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The Board submits its report on the settlement of land revenue in the Madras Presidency for fasli 1346 (1936–37) together with the prescribed statements.

The outstanding features of the fasli are—

- (i) The season was fairly satisfactory—vide paragraph 2.
- (ii) The total extent of ryotwari holdings increased by 15,321 acres from 27,557,546 acres (as now revised) in the previous fasli—vide paragraph 7.
- (iii) The total assessment on holdings showed an increase of Rs. 34,416 over Rs. 6,02,09,385 (as now revised), the total assessment of the previous fasli—vide paragraph 8.
- (iv) The total area cultivated in ryotwari holdings increased by 349,766 acres—vide paragraph 9.
- (v) The amount of water-rate and second crop charge decreased by Rs. 8,819—vide paragraph 10.
- (vi) Season remissions decreased by Rs. 2,35,778—vide paragraph 11 (i).
- (vii) The fixed remissions decreased by Rs. 1,46,867—vide paragraph 11 (ii).
- (viii) The beriz deductions decreased by Rs. 87,428—vide paragraph 11 (iii).
- (ix) The amount of revenue remitted in this fasli was Rs. 84.77 lakhs—vide paragraph 11.
- (x) The miscellaneous revenue decreased by Rs. 5,91,078—vide paragraph 12.
- (xi) There was a decrease in the number of land sales—vide paragraph 27.

2. *Character of the season.*—The south-west monsoon began in Malabar on the 19th May rather earlier than usual and extended into the Konkan towards the end of the month. It strengthened to some extent along the West Coast early in June but, despite short spells of activity, the current was on the whole weak during the first half of the month. It, however, gained in strength early in the third week and remained fairly vigorous on the West Coast during the last ten days of the month. A severe thunderstorm broke at Ootacamund on the 28th of June and caused heavy rain. The rainfall in June was below normal in Kistna, Guntur, Anantapur, Nellore, South Arcot, the Central districts (Chittoor excepted), the South (Tinnevely excepted) and the West Coast, and normal or above normal elsewhere. The rainfall in July was normal or above normal in all the districts outside the Deccan, North Arcot, Malabar and the Nilgiris. In August the rainfall was in excess of the normal only on the West Coast and in the districts of Vizagapatam, East Godavari and West Godavari. The monsoon was weak during the first half of September and withdrew from the province during the third week of the month, when thunderstorms set in, characteristic of the transition from the south-west monsoon to the north-east monsoon type of weather. The rainfall in September was below

normal except in Chittoor, Salem, Coimbatore, Madura, Ramnad and Tinnevely. On the whole, the south-west monsoon bordered on or was slightly above normal in the Circars, Coimbatore, Tinnevely and South Kanara and was below normal in the rest of the province.

Sowings of the early crops were generally restricted or below the average except in the south (wet crops only), the West Coast and the Nilgiris (dry crops only).

The condition of the standing crops was generally satisfactory.

The north-east monsoon set in over the Bay of Bengal early in the third week of October and became active towards the middle of that week. Local thunderstorms occurred in the south during the following week and a depression formed in the southern part of the Bay of Bengal midway between the Andamans and Ceylon on the 25th of the month. The depression developed into a cyclonic storm the next day. On the morning of the 27th, it lay about 200 miles south-east of Madras. Thereafter it took a more northerly course and intensifying further into a storm of great intensity, crossed the Circars coast near Masulipatam on the 28th. The storm caused widespread and heavy rain along the east Madras coast between the 26th and 28th, besides severe damage in the coastal districts which lay along and near its track, i.e., from the north of the Nellore district to the East Godavari district. Guntur district, particularly, Bapatla taluk was very much affected by the storm and crops were lost over a considerable area in Bapatla taluk. The standing crops in parts of the taluks of Sattenapalli, Guntur, Narasaraopet, Vinukonda and Palnad of Guntur district and in the taluks of Bandar and Divi of Kistna district were also affected to some degree.

The total rainfall in October, was normal or above normal only in the Circars and South Kanara. On the 1st November, a low pressure wave passed westwards across south Madras from the Bay into the south-east Arabian Sea and lay there as a trough of low pressure until the 6th, concentrating into a depression by the 7th morning and further intensifying into a cyclonic storm by the next morning. The storm caused widespread and locally heavy rain in south Madras on the 1st and 2nd and over the whole of the province between the 7th and 10th. A depression also formed in the south Bay of Bengal on the 4th November and was centred on the 5th morning about 400 miles to the east of Negapatam. Moving in a north-westerly direction, it crossed the coast near Madras early on the 7th, causing widespread and locally heavy rain in south-east Madras and the north Madras coast. Thunder-showers occurred almost throughout the month in south-east Madras and intermittently during the month on the north Madras coast, in the Deccan and on the West Coast. The rainfall in November was normal in Coimbatore and above normal in all other districts except Vizagapatam. Local rain fell in south-east Madras between the 7th and 11th, between the 15th and 18th and again on the

30th and 31st. The rainfall in December was below normal except in Coimbatore, Madura and Ramnad. Owing to a strengthening of the north-east monsoon in the south-west Bay of Bengal, a few falls of rain occurred in south-east Madras on the 1st January and again between the 11th and 15th of the month. Scattered thunder-showers also occurred in south Madras on the 30th. The month was practically rainless except for these falls. On the whole, the north-east monsoon bordered on, or was above normal in all districts outside Cuddapah, Chingleput, South Arcot, Tanjore and the Nilgiris.

Sowings of the late wet crops were above the average except in the Circars and the south, while the sowings of the late dry crops were below the average except in the Central districts.

The condition of the late crops was generally fair except in the flood-affected areas of Kistna and Guntur.

There were untimely rains in February in the Circars, Nellore, Ramnad and Tinnevely. Thunderstorms occurred intermittently in March in parts of the Presidency. The second half of April was marked by an abundance of rainfall over most of the Province by association with the unusual passage of a depression from the south-west Bay of Bengal north-westwards which crossed the Coromandel coast between Madras and Nellore on the 17th. In consequence of this, the rainfall in April was above normal in all the districts. The rainfall in May was deficient in all the districts except Nellore and Salem. The hot weather rains were on the whole above normal.

The season for the Province as a whole was fairly satisfactory.

There were no relief operations under the Famine Code during the year under review.

Stocks of fodder were generally sufficient.

3. The total number of ryotwari villages in the Presidency was 20,967 against 20,954 in the previous fasli. The increase was due to the addition of 13 villages in Gudem taluk, Vizagapatam district, which were brought under ryotwari settlement in fasli 1346.

4. The land revenue of the Province is derived from the following sources :—

- (1) peshkash or revenue from permanently settled estates ;
- (2) shrotriyam jodi or quit-rent levied on inam villages ;
- (3) assessment including water-rate on lands held under ryotwari tenure ; and
- (4) miscellaneous revenue.

5. *Peshkash or revenue from permanently settled estates.*—The total amount of peshkash payable during the fasli was Rs. 46,81,840

against Rs. 46,77,060 in the previous fasli. The increase of Rs. 4,780 is the result of:—

Increase due to—

	RS.
(1) Demand on Chikati and other estates transferred from Ganjam to Vizagapatam ..	+ 3,129
(2) Demand relating to the Mambalam area collected during the fasli	+ 2,944
Total increase ..	+ 6,073

Decrease due to—

Acquisition of lands for public purposes ..	— 279
Transfer of portion of Pachipenta estate belonging to the Maharaja of Jeypore to Orissa Province	— 1,014

Total decrease .. — 1,293

Net increase .. 4,780

6. The quit-rent payable on villages held on shrotriyam or favourable tenure was Rs. 7,34,802 against Rs. 7,34,717 in the previous fasli. The increase of Rs. 85 is the result of—

Increase due to—

	RS.
(1) Kaval fees and back assessment charges in the Tanjore district	+ 232
(2) Rectification of errors	+ 158
Total ..	+ 390

Decrease due to—

Demand for fasli 1345 on account of additional jodi on Pullepudi Agraharam included a sum of Rs. 237 relating to fasli 1344	— 237
Acquisition of lands for public purposes ..	— 14
Resumption of inam	— 18
Rectification of errors	— 36

Total .. — 305

Net increase .. + 85

7. The total extent of ryotwari holdings during the fasli was 27,572, 867 acres and exceeded that of the previous fasli (as now revised) by 15,321 acres. There was increase in all the districts except South Arcot, East Godavari, North Arcot, the Nilgiris, Ramnad, Madura, Nellore, Bellary and Tanjore where there was a

decrease of 2,882, 2,229, 1,032, 912, 661, 503, 496, 311 and 219 acres respectively. The increase was marked in the districts of Vizagapatam (5,253 acres), South Kanara (4,983 acres), Guntur (3,061 acres), Malabar (1,989 acres), Salem (1,626 acres), Kurnool (1,353 acres), Chittoor (1,275 acres), West Godavari (1,107 acres) and Coimbatore (1,053 acres). The increase in Vizagapatam was due to the introduction of ryotwari settlement in certain villages of Gudem and Golugonda taluks. The increase in South Kanara, Guntur and Salem was chiefly due to fresh assignments. In Malabar the increase was mainly due to the transfer of lands from 'unoccupied dry' to 'occupied dry.' In the other districts referred to above the increase is attributable to fresh assignments and the resumption of certain inam lands.

8. The total assessment on holdings was Rs. 602.44 lakhs against Rs. 602.09 lakhs in the previous fasli showing a net increase of Rs. 34,416. There was increase in all the districts except Kurnool, South Arcot, Ramnad, Tanjore, Guntur, East Godavari, the Nilgiris, North Arcot, Bellary and Madura where there was a decrease of Rs. 16,029, Rs. 5,007, Rs. 4,400, Rs. 1,045, Rs. 999, Rs. 606, Rs. 600, Rs. 586, Rs. 105 and Rs. 38 respectively. The increase was marked in Trichinopoly (Rs. 16,541), Kistna (Rs. 11,481), West Godavari (Rs. 10,136), Vizagapatam (Rs. 6,208), Salem (Rs. 6,046), Malabar (Rs. 4,154), South Kanara (Rs. 3,623), Cuddapah (Rs. 1,793) and Chittoor (Rs. 1,163). The increase in Trichinopoly was chiefly due to assignments and also to the enhanced assessment on account of the reclassification of Puduvoithalai high level channel in Trichinopoly taluk and Poruvilai channel in Lalgudi taluk. The increase in West Godavari was chiefly due to the transfer from 'dry' to 'wet' of large extents of dry lands. The increase in Malabar was mostly due to (1) transfer of 'unoccupied dry' lands to 'occupied dry' and reclassification of 'dry' lands as 'wet' and 'garden' in the plains taluks, (2) transfer of 'undeveloped dry' lands to 'developed dry' in the Wynad taluk and (3) transfer of 'single crop' wet lands to 'double crop' in the Palghat taluk. The increase in Vizagapatam was due to the reason noted in paragraph 7. The increase in the other districts referred to above was mostly due to fresh assignments.

9. The total area cultivated in ryotwari holdings was 20.67 million acres against 20.32 million acres in the previous fasli. There was a net increase of 351, 325 acres under dry and a net decrease of 1,559 acres under wet. The total area cultivated during the year including the area under 'Miscellaneous cultivation,' was 21.54 million acres against 21.14 million acres in the previous fasli.

There was a decrease of 349,134 acres under 'waste charged.'

10. *Water rate and second crop charge.*—The revenue derived from these sources amounted to Rs. 36.19 lakhs as against Rs. 36.28 lakhs in the previous fasli. There was a gross increase of Rs. 3,04,533 in certain districts and a gross decrease of Rs. 3,13,352 in others, resulting in a net decrease of Rs. 8,819. The increase was marked in Tanjore (Rs. 61,910), Madura (Rs. 44,637) and Tinnevely

(Rs. 54,957) while the decrease was appreciable in North Arcot (Rs. 1,55,450) and Chingleput (Rs. 60,068). The increase in Tanjore was due to the introduction of the Cauvery-Mettur Project in Blocks I and II in the Arantangi taluk, that in Madura to the good supply in the Periyar lake and good rainfall and that in Tinnevely to increase in 2nd crop cultivation. The decrease in North Arcot and Chingleput was due to inadequate supply of water.

11. *Remissions*.—There was a total remission of Rs. 84.77 lakhs during the fasli of which 32.75 lakhs related to season and other fixed remissions and Rs. 52.02 lakhs represented the special remissions granted under G.O. No. 2272, Revenue, dated 21st October 1936. As compared with the previous year there was a decrease of Rs. 4,70,073 under season and other fixed remissions. The decrease was marked in Coimbatore (Rs. 2,37,190) and East Godavari (Rs. 2,11,458) and it was generally due to the more favourable seasonal conditions.

(i) *Seasonal remissions*.—The amount remitted under this head during the fasli was Rs. 20,44,269 against Rs. 22,80,047 in the previous year and there was thus a net decrease of Rs. 2,35,778. The decrease was marked in the districts of Coimbatore (Rs. 2,22,787) and East Godavari (Rs. 2,10,129). The reason has been given above.

(a) *Waste remitted*.—Remission under this head amounted to Rs. 3.57 lakhs or Rs. 66,900 more than in the previous fasli. There was an increase of Rs. 1,61,999 in some districts and a decrease of Rs. 95,099 in others. The increase was marked in North Arcot (Rs. 71,305), Anantapur (Rs. 28,059) and Chingleput (Rs. 23,954) and was due to the insufficient supplies in tanks. Dry remissions of Rs. 164 on an extent of 1,185 acres in Bellary and of Rs. 30 on an extent of 22 acres in Trichinopoly were also granted during the fasli. In Bellary this dry remission was granted under the authority of G.O. No. 824, Revenue, dated 19th April 1937. The dry remission in Trichinopoly related to sanded dry lands and was granted under the authority of G.O. No. 532, Revenue, dated 6th April 1925.

(b) *Shavi and short crop*.—The total amount remitted under this head was Rs. 7,07,213 against Rs. 3,58,413 in the previous fasli, the net increase being Rs. 3,48,800. The increase was marked in Bellary (Rs. 1,85,332), North Arcot (Rs. 89,971) and Chingleput (Rs. 69,284) and was due to unfavourable seasonal conditions.

(c) *Tirvakammi remissions (i.e., remission of the difference between wet and dry assessment on wet lands cultivated with dry crops owing to insufficiency or failure of water supply)*.—The amount remitted under this head was Rs. 5,63,701 against Rs. 4,38,579 in the previous fasli, the net increase being Rs. 1,25,122. The increase was appreciable in North Arcot (Rs. 75,354) and Salem (Rs. 38,590).

(d) *Injury by floods*.—The amount remitted under this head was Rs. 45,734 against Rs. 26,043 in the previous fasli, the net increase being Rs. 25,691. The increase was marked in West Godavari (Rs. 20,799) and was due to loss of crop by submersion in the Collair and lowlying areas of Bhimavaram, Ellore and Narsapur taluks.

(e) *Remission of second crop charge*.—The amount remitted under this head was Rs. 33,179 against Rs. 17,226 in the previous fasli, the net increase being Rs. 15,953. The increase was marked in North Arcot (Rs. 12,344).

(ii) *Fixed remissions (i.e., abatement of demand on account of reasons unconnected with the season)*.—These remissions amounted to Rs. 2.86 lakhs against Rs. 4.33 lakhs (as now revised) in the previous fasli resulting in a net decrease of Rs. 1,46,867. The decrease was marked in South Kanara (Rs. 76,060), Salem (Rs. 48,030) and Malabar (Rs. 15,241) and was mainly due to the decrease in the increment remissions allowed on account of the gradual introduction of resettlement rates.

(iii) *Beriz deductions*.—Deductions made from village collections in favour of inamdars and religious institutions amounted to Rs. 9.45 lakhs against Rs. 10.32 lakhs (as now revised) in the previous fasli resulting in a net decrease of Rs. 87,428. The decrease was marked in Tinnevely (Rs. 23,662), Coimbatore (Rs. 14,434) and Trichinopoly (Rs. 13,202).

(iv) *Special remissions*.—Owing to the continued low level of prices of agricultural products, the Government in their order No. 2272, Revenue, dated 21st October 1936, sanctioned land revenue concessions. The concessions took the shape of remissions and are noted below:—

- (1) A remission of 2 annas in the rupee on garden lands in Malabar and South Kanara.
- (2) A remission of 1½ annas in the rupee on wet lands in the districts in which resettlements were introduced prior to 1918-19.
- (3) A remission on wet lands equivalent to the percentage enhancement imposed at resettlement subject to a maximum of 3 annas in the rupee in the districts in which resettlement was introduced in or after 1918-19.
- (4) A reduction of 8 per cent in the rates of water-cess in the East and West Godavari and Kistna Districts (including the Polavaram Island Project) and the deltaic tracts of Guntur.

No general remission of dry assessment was granted in fasli 1346 except in the Districts of Bellary and Anantapur. The total amount involved in the above concessions was Rs. 52.02 lakhs.

In the following districts, remission of assessment on dry lands in certain tracts was granted on account of unfavourable seasonal conditions :—

Bellary district.

	RS.
(Parts of Bellary, Hospet, Rayadrug, Alur and Siruguppa taluks.)	2,47,365

Anantapur district.

(Some villages of Tadpatri taluk)	11,416
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Kurnool district.

(6 villages in Owk sub-taluk)	3,423
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In Guntur district a remission of Rs. 3,13,654 was granted on account of the damage caused to crops by the cyclone.

In South Kanara district, a remission of Rs. 8,286 was granted on account of the damage to arecanut gardens caused by the mahali pest.

12. *Miscellaneous revenue.*—The revenue under this head amounted to Rs. 113·89 lakhs against Rs. 119·80 lakhs in the previous fasli. There was an increase of Rs. 3,48,997 in some districts and a decrease of Rs. 9,40,075 in others, resulting in a net decrease of Rs. 5,91,078. The several items are dealt with below :—

Item 1—Jodi and quit rent on minor inams.—The revenue under this head was Rs. 23·41 lakhs against Rs. 23·45 lakhs in the previous fasli, the net decrease being Rs. 3,475.

Item 2 (a)—Second crop charge on minor inam wet lands in ryotwari villages.—The revenue under this head was Rs. 1·70 lakhs against Rs. 2·42 lakhs (as now revised) in the previous fasli, the net decrease being Rs. 72,457.

Item 2 (b)—Water rate on minor inams in ryotwari villages.—The revenue under this head was Rs. 16·97 lakhs against Rs. 18·86 lakhs (as now revised) in the previous fasli, resulting in a net decrease of Rs. 1,88,775. The decrease was marked in Tanjore (Rs. 2,42,035) and was due to the fact that the first crop cultivation on mamul wet lands, which was charged water rate for fasli 1345, was not charged in the fasli under report.

Item 3—Charge for water in villages in estates including tirvajasti and faslijasti items.—The revenue under this head was Rs. 33·18 lakhs against Rs. 38·63 lakhs (as now revised) in the previous fasli resulting in a net decrease of Rs. 5,45,085. The decrease was marked in Tanjore (Rs. 4,80,098) and was due to the reason mentioned under item 2 (b).

Item 4—Enhanced water-rate on lands irregularly irrigated.—The revenue under this head was Rs. 3·75 lakhs against Rs. 3·77 lakhs in the previous fasli, resulting in a net decrease of Rs. 2,459.

Item 5—Charges levied for occupation (with or without permission) of assessed and unassessed lands not assigned.—The revenue under this head was Rs. 6·33 lakhs against Rs. 6·09 lakhs in the previous fasli, showing a net increase of Rs. 24,029. The increase was marked in Malabar (Rs. 11,494) and was due to the occupation of large extents of unoccupied dry and unassessed lands in almost all the taluks as a result of favourable seasonal conditions.

Item 6—Charges levied for occupation of poramboke lands.—The revenue derived under this head was Rs. 3·85 lakhs against Rs. 3·61 lakhs in the previous fasli, the net increase being Rs. 23,704. The increase was appreciable in Tanjore (Rs. 16,971) and was due to the strict application of the provisions of the Land Encroachment Act, 1905, and the imposition of deterrent penalties wherever necessary.

Enhanced charges amounting to Rs. 1,80,178 were levied on an extent of 26,047 acres against Rs. 1,69,938 on an extent of 21,218 acres in the previous fasli, showing an incidence of Rs. 7 per acre as against Rs. 8 per acre in the previous fasli. The highest district average rates were Rs. 42 in the Nilgiris and Rs. 32 in East Godavari and these were due to prohibitive penalties levied for persistent objectionable encroachments.

There were no porambokes to be reclassified in the districts of Malabar and Madras. The work of reclassification is reported to have been completed in almost all the other districts. From the reports it is, however, observed that taram assessment was levied on an extent of 68,281 acres of poramboke lands against 66,630 acres in the previous fasli. Such occupation was extensive in the districts of Salem (10,161 acres), Guntur (8,901 acres), Tanjore (8,323 acres), Anantapur (6,675 acres), Bellary (6,582 acres) and Kurnool (6,261 acres).

In Vizagapatam and South Kanara the provisions of the Madras Land Encroachment Act, 1905, were enforced in almost all cases of objectionable encroachments. In West Godavari, taram assessment only was charged in the case of unobjectionable occupation of porambokes. In Nellore, poramboke lands were transferred to ayan wherever necessary. In Chingleput, steps were taken to assign all poramboke lands, the occupation of which was unobjectionable and eviction proceedings were taken in objectionable cases where encroachments continued to exist in spite of the issue of notices. In North Arcot, proposals for the transfer

of poramboke to ayan were being received and sanctioned. In South Arcot, eviction proceedings were taken in the case of really objectionable occupations. In Tanjore, an extent of 21 acres of poramboke land was transferred to assessed waste for purposes of assignment. In Trichinopoly, an extent of 54 acres was so transferred and proposals for transfer to assessed waste were called for in the case of such poramboke lands as could be assigned. In Rannad, eviction was resorted to in all objectionable cases of occupation of poramboke lands. In the Nilgiris, an extent of 22 acres was transferred from 'poramboke' to 'assessed' for assignment.

Item 7—Revenue derived from taxed trees.—The revenue derived under this head was Rs. 3.58 lakhs against Rs. 3.56 lakhs in the previous fasli, the net increase being Rs. 1,370. The increase was marked in Tinnevely (Rs. 3,543).

Item 8—Commission from estates under Court of Wards.—The revenue derived from this head was Rs. 1.14 lakhs against Rs. .11 lakh in the previous fasli, the net increase being Rs. 1,02,462. The increase was marked in Vizagapatam (Rs. 1,03,303) and is mainly due to the commission paid to the Government by the Vizianagram Estate, which is under the management of the Court of Wards.

Item 9—Revenue from process service fees.—The revenue derived under this head was Rs. .12 lakh against Rs. .13 lakh, the net decrease being Rs. 1,083.

Item 10—Sale-proceeds of lands sold.—The income under this head was Rs. 2.41 lakhs against Rs. 1.83 lakhs in the previous fasli, showing a net increase of Rs. 57,829. The increase was marked in Madras (Rs. 58,640).

Item 11—Rent of lankas.—The revenue under this head was Rs. 3.82 lakhs against Rs. 3.86 lakhs in the previous fasli, the net decrease being Rs. 3,327.

Item 12—Quit-rent and ground rent.—The amount of revenue under this head was Rs. 2.79 lakhs against Rs. 2.52 lakhs in the previous fasli, the net increase being Rs. 26,794. The increase was marked in Madras (Rs. 20,981).

13. The net ryotwari demand including water-rate, second-crop charge and miscellaneous revenue amounted to Rupees 719.77 lakhs against Rs. 720.73 lakhs in the previous fasli. The details for the decrease of Rs. .96 lakh are given below :—

	LAKHS.
	RS.
(1) Increase in the assessment on holdings	+ 34
(2) Decrease under water-rate and second-crop charge	— 09
(3) Decrease under Miscellaneous revenue	— 5.91
(4) Decrease under remissions	+ 4.70

14. *Total land revenue demand (current).*—The demand under the several heads is compared below with that of the previous year :—

	Fasli 1345.	Fasli 1346.
	RS.	RS.
Peshkash on permanently settled estates ..	46,77,060	46,81,840
Shrotriya jodi	7,34,717	7,34,802
Ryotwari and miscellaneous	7,30,08,544	7,18,86,414
	7,84,20,321	7,73,03,056

The variations under these heads have been explained in the previous paragraphs.

15. *Total demand under cesses (current).*—The total demand under cesses is given below :—

	Fasli 1345.	Fasli 1346.
	RS.	RS.
Cesses in permanently settled estates ..	20,84,566	21,07,727
Cesses on whole inam villages	6,90,727	7,37,770
Cesses on ryotwari and miscellaneous ..	86,80,682	89,11,997
	1,14,55,975	1,17,57,494

16. *Demand and collection of Land Revenue and Cesses (current).*—The current demand under land revenue and cesses during the fasli was Rs. 8,90,60,550. A sum of Rs. 8,22,72,247 or 92.4 per cent was collected within the fasli and Rs. 56,92,423 or 6.4 per cent written off the accounts while the collection of a sum of Rs. 28,554 or .03 per cent was suspended or postponed. The percentage of collections during the previous fasli was 91.2 and that suspended or postponed was 0.9. The land revenue concessions for fasli 1346 have been dealt with in paragraph 11 (iv) above.

17. *The demand and collection of arrears.*—The total arrear demand under all the heads amounted to Rs. 25,60,329. A sum of Rs. 13,06,714 or 51.04 per cent was collected and a sum of Rs. 1,10,506 or 4.3 per cent written off the accounts. The percentage of collection in the previous fasli was 21.3 and that written off (including the suspended amount of fasli 1344) was 72.5 per cent.

18. The balance outstanding at the end of the fasli including both arrears and current was Rs. 22,38,989 against Rs. 26,18,788 at the end of the previous fasli. As reported by the Collectors in their demand, collection and balance statements for October 1937 the balance at the beginning of fasli 1347 was Rs. 22,39,418. Up to

the end of October 1937 a sum of Rs. 8,55,660 was collected and Rs. 26,881 written off the accounts. Sanction has since been accorded to write off a sum of Rs. 7,10,697 while proposals have been made to write off Rs. 3,346. The net recoverable balance on 1st November 1937 was thus Rs. 6,42,833. Out of this amount a sum of Rs. 1,17,599 is covered by orders of suspensions or postponements in the Presidency. Deducting this amount the realisable balance on 1st November 1937 was Rs. 5,25,234.

19. *Reconciliation of differences between the collection of land revenue and cesses as shown in the jamabandi and the Accountant-General's statements and overpayments.*—This is carried out month by month along with the reconciliation of figures of expenditure.

20. *Adjustments to local boards of cesses collected during the fasli.*—Land revenue and cesses are collected together and the distribution of the total collections between land revenue and cesses is effected in the Collector's office after the compilation of the accounts relating to the fasli year.

Statements showing the amounts collected during fasli 1346 on behalf of local boards, the payments made to them during the fasli and the amounts to be finally adjusted either to their credit or debit are received from the Collectors. After verification by the Accountant-General of the amounts shown by Collectors as payments made to local boards the recovery of overpayments is being watched by the Board in accordance with the instructions contained in paragraph 3 of G.O. No. 5197, Local and Municipal, dated 7th December 1926.

21. *Charges debitable to land revenue.*—The charges in the Land Revenue Department are shown in the accounts under the head "25 General Administration". The District Administration charges excluding village establishments amounted to Rs. 103.74 lakhs during fasli 1346. The village service charges (including those of proprietary estates) during the fasli were Rs. 116.87 lakhs. The total charges amounted to Rs. 220.61 lakhs or 26.4 per cent of the total land revenue and cesses collected.

It has however to be borne in mind that the expenditure does not represent merely the cost of collecting the land revenue. The Land Revenue Department performs multifarious duties of which the control and collection of land revenue is only one. The village establishment in particular is the servant of all Departments of the Government. Moreover a considerable portion of the time of the Collector and his subordinate officials is occupied with magisterial work. While the actual cost of collecting the land revenue cannot be estimated with any degree of accuracy it is certainly far less than the amount shown above.

22. *Processes under Act II of 1864.*—Statement No. 12 gives particulars of coercive processes issued for the realisation of the Government dues under Madras Act II of 1864. The following

extract shows the number of processes issued during the fasli under report as compared with those for the three preceding faslis :—

Coercive processes.	Fasli 1343.	Fasli 1344.	Fasli 1345.	Fasli 1346.
Demand notices	1,499,500	1,527,296	1,382,465	1,157,992
Distrain or attachment notices.	192,160	135,479	125,473	95,659
Sale notices	143,344	96,347	94,826	70,595
Sale (number of defaulters) ..	14,655	13,414	13,588	11,839

There is a decrease in the number of processes issued under all heads and the number of defaulters whose properties (personal and real) were sold shows a decrease of over 12 per cent as compared with fasli 1345.

23. *Demand notices.*—The number of demand notices issued during the fasli is less than those in any of the faslis 1343 to 1345.

24. *Distrain or attachment notices.*—There is an appreciable decrease in the number of distrain or attachment notices when compared with the previous faslis.

25. There is a decrease of 0.56 in the percentage of distrain and attachment of personal property arising from demand notices when compared with the previous fasli. There is a decrease of 0.41 per cent in respect of real property.

Percentage of attachment to the total number of demand notices :—

Fasli.	Personal property.	Real property.	Total.
1343	12.95	5.93	18.88
1344	6.86	4.21	11.07
1345	7.98	3.06	11.04
1346	7.42	2.65	10.07

The number of defaulters whose immovable properties were attached during the fasli was 30,718 against 42,237 in fasli 1345.

26. *Sale notices.*—Out of 1,16,659 defaulters whose properties were attached 39.49 per cent paid up the arrears before sale notices were issued as against 37.86 per cent in the last fasli. The number of notices of sale was large in Tanjore (21,221), South Arcot (14,068) and Malabar (15,478).

27. *Sales.*—The number of defaulters whose properties were sold in the fasli was less than the number in fasli 1345 by 1,749. There was an increase in the number of sales of personal property by 306, but a decrease in the number of sales of real property by 2,055. The percentage borne by the actual number of sales to the number of sale notices in the Province is 16.77 against 14.32 in fasli 1345. The percentage of the number of defaulters whose properties were sold to the total number of holdings is 0.19 against 0.22 in the

previous fasli. The statement below shows the particulars of sales in fasli 1346 compared with those for the preceding three faslis :—

Percentage of sale of property to	Personal property.				Real property.				Total.			
	Fasli 1343.	Fasli 1344.	Fasli 1345.	Fasli 1346.	Fasli 1343.	Fasli 1344.	Fasli 1345.	Fasli 1346.	Fasli 1343.	Fasli 1344.	Fasli 1345.	Fasli 1346.
(1) Number of holdings ..	0.11	0.09	0.06	0.07	0.04	0.14	0.16	0.12	0.15	0.23	0.22	0.19
(2) Number of attachments.	3.50	3.74	3.12	4.41	4.03	6.17	7.71	7.07	7.53	9.91	10.83	12.98
(3) Number of sale notices.	4.75	5.25	4.12	5.07	5.47	8.67	10.20	10.80	10.22	13.02	14.32	16.77
Arrears at the beginning of the fasli under ryotwari and miscellaneous (in lakhs of rupees) ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	42.62	74.03	69.18	19.25
Arrear balance at the end of the fasli (in lakhs of rupees) ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	0.53	0.99	1.52	8.18
Percentage of current collections to current demand ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	91.2	91.3	90.6	92.4

Value of the land sold.—Immovable property of the estimated value of Rs. 6,72,131 was sold for the recovery of arrears amounting to Rs. 1,99,178. The amount realised was Rs. 2,00,383. The estimated value of lands sold was noticeably disproportionate to the arrears in the districts of Chingleput, South Arcot, Tanjore and Madura. The prices fetched for lands sold to private individuals amounted on the average to 61/7 times the assessment in the case of dry lands and 85/11 times the assessment in the case of wet lands. In fasli 1345 immovable property of the estimated value of Rs. 7,70,960 was sold for the recovery of arrears amounting to Rs. 1,96,749 and the amount realised was Rs. 1,91,518. The average price fetched for lands sold to private individuals is more than in fasli 1345, being six and one-seventh times the assessment in the case of dry lands against five and three-seventh times in fasli 1345 and eight and five-eleventh times the assessment in the case of wet lands against six and four-ninth times in the previous fasli.

Extent of land sold.—The extent of lands sold to private individuals in the fasli was 6,969 acres under dry and 3,546 acres under wet against 9,937 and 3,866 acres respectively in fasli 1345. The total area bought in by Government for want of bidders was 8,173 acres under dry and 2,438 acres under wet against 10,738 and 2,180 acres respectively in fasli 1345. The total area of lands sold is 21,126 acres against the total holdings of 27,572,867 acres or one acre in every 1,305 acres.

28. *Process service establishment.*—Statement No. 13 gives the particulars of processes served by the ordinary village agency and by the special establishment and of the fees realized during the

fasli. The total number of processes served by the village-agency was 1219,726 or 2,76,059 less than in fasli 1345. The number of processes served by the special agency (45,436) was more than in the previous fasli by 1,856.

29. *Costs in Civil Suits.*—A sum of Rs. 36,582 was awarded to Government as costs during the fasli. Including Rs. 26,606, the revised opening balance, the total demand was Rs. 63,188 of which Rs. 30,742 were collected and Rs. 1,743 written off the accounts. The net recoverable balance at the end of the fasli was Rs. 30,703 made up of the following items :—

	RS.
(1) Amount collected after the close of the fasli.	814
(2) Amount remaining uncollected pending decision of appeals by civil courts ..	2,775
(3) Amount involved in execution proceedings.	14,627
(4) Amount the collection of which is pending for other reasons	12,487

30. *Interest on arrears of land revenue.*—Statement No. 14.—The total demand on account of interest on arrears of land revenue including the balance at the beginning of the fasli was Rs. 68,699 of which Rs. 37,130 were collected and Rs. 895 were remitted leaving a balance of Rs. 30,674. The balance exceeds Rs. 1,000 in the districts of East Godavari, Nellore, Chingleput, South Arcot, Tanjore, Madura and Ramnad.

31. *Sale of lands under Board's Standing Orders Nos. 15, 16, 21, 22, 45, 90, 91 and 197.*—Under the rules for the sale of occupancy rights in lands at the disposal of Government (Standing Order No. 15) 2,009.85 acres assessed at Rs. 4,708 were sold for Rs. 1,01,520. 20.31 acres of river accretions assessed at Rs. 30 were sold for Rs. 653. 116.75 acres of house-sites were sold for Rs. 75,661 under Standing Order No. 21. Fifty-two cents of house-sites were sold for Rs. 200 under Standing Order No. 22. 941.79 acres of lands bought in by Government at sales for arrears of land revenue were re-sold under Standing Order No. 45, for Rs. 8,713. 2.86 acres of lands which had been acquired for public purposes and were subsequently relinquished were sold under Standing Order No. 90 for Rs. 16. 13.40 acres of lands for which the railways are not likely to have any further use, were sold for Rs. 241 under Standing Order No. 91. One cawnie, thirteen grounds and 983 square feet of lands were sold in Madras for Rs. 62,641 under the special rules governing the disposal of vacant lands in the city.

32. *Subdivision of quit-rent.*—There was no case in the fasli under Standing Order No. 58 of the subdivision of joint liability of shareholders in enfranchised inams.

33. *Transfer of revenue registry.*—Transfer of revenue registry falls under the following main heads :—

- (i) transfer made with reference to applications and notices received from Sub-Registrars; and
 - (ii) transfer effected on applications and intimations received from parties, village officers and others.
- (i) Under the first head 421,962 applications were received during the fasli as against 389,202 in the previous fasli, the increase being 32,760 or about eight per cent. There was a general increase except in a few districts where the decrease was as noted below :—

Kistna	366
Nellore	1,697
Madura	1,604
Tinnevelly	75
South Kanara	59

- (ii) Under the second head the number received was 268,093 against 290,720 in the previous fasli, the decrease being 22,627 or about 8 per cent. There was a general decrease except in a few districts where the increase was as noted below :—

East Godavari	703
Bellary	659
Trichinopoly	2,299
Ramnad	711
Tinnevelly	1,154
Malabar	2,920
South Kanara	528

The total number of applications of all kinds including the number pending disposal at the beginning of the fasli was 758,041 of which 6,85,051 were disposed of during the fasli leaving a balance of 72,990 (or about 9·6 per cent of the total number) as against 65,485 (or about 8·8 per cent of the total number) in the previous fasli. Of the total number of applications disposed of during the fasli, 31,786 (or about 4·6 per cent) were rejected and 3,472 were transferred to Deputy Tahsildars for disposal. The causes of rejection were mainly defective title and failure of the parties to produce documentary evidence. The percentage of pendency was marked in the districts of Vizagapatam (26), South Arcot (17), Guntur (15), Nellore (14) and the Nilgiris (13). The scheme for the maintenance of a correct record of unregistered cases of transfer of revenue registry which was experimentally tried in the districts of Tinnevelly, Chittoor, Bellary, Salem, Nellore,

Guntur and Kurnool and was found successful has been introduced as a permanent measure throughout the whole presidency.

34. The rule laid down in paragraph 2 of Board's Standing Order No. 12, that generally the Collector should himself conduct the settlement of each taluk once in five years was complied with in all the districts except in the case of Ichchapur taluk of the Vizagapatam district. As Ichchapur is one of the taluks added to Vizagapatam district in the latter part of fasli 1345 its settlement by the Collector falls due in fasli 1347 according to the programme since rearranged.

35. The advances made under the Land Improvement Loans and the Agriculturists' Loans Acts during the year amounted to Rs. 12·14 lakhs against Rs. 9·83 lakhs in the previous year, which included Rs. 1·68 lakhs granted in East Godavari and Chingleput districts under the Agriculturists' Loans (Madras Amendment) Act 1935. The difference was the net result of an increase in fourteen districts and a decrease in ten districts. The increase is marked in the districts of Kistna, Guntur and Ramnad. The amount advanced during the year under the Agriculturists' Loans (Madras Amendment) Act, 1935, for the relief of agricultural indebtedness was Rs. 16·85 lakhs.

36. Including the uncollected balances outstanding at the end of the previous year, the amount repayable during the year on account of principal under both the Land Improvement Loans and Agriculturists' Loans Acts was Rs. 14·04 lakhs against Rs. 15·52 lakhs in the preceding year. Of this amount a sum of Rs. 12·29 lakhs (or 79 per cent) was collected. A sum of Rs. 1·02 lakhs was repaid by the borrowers on account of loans the repayment of which had not fallen due, while a sum of Rs. 8,144 was written off as irrecoverable.

The amount repayable during the year on account of principal under the Agriculturists' Loans (Madras Amendment) Act, 1935, was Rs. 2,961 of which a sum of Rs. 2,890 was collected.

37. The aggregate amount of principal and interest repayable during the year under the Land Improvement Loans and Agriculturists' Loans Acts including the balance remaining unpaid out of sums which fell due in previous years was Rs. 18,26,790 of which a sum of Rs. 16,24,318 or 89 per cent was collected during the year. Of this Rs. 17,961 and Rs. 27,658 were realised by the sale of movable and immovable properties respectively and a sum of Rs. 8,613 was written off as irrecoverable under both principal and interest. The balance outstanding at the end of the year was Rs. 2,02,472.

The aggregate amount of principal and interest repayable during the year under the Agriculturists' Loans (Madras Amendment) Act, 1935, was Rs. 22,096 of which a sum of Rs. 18,785 was collected in the year.

38. The advances drawn by the Collectors during the official year 1936-37 under the head "Revenue Survey Advances—

Collectors" amounted to Rs. 1,08,960 as detailed below against Rs. 1,04,088 in the previous year :—

	RS.
Vizagapatam	3,700
East Godavari	6,477
West Godavari	4,403
Kistna	6,081
Guntur	8,334
Nellore	1,950
Cuddapah	7,530
Anantapur	770
Bellary	3,988
Kurnool	3,113
Chingleput	3,075
Chittoor	781
North Arcot	5,023
South Arcot	1,805
Tanjore	5,474
Trichinopoly	9,291
Madura	9,420
Ramnad	3,000
Tinnevely	7,240
Coimbatore	10,572
The Nilgiris	156
Salem	2,093
South Kanara	1,625
Malabar	3,059

Of the total amount of advances outstanding against Collectors (now revised) including the amounts referred to above a sum of Rs. 1,09,422 was adjusted during the year leaving a net debit balance of Rs. 2,33,592.

Under the head "Cost of Survey marks—Collectors" a sum of Rs. 91,440 was collected during the year leaving a balance of Rs. 8,646 to be realized.

The arrear at the beginning of the year under "Cost of Survey marks—Survey Officers" was Rs. 93,110. Fresh landholders' bills for Rs. 45,625 were received from Survey Officers during the year. Of the total demand of Rs. 1,38,735, a sum of Rs. 91,100 was collected leaving a balance of Rs. 47,635. The major portion of the amount is outstanding in Ramnad (Rs. 2,436), Coimbatore (Rs. 4,893), Salem (Rs. 16,658), South Kanara (Rs. 12,654), and Malabar (Rs. 9,986). In Coimbatore, a sum of Rs. 2,328 has since been collected. In Ramnad, Salem, South Kanara and Malabar the balances have since been reduced to Rs. 1,694, Rs. 4,088, Rs. 6,308 and Rs. 6,215 respectively.

39. The scheme for the relief of indebtedness of ryots introduced by the Agriculturists' Loans (Madras Amendment) Act, 1935, was working in selected firkas of the districts of East Godavari, Kistna,

Kurnool, Anantapur, Chingleput, Salem, South Arcot, Trichinopoly, Malabar and South Kanara. As the progress in Anantapur district was not satisfactory, the work in the district was wound up at the end of December 1936. In Kistna there was no further scope for the extension of the scheme and hence the work in the district was closed in February 1937. In the place of the above two districts, work was started in Nellore and Guntur.

In order to relieve the Agriculturists from indebtedness by amicable settlement between them and their creditors, Debt Conciliation Boards constituted under Madras Act XI of 1936 have been established in the early part of the year in the districts of Guntur, Nellore, Bellary, South Arcot, Coimbatore and Anantapur.

40. *Enhanced water-cess on irregular irrigation.*—The system of publishing a general or collective notice in each village in accordance with B.P. No. 58, Settlement, dated 10th April 1919, is reported to have worked well. The ryots were aware of the rules and made timely representations to the Jamabandi officers. The system resulted in the prompt investigation of objections and consequent reduction in the number of water-rate appeals. In cases where Government water was taken without permission, deterrent penalties were imposed.

41. There are no tank-bed lands fit for cultivation in the districts of Madras, the Nilgiris, Malabar and South Kanara. In their order Mis. No. 1613, Revenue, dated 2nd September 1922, the Government withdrew the special concession relating to tank-bed lands. In Cuddapah an extent of 442 acres of tank-bed land was cultivated during the fasli and the revenue derived therefrom was Rs. 862; enhanced assessment of Rs. 1,011 was imposed for unauthorized occupation. In Anantapur general permission to cultivate the beds of a few tanks in Gooty taluk with melons was granted during the year. In Kurnool an extent of about 6 acres of tank-bed land was cultivated during the year and was dealt with under the Madras Land Encroachment Act, 1905. In Chingleput no permission was granted to cultivate tank-bed lands during the year; cases of unauthorized occupation were dealt with under the Madras Land Encroachment Act, 1905. In Chittoor an extent of 96 acres of tank-bed lands was cultivated during the fasli and the revenue derived was Rs. 169-12-0; penal assessment to the extent of Rs. 46-4-0 was imposed for unauthorized occupation. In Tanjore an extent of about 10 acres of tank-bed land was cultivated in Arantangi taluk. An extent of 171 acres in tank beds was cultivated with cucumber in Musiri and Perambalur taluks of Trichinopoly district, without permission and the cultivation was penalized. In Madura tank-bed cultivation in the Periyar area was prohibited; in the non-Periyar area there was cultivation of cucumber in Tirumangalam, Periyakulam and Dindigul taluks and cases of cultivation without permission were penalized. In Ramnad an extent of about 20 acres of tank beds was cultivated with cucumber and the highest dry rate was charged; the condition of the tanks concerned

was not adversely affected by the cultivation. In Coimbatore an extent of about 251 acres of tank beds was cultivated in the taluks of Coimbatore, Erode, Kollegal and Palladam and the revenue derived therefrom was Rs. 430.

42. *Examination of village and taluk accounts.*—The maintenance of these registers was fairly satisfactory and no general errors of a serious nature were disclosed. Certain minor defects noticed were duly rectified.

43. *The taluk and village statistical registers.*—The taluk statistical registers prescribed in the Manual of Taluk Accounts (Special) were maintained in the districts of Malabar, South Kanara and the Nilgiris.

The village statistical registers were maintained in all the ryotwari villages of the other districts. The following statement shows the progress made in the writing up and checking of these registers up to and during the fasli 1346 :—

District.	Number of villages.	Number of villages in which registers have been opened.	Number of villages in which the registers have been written up and checked.
Vizagapatam	540	540	540
East Godavari	750	750	714 (a)
West Godavari	350	350	350
Kistna	405	405	405
Guntur	759	759	759
Nellore	532	532	532
Cuddapah	758	758	758
Anantapur	752	752	752
Bellary	873	873	873
Kurnool	695	695	695
Chingleput	1,497	1,497	1,497
Chittoor	469	469	469
North Arcot	1,678	1,675 (b)	1,675 (b)
South Arcot	2,215	2,215	2,215
Tanjore	1,442	1,442	1,442
Trichinopoly	721	721	721
Madura	692	692	692
Ramnad	156	156	156
Tinnevely	581	581	581
Coimbatore	1,034	1,034	1,034
Salem	1,458	1,458	1,458

(a) The Tahsildar, Peddapur, was directed to complete the checking of the registers in the case of thirty-six villages of Peddapur taluk.

(b) Statistical registers have not been prescribed for the remaining three hill villages of Tirupattur taluk under the control of the Forest department.

44. Statement No. 19 shows for each district the number of works in charge of the Revenue Department, the number repaired and the amount spent on them during the official year ending 31st March 1937. The statement also shows the number proposed for repair during the official year ending 31st March 1937.

45. *Conferences with ryots.*—In Vizagapatam, ryots' conferences were held by the Revenue Divisional Officer at Chicacole and Narasannapeta in March 1937 and at Ichchapur in April 1937 and representations of the ryots in the matter of irrigation were heard. In East Godavari, ryots' conferences were held at the jamabandi

centres where the officers of the Public Works, Agricultural, Veterinary and Health departments were present and offered suitable advice to the people. In West Godavari the Collector held on 30th January 1937 an informal conference of the ryots of Ellore taluk at the jamabandi where about 200 ryots were present. In Kistna the officers of the Public Works department held conferences with ryots and discussed matters of interest relating to irrigation; the officers of the Revenue department made themselves conversant with the needs of ryots as usual during jamabandi. In Guntur the Collector and the Revenue Divisional Officers allowed the ryots to have free access for interviews and examined their needs. In Nellore, informal conferences were held by the jamabandi officers and the Executive Engineer and the grievances of the ryots were discussed. In Cuddapah, all the Revenue Divisional Officers held informal conferences with ryots and the Collector himself held two conferences, one at Cuddapah and the other at Jammalamadugu. During these conferences subjects relating to irrigation, sanitation, village communications and water-supply were discussed and the grievances of the ryots were redressed wherever feasible. In Anantapur ryots, conferences were held by the Collector at the jamabandi of Tadpatri, Anantapur and Kadiri taluks and by the Revenue Divisional Officers at Kalyandrug and Gooty. The Local Officers of the Agricultural, Co-operative, Health, Veterinary and Education departments also attended the conferences. In Bellary the Collector held conferences during jamabandi at Alur, Hospet, Kampli and Hadagalli. In Kurnool the jamabandi officers held informal conferences where local officers of the Agricultural, Co-operative and Veterinary departments were present and matters concerning the important methods of cultivation, treatment of cattle, etc., were explained to the ryots. In Chingleput every opportunity was given to the ryots to represent their grievances at jamabandi and they were redressed as far as practicable; an irrigation conference was held as usual, in which the Revenue Divisional Officers, Executive Engineer, Tahsildars, and the leading ryots took part. In Chittoor a ryots conference was held at Vayalpad during jamabandi and the grievances of the ryots were heard and necessary action was taken. In North Arcot, the Collector and the Revenue Divisional Officers held conferences at jamabandi where points of general interest, such as village sanitation, improved methods of cultivation, co-operation, rural reconstruction, etc., were discussed and lectures were given by the officers of the various departments. In South Arcot informal conferences were held at taluk headquarters by the Executive Engineer and Revenue Divisional Officers and matters relating to irrigation were discussed. In Tanjore ryots, conferences were held in all the taluks at which the officers of the Public Works and Agricultural departments were present and questions relating to irrigation and drainage were discussed. In Trichinopoly a ryots conference was held during jamabandi by the Collector at Lalgudi and by the Revenue Divisional Officers at Karur, Musiri, Perambalur and Idaiyarpalayam taluk offices, where the officers

of the Public Works, the Agricultural and the Co-operative departments and several ryots were present and questions relating to improvements to irrigation sources and the improved method of tilling the lands with iron ploughs were discussed. In Madura irrigation conferences were held by the Executive Engineers, Ramnad and Periyar divisions. In Ramnad informal conferences were held by the Revenue Divisional Officer, Sivakasi, at Srivilliputtur, and by the Collector at Virudunagar, Aruppukkottai and Ramnad at the close of the jamabandi and certain irrigation questions were discussed. In Salem, the Collector held a conference of ryots at Barur to consider questions of irrigation; though regular conferences were not held at the jamabandi centres, the grievances of the ryots represented at the time of jamabandi were redressed wherever they were found genuine. In South Kanara conferences with ryots were arranged by the jamabandi officers but they were poorly attended; at Coondapoor and Karkal the agricultural demonstrators availed of the opportunity to instruct the ryots present, in the improved methods of agriculture. In Malabar the conditions are not favourable for informal conferences at the time of jamabandi, but the agricultural demonstrators gave to the village officers and others assembled, instructions on agricultural matters as usual.

46. *Extent to which the inspections of subordinate offices have been carried out by the Board, Collectors and Revenue Divisional Officers.*—The reports received from the Collectors show that all subordinate offices except three Deputy Tahsildars' offices and two sub-treasuries in Malabar district and one Taluk office in Tinnevely district were inspected by them and their Revenue Divisional Officers. The Collectors' inspection of Revenue Divisional Offices has generally been thorough and the Board has critically reviewed their notes of inspection and has issued instructions or admonitions wherever necessary.

During the fasli under review, Members of the Board of Revenue inspected the offices of the Collectors of Chingleput, Chittoor, Cuddapah, Guntur, Kistna, Malabar, Nellore, North Arcot, Ramnad, Salem, Tinnevely, Vizagapatam, West Godavari and Madras. The administration of the districts continues to be on the whole efficient.

47. *Administration of charitable and religious service inams.*—The administration of charitable and religious service inams continued to be generally satisfactory in all districts except West Godavari, where as reported in the previous fasli there was a growing tendency on the part of the inamdars to give up the prescribed services for the institutions concerned. Alienations were also not uncommon in the district. In such cases, prompt steps were taken to resume the inams and reassign the net assessment on them to the institutions concerned for their upkeep or for rendering similar services. In cases of alienation of the inams or cessation of the prescribed services every facility was afforded to the inamdars to redeem the inams alienated by them or to revive the service. The inams were resumed only on the failure of the inamdars to avail

themselves of the opportunity afforded to them. The principles laid down in paragraphs 7 and 8 of B.S.O. No. 54 were duly observed in connection with the reassignment of the net assessment on the resumed inams. 1673.41 acres of religious and 91.42 acres of charitable service inams with an assessment of Rs. 2,870-14-4 and Rs. 223-8-0 respectively were resumed in the fasli on account of alienation of the inams, cessation of the prescribed services, or disappearance of the institutions concerned.

As regards resumed religious service inams net assessments amounting to Rs. 2,421 were reassigned to the working incumbents and the balance of Rs. 449-14-4 was credited to general revenues. In respect of resumed charitable service inams, net assessments amounting to Rs. 180-14-0 were reassigned to the working incumbents and the balance of Rs. 42-10-0 was credited to general revenues.

(True extract)

D. I. R. MUIR,
Joint Secretary.

To the Secretary to Government, Revenue Department.
" Secretary to Government, Finance Department.

STATEMENTS.
No. 2.—Statement showing the approximate area and revenue of the zamindaris in the Presidency of Madras
for fasli 1346.

Districts.	Name of Zamindari.	As per census of 1881.			Estimated revenue realized by the Zamindaris in fasli 1346.	Peshkash payable to Government in fasli 1346.
		Cultivated and cultivable area.	Uncultivated area.	Total.		
		ACS.	ACS.	ACS.	RS.	RS.
Vizagapatam	{ Vizianagram	384,000	81,280	465,280	21,23,290	(a) 4,94,816
	{ Bobbili	65,280	12,160	77,440	6,33,181	83,453
East Godavari	{ Pithapuram	157,120	49,280	206,400	10,56,105	2,62,782
Kistna	{ Devarakota	89,600	28,160	117,760	2,51,230	79,495
Nellore	{ Venkatagiri	769,960	401,280	1,162,240	13,06,205	(b) 3,68,734
Chittoor	{ Karvetnagar	218,880	222,720	441,600	8,98,389	1,73,842
	{ Kalahasti	368,000	411,520	779,520	3,50,696	(c) 1,72,982
Ramnad	{ Sivaganga	232,960	137,600	370,560	10,85,909	2,53,451
	{ Ramnad	586,880	158,720	745,600	10,20,801	2,92,627
Tinnevelly	{ Ettayapuram	..	..	337,750	2,94,510	77,985
	{ All other estates	..	..	8,138,080	1,17,45,589	24,21,673
	Total	..	..	13,242,230	2,07,65,905	46,81,840
(a) Vizagapatam portion ..	RS.	(b) Nellore portion	RS.	(c) Nellore portion ..	RS.	
East Godavari portion ..	4,85,453	Guntur portion	3,23,806	Chittoor portion ..	59,971	
	9,363		44,928	Chingleput portion ..	60,624	
Total ..	4,94,816	Total ..	3,68,734	Total ..	52,387	
					1,72,982	

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No. 4—Comparative statement of holdings and settlement of the ryotwar land revenue for fasli 1346 (1936-37).

No. 4.—Comparative statement of holdings and settlement of

Districts.	Second crop assessment and charge for water on Government land			
	Comparison.		Comparison.	
	Fasli 1345.	Fasli 1346.	Increase.	Decrease.
	(26)	(27)	(28)	(29)
	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.
(1) Vizagapatam	33,013	30,998	3,985	..
(2) East Godavari	3,37,189	3,61,404	24,215	..
(3) West Godavari	3,91,273	4,17,426	26,153	..
(4) Kistna	3,30,610	3,33,348	2,720	..
(5) Guntur	1,47,802	1,63,055	16,153	..
(6) Nellore	1,34,509	1,42,207	7,698	..
(7) Cuddapah	1,29,138	1,10,761	..	18,377
(8) Anantapur	84,815	55,938	..	28,877
(9) Bellary	50,137	47,853	..	2,284
(10) Kurnool	75,060	87,458	11,489	..
(11) Madras	..	..	..	..
(12) Chingleput	1,47,628	87,560	..	60,068
(13) Chittoor	37,646	23,840	..	13,806
(14) North Arcot	2,92,820	1,37,379	..	1,55,450
(15) South Arcot	3,65,341	3,32,221	..	33,120
(16) Tanjore	5,28,274	5,90,184	61,910	..
(17) Trichinopoly	2,21,920	2,44,050	23,030	..
(18) Madura	98,900	1,43,546	44,637	..
(19) Ramnad	24,473	37,474	13,001	..
(20) Tinnevely	55,224	1,10,181	54,957	..
(21) Coimbatore	68,328	78,360	10,032	..
(22) The Nilgiris	..	..	..	..
(23) Salem	14,407	13,037	..	1,370
(24) South Kanara	..	..	..	..
(25) Malabar	58,666	63,210	4,544	..
Total	36,28,109	36,19,290	3,04,533	3,13,352
Net total	..	..	..	8,819

Districts.	Occasional remissions as per statement No. 6			
	Comparison.		Comparison.	
	Fasli 1345.	Fasli 1346.	Increase.	Decrease.
	(38)	(39)	(40)	(41)
	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.
(1) Vizagapatam	48,327	23,333	..	24,994
(2) East Godavari	2,09,154	6,539	..	2,02,615
(3) West Godavari	27,284	50,297	23,013	..
(4) Kistna	17,002	67,547	49,645	..
(5) Guntur	3,96,903	3,24,325	..	72,578
(6) Nellore	1,34,180	47,906	..	86,274
(7) Cuddapah	23,970	59,206	35,317	..
(8) Anantapur	1,67,582	96,308	..	71,274
(9) Bellary	1,52,575	3,31,891	1,79,316	..
(10) Kurnool	1,21,342	35,018	..	86,234
(11) Madras	..	..	..	..
(12) Chingleput	6,472	91,125	84,653	..
(13) Chittoor	92,781	58,282	..	34,499
(14) North Arcot	16,528	1,03,628	1,77,100	..
(15) South Arcot	3,597	55,638	52,041	..
(16) Tanjore	32,288	8,618	..	23,670
(17) Trichinopoly	3,261	35,197	31,936	..
(18) Madura	59,518	54,763	..	4,755
(19) Ramnad	23,451	6,878	..	16,573
(20) Tinnevely	53,015	19,963	..	33,052
(21) Coimbatore	2,32,890	10,337	..	2,22,553
(22) The Nilgiris	11,264	..	..	11,264
(23) Salem	1,53,194	1,09,116	..	44,078
(24) South Kanara	..	..	..	..
(25) Malabar	2,483	1,287	..	1,196
Total	19,89,970	16,87,292	6,33,021	9,35,999
Net total	..	..	..	3,02,878

the ryotwar land revenue for fasli 1346 (1936-37)—cont.

Fasli 1345.	Fasli 1346.	Comparison.		Fasli 1345.	Fasli 1346.	Comparison.	
		Increase.	Decrease.			Increase.	Decrease.
		(32)	(33)			(36)	(37)
		RS.	RS.			RS.	RS.
10,06,771	10,16,964	10,193	..	26,302	5,253	..	21,049 (1)
27,68,374	27,91,983	23,609	..	7,677	163	..	7,514 (2)
28,31,586	28,67,875	36,289	..	20,109	18,620	..	1,483 (3)
22,13,760	22,27,970	14,210	..	9,548	2,778	..	6,770 (4)
51,90,235	52,05,389	15,154	..	13,027	1,554	..	11,473 (5)
23,13,763	23,22,152	8,389	..	20,945	8,980	..	11,965 (6)
13,53,096	13,67,412	..	16,584	7,130	19,208	12,078	.. (7)
14,39,846	14,10,499	..	28,847	40,957	69,016	28,059	.. (8)
18,80,945	18,78,558	..	2,389	11,834	9,122	..	2,712 (9)
16,85,570	16,81,030	..	4,540	6,878	7,770	892	.. (10)
20,58,351	19,98,951	..	59,400	6,410	30,864	23,954	.. (11)
8,03,955	8,51,312	..	12,643	26,755	41,483	14,728	.. (12)
31,98,097	30,42,061	..	1,56,036	5,725	77,030	71,305	.. (13)
50,00,668	50,22,541	..	38,127	1,742	12,055	10,313	.. (14)
78,29,561	78,29,426	60,865	..	2,350	1,977	..	362 (15)
30,92,482	31,32,053	39,571	..	10,139	10,809	670	.. (16)
27,91,900	28,36,499	44,599	..	27,728	17,304	..	10,422 (17)
6,02,223	6,10,824	8,601	..	6,115	258	..	5,857 (18)
26,31,393	26,86,723	55,330	..	20,714	5,521	..	15,193 (19)
31,68,082	31,70,038	10,956	..	392	158	..	234 (20)
1,67,131	1,66,581	..	600	..	..	..	.. (21)
28,80,614	28,94,200	4,676	..	17,613	17,568	..	45 (22)
29,14,695	29,18,318	3,623	..	..	..	..	.. (23)
44,15,996	44,24,694	8,698	..	..	..	..	.. (24)
*6,38,37,494	6,38,63,091	3,44,762	3,19,166	3,90,077	3,56,977	1,61,999	95,099 (25)
..	..	25,597	..	..	..	66,900	..

remissions—cont.

Fasli 1345.	Fasli 1346.	Comparison.		Fasli 1345.	Fasli 1346.	Comparison.	
		Increase.	Decrease.			Increase.	Decrease.
		(44)	(45)			(48)	(49)
		RS.	RS.			RS.	RS.
21,161	24,060	2,899	..	95,790	52,646	..	43,144 (1)
14,217	12,888	..	1,329	2,31,048	19,590	..	2,11,458 (2)
10,892	11,882	990	..	58,285	80,805	22,520	.. (3)
6,103	6,324	221	..	33,553	76,649	43,096	.. (4)
23,877	24,596	719	..	4,33,807	3,50,475	..	83,332 (5)
24,459	26,835	2,376	..	1,79,584	83,701	..	95,883 (6)
31,769	29,607	..	2,162	62,878	1,08,111	45,233	.. (7)
16,407	11,528	..	4,879	2,24,946	1,76,852	..	48,094 (8)
19,870	17,073	..	2,797	1,84,279	3,68,086	1,73,807	.. (9)
19,863	21,123	1,260	..	1,48,083	63,911	..	84,172 (10)
83,674	56,459	..	7,215	76,556	1,77,948	1,01,392	.. (11)
27,301	24,990	..	2,311	1,46,837	1,24,755	..	22,082 (12)
95,005	53,229	..	9,776	85,258	3,23,887	2,38,629	.. (13)
75,932	68,650	..	7,282	81,271	1,36,343	55,072	.. (14)
1,48,915	1,44,658	..	4,257	1,83,542	1,55,253	..	28,289 (15)
71,907	60,394	..	11,513	85,307	1,06,400	21,093	.. (16)
57,583	55,551	..	2,032	1,44,827	1,27,618	..	17,209 (17)
19,953	7,466	..	3,487	40,619	14,602	..	25,917 (18)
2,19,950	1,96,081	..	23,869	2,93,670	2,21,545	..	72,124 (19)
54,315	39,912	..	14,403	2,87,597	50,407	..	2,37,190 (20)
1,969	677	..	1,292	18,233	677	..	12,556 (21)
1,49,821	97,121	..	52,700	3,20,628	2,23,805	..	96,823 (22)
2,85,070	2,08,592	..	76,478	2,85,070	2,08,592	..	76,478 (23)
45,713	30,755	..	14,958	48,196	32,042	..	16,154 (24)
14,64,726	12,30,431	8,465	3,42,760	37,44,773	32,74,700	7,00,842	11,70,915 (25)
..	..	..	2,34,295	..	..	..	4,70,073

No. 4.—Comparative statement of holdings and settlement of

Districts.	Remaining heriz.			
	Fasli 1345.	Fasli 1346.	Comparison.	
	(50)	(51)	Increase. (52)	Decrease. (53)
(1) Vizagapatam ..	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.
(2) East Godavari ..	9,10,981	9,64,318	53,337	..
(3) West Godavari ..	25,37,326	27,72,393	2,35,067	..
(4) Kistna ..	27,73,301	27,87,070	13,769	..
(5) Guntur ..	21,80,207	21,51,321	..	28,886
(6) Nellore ..	47,56,428	48,54,014	97,586	..
(7) Cuddapah ..	21,34,179	22,38,451	1,04,272	..
(8) Anantapur ..	13,21,118	12,59,301	..	61,817
(9) Bellary ..	12,14,400	12,35,047	20,647	..
(10) Kurnool ..	16,96,666	15,20,470	..	1,76,196
(11) Madras ..	15,37,487	16,17,119	79,632	..
(12) Chingleput ..	..	..	..	..
(13) Chittoor ..	19,81,795	18,21,003	..	1,60,792
(14) North Arcot ..	7,17,118	7,26,557	9,439	..
(15) South Arcot ..	31,12,839	27,18,174	..	3,94,665
(16) Tanjore ..	49,79,397	48,86,198	..	93,199
(17) Trichinopoly ..	75,85,019	76,74,173	89,154	..
(18) Madura ..	30,07,175	30,25,653	18,478	..
(19) Ramnad ..	26,47,073	27,08,881	61,808	..
(20) Tinnevely ..	5,61,704	5,96,222	34,518	..
(21) Coimbatore ..	23,37,714	24,65,178	1,27,464	..
(22) The Nilgiris ..	28,80,485	31,28,031	2,47,546	..
(23) Salem ..	1,53,808	1,66,854	11,046	..
(24) South Kanara ..	20,68,986	21,70,485	1,01,499	..
(25) Malabar ..	26,29,625	27,09,726	80,101	..
Total ..	43,07,800	43,92,652	24,852	..
Net ..	*6,00,92,721	6,05,88,391	14,11,225	9,15,555
			4,95,670	..

* Revised figure.

the ryotwar land revenue for fasli 1346 (1936-37)—cont.

Add net miscellaneous revenue as per Collector's Statement No. 5.				Total heriz.			
Fasli 1345.	Fasli 1346.	Comparison.		Fasli 1345.	Fasli 1346.	Comparison.	
(54)	(55)	Increase. (56)	Decrease. (57)	(58)	(59)	Increase. (60)	Decrease. (61)
RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.
4,32,025	5,52,620	1,19,995	..	13,43,606	15,16,038	1,73,332	..
20,37,611	20,24,865	..	12,746	45,74,937	47,97,258	2,22,321	..
14,42,364	14,55,528	13,164	..	42,15,665	42,42,598	26,933	..
17,89,476	17,33,252	..	56,224	39,69,683	38,84,573	..	85,110
7,19,216	7,35,574	16,358	..	54,75,644	55,90,488	1,14,844	..
3,45,591	3,27,068	..	18,523	24,79,779	25,65,519	85,749	..
3,37,617	3,24,203	..	13,414	16,58,735	15,83,504	..	75,231
2,31,953	2,38,242	6,289	..	14,46,353	14,71,889	25,536	..
2,09,182	2,71,199	2,017	..	19,65,848	17,91,669	..	1,74,179
4,18,379	4,28,058	9,679	..	19,55,866	20,45,177	89,311	..
1,44,622	2,29,063	84,441	..	1,44,622	2,29,063	84,441	..
1,80,202	1,96,860	16,658	..	21,61,997	20,17,863	..	1,44,134
1,96,018	1,82,815	..	13,203	9,13,136	9,09,372	..	3,764
2,41,733	2,39,503	..	2,230	33,54,572	29,57,677	..	3,96,895
2,65,061	2,75,326	10,265	..	52,44,458	51,61,524	..	82,934
13,54,778	6,23,750	..	7,31,028	89,39,797	82,97,923	..	6,41,874
3,43,230	2,68,108	..	75,131	33,50,414	32,63,761	..	56,653
3,19,634	3,54,529	34,895	..	29,06,707	30,63,410	96,703	..
73,686	71,686	..	2,000	6,35,390	6,67,908	32,518	..
1,89,581	1,93,850	4,269	..	25,27,295	26,59,028	1,31,733	..
2,04,686	2,35,520	30,833	..	30,85,171	33,64,160	2,78,989	..
5,872	5,996	124	..	1,59,770	1,71,850	12,080	..
2,37,764	2,20,280	..	8,484	23,06,750	23,99,765	93,015	..
34,411	33,739	..	672	26,64,036	27,43,465	79,429	..
1,64,827	1,58,407	..	6,420	45,32,627	45,51,059	18,432	..
1,19,80,128	1,13,89,050	3,48,997	9,40,075	*7,20,72,849	7,19,77,441	15,65,366	16,60,774
..	..	..	5,91,078	..	..	..	95,408

* Revised figure.

[Paragraphs 7 and 8

Total ..	+	19,214	+	20,907	+	706	+	5,130
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Total ..	+	268	-	954	+	4,926	+	9,802
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in the extent and assessment of ryotwari holdings in each district of the fasli 1346 (1935-36).

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•	+	380	+	1,200	-	8,091	-	10,621	-	875	-	2,471
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No. 6.—Statement showing the particulars of remissions and beriz deductions for fasli 1346 (1936–37).

[Paragraph 11 of the report.]				
Items.	Fasli 1345.	Fasli 1346.	Increase.	Decrease.
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)
	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.
(i) Occasional remissions or those granted at junctures with reference to the state of the season.				
1 Waste remitted	2,90,077	3,56,977	66,900	..
2 Short and short crop	3,58,413	7,07,213	3,48,800	..
3 Tirvakummi (difference between dry and wet assessment)	4,38,579	5,63,701	1,25,122	..
4 The land flooded and the land injured by water	20,043	45,731	25,688	..
5 Remission of water-rate	208	1,774	1,566	..
6 Remission on account of second-crop charge	17,226	33,179	15,953	..
7 Other items	11,55,501	3,35,691	..	8,19,810
Total ..	22,80,047	20,44,269	5,84,032	8,19,810
Net ..	..	..	..	2,35,778
(ii) Fixed remissions and other deductions not dependent on season.				
1 Remissions granted on account of irrigation by lift	52,757	51,623	..	1,134
2 Remissions granted on tope rules	173	157	..	16
3 Remission allowed on gradual introduction of new rates of assessment	3,29,439*	1,87,158	..	1,42,281
4 Remission of assessment on land assigned late in the year on which no crop was raised	1,912*	2,875	963	..
5 Deduction allowed in cases in which both land assessment and tree-tax are leviable	10	10	..	..
6 Remission for maintaining irrigation works	20,992*	15,429	..	4,663
7 Cowle remissions	443	621	178	..
8 Other items	27,893*	27,979	86	..
Total ..	4,32,719*	2,65,862	1,227	1,48,094
Net ..	..	..	..	1,46,867
(iii) Items allowed on the collection or from the entire beriz of the villages.				
1 Share of shrotriyam proceeds or ready money inams, etc.	155	195	40	..
2 Allowances to religious institutions—				
(a) Deductions from the beriz on account of allowances to religious institutions in lieu of cash payments (G.O. No. 1625, dated 8th October 1878)	8,20,609	7,34,544	..	86,065
(b) Deductions made in lieu of land revenue assignment resumed (B.P. No. 2240, dated 8th September 1892)	1,62,427	1,62,584	157	..
Total ..	9,83,191	8,97,323	197	86,065
2 Other items	48,816*	47,256	..	1,560
Total ..	10,32,007*	9,44,579	197	87,625
Net ..	..	..	..	87,428
Grand total ..	37,44,773	32,74,700	5,85,466	10,55,529
Net ..	..	..	..	4,70,078

* Revised figure.

No. 7.—Alienation of land revenue in ryotwari (temporarily settled) tracts for fasli 1346.

Particulars of grant.	Annual value of grants made.					
	For the maintenance of public servants.			On other grounds.		
	Up to the end of the previous year.	During the year.	Total.	Up to the end of the previous year.	During the year.	Total.
	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)
(1)	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.
A. In ryotwari tracts—						
(1) Whole inam villages—						
Difference between assessment and Jodi or quit-rent, if any	6,433	..	6,433	28,69,245	— 2,571	28,66,674
(2) Minor inams—						
Difference (representing the inam) between the full assessment and the Jodi or quit-rent	2,25,452	..	2,25,452	44,79,328	— 1,218	44,78,110
B. Assignment or remissions of land revenue—						
(1) In favour of individuals for past or present services, e.g., in favour of military pensioners and such village servants as are remunerated by assignments of land revenue	1,05,301	108	1,05,409	13,454	8	13,462
(2) In favour of religious institutions, the assignment being made in lieu of previous ready money allowances	47	..	47	1,02,653	4,363	1,07,016
(3) In favour of public associations, churches, temples, etc., e.g., remission of assessment on the sites of temples, churches, etc.	4	..	4	1,28,153	471	1,28,624
(4) In favour of individuals for specially recorded reasons	..	..	..	10,897	896	11,793
C. Beriz deductions, i.e., deductions from collections of ryotwari revenue before they reach the treasury—						
(1) In favour of religious institutions, the deductions being made in lieu of assignments of land revenue or of cash payments	1,169	— 14	1,155	9,43,619	4,618	9,48,237
(2) In favour of village servants doing revenue, judicial or police duties or of village artisans	11,383	755	12,138	44,481	1,909	46,390
(3) In favour of certain inamdars in Salem whose inams are being managed by Government and of certain holders of ready money inams in Tinnevely	..	..	..	10,923	31	10,954
(4) In favour of individuals for specially recorded reasons	1,176	..	1,176	12,847	2	12,849
D. Other items						
Total ..	3,51,055	849	3,51,904	86,57,484	8,595	86,66,079

N.B.—The variations between the figures of faslis 1345 and 1346 are due to the revised figures reported by the Collectors.

No. 9-A.—Comparative statement showing the extent of poramboke cultivation, the revenue derived therefrom and that portion of it which is due to enhanced assessment in faslis 1345 (1935-36) and 1346 (1936-37).

Districts.	Faali 1345 (1935-36).					Faali 1346 (1936-37).				
	Total area cultivated.	Total assess- ment.	Portion of the area on enhanced assessment was charged.	Enhanced assess- ment.	Average rate of charge per acre.	Total area cultivated.	Total assess- ment.	Portion of the area on enhanced assessment was charged.	Enhanced assess- ment.	Average rate of charge per acre.
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)
	ACS.	RS.	ACS.	RS.	RS.	ACS.	RS.	ACS.	RS.	RS.
1 Visagapatam ..	2,908	7,030	192	3,337	17	2,125	6,608	258	3,483	14
2 East Godavari ..	2,985	22,034	296	11,105	38	1,586	16,024	287	9,262	32
3 West Godavari ..	2,191	19,455	1,217	10,041	8	1,874	16,914	754	8,281	10
4 Kistur ..	3,586	28,526	1,147	11,473	10	3,975	35,520	1,745	15,624	9
5 Nuzvid ..	10,330	36,832	1,674	14,130	8	11,511	38,730	2,610	14,265	6
6 Nuzvid ..	3,317	14,977	207	9,377	45	2,832	13,405	399	8,136	3
7 Guddalur ..	948	2,453	247	5,214	3	1,612	4,344	275	7,098	3
8 Anantapur ..	9,843	29,853	1,291	3,934	3	8,166	21,547	1,584	4,571	4
9 Bellary ..	7,910	10,127	1,261	3,934	6	8,170	16,152	1,909	7,013	..
10 Kurnool ..	6,822	16,907	1,155	6,872	..	1,029	7,034	537	3,989	7
11 Madras ..	1,062	7,747	153	2,954	19	658	7,004	141	1,243	9
12 Chingleput ..	794	2,468	284	1,577	6	3,254	17,988	1,149	11,755	10
13 Chittoor ..	3,678	16,134	1,074	9,794	9	3,205	22,410	2,278	19,868	9
14 North Arcot ..	4,977	23,474	2,167	17,962	8	3,205	22,410	2,278	19,868	9
15 South Arcot ..	7,927	28,478	1,074	9,794	9	3,205	22,410	2,278	19,868	9
16 Tanjavur ..	2,149	13,755	458	8,170	12	1,703	8,680	487	11,421	13
17 Trichinopoly ..	1,910	7,651	412	4,921	12	1,703	8,680	487	11,421	13
18 Madurai ..	1,910	7,651	412	4,921	12	1,703	8,680	487	11,421	13
19 Raman ..	202	3,172	310	2,751	25	345	2,762	117	2,181	19
20 Tennevely ..	633	8,614	447	7,316	21	620	6,203	273	4,978	18
21 Coimbatore ..	38	732	11	5,292	21	2,453	10,394	430	8,074	19
22 The Nilgiris ..	12,062	31,287	4,020	16,013	4	13,963	31,033	3,792	14,100	42
23 Salem ..	608	3,959	30	340	11	1,742	1,746	163	363	11
24 South Kanara ..	..	..	133	743	6	..	..	..	..	..
25 Malabar ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Total ..	90,313	3,61,969	21,218	1,69,938	8	94,737	3,84,972	23,047	1,80,178	7

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Districts.	(1)
1 Visayapatam	..
2 East Godavari	..
3 West Godavari	..
4 Kistna	..
5 Nuntur	..
6 Nuntur	..
7 Cuddapah	..
8 Anantapur	..
9 Bellary	..
10 Kurnool	..
11 Madras	..
12 Chingleput	..
13 Chittoor	..
14 North Arcot	..
15 South Arcot	..
16 Tanjore	..
17 Trichinopoly	..
18 Madras	..
19 Rannad	..
20 Tennevelli	..
21 Coimbatore	..
22 The Nilgiris	..
23 Salem	..
24 South Kanara	..
25 Malabar	..

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No. 10.—Statement showing the demand, collection and balance

Districts.	Demand.			Collection and		
	Arrears.	Current.	Total.	Arrears.		Cur.
				Collection.	Remission.	
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)
	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.
(1) Vizagapatam						Permanently
(2) East Godavari	31,509	10,67,330	10,98,845	31,509	103	10,40,959
(3) West Godavari	38,371	5,58,085	5,96,456	7,151		5,54,998
(4) Kistna		2,01,543	2,01,543			2,01,528
(5) Guntur	1,287	2,55,952	2,57,239	1,287		2,54,341
(6) Nellore		44,917	44,917			44,917
(7) Cuddapah	12,043	4,00,790	4,12,833	12,043		3,81,446
(8) Anantapur						
(9) Bellary						
(10) Kurnool						
(11) Madras						
(12) Chingleput		2,944	2,944			2,927
(13) Chittoor	3,850	1,53,681	1,57,531	3,850		1,48,976
(14) North Arcot	25,177	3,51,472	3,76,649	24,204		3,17,308
(15) South Arcot	1,981	62,337	64,318	1,981		60,337
(16) Tanjore	4,028	8,611	12,639	4,028		6,482
(17) Trichinopoly	7,078	35,130	42,208	6,484		29,092
(18) Madurai	1,952	58,142	60,094	1,952		56,243
(19) Ramnad	1,332	1,71,831	1,73,163	1,332		1,71,241
(20) Tinnevely	2,20,078	6,50,966	8,71,044	719		6,50,966
(21) Coimbatore	2,861	2,37,399	2,40,260	2,861		2,37,344
(22) The Nilgiris		24,510	24,510			24,510
(23) Salem						
(24) South Kanara	710	3,90,194	3,90,904	710		3,88,464
(25) Malabar						
Total	3,52,857	46,81,840	50,34,697	1,00,711	103	45,81,079
Cesses on permanently						
(1) Vizagapatam	23,466	5,37,758	5,61,224	23,076	36	5,29,715
(2) East Godavari	891	2,24,601	2,25,552	837		2,23,180
(3) West Godavari		90,810	90,810			90,810
(4) Kistna	956	1,80,777	1,81,733	956		1,80,434
(5) Guntur		15,018	15,018			15,018
(6) Nellore	4,570	1,04,624	1,09,194	4,570		1,38,174
(7) Cuddapah						
(8) Anantapur						
(9) Bellary						
(10) Kurnool						
(11) Madras						
(12) Chingleput	3,687	62,667	66,354	3,687		58,571
(13) Chittoor	15,207	1,60,962	1,76,169	14,718		1,47,923
(14) North Arcot	506	41,468	41,974	506		41,462
(15) South Arcot	918	2,549	3,467	918		1,950
(16) Tanjore	13,334	35,759	49,093	11,694		20,957
(17) Trichinopoly	347	48,508	48,855	347		47,822
(18) Madurai	1,551	79,429	80,980	1,551		77,919
(19) Ramnad	1,24,240	2,04,721	4,18,961	54,901	468	2,93,545
(20) Tinnevely	1,438	58,709	60,147	1,438		58,709
(21) Coimbatore	21	13,332	13,353	21		12,700
(22) The Nilgiris						
(23) Salem	380	80,966	81,355	380		79,577
(24) South Kanara						
(25) Malabar						
Total	1,91,521	21,07,727	22,99,248	1,19,609	504	20,35,481

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remission.	Balance.							
rent.	Total.	Suspensions (a).			Amount uncollected though not suspended (b).			Total.
		Arrears.	Current.	Total.	Arrears.	Current.	Total.	
(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)
RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.
settled revenue.								
..	10,81,468	..	..	..	..	17,377	17,377	17,377 (1)
..	5,62,252	14,397	1,800	16,197	16,720	1,287	18,007	34,204 (2)
..	2,01,528	..	..	..	..	15	15	15 (3)
..	2,55,028	..	..	..	..	1,611	1,611	1,611 (4)
..	44,917	..	..	..	..	..	..	.. (5)
..	3,93,489	..	..	..	..	25,344	25,344	25,344 (6)
..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	.. (7)
..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	.. (8)
..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	.. (9)
..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	.. (10)
..	2,927	..	..	..	..	17	17	17 (11)
..	1,52,826	..	..	..	..	4,705	4,705	4,705 (12)
..	3,41,512	..	..	..	..	973	34,164	35,137 (13)
..	62,318	..	..	..	..	2,000	2,000	2,000 (14)
..	11,110	..	..	..	..	2,129	2,129	2,129 (15)
..	35,576	..	..	..	..	594	6,632	6,632 (16)
..	58,195	..	..	..	..	1,809	1,809	1,809 (17)
..	1,72,673	..	..	..	..	590	590	590 (18)
..	6,51,085	..	..	..	..	2,19,359	2,19,359	2,19,359 (19)
..	2,40,205	..	..	..	..	56	56	56 (20)
..	24,510	..	..	..	..	..	..	.. (21)
..	3,80,174	..	..	..	..	1,730	1,730	1,730 (22)
..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	.. (23)
..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	.. (24)
..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	.. (25)
..	46,81,893	14,397	1,800	16,197	2,37,646	98,962	3,36,608	3,52,805
settled Revenue.								
..	5,52,791	..	..	..	390	8,043	8,433	8,433 (1)
..	2,24,059	..	..	..	18	1,475	1,493	1,493 (2)
..	96,819	..	..	..	..	..	..	.. (3)
..	1,81,390	..	..	..	..	343	343	343 (4)
..	15,018	..	..	..	..	..	..	.. (5)
..	1,42,744	..	..	..	..	26,450	26,450	26,450 (6)
..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	.. (7)
..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	.. (8)
..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	.. (9)
..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	.. (10)
..	62,258	..	..	..	..	4,096	4,096	4,096 (11)
..	1,62,641	..	..	..	489	22,039	22,528	22,528 (12)
..	41,968	..	..	..	..	6	6	6 (13)
..	2,868	..	..	..	..	599	599	599 (14)
..	32,651	..	..	..	1,640	14,802	16,442	16,442 (15)
..	48,189	..	..	..	..	686	686	686 (16)
..	80,470	..	..	..	..	510	510	510 (17)
450	3,49,364	..	..	..	68,871	726	69,507	69,507 (18)
..	60,147	..	..	..	..	..	..	.. (19)
..	12,721	..	..	..	..	632	632	632 (20)
..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	.. (21)
..	79,966	..	..	..	..	1,389	1,389	1,389 (22)
..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	.. (23)
..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	.. (24)
..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	.. (25)
450	21,46,044	..	..	..	71,408	81,796	1,53,204	1,53,204

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Remission.		Balance.						
rent.	Total.	Suspensions (a)			Amount uncollected though not suspended (b)			Total.
Remission.		Arrears.	Current.	Total.	Arrears.	Current.	Total.	(a) + (b).
(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)
RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.
<i>Jads.</i>								
..	80,475	..	..	..	..	23	23	23 (1)
..	29,757	970	732	1,702	..	89	89	1,791 (2)
..	24,802	..	..	..	..	..	..	.. (3)
..	11,933	..	..	..	..	171	171	171 (4)
..	28,587	..	..	..	..	558	558	558 (5)
..	72,556	..	..	..	..	885	885	885 (6)
..	35,407	..	..	..	..	83	83	83 (7)
..	14,806	..	..	..	..	..	..	.. (8)
..	12,251	..	..	..	34	134	168	168 (9)
..	10,704	..	..	..	..	..	..	.. (10)
..	200	..	..	..	..	88	88	88 (11)
..	68,881	..	..	..	..	1,205	1,205	1,205 (12)
..	15,683	..	..	..	..	..	..	.. (13)
..	12,945	..	..	..	..	323	323	323 (14)
..	23,152	..	..	..	..	191	191	191 (15)
..	1,24,835	..	..	..	107	2,691	2,798	2,798 (16)
..	11,528	..	..	..	..	1,058	1,058	1,058 (17)
..	10,575	..	..	..	..	249	249	249 (18)
..	57,410	..	..	..	..	209	209	209 (19)
..	52,278	..	..	..	..	1	1	1 (20)
..	3,418	..	..	..	..	..	..	.. (21)
..	41,627	..	..	..	371	1,842	2,213	2,213 (22)
..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	.. (23)
..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	.. (24)
..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	.. (25)
..	7,43,607	970	732	1,702	512	9,800	10,312	12,014
<i>Cesses.</i>								
..	96,108	..	..	..	..	568	568	568 (1)
..	7,748	..	..	..	..	52	52	52 (2)
..	25,581	..	..	..	..	..	..	.. (3)
..	45,418	..	..	..	..	1,366	1,366	1,366 (4)
..	24,450	..	..	..	6	777	777	777 (5)
..	36,038	..	..	..	..	2,481	2,481	2,481 (6)
..	8,738	..	..	..	..	54	54	54 (7)
..	5,480	..	254	254	..	9	9	263 (8)
..	5,591	..	..	..	12	117	129	129 (9)
..	3,002	..	..	..	..	..	..	.. (10)
..	40,399	..	..	..	..	..	..	.. (11)
..	9,674	..	..	..	..	2,330	2,330	2,330 (12)
..	8,203	..	..	..	..	492	492	492 (13)
..	12,917	..	..	..	..	140	140	140 (14)
..	1,24,693	..	..	..	29	822	851	851 (15)
..	22,368	..	..	..	13	4,584	4,597	4,597 (16)
..	25,849	..	..	..	18	1,044	1,062	1,062 (17)
2,288	1,94,730	..	..	..	..	3,209	3,209	3,209 (18)
..	64,479	..	..	..	1	324	325	325 (19)
..	* 3,773	..	..	..	..	124	* 124	124 (20)
..	20,117	..	..	..	..	129	129	129 (21)
..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	.. (22)
..	..	..	..	..	96	2,040	2,136	2,136 (23)
..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	.. (24)
..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	.. (25)
2,288	7,85,506	..	254	254	175	21,556	21,731	21,985

* Difference of one rupee due to rounding.

No. 10.—Statement showing the demand, collection and balance

Districts.	Demand.			Collection and		
	Arrears.	Current.	Total.	Arrears.		Cur
				Collection.	Remission.	
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)
	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.
<i>Ryotwari and miscellaneous</i>						
(1) Vizagapatam ..	3,518	13,92,202 2,05,311	16,01,031	3,467	13	14,83,923
(2) East Godavari ..	1,46,386	47,97,912 6,60,312	56,04,610	1,25,907	806 37	49,23,286
(3) West Godavari ..	1,193	42,43,090 5,38,402	47,82,685	500	132 1	43,51,215
(4) Kistna ..	56,334	38,85,061 4,66,565	44,07,960	49,362	2,874 351	39,46,842
(5) Guntur ..	1,19,617	58,62,204 7,13,947	66,94,868	77,518	41,000 46	59,55,592
(6) Nellore ..	36,617	25,66,007 3,31,812	29,34,436	32,637	1,872 55	27,11,538
(7) Cuddapah ..	36,459	15,73,064 2,17,254	18,20,777	6,516	29,008 23	17,40,848
(8) Anantapur ..	1,112	14,70,820 2,19,168	16,91,100	844	232 34	15,62,917
(9) Bellary ..	25,514	17,92,183 2,73,934	20,91,631	22,757	1,153 114	19,61,792
(10) Kurnool ..	202	20,40,305 2,96,015	23,36,522	190	11 1	23,12,608
(11) Madras ..	1,271	1,57,825	1,59,096	403	707	1,56,437
(12) Chingleput ..	31,230	20,24,250 2,61,685	23,17,165	30,247	823 93	21,17,215
(13) Chittoor ..	803	9,01,135 1,38,219	10,40,157	778	23 2	9,99,078
(14) North Arcot ..	15,971	29,58,554 3,74,860	33,49,385	13,673	1,814 159	31,67,131
(15) South Arcot ..	1,75,539	51,63,228 6,17,955	59,56,722	1,55,398	8,141 1,107	53,25,879
(16) Tanjore ..	8,88,938	82,80,257 8,92,284	1,00,61,479	1,51,752	2,838 63	79,20,579
(17) Trichinopoly ..	22,549	32,04,532 3,79,327	36,96,408	16,518	5,692 20	34,36,688
(18) Madura ..	53,578	30,43,052 3,75,396	34,72,026	45,409	3,022 310	30,88,643
(19) Ramnad ..	39,224	6,59,860 77,738	7,76,822	28,005	1,426 18	6,90,569
(20) Tinnevely ..	17,984	26,37,454 3,04,748	29,80,186	12,165	554	27,81,834
(21) Coimbatore ..	1,565	33,05,303 4,16,631	37,23,499	1,391	136	36,57,470
(22) The Nilgiris ..	716	1,71,905 18,371	1,90,992	201	485 28	1,86,106
(23) Salem ..	37,043	24,00,481 2,95,942	27,33,466	15,435	2,088 58	26,28,674
(24) South Kanara ..	1,33,919	27,26,513 3,18,931	31,79,363	1,30,284	429 44	26,71,065
(25) Malabar ..	78,128	45,19,217 5,24,090	51,21,435	76,497	711 101	44,39,917
Total ..	19,25,410	7,18,86,414 89,11,997	8,27,23,821	9,97,854	1,06,890 2,665	7,42,27,746

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remission.	Balance.							
	rent.	Total.	Suspensions. (a)			Amount uncollected though not suspended. (b)		
			Arrears.	Current.	Total.	Arrears.	Current.	Total.
	Remission.							
(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)
RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.
<i>including cesses.</i>								
1,10,494	15,97,897	..	..	..	38	3,096	3,134	3,134 (1)
4,25,303	54,75,339	11,347	6,105	17,452	8,289	1,03,530	1,11,819	1,29,271 (2)
4,25,410	47,77,259	500	678	1,238	..	4,188	4,188	5,446 (3)
3,46,009	43,46,678	2,056	731	2,787	1,691	56,804	58,495	61,282 (4)
5,57,320	66,31,482	618	108	726	435	62,225	62,660	63,386 (5)
1,29,058	28,75,160	..	..	..	2,053	57,223	59,276	59,276 (6)
85,612	18,12,910	..	..	..	12	7,855	7,867	7,867 (7)
1,15,640	16,79,668	..	9,814	9,814	2	1,616	1,618	11,432 (8)
79,613	20,65,430	..	..	..	1,490	24,711	26,201	26,201 (9)
23,339	23,36,150	..	..	..	..	372	372	372 (10)
..	1,57,547	..	..	..	161	1,388	1,549	1,549 (11)
1,26,299	22,77,589	..	..	..	67	39,509	39,576	39,576 (12)
38,147	10,38,928	..	..	..	..	1,229	1,229	1,229 (13)
1,53,408	33,36,275	..	..	..	325	12,785	13,110	13,110 (14)
4,03,523	58,94,048	737	279	1,016	10,156	51,502	61,658	62,674 (15)
10,27,590	91,98,903	7,10,538	..	7,10,538	23,747	1,28,291	1,52,038	8,62,576 (16)
2,17,091	36,76,009	..	..	..	319	20,080	20,399	20,399 (17)
2,65,473	34,02,858	1,767	2,280	4,047	3,070	62,051	65,121	69,168 (18)
18,637	7,47,655	..	..	..	9,775	19,392	29,167	29,167 (19)
1,07,566	29,62,119	3,836	850	4,686	1,428	11,953	13,381	18,067 (20)
63,895	37,22,892	..	..	..	39	569	608	608 (21)
3,230	1,90,050	..	..	..	2	940	942	942 (22)
50,125	26,96,380	17,282	4,923	22,205	2,180	12,701	14,881	37,086 (23)
2,31,594	30,33,421	3,042	..	3,042	120	1,42,780	1,42,900	1,45,942 (24)
5,74,967	50,92,193	..	..	..	819	28,423	29,242	29,242 (25)
55,90,339	8,10,24,840	7,51,783	25,768	7,77,551	66,318	8,55,313	9,21,431	16,98,982
	99,346							

No. 10.—Statement showing the demand, collection and balance

Districts.	Demand.			Collection and		
	Arrears.	Current.	Total.	Arrears.		Cur- Collection.
				Collection	Remission.	
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)
	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.
	Total.					
(1) Vizagapatam ..	58,753	33,79,581	34,38,334	58,312	13	32,39,980
(2) East Godavari ..	1,87,283	62,78,683	64,65,966	1,34,560	982	57,38,310
(3) West Godavari ..	1,193	51,30,237	51,31,430	500	133	49,99,945
(4) Kistna ..	59,557	48,46,268	49,05,820	52,585	3,225	44,37,988
(5) Guntur ..	1,21,208	66,87,967	68,09,175	79,103	41,046	60,86,079
(6) Nellore ..	56,338	35,78,084	36,34,422	52,358	1,927	33,36,643
(7) Cuddapah ..	36,795	18,28,264	18,65,059	6,852	29,931	17,84,657
(8) Anantapur ..	1,125	17,10,524	17,11,649	857	266	15,83,190
(9) Bellary ..	25,864	20,83,906	21,09,770	23,061	1,267	19,79,330
(10) Kurnool ..	202	23,50,116	23,50,318	190	12	23,26,404
(11) Madras ..	1,306	1,61,022	1,62,328	438	707	1,69,529
(12) Chingleput ..	42,099	26,11,766	26,53,865	41,116	916	24,30,710
(13) Chittoor ..	41,426	15,86,398	16,27,824	39,939	25	14,90,327
(14) North Arcot ..	18,920	34,58,368	34,77,288	16,622	1,973	32,89,016
(15) South Arcot ..	1,83,980	58,26,559	60,10,539	1,63,810	9,248	53,67,514
(16) Tanjore ..	9,24,849	94,84,654	1,04,09,503	1,85,309	2,901	82,04,577
(17) Trichinopoly ..	27,697	38,14,574	38,42,271	21,648	5,712	36,71,816
(18) Madras ..	60,814	37,05,237	37,66,051	52,645	3,332	33,70,874
(19) Ramnad ..	4,29,104	18,90,397	23,19,501	1,28,842	2,256	18,48,371
(20) Tinnevely ..	25,034	33,72,441	33,97,475	19,215	554	31,91,893
(21) Coimbatore* ..	1,588	37,67,095	37,68,683	1,414	136	37,01,869
(22) The Nilgiris ..	716	1,90,276	1,90,992	201	513	1,86,106
(23) Salem ..	42,431	32,29,387	32,71,818	20,356	2,146	31,54,637
(24) South Kanara ..	1,33,919	30,45,444	31,79,363	1,30,284	473	26,71,065
(25) Malabar ..	78,128	50,43,307	51,21,435	76,497	812	44,39,917
Total ..	85,60,329	8,90,60,550	9,16,20,879	13,06,714	1,10,506	8,22,72,247

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remission.		Balance.						
rent.	Total.	Suspensions (a).			Amount uncollected though not suspended (b).			Total.
		Arrears.	Current.	Total.	Arrears.	Current.	Total	
Remis- sion.								(a) + (b).
(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)
RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.
1,10,494	34,08,800	..	..	..	428	29,107	29,535	29,535 (1)
4,25,303	62,99,155	26,714	8,637	35,351	25,027	1,06,433	1,31,460	1,66,811 (2)
4,25,411	51,25,989	580	678	1,238	..	4,203	4,203	5,441 (3)
3,47,249	48,41,047	2,056	781	2,787	1,691	60,295	61,986	64,773 (4)
5,57,326	67,44,454	618	108	726	441	63,554	63,995	64,721 (5)
1,29,058	35,19,986	..	..	..	2,053	1,12,383	1,14,436	1,14,436 (6)
35,615	18,57,055	..	..	..	12	7,992	8,004	8,004 (7)
1,15,641	16,99,954	..	10,068	10,068	2	1,625	1,627	11,695 (8)
79,614	20,83,272	..	..	..	1,536	24,962	26,498	26,498 (9)
23,340	23,49,946	..	..	..	..	372	372	372 (10)
..	1,60,674	..	..	..	161	1,493	1,654	1,654 (11)
1,29,211	26,01,953	..	..	..	67	51,845	51,912	51,912 (12)
38,147	15,68,438	..	..	..	1,462	57,924	59,386	59,386 (13)
1,53,498	34,61,709	..	..	..	325	15,254	15,579	15,579 (14)
4,03,523	59,44,095	737	279	1,016	10,185	55,243	65,428	66,444 (15)
11,23,671	95,16,458	7,10,538	..	7,10,538	26,101	1,56,406	1,82,507	8,93,045 (16)
2,17,091	38,16,267	..	..	..	337	25,667	26,004	26,004 (17)
2,65,474	36,92,325	1,767	2,280	4,047	3,070	66,609	69,679	73,726 (18)
21,375	20,00,844	..	..	..	2,93,006	20,651	3,18,657	3,18,657 (19)
1,67,566	33,79,228	3,836	850	4,686	1,423	12,133	13,561	18,247 (20)
68,895	37,67,314	..	..	..	39	1,330	1,369	1,369 (21)
3,230	1,90,050	..	..	..	2	940	942	942 (22)
50,125	32,27,264	17,232	4,923	22,205	2,647	19,702	22,349	44,554 (23)
2,31,599	30,33,421	3,042	..	3,042	120	1,42,780	1,42,900	1,45,942 (24)
5,74,967	50,92,193	..	..	..	819	28,423	29,242	29,242 (25)
56,92,423	8,93,81,890	7,67,150	38,554	7,95,704	3,75,959	10,67,338	14,43,325	22,38,989

* Difference of one rupee due to rounding.

No. 12.—Statement showing the details of coercive processes employed in the realization of arrears of land revenue in the several districts during fasli 1346 (1936-37).

Districts.	Number of processes.				Property attached.			
	Notice of demand.	Notice of distraint or attachment.	Notice of sale.	(4)	Personal.		Real.	
					Number of defaulters.	Amount of arrears.	Value of property distrained.	Number of defaulters.
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)
Vizagapatam	6,226	984	172	933	RS. 71,023	RS. 83,140	116	20,988
East Godavari	4,668	932	986	805	1,15,229	97,845	267	17,102
West Godavari	3,758	258	156	197	24,639	31,235	117	6,306
Kistna	11,366	1,719	1,312	2,678	38,061	31,394	3,803	65,498
Guntur	9,789	1,219	1,030	869	18,155	22,712	688	17,273
Nellore	10,505	1,977	568	3,854	64,845	85,711	286	4,467
Cuddapah	3,669	826	282	1,030	10,391	13,811	168	912
Anantapur	4,452	691	463	1,929	18,686	29,509	66	933
Belary	3,479	1,484	1,401	939	17,574	29,547	715	7,167
Kurnool	3,592	60	50	67	1,173	1,177	16	444
Madras	41,069	5,251	3,293	2,572	44,707	50,392	2,623	22,971
Chingleput	13,600	3,948	89	369	6,847	9,240	106	59,843
Chittoor	3,162	359	89	11,176	62,762	72,741	1,447	15,023
North Arcot	6,367	12,623	2,788	13,903	1,37,174	1,24,646	5,725	57,613
South Arcot	56,084	14,068	14,068	15,146	5,00,188	5,14,190	6,075	1,25,988
Tanjore	1,34,587	21,221	21,221	4,540	32,154	47,455	728	5,147
Trichinopoly	4,153	1,507	770	3,933	22,154	26,240	1,821	10,432
Madurai	14,425	2,781	2,069	2,517	18,917	26,240	1,149	7,779
Ramanad	40,610	2,687	1,374	2,517	1,56	162	10	320
Tinnevely	710	57	14	46	156	162	7	27
Colombatore	382	73	38	62	1,421	3,406	31	2,824
The Nilgiris	1,010	184	29	162	6,568	9,241	339	4,973
Salem	3,449	664	331	325	16,183	12,966	2,896	1,07,626
South Kanara	16,397	4,221	2,613	2,437	91,488	60,813	1,449	97,265
Malabar	1,09,485	15,865	15,478	15,443	8,75,553	5,76,571	1,449	97,265
Total	11,57,992	95,659	70,595	85,941	22,20,108	19,33,706	30,718	6,58,911

No. 12.—Statement showing the details of coercive processes employed in the realization of arrears of land revenue in the several districts during fasli 1346 (1936-37)—cont.

Districts.	Property attached—cont.				Property sold.		
	Real—cont.		Other property.		Personal.		Amount realized.
	Dry.	Wet.	Value.	Number of defaulters.	Amount of arrears.	Estimated value of property sold.	
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)
Vizagapatam	ACS. 1,246	RS. 858	32,164	933	RS. 71,023	RS. 83,140	RS. 20,988
East Godavari	230	411	100	805	1,15,229	97,845	17,102
West Godavari	361	722	...	197	24,639	31,235	6,306
Kistna	803	1,852	...	2,678	38,061	31,394	6,188
Guntur	457	580	...	869	18,155	22,712	17,273
Nellore	275	237	...	3,854	64,845	85,711	4,467
Cuddapah	524	237	...	1,030	10,391	13,811	912
Anantapur	524	237	...	1,029	18,686	29,909	933
Belary	1,37,368	5,173	...	939	17,574	29,547	7,167
Kurnool	8	7	45	67	1,173	1,173	444
Madras	3,295	3,293	...	2,572	44,707	50,392	22,971
Chingleput	2,673	1,868	...	369	6,847	9,241	59,843
Chittoor	49	1,168	...	11,176	62,762	72,741	15,023
North Arcot	5,172	2,045	...	13,963	1,37,174	1,24,646	57,613
South Arcot	12,354	3,633	...	15,146	5,00,188	5,14,190	1,25,988
Tanjore	4,068	6,189	...	4,540	32,154	47,455	5,147
Trichinopoly	1,721	1,751	...	3,933	22,154	26,240	10,432
Madura	5,661	6,934	...	2,317	18,316	26,240	7,779
Ramanad	3,094	1,757	...	62	1,421	3,406	320
Tinnevely	27	23	...	162	6,568	9,241	2,824
Colombatore	58	79	...	282	91,488	60,813	1,07,626
The Nilgiris	172	335	...	1,443	8,75,553	5,76,371	97,265
Salem	1,337	1,439	...	1,449	8,75,553	5,76,371	97,265
South Kanara	3,439	5,158	...	1,449	8,75,553	5,76,371	97,265
Malabar	7,375	9,436	...	1,449	8,75,553	5,76,371	97,265
Total	1,99,791	57,493	34,343	4,217	1,29,182	94,829	76,913

No. 12.—Statement showing the details of coercive processes employed in the realization of arrears of land revenue in the several districts during fasli 1346 (1936-37)—*cont.*

Districts.	Property sold— <i>cont.</i>			Particulars of land sold.					
	Number of defaulters.	Amount of arrears.	Real. Estimated value of property sold.	Purchased by Government for want of bidders.			Wet.		
				(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)
		RS.	RS.		RS.	RS.	RS.	ACS.	RS.
Vizagapatam	22	1,772	3,800				134		
East Godavari	27	2,099	4,204				1,840		
West Godavari	30	3,381	9,860				8,337		
Kistna	423	10,683	61,387				12,349		
Guntur	157	5,923	20,747				10,540		
Nellore	25	503	1,548				379		
Cuddapah	71	333	1,257				644		
Anantapur	24	710	1,272				643		
Belary	155	1,334	6,776				1,169		
Kurnool	3	106	90				52		
Madras	524	5,760	46,829				7,013		
Chingleput	90	19,843	20,171				19,832		
Chittoor	185	2,355	10,545				3,004		
North Arcot	1,961	23,313	14,191				9,724		
South Arcot	2,116	43,057	1,76,128				39,015		
Tanjore	76	481	2,290				471		
Trichinopoly	599	5,084	64,605				7,417		
Madura	315	2,029	6,690				1,165		
Ramanad									
Tinnevely									
Colombatore	10	84	1,559				680		
The Nilgiris	56	1,895	5,106				2,428		
Salem	447	36,406	34,573				33,050		
South Kanara	286	32,455	46,280				40,335		
Malabar									
Total	7,433	1,99,178	6,72,131				2,00,383	9,173	9,964
								2,438	12,079

No. 12.—Statement showing the details of coercive processes employed in the realization of arrears of land revenue in the several districts during fasli 1346 (1936-37)—*cont.*

Districts.	Purchased by Government for want of bidders— <i>cont.</i>			Particulars of land sold— <i>cont.</i>						Amount realized by sale of other property.		
	Amount for which purchased.	Extent.	Assessment.	Dry.			Wet.			Value realized.	Assessment.	Total amount realized.
				(27)	(28)	(29)	(30)	(31)	(32)			
	RS.	ACS.	RS.	RS.	ACS.	RS.	RS.	ACS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.
Vizagapatam												
East Godavari												
West Godavari												
Kistna	326	62	117	2,860	271	1,161	5,496	84	27	84	217	3,832
Guntur	4	146	599	3,909	271	1,308	8,114	23	156	852	9,891	14,738
Nellore	2	33	230	4,433	48	259	5,613	48	259	5,613	11,296	10,643
Cuddapah	78	109	70	122	16	95	235	16	95	235	2,384	1,000
Anantapur	4	174	77	365	4	25	471	4	25	471	1,882	1,882
Belary	9	525	312	696	48	267	464	48	267	464	1,141	7,427
Kurnool												
Madras												
Chingleput	10	436	499	2,084	360	1,311	4,919	360	1,311	4,919	20,800	4,590
Chittoor												
North Arcot	3	24	23	1,145	4	21	1,956	4	21	1,956	16,985	65,323
South Arcot	1,418	685	418	2,737	146	774	5,569	146	774	5,569	9,099	1,517
Tanjore	87	904	1,103	6,082	939	4,736	32,846	939	4,736	32,846	1,882	1,882
Trichinopoly	1	276	353	444	96	22	26	96	22	26	17	9,099
Madura												
Ramanad												
Tinnevely	252	300	342	3,809	48	459	1,88	48	459	1,88	1,517	41
Colombatore												
The Nilgiris												
Salem	1	54	85	664	6	15	16	6	15	16	33	3,145
South Kanara	34	302	344	1,772	24	156	654	24	156	654	45,124	45,925
Malabar	9	834	2,065	7,797	508	1,611	25,219	508	1,611	25,219	363	2,77,658
Total	2,238	6,969	9,368	57,450	3,546	16,635	1,40,695	363	2,77,658			

No. 12.—Statement showing the details of coercive processes employed in the realization of arrears of land revenue in the several districts during fasli 1346 (1936-37)—*cont.*

Districts.	(36)	(37)	(38)	(39)	(40)	(41)
	Number of holdings.	Percentage of column (3) to column (36).	Percentage of column (4) to column (3).	Percentage of columns (15) + (19) to column (36).	Percentage of columns (15) + (19) to column (4).	Percentage of the extent bought in by Government [columns (23) + (25) to columns (23) + (25) + (28) + (31)].
Vizagapatam	80,466	1.22	17.48	0.03	13.95	60.32
East Godavari	127,592	0.73	105.80	0.07	8.92	33.33
West Godavari	131,370	0.19	60.40	0.04	29.42	3.88
Kistna	123,012	1.39	76.32	0.38	35.37	3.29
Guntur	422,412	0.29	84.50	0.05	73.20	43.77
Nellore	156,892	1.26	28.73	0.27	73.21	42.25
Cuddapah	234,319	0.35	34.14	0.08	62.71	62.76
Anantapur	201,537	0.34	67.00	0.03	14.04	3.48
Bellary	168,730	0.88	94.41	0.12	14.63	61.31
Kurnool	205,972	0.03	83.33	..	14.00	66.67
Madras	238,034	1.66	83.46	0.24	17.61	33.78
Chingleput	167,319	0.21	24.79	0.06	119.10	34.38
Chittoor	467,711	2.70	22.09	0.08	12.63	18.71
North Arcot	707,255	1.99	100.00	0.45	72.60	77.50
South Arcot	425,816	4.98	100.00	0.73	16.62	48.55
Tanjore	433,888	0.35	51.09	0.04	16.74	41.16
Trichinopoly	328,675	0.85	70.80	0.23	36.50	71.24
Madura	103,283	2.60	51.14	0.39	29.69	73.86
Ramnad	346,783	0.02	24.56	..	15.29	..
Tinnevely	299,250	0.02	52.05	..	15.79	..
Colombatore	16,907	1.09	15.76	0.06	34.36	26.74
The Nilgiris	360,754	0.18	49.85	0.02	25.35	81.15
Salem	138,934	3.04	61.90	0.64	3.21	41.66
South Kanara	282,671	5.61	97.50	0.19	3.46	..
Malabar	..	..	..	..	..	..
Total	6,169,532	1.55	73.80	0.19	16.77	50.23

No. 13.—Statement showing the particulars of processes issued and the fees collected under Madras Act II of 1864 during fasli 1346.

Districts.	Number of processes served by		Total receipts on account of process fees during the year. (4)	Actual cost of process service establi- shment. (5)	Rates of fees charged. (6)
	Village agency.	Special paid agency.			
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)
Vizagapatam	2,107	5,875	RS. 1,710	RS. 897	Annas 12, 8, 6, 5, 4, 3 and 2. Annas 12.
East Godavari	6,896	..	11	..	..
West Godavari	4,172	..	..	..	..
Kistna	9,189	5,202	1,069	603	Annas 8 and 4.
Guntur	11,552	..	..	..	..
Nellore	13,050	..	..	..	..
Cuddapah	4,777	..	..	..	..
Anantapur	5,606	..	..	..	..
Bellary	6,364	..	..	..	..
Kurnool	3,702	..	..	..	..
Madras	46,320	..	20	..	Rupee 1 and annas 8, 4 and 1.
Chingleput	16,201	..	..	..	..
Chittoor	3,610	..	..	..	..
North Arcot	661,006	..	..	..	..
South Arcot	63,618	3,393	695	712	Annas 6 and 3.
Tanjore	140,157	21,726	1,912	1,511	Annas 2 and 1.
Trichinopoly	6,430	..	..	..	..
Madura	15,343	3,932	1,613	415	Annas 8 and 4.
Ramnad	41,959	2,712	785	412	Annas 12 to 2.
Tinnevely	627	..	..	..	..
Colombatore	493	..	..	..	..
The Nilgiris	1,223	..	..	..	..
Salem	4,119	..	..	..	..
South Kanara	20,635	2,500	427	334	Annas 8 and 4.
Malabar	130,570	..	..	..	..
Total	1,219,726	45,436	8,242	4,884	..

No. 14.—Statement showing the demand, collection and balance of interest charged on arrears of land revenue in the several districts during fasli 1346.

Districts.	Demand.			Collections and remissions.					Total.	Balance.
	Arrears out- standing at the beginning of the fasli.	Demand of the fasli.	Total.	Colec- tions.	Remissions.		Total.			
					Remissions granted by the Collectors on their authority.	Remis- sions granted with the sanction of the Board.				
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)		
	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.		
Vizagapatam ..	553	470	1,023	731	..	..	731	292		
East Godavari ..	3,167	1,368	4,535	1,371	..	..	1,371	3,163		
West Godavari ..	128	214	342	158	..	..	158	184		
Kistna ..	589	764	1,353	373	12	88	473	880		
Guntur ..	203	490	693	389	48	..	437	256		
Nellore ..	(a) 860	1,677	2,537	796	25	..	821	1,710		
Cuddapah ..	92	160	252	133	2	..	135	117		
Anantapur ..	123	28	151	38	1	3	42	109		
Bellary ..	299	318	617	289	12	12	313	304		
Kurnool ..	2	2	4	2	..	..	2	2		
Madras ..	2	6	8	..	..	..	..	8		
Chingleput ..	1,068	565	1,633	508	5	..	513	1,120		
Chittoor ..	255	624	879	438	..	..	438	441		
North Arcot ..	(a) 165	292	447	280	5	..	285	162		
South Arcot ..	8,870	1,852	10,722	2,413	479	2	2,894	7,828		
Tanjore ..	2,632	1,837	4,469	1,715	38	..	1,753	2,716		
Trichinopoly ..	127	298	425	244	..	..	244	181		
Madura ..	1,189	637	1,826	582	98	4	684	1,143		
Ramnad ..	29,249	3,373	32,622	23,245	..	..	23,245	9,377		
Tinnevelly ..	799	508	1,305	1,100	25	..	1,125	180		
Colombatore ..	(a) ..	13	13	9	..	..	9	4		
The Nilgiris ..	..	10	10	1	4	5	10	..		
Salem ..	444	857	1,301	859	10	..	869	432		
South Kanara ..	19	867	886	872	1	..	873	13		
Malabar ..	(a) 200	446	646	584	6	10	600	46		
Total ..	51,025	17,674	68,699	37,130	771	124	38,025	30,674		

(a) = Revised figures.

No. 15.—Statement showing the disposal of cases of transfer of registry during fasli 1346 (1936-37.)

Districts.	Applications and notices received from Sub-Registrars.									
	Pending at the beginning of the fasli.	Received during the fasli.	Disposed of.			Transferred for final disposal to Deputy Tahsildars.	Total.	Pending at the close of the fasli.	Number of cases referred to Revenue Inspectors.	Number of sub-divisions sanctioned out of those in col. (3).
			Sanctioned.	Rejected.	Total.					
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)
1 Vizagapatam ..	1,589	8,409	9,998	6,539	539	50	7,128	2,870	191	1,351
2 East Godavari ..	1,607	13,235	14,842	11,872	551	110	12,233	2,600	40	68
3 West Godavari ..	438	17,447	17,885	16,565	943	..	12,233	357	16	85
4 Kistna ..	1,324	15,738	17,062	15,144	977	..	16,126	936	32	66
5 Guntur ..	6,637	43,386	50,023	39,563	458	408	40,427	9,594	451	107
6 Nellore ..	3,074	9,458	12,532	9,470	290	207	13,067	2,565	130	404
7 Cuddapah ..	1,980	14,776	16,756	14,399	606	..	15,065	1,751	15	199
8 Anantapur ..	3,248	10,682	13,930	11,095	314	..	11,409	2,521	32	259
9 Bellary ..	2,498	10,461	12,959	9,719	367	..	10,886	2,473	132	136
10 Karnool ..	1,377	17,115	18,492	15,804	787	1	16,392	1,640	4	74
11 Madras ..	1,86	2,489	2,675	1,183	981	..	2,164	511	2,754	424
12 Chingleput ..	1,082	16,119	17,201	15,269	678	65	16,012	1,189	87	1,213
13 Chittoor ..	879	9,009	9,888	8,593	271	..	5,864	1,724	30	9,530
14 North Arcot ..	1,103	27,922	29,025	26,512	744	7	27,263	1,762	540	3,528
15 South Arcot ..	8,315	47,242	55,557	43,366	2,113	993	46,472	9,065	16	260
16 Tanjore ..	1,030	27,006	28,036	26,003	445	63	26,511	1,525	18	522
17 Trichinopoly ..	2,924	25,755	28,679	23,446	1,713	241	25,290	3,470	25	374
18 Madras ..	1,320	16,425	17,745	14,465	1,453	56	15,974	1,771	75	334
19 Kannad ..	451	4,797	5,248	4,379	162	57	4,598	4,158	77	470
20 Tinnevely ..	4,019	21,323	25,347	20,359	830	13	21,189	526	4	33
21 Coimbatore ..	601	22,254	22,855	21,587	719	..	22,329	259	11	62
22 The Nilgiris ..	1,75	2,098	2,273	1,934	80	..	2,014	908	4	1,746
23 Salem ..	1,304	20,509	21,813	20,430	464	..	5,552	785	108	3,086
24 South Kanara ..	880	5,457	6,337	5,215	337	..	13,332	756	33	17,557
25 Malabar ..	1,243	12,845	14,088	12,252	1,901	49	13,332	..	..	..
Total ..	49,284	431,963	471,246	395,303	17,223	2,336	414,862	56,384	5,086	17,557

No. 15.—Statement showing the disposal of cases of transfer of registry during fasli 1346 (1936-37)—cont.

Districts.	Applications and intimations received from parties, village officers and others.									
	Pending at the beginning of the fasli.	Received during the fasli.	Total.	Disposed of.			Transferred for final disposal to Deputy Tahsildars.	Pending at the close of the fasli.	Number of cases referred to Revenue Inspectors.	Number of sub-divisions sanctioned out of those in col. (15).
				Sanctioned.	Rejected.	Total.				
(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	
1 Vizagapatam ..	396	2,505	2,901	2,377	65	2,442	459	26	596	
2 East Godavari ..	160	2,329	2,489	2,143	80	2,223	254	103	45	
3 West Godavari ..	65	2,219	2,284	2,156	97	2,253	31	20	166	
4 Kistna ..	168	2,109	2,277	1,931	221	2,152	125	34	135	
5 Guntur ..	1,268	17,149	18,417	17,966	58	18,072	345	155	949	
6 Nellore ..	863	9,681	10,544	9,622	124	9,780	704	387	1,715	
7 Cuddapah ..	72	9,565	9,637	9,474	107	9,581	56	12	166	
8 Anantapur ..	687	5,120	5,817	5,054	209	5,263	554	52	420	
9 Bellary ..	696	12,525	13,221	12,097	287	12,384	200	837	327	
10 Karnool ..	327	13,647	13,974	13,360	172	13,613	361	18	239	
11 Madras ..	262	1,244	1,506	1,366	662	1,418	88	958	132	
12 Chingleput ..	624	10,382	11,006	9,332	801	10,256	750	90	1,287	
13 Chittoor ..	351	9,465	9,816	8,656	784	9,447	369	32	453	
14 North Arcot ..	539	17,161	17,700	16,581	700	17,284	416	20	2,214	
15 South Arcot ..	2,147	13,797	15,944	13,095	1,199	13,012	2,932	208	1,795	
16 Tanjore ..	446	16,973	17,419	15,419	680	16,558	578	198	1,411	
17 Trichinopoly ..	686	16,990	17,676	15,838	660	16,558	1,118	144	490	
18 Madras ..	955	18,043	18,998	16,163	1,854	18,102	896	49	659	
19 Ramnad ..	250	4,236	4,486	3,888	260	4,179	307	3	388	
20 Tinnevely ..	2,385	18,856	21,241	16,562	2,164	18,726	2,515	267	2,024	
21 Coimbatore ..	117	8,310	8,427	8,021	329	8,354	73	18	199	
22 The Nilgiris ..	48	652	700	459	106	565	135	36	59	
23 Salem ..	279	8,471	8,750	8,387	144	8,536	214	4	264	
24 South Kanara ..	868	5,815	6,683	5,473	488	5,961	722	151	2,449	
25 Malabar ..	4,033	43,849	47,882	43,470	2,232	46,155	1,727	77	15,741	
Total ..	18,702	288,083	286,795	254,490	14,563	270,189	16,806	3,293	33,323	

No. 16.—Statement showing the advances and recoveries of loans granted by the Revenue Department under the Land Improvement Loans and the Agriculturists' Loans Acts for fasli 1346.

Districts.	(1)	Total amount outstanding at the beginning of the year.	Advances made during the year.	Total.	Amount of advances payable during the year and the balance remaining unpaid out of sums which became due in the previous year.		Amount suspended by competent authority.	Net amount of advances payable.	Amount recovered during the year.			Amount written off during the year.	Total of columns (8), (9) and (10).	
					(5)	(6)			(7)	(8)	(9)			(10)
	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.
1 Vizagapatam ..	2,70,667	23,970	2,94,637	79,024	78,377	647	78,377	77,503	..	..	..	..	77,503	
2 East Godavari ..	14,966	7,000	21,966	5,266	5,266	..	5,266	5,173	..	..	..	..	5,173	
3 West Godavari ..	16,883	1,900	18,783	2,590	2,590	..	2,590	2,590	..	..	..	..	2,590	
4 Kistna ..	29,630	50,355	79,985	8,863	7,818	1,045	7,818	7,705	..	..	..	..	7,705	
5 Gunur ..	1,04,888	17,813	1,22,701	32,618	32,607	569	32,607	32,049	..	..	..	..	32,049	
6 Kurnool ..	1,23,478	11,410	1,34,888	4,42,512	4,08,056	..	4,08,056	32,607	..	..	..	..	32,607	
7 Bellary ..	24,72,330	10,13,673	34,86,003	2,07,406	42,784	..	42,784	34,456	..	..	..	..	34,456	
8 Anantapur ..	9,66,758	46,915	10,13,673	35,526	35,526	..	35,526	35,443	..	..	..	..	35,443	
9 Cuddapah ..	1,14,366	14,275	1,28,641	33,526	33,526	..	33,526	31,209	..	..	..	..	31,209	
10 Nellore ..	1,23,803	3,750	1,27,553	28,795	28,795	..	28,795	28,795	..	..	..	..	28,795	
11 Chingleput ..	1,48,021	65,700	2,13,721	1,53,532	1,53,532	..	1,53,532	1,48,836	..	..	..	..	1,48,836	
12 South Arcot ..	1,47,352	9,270	1,56,622	1,53,580	1,53,580	..	1,53,580	1,48,167	..	..	..	..	1,48,167	
13 Chittoor ..	1,28,576	21,768	1,50,344	33,517	33,517	..	33,517	30,420	..	..	..	..	30,420	
14 North Arcot ..	5,56,045	84,340	6,40,385	1,46,257	1,46,257	..	1,46,257	1,30,330	..	..	..	..	1,30,330	
15 Salem ..	11,68,351	39,240	12,07,591	1,83,465	1,83,465	..	1,83,465	1,68,641	..	..	..	..	1,68,641	
16 Coimbatore ..	4,10,001	32,145	4,42,146	1,83,465	1,83,465	..	1,83,465	1,68,641	..	..	..	..	1,68,641	
17 Trichinopoly ..	3,88,580	39,240	4,27,820	70,147	70,147	..	70,147	64,813	..	..	..	..	64,813	
18 Tanjore ..	2,26,271	55,650	2,81,921	64,988	64,988	..	64,988	64,813	..	..	..	..	64,813	
19 Madurai ..	5,38,730	20,640	5,59,370	83,564	83,564	..	83,564	50,094	..	..	..	..	50,094	
20 Ramanud ..	1,66,443	21,225	1,87,668	37,765	37,765	..	37,765	28,855	..	..	..	..	28,855	
21 Tirunelveli ..	26,589	1,140	27,729	48,432	48,432	..	48,432	41,550	..	..	..	..	41,550	
22 Malabar ..	43,471	18,140	61,611	5,277	5,277	..	5,277	20,752	..	..	..	..	20,752	
23 South Kanara ..	..	..	..	18,799	18,799	..	18,799	18,489	..	..	..	..	18,489	
24 The Nilgiris ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	
Total ..	85,76,100	12,14,288	97,90,388	18,59,337	4,55,232	14,04,105	12,29,134	1,01,910	8,144	13,39,188	..	..	13,39,188	

No. 16.—Statement showing the advances and recoveries of loans granted by the Revenue Department under the Land Improvement Loans and the Agriculturists' Loans Acts for fasli 1346—cont.

Districts.	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)
	Balance repayable during the year outstanding at the end of the year [column (7) minus columns (8) and (10)].	Balance outstanding at the end of the year [column (4) minus column (11)].	Amount outstanding at the beginning of the year.	Amount due in the year.	Total.	Amount suspended by competent authority.	Net amount due.	Amount collected during the year.	Amount written off during the year.	Balance.
	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.
1 Vizagapatam ..	874	2,17,134	962	18,054	19,016	206	18,810	18,568	..	242
2 East Godavari ..	93	16,793	8	947	955	..	955	903	..	47
3 West Godavari ..	2,020	12,361	146	899	899	..	899	899	..	..
4 Kistna ..	4,084	70,196	688	1,946	2,092	351	1,741	1,480	..	261
5 Gunur ..	465	91,591	7,986	7,490	8,178	156	8,022	7,912	17	419
6 Kurnool ..	10,698	1,00,303	7,595	59,360	66,955	59,754	7,201	6,110	..	74
7 Bellary ..	23,188	24,41,590	6,850	53,673	60,523	11,516	49,007	43,585	81	1,010
8 Anantapur ..	4,215	8,57,983	1,217	7,602	8,819	14	8,805	8,174	..	5,422
9 Cuddapah ..	4,350	95,771	439	8,412	8,851	..	8,851	7,919	..	631
10 Nellore ..	4,215	1,06,205	1,190	33,396	34,586	..	34,586	32,922	..	898
11 Chingleput ..	8,716	4,29,454	1,438	8,822	10,147	..	10,147	11,293	..	1,664
12 South Arcot ..	12,435	1,17,121	3,385	10,147	13,532	..	13,532	11,293	..	2,239
13 Chittoor ..	2,370	1,20,704	1,83	41,921	41,921	14	41,907	38,751	19	3,138
14 North Arcot ..	15,707	5,01,294	3,364	38,557	41,921	..	41,907	38,751	18	3,138
15 Salem ..	3,775	2,51,784	728	22,937	23,665	30	23,635	23,051	..	584
16 Coimbatore ..	15,037	10,24,900	1,084	74,321	75,405	..	75,405	71,840	..	3,565
17 Trichinopoly ..	5,283	3,63,598	1,438	25,949	27,387	..	27,387	25,087	..	2,299
18 Tanjore ..	11,888	2,86,576	4,717	16,987	21,704	269	21,435	16,771	11	4,664
19 Madurai ..	24,291	1,93,343	4,264	17,145	21,409	..	21,409	16,863	5	4,541
20 Ramanud ..	7,994	8,05,188	1,972	13,866	15,838	87	15,751	13,858	102	1,791
21 Tirunelveli ..	6,423	1,70,018	4,062	11,623	15,685	..	15,676	14,058	32	1,586
22 Malabar ..	1,701	1,06,493	183	5,883	6,066	9	6,066	5,867	..	199
23 South Kanara ..	25,890	1,06,493	173	1,489	1,662	..	1,662	1,354	..	308
24 The Nilgiris ..	310	42,926	4	2,948	2,952	..	2,952	2,940	..	12
Total ..	1,66,827	84,51,200	52,638	4,42,453	4,95,091	72,406	4,22,685	3,86,571	469	35,845

No. 16-A—Statement showing the advances and recoveries of loans granted by the Revenue Department under the Agriculturists' Loans (Madras Amendment) Act, 1935 for fasli 1346.

Districts.	Total amount outstanding at the beginning of the year.	Advances made during the year.	Total.	Amount of advances payable during the year and the balance remaining unpaid out of sums which became due in the previous year.		Amount suspended by competent authority.	Net amount of advances payable.	Amount recovered during the year.		Amount written off during the year.	Total of columns (8), (9) and (10)
				(2)	(3)			(4)	(5)		
(1)	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.
1 East Godavari ..	..	59,250	2,54,840	3,14,090	..	..	..	..	1,801	..	..
2 Kistna ..	..	..	1,52,200	1,52,200	..	..	..	..	1,030	..	..
3 Guntur ..	..	..	61,000	61,000	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
4 Kurnool ..	..	..	1,55,160	1,55,160	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
5 Anantapur ..	..	..	10,850	10,850	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
6 Nellore ..	..	..	14,560	14,560	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
7 Chingleput ..	..	1,03,680	1,96,220	2,99,900	2,961	..	2,961	2,890	..	..	..
8 South Arcot ..	..	..	92,200	2,92,200	..	..	..	..	147	..	..
9 Salem ..	..	..	2,74,840	2,74,840	..	..	..	..	22	..	3,037
10 Trichy ..	..	..	95,000	95,000	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
11 Malabar ..	..	..	2,44,210	2,44,210	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
12 South Kanara ..	..	..	1,33,530	1,33,530	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Total ..	1,62,930	16,94,700	18,47,630	2,961	..	..	2,961	2,890	3,000	..	5,890

No. 16-A.—Statement showing the advances and recoveries of loans granted by the Revenue Department under the Agriculturists' Loans (Madras Amendment) Act, 1935, for fasli 1346—cont.

Districts.	Balance repayable during the year outstanding at the end of the year (7) minus column (8) and (10).	Balance outstanding at the end of the year (column (4) minus column (11)).	Interest on advances.			Amount outstanding at the beginning of the year.	Amount due in the year.	Total.	Amount suspended by competent authority.	Net amount due.	Amount collected during the year.	Amount written off during the year.	Balance.
	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)
	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.
1 East Godavari ..	..	3,12,299	..	5,134	5,134	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
2 Kistna ..	..	1,51,170	..	1,628	1,628	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
3 Guntur ..	..	61,000	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
4 Kurnool ..	..	1,55,160	1,523	..	1,523	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
5 Anantapur ..	..	10,850	..	107	107	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
6 Nellore ..	..	14,560	..	5,007	5,007	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
7 Chingleput ..	71	2,96,863	..	2,666	2,666	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
8 South Arcot ..	..	92,200	..	1,349	1,349	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
9 Salem ..	..	2,74,818	..	389	389	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
10 Trichhopoly ..	..	95,000	..	1,332	1,332	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
11 Malabar ..	..	2,44,210	..	17,612	17,612	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
12 South Kanara ..	..	1,33,530	1,523	..	1,523	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Total ..	71	18,41,740	1,523	17,612	19,135	..	19,135	15,895	..	..	..	..	3,340

No.19.—Statement showing the number of irrigation works in charge of the Revenue Department, and the amount spent on them during the official year ending 31st March 1937 and the number proposed for repairs during the official year ending 31st March 1938.

Districts.	Total number of irrigation works.	Irrigation works repaired during the official year ending 31st March 1937.		Irrigation works proposed for repairs during the official year ending 31st March 1938.		Amount allotted up to 30th September 1937 on account of works shown in column (5).
		Number.	Amount spent by the Government.	Number of works.	Allotment to the district.	
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)
			RS.		RS.	RS.
Vizagapatam ..	2,083	271	45,720	157	42,950	13,300
East Godavari ..	1,072	199	60,785	27	52,550	14,391
West Godavari ..	332	44	12,206	24	11,900	2,472
Kistna ..	75	9	3,492	4	7,000	3,010
Guntur ..	277	60	27,803	7	20,000	2,000
Nellore ..	418	69	41,192	63	36,000	28,911
Cuddapah ..	1,600	264	66,000	197	46,500	60,922
Anantapur ..	2,617	148	38,551	54	55,000	20,000
Bellary ..	351	53	9,411	20	19,400	9,003
Kurnool ..	503	52	20,180	41	21,000	9,948
Madras ..	2	..	..	..	..	..
Chingleput ..	2,324	254	80,292	173	71,000	50,530
Chittoor ..	4,882	135	61,784	131	82,000	42,000
North Arcot ..	2,776	253	1,00,027	222	95,600	56,800
South Arcot ..	2,080	181	1,02,959	166	1,09,000	78,411
Tanjore ..	406	59	15,421	37	20,600	11,200
Trichinopoly ..	1,480	119	63,544	95	55,000	29,000
Madura ..	3,509	97	39,758	65	47,000	31,514
Ramnad ..	255	61	37,562	41	38,500	21,300
Tinnevely ..	1,618	142	63,632	110	70,000	40,999
Coimbatore ..	73	30	7,908	13	10,000	4,495
Salem ..	2,450	167	74,997	94	52,000	35,910
Malabar ..	2	2	55	..	60	..
Total ..	31,189	2,669	9,73,259	1,741	9,63,060	5,66,306

Government of Madras

REVENUE DEPARTMENT

G.O. No. 1474, 8th June 1938

Jamabandi report—Fasli 1346 —(1936-37)—Recorded with remarks.

READ—the following paper :—

Proceedings of the Board of Revenue, No. 142, Press, dated 20th December 1937.

Order—No. 1474, Revenue, dated 8th June 1938.

Recorded.

2. In paragraph 27 of the report, the Board of Revenue has given figures relating to the sale of lands for the recovery of arrears. The Board is requested to report whether these figures relate to cases in which the sales were actually confirmed or whether they include also cases in which sales were subsequently cancelled as a result of the payment of the arrears or for some other reasons.

3. The attention of the Board is invited to the criticism of the report appearing in the *Madras Mail*, dated the 4th April 1938. It is stated therein that the great disparity between the sale price and the “assessed value” of the property sold for the recovery of arrears indicates either that the land was over-assessed, or that the holder was being compelled to sell at a period of extraordinary depression in values. The Government observe that if by “assessed value” is meant “estimated value,” the disparity complained of cannot lead to the conclusion that the land is over-assessed. The Board is requested to examine the criticism and to offer its remarks on it at an early date.

(By order of His Excellency the Governor)

B. G. HOLDSWORTH,
Secretary to Government.

To the Board of Revenue.
Government of India (Department of Education, Health and Lands), with C.L.
Education and Public Health Department.
Press (including the Madras Landholders' Association and the Mirasidar, Mayavaram)
(paragraph 1 only).

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REVENUE DEPARTMENT

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**LETTER to the Under Secretary
of State for India**

No. 1475, dated 8th June 1938

JAMABANDI report—Fasli 1346 (1936-37)—Recorded.

REVENUE DEPARTMENT

LETTER—to

THE UNDER SECRETARY OF STATE FOR INDIA,

INDIA OFFICE, LONDON.

SIR,

I am directed to forward, for the information of the Right Hon'ble the Secretary of State for India in Council, a copy of the report on the Settlement of Land Revenue in the Madras Presidency for fasli 1346 (the agricultural year ending the 30th June 1937) together with a copy of the Proceedings of this Government on the report.

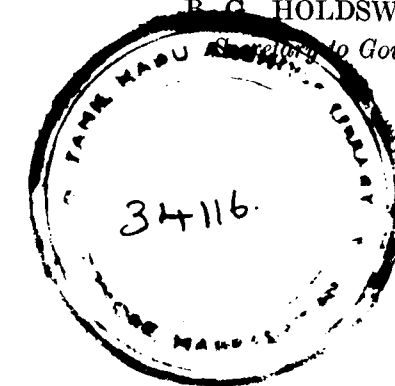
I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your most obedient servant,

R. G. HOLDSWORTH,
Secretary to Government.

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