.	Urban.
(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)
3.0	158.0	3.0	261.7	..	..	..	0.9	1.1	0.4
4.8	171.7	4.8	715.3	..	..	..	0.9	0.5	0.3
2.6	74.8	4.3	310.3	..	..	..	0.7	1.2	0.3
2.5	84.1	2.5	471.2	..	..	..	0.7	1.1	0.3
7.5	135.8	7.5	441.5	..	..	..	0.9	2.3	0.2
2.8	273.5	2.8	319.1	..	..	..	0.5	1.6	0.3
25.0	466.1	25.0	466.1	..	..	..	0.7	1.4	0.2
6.5	738.3	6.5	454.3	..	..	..	0.9	2.7	0.4
2.3	841.8	2.3	448.9	..	..	..	0.7	2.2	0.7
5.3	1,139.4	5.3	227.9	..	..	..	0.6	2.0	0.3
5.0	355.8	5.0	372.7	..	..	..	0.3	1.8	0.3
7.8	..	3.9	..	..	..	..	0.3	..	0.1
6.5	1,539.0	3.3	513.0	..	..	..	0.5	1.0	0.2
4.5	491.0	4.5	491.0	..	..	..	1.5	1.3	0.5
2.7	926.4	2.7	514.7	..	..	..	0.9	1.2	0.4
5.7	598.7	5.7	349.3	..	..	..	0.8	1.6	0.3
4.4	412.3	4.4	337.4	..	..	..	0.8	0.3	0.3
3.8	880.0	3.0	880.0	..	..	..	0.6	1.2	0.2
4.0	1,196.8	4.0	319.1	..	..	..	0.4	0.8	0.2
4.3	480.6	2.3	369.7	..	..	..	0.7	0.8	0.3
2.3	615.4	2.3	391.6	..	..	..	0.5	1.1	0.2
4.0	706.1	4.0	353.1	..	..	..	0.5	1.4	0.3
10.0	481.0	10.0	932.0	..	..	..	0.5	0.2	0.5
6.0	783.6	6.0	503.7	..	..	..	0.3	1.3	0.1
4.4	1003.0	3.9	236.0	..	..	..	1.0	2.3	0.2
6.0	320.2	5.0	240.2	..	..	..	1.1	1.2	0.2
..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
4.7	298.6	4.3	336.2	..	..	1.1	0.6	1.3	0.2
4.7	299.2	4.3	338.0	..	..	1.1	0.6	1.3	0.2

* There are no separate shops for the sale of bhang. The privilege of the vend of ganja and bhang is a combined privilege.

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Name of district.	Number of shops per 10,000 of population—cont.		Consumption per 100 of the population in gallons or seers (to two places of decimals).				Average	
	Ganja.		Bhang.				Country (distillery area).	
	Urban.	Rural.	Urban.	Rural.	Country spirit (distillery area).	Opium.	Ganja.	Bhang.
	(15)		(17)		(18)	(19)	(20)	(22)
								(23)
								(24)
Ganjam ..	0.4	0.1			1.88	0.17	0.14	0.01
Vizagapatam ..	0.3	0.1			2.15	0.18	0.05	0.001
East Godavari ..	0.2	0.1			3.75	0.33	0.08	0.0001
West Godavari ..	0.3	0.04			2.18	0.19	0.07	..
Kistna ..	0.2	0.1			4.04	0.07	0.08	..
Guntur ..	0.3	0.1			2.28	0.06	0.08	..
Nellore ..	0.2	0.1			0.93	0.03	0.07	..
Cuddapah ..	0.5	0.2			3.22	0.02	0.18	0.0009
Anantapur ..	0.7	0.1			1.71	0.01	0.08	0.001
Bellary ..	0.3	0.3			2.75	0.01	0.12	0.0005
Kurnool (including Ban- ganapalle) ..	0.3	0.2			2.63	0.03	0.18	0.0002
Madras ..	0.1	..			10.99	0.12	0.54	0.29
Chingleput ..	0.4	0.03			2.83	0.01	0.04	0.006
Chittoor ..	0.5	0.1			1.77	0.01	0.08	0.0004
North Arcot ..	0.4	0.4			2.07	0.01	0.04	0.0004
South Arcot ..	0.3	0.1			2.42	0.01	0.03	0.001
Tanjore ..	0.3	0.1			0.97	0.03	0.04	0.0002
Trichinopoly ..	0.3	0.02			1.90	0.02	0.04	0.004
Madura ..	0.2	0.1			1.55	0.02	0.08	0.009
Ramnad ..	0.4	0.1			0.98	0.01	0.07	0.002
Tinnevely ..	0.3	0.1			1.76	0.02	0.07	..
Coimbatore ..	0.3	0.1			2.22	0.03	0.10	0.02
The Nilgiris ..	0.1	0.1			5.32	0.15	0.05	..
Salem ..	0.2	0.1			1.50	0.01	0.05	0.05
South Kanara ..	0.2	0.1			2.89	0.01	0.05	..
Malabar ..	0.3	0.1			0.83	0.02	0.04	..
Anjengo ..	..	..			..	..	..	..
Total for 1935-36 ..	0.3	0.1			2.13	0.06	0.08	0.01
Total for 1934-35 ..	0.3	0.1			1.80	0.06	0.09	0.01

* There are no separate shops for the sale of bhang.
* combined privilege.

The privilege of the vend of ganja and bhang is

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taxation per proof gallon or seer in rupees (to two places of decimals).

spirit area).	Opium.		Ganja.		Bhang.		Average total Excise revenue per head of population based on column (48) of Im- perial Return I.
	Duty.	Vend fees.	Duty.	Vend fees.	Duty.	Vend fees.	
Total.			Total.		Total.		
(25)	(26)	(27)	(28)	(29)	(30)	(31)	(38)
11.58		21.44	81.25		16.74	44.24	0.48
14.64		25.20	85.01		20.37	47.87	0.59
11.38		24.08	83.89		12.66	40.16	1.19
13.72		27.95	87.76		12.31	39.81	1.05
12.85		48.78	108.59		17.19	44.69	1.13
12.57		38.18	97.99		20.30	47.80	0.52
12.93		28.57	88.38		24.14	51.64	0.37
9.44		40.11	99.92		12.88	40.38	0.64
9.81		39.62	99.43		21.06	48.50	1.07
11.75		67.33	127.14		19.93	47.43	1.25
9.73		44.42	104.23		12.38	40.08	1.24
17.01		72.78	132.59		26.38	54.38	5.50
12.67		68.30	128.11		40.24	67.74	1.14
9.86		45.28	105.09		23.37	50.87	0.57
10.03		47.43	107.24		25.23	52.73	0.80
9.05		48.46	108.27		28.51	56.01	0.62
12.95		53.03	112.84		34.84	62.34	1.16
11.98		47.26	107.07		31.10	58.60	0.93
11.89		96.76	156.57		37.38	64.88	0.64
14.19		62.91	122.72		42.95	70.45	0.52
14.29		62.06	121.87		31.16	58.66	0.64
12.08		62.31	122.12		26.70	54.20	1.23
31.77		62.46	122.27		49.88	77.38	3.14
10.08		41.66	101.47		22.78	50.28	1.19
8.20		45.33	105.14		21.24	48.74	0.76
10.49		39.34	99.15		22.24	49.74	0.37
..		..	..		..	..	1.17
12.16		33.01	92.82		23.67	51.17	0.87
14.97		34.25	95.94		22.05	49.55	0.91

* There are no separate shops for the sale of bhang. The privilege of the vend of ganja and bhang is combined privilege.

fermented liquors under licences granted in each district during 1935-36.

fermented liquors and spirits and British India.					Licences for the sale of liquor by distillers.			Licences for the sale of beer by brewers.		
sold thereunder.						Quantity of spirits sold thereunder.			Quantity of beer sold thereunder.	
To the public.										
Imported.			Made in British India.			To other licensed vendors— Spirits.	To the public— Spirits.		To other licensed vendors— Beer.	To the public— Beer.
Wines.	Spirits.	Beer.	Spirits.	Beer.	Number of licences.			Number of brewery licences.		
(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)
GALS.	GALS.	GALS.	GALS.	GALS.		GALS.			GALS.	GALS.
..	..	..	..	..	1	600	..	..	..	..
..	..	..	..	..	1	5	..	..	..	..
..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
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1,704	7,273	138,485	252	..	..	..	..	1	43,416	..
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..	..	..	..	..	1	8,110	..	..	..	..
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..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
186	713	3,162	..	1,500	..	..	..	1	148,462	2,763
..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
1,022	8,364	23,395	140	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
2,912	16,350	165,042	392	1,500	3	8,715	..	2	186,878	2,763

imported spirits, wines and beer and of spirits and beer manufactured in and of denatured spirits, etc., during 1935-36.

determined auction.			Sold under hotel or dak bungalow licences.					Sold under railway refreshment room licences.				
thereunder.			Sales thereunder.					Sales thereunder.				
Spirits.	Beer.	Number of licences—F.L. 7, 8 and 10.	Wines.	Spirits.	Beer.	Number of licences—F.L. 9 and dining car licences.	Wines.	Spirits.	Beer.			
(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)			
GALS.	GALS.		GALS.	GALS.	GALS.		GALS.	GALS.	GALS.			
516	1,971	1	18	93	224	1	68	450	1,947			
92	263	5	5	310	3,326	3	21	153	1,099			
..	..	1	1	38	350	4	6	42	249			
420	3,502	1	7	49	111	1	22	188	1,697			
..	..	1	2	75	1,076	1	26	311	1,752			
..	..	1	2	30	250	3	25	96	948			
..	..	1	1	31	116	3	5	47	486			
..	..	1	1	52	282	1	14	160	1,963			
..	2,230	..	4	170	1,474	2	18	202	1,202			
..	..	2	..	..	..	4	5	114	542			
5,556	63,872	25	383	2,003	34,740	12	73	695	10,153			
725	18,916	2	7	53	2,336	1	17	91	795			
..	3,277	..	..	..	..	2	6	58	636			
6	4,074	..	..	..	..	4	62	172	2,300			
122	4,434	1	..	..	96	2	10	99	1,516			
..	7,350	1	..	..	..	4	60	347	4,440			
686	7,141	2	28	39	202	2	54	1,514	3,326			
..	..	..	..	..	..	3	37	402	4,313			
..	..	..	..	..	..	4	19	187	2,080			
..	19,603	2	30	266	2,933	6	90	602	4,909			
..	65,270	10	158	687	5,683	4	23	209	2,748			
..	918	..	..	..	..	2	18	169	2,145			
..	1,318	..	24	192	2,113	1	5	73	691			
252	4,080	7	24	184	1,543	1	7	35	405			
..	..	..	..	..	..	4	89	452	3,190			
8,855	210,228	66	692	4,278	56,805	79	786	6,868	53,532			

Imperial Form No. VI-B—Statistics of retail vend and consumption of
British India and excised at a special rate of duty

District.	Spirits, wines				
	Sold by chemists and druggists.		Sold as tonic or medicine or medicated wines and similar preparations.		
	Number of licences—F.L. 18.	Sales thereunder. Rectified spirits.	Number of licences—F.L. 17.	Sales thereunder.	
				Wines.	Spirits.
	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)
		GALS.		GALS.	
Ganjam	..	..	5	89	..
Vizagapatam	..	..	19	129	..
East Godavari	..	..	20	132	..
West Godavari	..	..	10	86	..
Kistna	1	3	13	127	..
Guntur	..	..	8	33	..
Nellore	..	..	2	17	..
Uddapah	..	..	..	..	..
Anantapur	..	..	1	2	..
Bellary	..	..	8	90	..
Kurnool	..	..	1	3	..
Madras	22	77	41	2,395	..
Chingleput	..	..	..	..	..
Chittoor	..	..	2	30	..
North Arcot	..	..	2	10	..
South Arcot	1	..	4	39	..
Tanjore	..	..	20	274	..
Trichinopoly	2	9	6	199	..
Madura	..	..	9	154	..
Ramnad	..	..	12	157	..
Tinnevely	..	..	17	232	..
Coimbatore	3	1	9	245	..
The Nilgiris	3	4	6	41	..
Salem	1	..	..	62	..
South Kanara	1	5	6	95	..
Malabar	6	48	25	406	..
Total	45	154	251	4,987	..

imported spirits, wines and beer and of spirits and beer manufactured in .
and of denatured spirits, etc., during 1935-36—cont.

and beer—cont.				Spirits made in India in private distilleries.			Spirits made in outfalls.			
Sold under canteen tenant system.				Denatured spirits.		Sold direct from distilleries under special permits and passes.				
Number of licences—F.L. 20.	Sales thereunder.			Number of licences.	Sales thereunder.	Rectified spirits.	Denatured spirits.	Spirits intended for human consumption.	Number of vendors connected with the outfalls.	Quantity sold by them.
	Wines.	Spirits.	Beer.							
(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)	(28)	(29)	(30)	(31)	(32)	(33)
	GALS.	GALS.	GALS.		GALS.					GALS.
..	..	..	..	36	2,062	..	..	..	..	..
..	..	..	..	61	3,221	..	..	..	134	(a) 256,934
..	..	..	..	51	3,337	..	..	..	86	(b) 50,767
..	..	..	..	23	1,640	..	..	..	..	..
..	..	..	..	28	2,125	..	..	..	..	..
..	..	..	..	34	2,260	..	..	..	..	..
..	..	..	..	20	1,062	..	..	..	..	..
..	..	..	..	12	896	..	..	..	..	..
..	..	..	..	28	1,655	..	..	..	..	..
..	..	..	..	28	1,933	..	..	..	..	..
..	..	..	..	23	1,182	..	..	..	..	..
2	41	119	7,398	88	24,370	..	..	..	..	..
3	15	87	4,743	19	2,510	..	..	..	..	..
..	..	..	..	13	1,397	..	..	..	..	..
..	..	..	..	53	3,662	..	..	..	..	..
..	..	..	..	33	2,873	..	..	..	..	..
..	..	..	..	63	7,633	..	..	..	..	..
..	..	..	..	39	2,691	..	..	..	..	..
..	..	..	..	47	7,286	..	..	..	..	..
..	..	..	..	58	8,231	..	..	..	..	..
..	..	..	..	55	4,205	..	..	..	..	..
1	6	8	85	47	4,589	..	..	..	..	..
7	75	258	18,315	20	1,143	..	..	..	..	..
..	..	..	..	45	3,272	..	..	..	..	..
..	..	..	..	37	2,790	..	..	..	..	..
1	..	..	2,213	76	9,342	..	..	..	..	..
14	137	422	32,764	1,037	107,307	..	..	..	170	307,701

(a) Includes 178,824 gallons issued under the Central Distillery System in the Jeypore and Parvati-pur Circles.

(b) Issued under the Central Distillery System.

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Detailed heads.		DEMAND.		
(1)		Arrears.	Current.	Total.
		(2)	(3)	(4)
		RS.	RS.	RS.
<i>Country spirits.</i>				
1	Licence fees for wholesale depots	..	185	185
2	Excise duty on distillery spirits	..	69,59,909	69,59,909
3	Difference of excise duty on stock of spirits at the beginning of the lease	..	..	..
4	Rents of independent shops	29,256	48,21,530	48,50,786
5	Occasional licence fees	..	15	15
6	Rents for the combined privilege of manufacture and vend	..	..	..
7	Revenue derived from the Agency (a) Duty	..	49,495	49,495
	tracts under the outstill and central distillery system. (b) Rentals	22	1,26,469	1,26,491
	Total	29,278	1,19,57,583	1,19,86,861
<i>Distilleries.</i>				
8	Licence fees for private distilleries—Ordinary Tracts	..	1,000	1,000
9	Licence fees for private distilleries—Agency Tracts	..	200	200
10	Licence fees for Government distillery	..	100	100
11	Rent of Government distillery plant, etc.	..	1,200	1,200
	Total	..	2,500	2,500
<i>Toddy.</i>				
12	Rents of (a) Vend areas	..	..	..
	(b) Independent shops	..	..	..
13	Licence fees of shops	1,23,428	1,24,67,422	1,25,90,850
14	Occasional licence fees	..	65	65
15	Tree-tax	85,308	96,99,170	97,84,478
16	Transport duty on toddy brought from Hyderabad	..	653	653
	Total	2,08,736	2,21,67,310	2,23,76,046
<i>Foreign liquors—Imported and Indian made spirits.</i>				
17	Licence fees of breweries	..	30	30
	(a) Indian made foreign spirits	..	4,46,698	4,46,698
	(b) Country-brewed beer	..	1,30,051	1,30,051
18	Excise duty on (c) Spirits contained in medicinal preparations	..	1,20,451	1,20,451
	(d) Spirits for other commercial scientific and industrial purposes.	..	5,163	5,163
	I. Wholesale	..	23,500	23,500
	II. Retail	..	..	..
	Foreign liquor 3—Retail sale of brandy on prescriptions	..	290	290
	(a) Shops	..	60,550	60,550
	(b) Taverns	..	1,88,604	1,88,604
	(c) Hotels	3,670	1,85,544	1,89,214
	(d) Bars	..	4,400	4,400
	(e) Refreshment rooms.	..	4,699	4,699
	(f) Occasional licences	..	7,100	7,100
	(g) Special licences	..	6,625	6,625
	(h) Auctioners' licences	..	2,537	2,537
	(i) Chemists and druggists' licences	..	5,357	5,357
	(j) Medicated wines	..	50	400
	IV. Bottling licences	..	2,510	2,510
	Fees from clubs	..	1,800	1,800
	Licence fees for denatured spirits	1,361	7,222	7,222
	Total	5,031	12,61,803	12,66,834
<i>Drugs other than opium—Ganja, bhang, etc.</i>				
20	Rents for the sale of ganja, bhang and other intoxicating drugs prepared from the hemp plant	6,405	8,47,881	8,54,286
21	Excise duty on ganja	..	10,13,586	10,13,586
22	Excise duty on bhang	..	33,450	3,34,500
23	Differential duty on stock of drugs at the beginning of the lease.	..	..	..
	Total	6,405	18,94,917	19,01,323

balance under the several heads of excise (abkari and opium) for the year 1935-36.

COLLECTION.			AMOUNT WRITTEN OFF.			BALANCE.		
Arrears.	Current.	Total.	Arrears.	Current.	Total.	Arrears.	Current.	Total.
(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)
RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.
..	185	185	..	..	..	..	..	..
..	69,59,909	69,59,909	..	..	..	..	..	..
..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
9,618	48,13,518	48,23,131	4,062	498	4,560	15,581	7,514	23,095
..	15	15	..	..	..	..	..	..
..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
..	49,495	49,495	..	..	..	..	..	..
22	1,26,441	1,26,463	..	14	14	..	14	14
9,635	1,19,49,543	1,19,59,178	4,062	512	4,574	15,581	7,528	23,109
..	1,000	1,000	..	..	..	..	..	..
..	200	200	..	..	..	..	..	..
..	100	100	..	..	..	..	..	..
..	1,200	1,200	..	..	..	..	..	..
..	2,500	2,500	..	..	..	..	..	..
..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
66,256	1,24,17,591	1,24,83,847	18,511	4,686	23,197	38,661	45,145	83,806
..	65	65	..	..	..	..	..	..
48,169	98,58,412	97,01,581	16,029	12,240	27,269	22,110	33,518	55,628
..	653	653	..	..	..	..	..	..
1,14,425	2,20,71,721	2,21,86,146	33,540	16,926	50,466	60,771	78,663	1,39,434
..	30	30	..	..	..	..	..	..
..	4,46,698	4,46,698	..	..	..	..	..	..
..	1,30,051	1,30,051	..	..	..	..	..	..
..	1,26,451	1,26,451	..	..	..	..	..	..
..	5,163	5,163	..	..	..	..	..	..
..	23,500	23,500	..	..	..	..	..	..
..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
..	290	290	..	..	..	..	..	..
..	60,550	60,550	..	..	..	..	..	..
..	1,86,986	1,86,986	..	1,618	1,618	..	..	..
..	1,85,544	1,85,544	..	..	..	3,670	..	3,670
..	4,400	4,400	..	..	..	..	150	150
..	4,549	4,549	..	..	..	..	..	..
..	7,100	7,100	..	..	..	..	..	..
..	6,625	6,625	..	..	..	..	..	..
..	2,537	2,537	..	..	..	..	..	..
..	5,357	5,357	..	..	..	..	..	..
..	450	450	..	..	..	..	..	..
..	2,510	2,510	..	..	..	..	..	..
..	1,800	1,800	..	..	..	..	..	..
..	650	650	..	..	..	..	..	..
..	7,222	7,222	..	..	..	..	..	..
1,355	51,071	52,406	26	36	62	..	465	465
1,355	12,59,534	12,60,889	26	1,654	1,680	3,670	615	4,285
1,523	8,46,452	8,47,975	1,461	339	1,800	3,421	1,090	4,511
..	10,13,586	10,13,586	..	..	..	..	..	..
..	33,450	33,450	..	..	..	..	..	..
..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
1,523	18,93,488	18,95,011	1,461	339	1,800	3,421	1,090	4,511

STATEMENT A.—Statement showing the demand, collection and revenue in the Madras Presidency

Detailed heads. (1)	DEMAND.		
	Arrears. (2)	Current. (3)	Total. (4)
	RS.	RS.	RS.
<i>Miscellaneous.</i>			
24 Contribution towards the leave salary of officers lent to foreign service	..	1,990	1,990
24 (a) Contributions for establishments employed in distilleries and warehouses	..	12,217	12,217
25 Penalties and forfeitures	9,440	3,55,408	3,65,848
26 Other miscellaneous items	10,314	62,552	72,866
27 Rents of buildings	..	16,383	16,383
28 (a) Recoveries of over payments	..	988	988
28 (b) Sale-proceeds of dram measures and bung rods	..	2,876	2,876
Total	19,754	4,53,414	4,73,168
Total, Abkari	3,60,204	3,77,37,527	3,80,06,731
<i>Opium.</i>			
29 Cost price of opium	..	5,98,871	5,98,871
30 Duty on opium	..	17,11,595	17,11,595
31 Differential duty on stock of opium at the beginning of the lease	7,968	9,25,412	9,33,380
32 Rents of shops	90	6,256	6,346
33 Penalties and forfeitures	..	211	211
34 Miscellaneous	..	..	..
Total, Opium	8,058	32,42,345	32,50,403
Grand total, Abkari and Opium	* 2,77,260	4,09,79,872	4,12,57,132

* Revised figures.

balance under the several heads of excise (abkari and opium) for the year 1935-36—cont.

COLLECTION.			AMOUNT WRITTEN OFF.			BALANCE.		
Arrears. (5)	Current. (6)	Total. (7)	Arrears. (8)	Current. (9)	Total. (10)	Arrears. (11)	Current. (12)	Total. (13)
RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.
..	1,990	1,990	..	..	..	..	..	..
..	12,217	12,217	..	..	..	..	..	..
8,180	3,51,391	3,57,521	1,577	1,013	2,590	1,733	4,004	5,737
7,642	57,121	64,763	931	1,215	2,146	1,741	4,216	5,957
..	16,383	16,383	..	..	..	..	..	..
..	988	988	..	..	..	..	..	..
..	2,876	2,876	..	..	..	..	..	..
13,772	4,43,966	4,56,738	2,508	2,228	4,736	3,474	8,220	11,694
1,40,690	3,76,19,753	3,77,60,443	41,597	21,659	63,256	86,917	96,116	1,83,033
..	5,98,871	5,98,871	..	..	..	..	..	..
..	17,11,595	17,11,595	..	..	..	..	..	..
984	9,22,614	9,23,598	1,680	1,012	2,692	5,302	1,786	7,088
76	6,175	6,251	5	9	14	9	72	81
..	211	211	..	..	..	..	..	..
1,060	32,39,466	32,40,526	1,685	1,021	2,706	5,311	1,858	7,169
1,41,750	4,08,59,218	4,10,00,968	43,282	22,680	65,962	92,221	97,974	1,90,203



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STATEMENT A-(1).—Statement showing the fees

Districts.	Manufacture of liquors.		Compounding and bottling licences—F.L.-1 (a) and F.L.-1 (b).	Wholesale.	Country spirits—Retail sale.					Malt liquors—F.L.-4, F.L.-6 and F.L.-6 (c).
	Breweries.	Distilleries.			Liquors other than commercial spirits imported or manufactured in India and excised at tariff rates—F.L.-1.	Spirits under distillery system (permanent).	Spirits under distillery system (temporary).	Spirits under outstill system (Agency tracts).	Fermented toddy.	
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)
RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.
Ganjam ..	100	..	..	..	..	1,23,365	..	..	33,469	..
Vizagapatam ..	250	..	..	..	2,000	3,39,344	..	1,05,900	1,51,081	..
East Godavari ..	150	250	..	..	..	2,97,444	..	20,569	2,93,200	..
West Godavari ..	..	..	..	..	..	1,50,384	..	..	2,87,202	..
Kistna ..	..	..	..	..	..	1,48,080	..	..	1,75,270	..
Guntur ..	..	..	..	..	..	1,48,881	..	..	1,43,614	..
Nellore ..	..	..	..	..	..	64,300	..	..	94,405	..
Cuddapah ..	..	..	..	..	..	85,898	..	..	1,17,078	..
Anantapur ..	100	..	..	..	..	70,716	..	..	5,47,361	..
Bellary ..	100	..	..	..	..	1,33,781	..	..	4,84,363	1,860
Kurnool ..	..	..	..	..	..	88,020	..	..	5,17,202	..
Madras ..	..	..	1,550	..	17,000	6,41,340	..	..	5,60,268	..
Chingleput ..	15	..	..	..	..	1,08,480	..	..	5,64,582	3,024
Chittoor ..	..	100	..	..	..	83,668	..	..	3,29,343	..
North Arcot ..	..	..	..	..	..	1,61,808	..	..	7,03,100	1,824
South Arcot ..	..	..	..	..	..	1,53,348	..	..	2,01,444	900
Tanjore ..	..	..	550	..	..	1,49,460	..	..	11,12,193	5,376
Trichinopoly ..	..	..	..	..	500	2,02,636	..	..	8,52,768	14,652
Madurai ..	..	..	..	..	..	1,70,955	..	..	4,09,148	16,944
Ramnad ..	..	..	..	60	..	1,35,980	..	..	3,80,723	..
Tinnevely ..	..	..	..	105	..	2,57,472	..	..	3,00,858	..
Colimbatore ..	200	..	..	..	..	2,06,843	..	..	14,86,987	31,560
The Nilgiris ..	15	..	50	..	2,000	2,26,920	..	..	1,06,140	1,06,140
Salem ..	..	..	..	..	..	1,32,126	..	..	17,27,020	2,040
South Kanara ..	..	..	..	..	..	66,315	15	..	3,76,343	672
Malabar ..	100	50	..	..	1,500	1,13,946	..	..	4,42,700	552
Total ..	30	1,300	2,450	165	23,500	48,21,530	15	1,26,469	1,24,67,457	1,86,544

Realized for shops and licences during the year 1935-36.

Foreign liquor—Retail sale.							Drugs—Retail sale.			
Foreign liquors to be consumed on premises and on and off premises—F.L.-5 and F.L.-5 (c).	Foreign liquors to be consumed off premises—F.L.-2.	Liquors in hotels, restaurants, boarding houses and clubs and refreshment rooms and stalls other than railway refreshment rooms (excluding canteens)—F.L.-7, F.L.-8 and F.L.-10.	Liquors in railway refreshment rooms, dak bungalows, dining cars and steamers—F.L.-9 and F.L.-14.	Liquors in temporary refreshment stalls (including other temporary licences for foreign liquors)—F.L.-11.	Foreign liquors—All other special retail licences, including canteen licences—F.L.-3, F.L.-20 and F.L.-12.	Rectified spirits and medicated wines (druggist's permits)—F.L.-13 and F.L.-17.	Fees from clubs.	Licence fees for the sale of denatured spirits.	Opium.	Ganja and bhang.
(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)
RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.
9,780	1,400	25	75	..	..	50	16	966	89,285	56,340
1,560	2,300	300	250	580	45	190	481	1,533	1,60,512	38,328
..	2,000	75	300	..	5	230	94	954	1,51,308	15,390
5,268	1,000	50	75	..	20	120	..	760	64,071	9,960
..	900	50	100	1	10	140	30	681	40,950	16,572
..	300	50	200	2	55	80	123	1,090	45,144	33,684
..	500	50	275	..	..	20	16	473	14,556	26,604
..	200	25	150	..	..	..	..	448	7,320	22,176
..	800	..	325	8	..	10	..	774	3,645	16,614
..	800	150	175	..	5	80	47	923	3,804	22,764
..	500	..	250	..	..	10	3	575	12,216	24,504
1,34,040	19,500	13,375	900	1,036	1,756	630	2,620	12,422	58,440	94,320
17,589	700	90	100	346	41	..	694	755	8,196	29,292
..	600	..	125	..	..	20	..	683	8,988	26,688
..	1,800	..	400	..	5	20	33	1,750	16,936	24,528
2,670	900	..	200	10	15	50	2	1,431	12,696	21,696
1,620	2,100	50	675	..	35	200	44	2,880	48,526	36,829
..	1,300	50	200	151	5	80	313	1,246	15,004	28,412
11,700	2,500	100	250	30	..	90	248	3,668	33,044	65,861
..	1,000	..	450	..	10	120	9	4,464	12,644	51,758
..	2,100	..	425	..	10	170	161	2,058	21,348	43,992
..	3,400	100	300	52	61	120	294	2,365	38,100	66,240
..	8,750	750	300	170	3,143	90	1,152	1,108	15,552	4,740
..	1,300	..	100	5	5	60	92	1,580	11,040	29,592
..	1,000	75	150	..	10	70	180	1,346	3,966	14,760
4,296	2,400	350	350	137	411	310	570	4,650	26,121	28,887
1,88,514	60,550	15,724	7,100	2,537	5,647	2,960	7,222	51,572	9,25,412	8,47,881

Advisory Committees in the several Revenue Divisions in the matter of and the action taken thereon.

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STATEMENT B (1)—Statement showing the number of different kinds of shops newly opened and permanently closed during 1935-36.

Districts.	Number of shops newly opened.					Number of shops permanently closed.				
	(2) Arrack.	(3) Toddy.	(4) Ganja.	(5) Opium.	(6) Foreign liquor and beer.	(7) Arrack.	(8) Toddy.	(9) Ganja.	(10) Opium.	(11) Foreign liquor and beer.
(1)										
Ganjam ..	3	3								
Vizagapatam ..	3	3								
East Godavari ..	3	3								
West Godavari ..	3	3								
Kistna ..	3	3								
Guntur ..	1	1								
Nellore ..	1	1								
Cuddapah ..	1	1								
Anantapur ..	1	1								
Bellary ..	1	1								
Kurnool ..	1	1								
Madras ..	1	1								
Chingleput ..	1	1								
Chittoor ..	1	1								
North Arcot ..	1	1								
South Arcot ..	1	1								
Tanjore ..	1	1								
Trichinopoly ..	1	1								
Madura ..	1	1								
Ramnad ..	1	1								
Tinnevely ..	1	1								
Coimbatore ..	1	1								
The Nilgiris ..	1	1								
Salem ..	1	1								
South Kanara ..	1	1								
Malabar ..	1	1								
Total ..	16	40	1	1	1	14	11			

STATEMENT C.—Statement showing the number of shops and stills licensed and the rentals obtained in the several non-distillery areas of the Presidency during 1935-36.

Tracts.	Population.	Area in square miles.	Number of shop and still licences.	Rentals.	Incidence of rents per head of population.	Square miles per shop.	Population per shop.	Remarks
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)
Tracts in which Act I of 1886 and separate sales of shops and stills are in force.				RS.	RS. A. P.			
Ganjam ..	357,800	3,510	(a) 184	1,05,900	0 1 6	91.4	8,376	
Vizagapatam ..	1,122,393	12,253	(b) 36	20,569	0 3 9	41.8	2,448	
East Godavari ..	88,133	1,504						

(a) Nineteen combined shops and still licences and 115 shops under the Central Distillery System in the Jeypore and Parvatipur circles.
(b) Shops sold under the Central Distillery System

STATEMENT D.—Statement showing the quantities of foreign liquors imported into the Madras Presidency by sea and the Customs duty realized thereon during the year 1935-36 as compared with 1933-34 and 1934-35.

Foreign liquors.	Quantity.			Duty.			Increase or decrease in 1935-36 as compared with 1934-35.		
	1933-34.	1934-35.	1935-36.	1933-34.	1934-35.	1935-36.	Quantity.	Duty.	
	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)
Liquors—									
Ale, beer and porter ..	470,035	562,502	567,448	4,60,136	5,46,523	5,63,501	4,946	16,978	
Cider and other fermented liquors ..	1,464	2,168	2,045	1,184	2,912	2,724	123	188	
Spirits—									
Brandy ..	20,366	22,590	27,573	6,96,295	6,31,522	6,39,547	4,983	8,025	
Gin ..	14,475	11,769	12,700	2,96,389	2,94,649	3,02,160	931	7,511	
Liqueurs ..	499	1,488	731	67,115	64,016	78,258	757	14,242	
Rum ..	52	281	186	6,985	9,404	5,773	95	3,631	
Whisky ..	34,517	30,103	29,389	9,65,343	9,15,140	9,16,640	714	1,500	
Spirits present in drugs ..	12,065	11,834	12,783	1,03,553	1,20,449	1,27,667	949	7,218	
Spirits perfumed ..	422	413	464	29,902	24,704	22,904	51	1,800	
Spirits denatured—Imported direct ..	1	1	1	1	126	248	248	122	
Spirits denatured at Custom House on arrival before clearance.	22,410	7,721	2,822	1,851	728	496	4,899	232	
Other sorts of spirits ..	1,849	2,782	5,063	14,614	19,817	8,623	2,281	11,194	
Wines ..	25,426	27,876	25,630	1,99,077	2,05,254	1,95,944	2,246	9,310	
Total ..	600,581	681,527	686,834	28,42,445	28,35,244	28,64,485	5,307	29,241	

STATEMENT E.—Statement showing the quantities of potable spirits excised and denatured spirits issued from distilleries during 1935-36 as compared with 1934-35.

Where excised.	Potable spirits.				Denatured spirits.			
	Quantity.		Duty.		Quantity.		Duty.	
	1934-35.	1935-36.	1934-35.	1935-36.	1934-35.	1935-36.	1934-35.	1935-36.
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)
	PROOF GALLONS.	PROOF GALLONS.	RS.	RS.	PROOF GALLONS.	PROOF GALLONS.		
Vizagapatam distillery	71	600	1,544	13,131	..	..	..	..
Samaikot "	93	5	2,032	116	40,348	25,327	..	..
Nellikuppam "	8,584	8,110	1,87,784	1,77,411	76,665	100,915	..	..
Chavakkat "	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Malabar Arreck " Bonded Madras.	7,305	5,479	1,59,801	1,19,842	..	..	..	..
Special Bonded Warehouse, McDowell, Madras.	2,872	2,449	62,853	53,563	..	..	..	..
Total ..	18,925	16,643	4,14,014	3,64,063	117,013	126,242	..	..

STATEMENT E-1.—Statement showing the quantity of beer manufactured, consumed and exported and the excise duty realized thereon during 1935-36.

Number and name of brewery.	(1)	Quantity of beer manu- factured.	Rate of duty per gallon.	Revenue realized from excise duty.	Quantity of beer issued from breweries.				Quantity of beer imported from other provinces.	
					(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)		(6)
		GALLONS.	RS. A. P.	RS.	GALLONS.	GALLONS.	GALLONS.	GALLONS.	GALLONS.	
In the Madras presidency—										
1 The United Breweries, Limited, Kaitiy ..		149,162	0 10 0	93,226	146,224	20 (Bombay)	1,474 (Cochin)	..	..	
						9 (Mahe-French Territory).	2,120 (Pudukottai)	..	..	
2 The United Breweries, Limited, Madras. In the C. & M. Station, Bangalore—		40,549	0 10 0	25,343	43,416	..	..	..	..	
3 The United Breweries, Limited, Bangalore.		148,051	0 10 0	68,589	102,561	6,529 (Bombay).	19,494 (Mysore)	..	..	
						13,619 (Madras).	4,158 (Deccan)	..	..	
						27 (Orissa).	28 (Cochin)	..	..	
						1,208 (Coorg).		..	..	

STATEMENT F.—Statement showing the quantities of cocaine and its preparations imported into the Presidency, sold and held in stock during the year 1935–36.

Number of licenses for the sale of cocaine and its preparations	Stock in hand with the licensees at the beginning of the lease.		Imports.				Total.	Sales.		Balances of stock at the end of the lease.
			By sea.		From other provinces.					
			LB.	OZ. GR.	LB.	OZ. GR.				
217	(a) 2	8 437	0	1 0	0 14 155	0 15 155	{ 1 4 94 (b) 1 9 372	LB. OZ. GR. • 1 10 804		

(a) Revised figure. Includes 1 lb. 50 grains purchased from other licensees in the Presidency.
(b) Wholesale sales.
• Excludes 77 grains spent in analysis and evaporated.

STATEMENT G.—Classified statement of offences against the Abkari laws

Subdivision.	Districts.	Offences relating to foreign liquor, arrack and toddy								
		Smuggling.	Illicit distillation and possession and sale of illicitly distilled spirits.	Illicit manufacture of toddy.	Illicit transport.	Unlicensed sales.	Possession without licence.	Adulteration.	Dilution.	Use of false measures.
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)
Waltair.	Ganjam ..	5	1,087	24	..	2	48	..	27	8
	Vizagapatam ..	111	574	88	68	146	374	..	37	8
	East Godavari ..	8	216	606	58	35	384	..	15	6
	West Godavari ..	19	105	1,076	18	24	208	..	8	1
	Kistna ..	20	36	397	10	21	219	..	38	6
	Total, Waltair Sub-division.	169	2,108	2,280	154	228	1,293	1	124	29
Nellore.	Guntur ..	..	187	115	10	28	168	..	20	7
	Nellore ..	..	119	326	0	22	99	..	4	4
	Chittoor ..	1	60	57	15	10	122	..	8	1
	Madras ..	..	..	50	12	8	18	..	9	..
	Chingleput ..	2	4	170	49	27	74	..	13	2
	Total, Nellore Sub-division.	3	370	727	95	104	481	..	54	14
Bellary.	Cuddapah ..	..	445	19	17	7	66	..	9	5
	Anantapur ..	30	299	46	23	11	221	..	8	2
	Bellary ..	62	336	27	15	9	128	..	2	..
	Kurnool ..	45	342	38	9	34	249	..	11	..
	Total, Bellary Sub-division.	146	1,422	130	64	61	664	..	30	7
Arcot.	South Arcot ..	8	91	90	26	40	104	..	23	9
	Tanjore ..	8	..	277	32	57	179	..	12	..
	North Arcot ..	..	33	174	30	81	274	..	20	11
	Salem ..	..	471	601	18	33	256	..	8	..
	Total, Arcot Sub-division.	16	595	1,142	106	211	813	..	63	20
Trichinopoly.	Trichinopoly ..	18	66	117	28	78	131	..	16	6
	Madura ..	..	102	71	26	39	29	..	18	6
	Ramnad ..	..	2	610	45	36	262	..	22	6
	Tinnevely ..	1	27	1,342	75	129	329	..	16	4
	Total, Trichinopoly Sub-division.	19	197	2,140	174	283	751	..	67	22
West Coast.	Coimbatore ..	9	359	581	27	119	365	..	24	9
	The Nilgiris ..	2	10	12	..	4	25	..	..	..
	South Kanara ..	..	300	684	33	2	336	..	9	4
	Malabar ..	7	264	1,128	17	14	1,153	..	15	6
	Total, West Coast Sub-division.	18	1,023	2,405	77	139	1,879	..	48	19
Total { 1935-36 ..		371	5,715	824	8670	1,035	5,831	1	386	111
Total { 1934-35 ..		402	5,421	9,153	743	790	4,877	..	396	93

reported in the several districts during the year 1935-36.

revenue.	Offences relating to hemp drugs.									
Other offences (breaches of licence condi- tions, etc.).	Total.	Illicit cultiva- tion of the hemp plant.	Smuggling.	Illicit transport.	Unlicensed sales.	Possession with- out licence.	Other offences.	Total.	Grand total.	
(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	
2	1,203	8	..	..	1	16	..	25	1,228	
2	1,409	13	..	..	4	6	2	25	1,434	
12	1,433	2	..	..	..	2	..	4	1,437	
18	1,627	2	..	..	2	..	..	4	1,631	
102	850	..	1	..	..	9	..	10	860	
136	6,522	25	1	..	7	33	2	68	6,590	
..	535	3	..	2	..	29	17	51	586	
8	591	3	..	..	1	3	..	7	598	
14	297	4	3	..	8	18	..	33	330	
25	122	..	..	..	145	23	..	168	290	
57	407	4	..	..	21	..	..	25	432	
104	1,952	14	3	2	175	73	17	284	2,236	
5	573	2	..	..	4	9	..	15	588	
22	671	5	..	..	2	4	..	11	682	
12	591	..	11	..	1	4	..	16	607	
45	773	..	..	1	4	10	..	15	788	
84	2,608	7	11	1	11	27	..	57	2,665	
18	409	2	..	..	8	4	..	14	423	
112	677	1	..	2	8	2	4	17	694	
27	650	4	1	..	6	3	..	14	664	
23	1,410	3	37	..	8	13	..	61	1,471	
180	3,146	10	38	2	30	22	4	106	3,262	
81	541	3	..	..	20	5	..	28	569	
40	326	1	..	8	41	13	3	66	392	
37	1,020	1	..	..	5	8	1	15	1,035	
43	1,966	1	1	1	12	14	..	29	1,995	
201	3,853	6	1	9	78	40	4	138	3,991	
29	1,522	11	3	..	16	17	..	47	1,569	
2	55	1	..	..	..	3	..	4	59	
54	1,512	..	2	..	3	5	..	10	1,522	
76	2,680	4	..	1	3	4	..	12	2,692	
161	5,769	16	5	1	22	29	..	73	5,842	
866	23,850	78	59	15	323	224	27	726	24,576	
676	22,549	79	32	10	245	183	66	615	23,164	

STATEMENT H.—Statement of offences against the Abkari laws dealt with in the Presidency during the year 1935-36.

Particulars of heads.	Excise administration divisions.							Total.
	Waltair.	Nellore.	Bellary.	Arcoot.	Trichinopoly.	West Coast.	1935-36.	
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)
Pending at the beginning of the year	Cases.	Cases.	Cases.	Cases.	Cases.	Cases.	Cases.	Cases.
Reported during the year 1935-36 (exclusive of unsuccessful house searches).	498	172	191	141	204	282	1,488	1,422
	6,590	2,236	2,665	3,252	3,991	5,842	24,576	23,173
Total ..	7,088	2,408	2,856	3,393	4,195	6,124	26,064	24,595
<i>Disposal of cases by the Department.</i>								
Released by the department—								
I. For being in possession of country spirits, the strength of which is below the margin allowed for loss of strength from natural causes.	..	..	1	..	1	..	2	7
II. For petty breaches of the provisions of section 56 of the Abkari Act for the first time.	..	1	..	9	3	..	13	25
III. On proof of ignorance or inadvertence ..	9	26	21	26	21	34	137	191
IV. For want of proof ..	136	58	82	46	33	47	402	422
Total ..	145	85	104	81	58	81	554	645
Sent for trial	2,897	1,303	1,635	1,475	1,454	3,557	12,321	9,930
Cases written off or otherwise disposed of ..	11	..	2	6	4	4	27	28
Compounded ..	3,429	873	896	1,670	2,427	2,139	11,424	12,504
Grand total ..	6,482	2,261	2,637	3,232	3,943	5,771	24,236	23,107
Pending ..	606	147	219	161	253	353	1,738	1,483

STATEMENT H.—Statement of offences against the Abkari laws dealt with in the Presidency during the year 1935-36—cont.

Particulars of heads.	Excise administration divisions.							Total.
	Waltair.	Nellore.	Bellary.	Arcoot.	Trichinopoly.	West Coast.	1935-36.	
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)
Pending at the beginning of the year	Cases.	Cases.	Cases.	Cases.	Cases.	Cases.	Cases.	Cases.
Sent for trial during the year ..	317	104	136	72	81	210	920	1,084
	2,897	1,303	1,635	1,475	1,454	3,557	12,321	9,930
Total ..	3,214	1,407	1,771	1,547	1,535	3,767	13,241	11,014
Convicted	2,182	934	1,299	1,200	980	3,161	9,756	7,990
Acquitted ..	95	35	40	13	16	25	224	189
Written off or otherwise disposed of ..	548	318	289	204	306	238	1,993	1,915
Withdrawn or payment of compounding fees ..	2,825	1,287	1,628	1,417	1,392	3,424	11,973	10,094
Total ..	389	120	143	180	143	343	1,268	920
Pending ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
<i>Cases sent to the Magistrary otherwise than through the Department.</i>								
Number of cases reported ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Number of cases convicted ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Number of cases acquitted ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..

THE FOLLOWING ARE THE REVENUE DISTRICTS INCLUDED IN THE VARIOUS SUBDIVISIONS.

- 1 Waltair subdivision.—Ganjam, Vizagapatam, East Godavari, West Godavari and Kistna districts.
- 2 Nellore subdivision.—Guntur, Nellore, Madras, Chingleput and Chittoor districts.
- 3 Bellary subdivision.—Anasapur, Bellary, Cuddapah and Kurnool districts.
- 4 Trichinopoly subdivision.—Trichinopoly, Madurai, Ramanad and Tinnevely districts.
- 5 Arcoot subdivision.—North Arcot, South Arcot and Tanjore districts.
- 6 West Coast subdivision.—Coimbatore, the Nilgiris, South Kanara and Malabar districts.

STATEMENT J.—Statement showing the classification of cases convicted under the Opium Act and Rules during 1935-36.

Districts.	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)
		Smuggling of opium.	Possession of opium without licence.	Sale of opium without licence.	Sale of intoxicating drugs without licence.	Manufacture of intoxicating drugs without licence.	Other offences.	Total.
Ganjam ..	..	..	18	..	..	..	..	18
Vissapattam ..	..	1	17	..	..	..	..	18
East Godavari ..	..	..	8	..	..	..	..	8
West Godavari ..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	1
Kistna ..	..	..	3	..	..	..	..	3
Guntur ..	..	..	6	..	..	..	..	6
Nellore ..	..	..	4	..	..	..	..	4
Oddepah ..	..	..	3	..	..	..	..	3
Antapur ..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	1
Ballari ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Kennel ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Madras ..	..	..	3	5	..	..	..	8
Chingleput ..	..	..	2	..	..	..	..	2
Chittoor ..	..	..	1	..	..	..	4	6
North Arcot ..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	1
South Arcot ..	..	..	2	..	..	..	..	2
Tanjore ..	..	..	10	..	..	..	..	10
Trichinopoly ..	..	..	1	2	..	..	..	3
Madura ..	..	..	2	6	..	..	3	11
Ramanad ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Tinnevely ..	..	..	2	..	..	..	..	2
Coimbatore ..	..	..	4	..	..	..	..	4
The Nilgiris ..	..	..	2	..	..	..	..	2
Salem ..	..	..	3	..	..	..	..	3
South Kanara ..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	1
Malabar ..	..	..	3	1	..	..	..	4
Total ..	..	1	99	14	..	..	7	121
Total for 1934-35 ..	..	2	90	13	..	..	3	108

Note.—(1) The difference between columns (2) and (8) is due to confiscations not having been ordered in 19 cases.
(2) Five persons have been both fined and imprisoned and 14 persons discharged or acquitted.

STATEMENT J (1).—Statement showing the convictions, etc., under the Dangerous Drugs Act and Rules during 1935-36.

Districts.	Offences relating to poppy and opium.												Offences relating to prepared opium.						
	Illicit import of opium.			Illicit export of opium.			Illicit transshipment of opium.			Illicit cultivation of poppy.			Illicit manufacture of opium.						
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	
	Number of cases convicted.			Quantity confiscated.			Number of cases convicted.			Quantity confiscated.			Number of cases convicted.			Quantity confiscated.			Penalty imposed.
	Quantity confiscated.			Penalty imposed.			Quantity confiscated.			Penalty imposed.			Quantity confiscated.			Penalty imposed.			
	Penalty imposed.			Number of cases convicted.			Quantity confiscated.			Penalty imposed.			Number of cases convicted.			Quantity confiscated.			
Visagapatnam ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	
Kistna ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	
Madras ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	
North Arcot ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	
South Arcot ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	
Tanjore ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	
Tiruchinopoly ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	
Madura ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	
Tinnevely ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	
Cumballore ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	
Salem ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	
Malabar ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	
Total ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	
years, seven and a half months and eighteen weeks and S.I. for three months and six weeks.																			

STATEMENT J (1).—Statement showing the convictions, etc., under the Dangerous Drugs Act and Rules during 1935-36—cont.

Districts.	Offences relating to hemp.												Offences relating to manufactured drugs other than prepared opium.					
	Illicit import.			Illicit export.			Illicit transshipment.			Offences relating to coca leaf.			Illicit import.		Illicit export.			
	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)	(28)	(29)	(30)	(31)	(32)	(33)	(34)	(35)	(36)	(37)
	Number of cases convicted.			Number of cases convicted.			Number of cases convicted.			Number of cases convicted.			Number of cases convicted.		Number of cases convicted.		Quantity confiscated.	
	Quantity confiscated.			Quantity confiscated.			Quantity confiscated.			Quantity confiscated.			Quantity confiscated.		Quantity confiscated.		Penalty imposed.	
	Penalty imposed.			Penalty imposed.			Penalty imposed.			Penalty imposed.			Penalty imposed.		Penalty imposed.		Penalty imposed.	
Visagapatnam ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Kistna ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Madras ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
North Arcot ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
South Arcot ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Tanjore ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Tiruchinopoly ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Madura ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Tinnevely ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Cumballore ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Salem ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Malabar ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Total ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..

Offences relating to manufactured drugs other than prepared opium—cont.

Districts.	Illicit transshipment.			Illicit manufacture.			Illicit possession.			Illicit transport.			Illicit sale.			Rewards sanctioned.															
	Number of cases convicted.	Quantity confiscated.	Penalty imposed.	(38)	(39)	(40)	Number of cases convicted.	Quantity confiscated.	Penalty imposed.	(41)	(42)	(43)	Number of cases convicted.	Quantity confiscated.	Penalty imposed.		(44)	(45)	(46)	Number of cases convicted.	Quantity confiscated.	Penalty imposed.	(47)	(48)	(49)	Number of cases convicted.	Quantity confiscated.	Penalty imposed.	(50)	(51)	(52)
Vizagapatam	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	
Kistna	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	
Madras	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	
North Arcot	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	
South Arcot	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	
Tanjore	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	
Trichinopoly	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	
Madura	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	
Tinnevely	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	
Cumbatore	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	
Salem	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	
Malabar	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	
Total	210	12	0	210	12	0	210	12	0	210	12	0	210	12	0	210	12	0	210	12	0	210	12	0	210	12	0	210	12	0	210 12 0

Name of munici- pality.	Population according to the census of 1931.	1933-34.		1934-35.		1935-36.	
		Number of persons convicted for drunkenness.	Proportion to 10,000 of popula- tion.	Number of persons convicted for drunkenness.	Proportion to 10,000 of popula- tion.	Number of persons convicted for drunkenness.	Proportion to 10,000 of popula- tion.
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)
1 Berhampur ..	37,750	..	..	..	..	..	..
2 Chicasole ..	16,588	..	..	35	21.8	..	..
3 Parlakimedi ..	20,072	..	..	..	..	..	..
4 Anakapalle ..	23,376	..	10.3	23	9.8	23	9.8
5 Visagapatam ..	57,303	156	27.2	176	30.7	188	32.8
6 Bimlipatam ..	9,629	..	..	22	22.8	..	..
7 Visianagram ..	44,696	45	10.1	7	1.6	28	6.3
8 Ocanada ..	65,952	186	28.2	197	29.9	169	25.6
9 Peddapuram ..	17,338	98	57.1	138	79.6	55	31.7
10 Rajahmundry ..	63,526	221	34.8	248	39.0	377	59.3
11 Ellore ..	57,342	..	..	105	18.2	70	12.2
12 Palakollu ..	16,906	25	14.8	20	11.8	16	9.5
13 Masulipatam ..	56,928	..	..	..	..	..	..
14 Bezvada ..	60,427	59	9.7	76	7.6	219	36.2
15 Chirala ..	18,853	22	11.7	16	8.5	28	14.9
16 Guntur ..	65,179	31	4.8	..	..	..	..
17 Narasaraopet ..	15,403	13	8.4	..	..	..	..
18 Ongole ..	16,672	..	..	..	..	1	0.6
19 Tenali ..	34,580	..	..	..	..	..	..
20 Nellore ..	45,895	247	53.8	320	69.72	242	53.7
21 Cuddapah ..	22,602	14	6.1	..	..	9	4.0
22 Proddatur ..	20,124	52	25.8	25	12.4	35	17.4
23 Anantapur ..	15,099	22	14.6	39	25.8	111	73.5
24 Hindupur ..	14,211	5	3.5	30	20.9	..	..
25 Tadpetri ..	12,620	153	121.2	216	171.0	180	142.6
26 Adoni ..	35,635	36	10.1	38	10.7	40	11.2
27 Bellary ..	47,573	69	14.5	121	25.5	127	26.7
28 Hospet ..	21,673	23	10.6	63	29.1	23	10.6
29 Kurnool ..	35,314	90	25.4	83	23.6	86	24.2
30 Nandyal ..	22,608	173	76.5	..	..	..	..
31 Madras ..	647,230	2,447	37.9	2,992	46.2	2,467	38.1
32 Chingleput ..	14,358	25	17.1	27	18.8	13	9.1
33 Onjeeveram ..	65,258	82	12.6	112	17.2	152	23.3
34 Saidapet ..	33,037	310	93.8	255	77.2	148	44.8
35 Tirupati ..	19,138	132	68.9	74	38.7	114	59.6
36 Chittoor ..	22,018	105	47.7	97	44.1	61	27.7
37 Gudiyattam ..	24,688	32	12.9	30	12.1	42	17.0
38 Tirupattur ..	18,299	27	14.8	33	18.0	12	6.6
39 Vaniyambadi ..	22,940	85	37.1	105	45.8	65	28.3
40 Tiruvannamalai ..	27,769	182	65.5	41	14.8	..	..
41 Vellore ..	57,265	135	23.6	284	49.6	205	35.8
42 Walajapet ..	11,102	57	51.3	22	19.8	22	19.8
43 Chidambaram ..	25,034	..	..	4	1.9	..	..
44 Uddalore ..	59,057	34	5.8	74	12.5	78	13.2
45 Villupuram ..	20,127	8	3.9	4	2.0	1	0.5
46 Kumbakonam ..	62,317	3	0.4	24	3.9	..	..
47 Mannargudi ..	22,764	..	..	..	..	..	..
48 Mayavaram ..	31,887	115	36.1	..	..	..	..
49 Nagapatam ..	48,527	131	26.9	106	21.8	87	17.9
50 Tiruvarur ..	20,371	51	25.0	53	26.5	..	..

STATEMENT J (1).—Statement showing the convictions, etc., under the Dangerous Drugs Act and Rules during 1935-36—*cont.*

Districts.	Offences relating to manufactured drugs other than prepared opium—cont.					
	{ Illicit transport. }		{ Illicit possession. }		{ Illicit sale. }	
	(38)	(39)	(40)	(41)	(42)	(43)
Vizagapatam	..	..	..	..	..	..
Kistna	..	..	..	..	..	..
Madras	..	..	..	..	..	..
North Arcot	..	..	..	..	..	..
South Arcot	..	..	..	..	..	..
Tanjore	..	..	..	..	..	..
Trichinopoly	..	..	..	..	..	..
Madura	..	..	..	..	..	..
Tinnevely	..	..	..	..	..	..
Cumbatore	..	..	..	..	..	..
Salem	..	..	..	..	..	..
Malabar	..	..	..	..	..	..
Total	210	12	0	..	..	..

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Rewards sanctioned.

STATEMENT K.—Table showing convictions for drunkenness in the municipal areas in the Madras Presidency during 1935-36 and two previous years.

Name of municipality.	Population according to the census of 1931.	1933-34.		1934-35.		1935-36.	
		Number of persons convicted for drunkenness.	Proportion to 10,000 of population.	Number of persons convicted for drunkenness.	Proportion to 10,000 of population.	Number of persons convicted for drunkenness.	Proportion to 10,000 of population.
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)
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2 Chicacole ..	16,588	..	..	35	21.8	..	..
3 Parlakimedi ..	20,072	..	..	..	..	..	..
4 Anakapalle ..	23,376	24	10.3	23	9.8	23	9.8
5 Vizagapatam ..	57,303	156	27.2	176	30.7	188	32.8
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12 Palakollu ..	16,906	25	14.8	20	11.8	16	9.5
13 Masulipatam ..	56,928	..	..	..	..	..	..
14 Bezwada ..	60,427	59	9.7	46	7.6	219	36.2
15 Chirala ..	18,853	22	11.7	16	8.5	28	14.9
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17 Narasaraopet ..	15,403	13	8.4	..	..	..	..
18 Ongole ..	16,672	..	..	..	..	1	0.6
19 Tenali ..	34,580	..	..	..	..	..	..
20 Nellore ..	45,895	247	53.8	320	69.72	242	52.7
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		Number of persons convicted for drunkenness.	Proportion to 10,000 of population.	Number of persons convicted for drunkenness.	Proportion to 10,000 of population.	Number of persons convicted for drunkenness.	Proportion to 10,000 of population.
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)
51 Tanjore	66,889	235	35.1	139	20.8	24	3.6
52 Karur	19,850	..	..	..	..	45	22.7
53 Trichinopoly ..	142,843	63	4.4	597	41.1	77	5.4
54 Srirangam	24,663	56	22.7	112	45.4	98	39.7
55 Dindigul	43,617	25	5.3	14	3.2	14	3.2
56 Kodaikanal	6,523	..	..	..	..	..	..
57 Madura	182,018	104	5.7	77	4.2	128	7.0
58 Palni	18,899	52	27.5	28	14.8	12	6.3
59 Periyakulam ..	23,004	22	9.6	27	11.7	7	3.0
60 Bodinayakanur ..	27,036	2	0.7	2	0.7	15	5.5
61 Sivakasi	15,212	9	5.9	10	6.6	..	..
62 Virudunagar ..	33,081	17	5.1	8	2.4	..	..
63 Srivilliputtur ..	32,385	8	2.4	10	3.1	8	2.5
64 Karaikudi	21,672	24	11.1	15	7.0	..	..
65 Tuticorin	60,395	37	6.1	34	5.7	33	5.5
66 Tinnevely	57,078	244	42.7	105	18.5	201	35.3
67 Palamcottah ..	51,990	42	8.1	30	5.8	47	9.0
68 Coimbatore	95,198	123	13.1	179	18.8	101	10.6
69 Dharapuram	18,218	47	25.8	111	60.9	30	16.5
70 Erode	33,672	170	50.5	202	60.0	189	56.1
71 Tiruppur	18,059	82	45.4	49	27.1	58	32.1
72 Pollachi	22,112	112	50.5	219	99.0	275	124.4
73 Udumalpet	12,184	38	31.2	10	8.2	47	38.6
74 Oonoor	14,326	73	50.9	53	37.0	84	58.6
75 Ootacamund	24,616	..	..	82	33.0	53	21.5
76 Salem	102,179	126	12.3	228	22.3	425	41.6
77 Mangalore	66,756	24	3.6	37	5.6	47	7.0
78 Udipi*	17,250	..	..	..	..	10	5.8
79 Calicut	99,273	103	10.3	55	5.6	56	5.7
80 Cannanore	34,236	38	11.1	30	8.8	..	..
81 Cochin	22,818	7	3.1	18	7.9	36	15.8
82 Tellicherry	30,349	..	..	..	..	..	..
83 Palghat	49,064	..	..	10	2	10	3.6

* The municipality was constituted only in November 1935.

STATEMENT L.—Statement showing the sanctioned strength of the establishment as it stood on 31st March 1936.

Establishment in the Commissioner's and Deputy and Assistant Commis- sioners' offices.	Inspectors, Assistant Inspectors and Sub- Inspectors.				Subordinate preventive and tree-tax establishments.				Subordinate distillery establish- ment.				Abkari establi- ment in Collectorate.				Total strength.	Cost per annum. Rs.			
	Permanent.	Temporary.			Permanent.	Temporary.			Permanent.	Temporary.			Permanent.	Temporary.							
Superintendents, clerks and attendants, &c.—25.	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)
Strength at the beginning of the year	63	63	58	39	641	2	19	38	182	6	2,921	16	..	277	3	4	109	279	62	4,782	19,59,934
Sanctioned during the year.	..	..	..	..	1	1	4	1	..	..	..	..	..	108	..	..	..	..	..	116	24,568
Abolished during the year.	..	..	1	..	5	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	15	16,742
Strength at the end of the year	58	63	57	39	637	3	23	39	182	6	2,917	16	..	85	3	4	109	279	62	4,862	19,68,750

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Government of Madras

REVENUE DEPARTMENT

G.O. No. 2293, 23rd October 1936

Excise—Administration Report—1935-36—Recorded.

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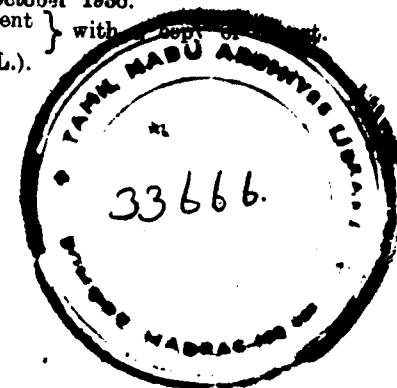
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Public Health)

H. R. UZIELLI,
Secretary to Government.

To the Commissioner of Excise.
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