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BUDGET ESTIMATES OF RECEIPTS AND CHARGES.-

Accepting the -----of Scientific and other Minor Departments
for 1896-97.

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No. 978, FINANCIAL, 7TH DECEMBER 1895.

GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS. FINANCIAL DEPARTMENT.

READ—the following paper :—

G.O., No. 765, Revenue, dated 23rd November 1895.

Read—the following Proceedings of the Board of Revenue (Revenue Settlement, Land Records and Agriculture), No. 347, dated 31st October 1895 :—

Read—Revised Estimates of Receipts and Charges for the current year and the Budget Estimates for the ensuing year (1896-97) for such of the items under "Scientific and other Minor Departments" and "Miscellaneous" as are under the control of this department.

Resolution—No. 347, dated 31st October 1895.

The above budgets will be submitted to Government, Revenue Department. The budget relating to the Civil Veterinary Department was not received from the Superintendent (who joined his appointment only on 26th September 1895) till the night of 25th instant. Even then the budget was incomplete, provision for mule-breeding, &c., not having been made.

(True Copy and Extract.)

(Signed) P. RAJARATNA MUDALIAR,
Secretary.

To the Secretary to Government, Revenue Department.
" the Superintendent, Civil Veterinary Department.
" the Examiner of Guaranteed Railway Accounts, Bombay.
" the Examiner of Accounts, East Coast Railway.
" the Meteorological Reporter to the Government of Madras.
" all Collectors.
" the Accountant-General.

Order—No. 765, Revenue, dated 23rd November 1895.

Miscellaneous.

The Board's estimates are approved and will be transferred to the Financial Department, subject to the following remarks and modifications :—

(1) The proposal to debit the cost of the section cutter, entertained to assist Mr. Middlemiss, to the head "Exploration of petroleum, coal and minerals" is accepted.

(2) The provision made in the budget estimates for 1896-97 on account of a Veterinary Assistant for the Saidapet College of Agriculture will be omitted with reference to paragraph 4 of the letter from the Government of India No. 1434-19-4, dated 17th September 1895, * as the post

* In G.O., No. 705, dated 28th October 1895. is not likely to be filled up during the ensuing year, whatever may be the ultimate decision in regard to its creation.

(3) Even if it be decided to abolish the separate appointment of Deputy Superintendent, Civil Veterinary Department, with reference to paragraph 3 of the letter from the Supreme Government already quoted, the post may be merged, in the class of Veterinary Assistants and the provision made by the Board on the above account will therefore be allowed to stand.

(4) It is presumed that the provision made on account of the cost of transport of the four donkey stallions and their keep and other charges includes the travelling expenses and salaries payable to the men who accompany the stallions from Babugarh in accordance with the proposal approved in G.O., No. 4050, dated 9th October 1895.

(True Extract.)

(Signed) E. GIBSON,
Secretary to Government.

To the Board of Revenue (Revenue Settlement,
Land Records and Agriculture).
„ the Financial Department.
„ the Accountant-General.

ORDER—No. 978, Financial, dated 7th December 1895.

The estimates are accepted.

(True Extract.)

Chief Secretary.

To the Revenue Department.
„ Accountant-General.
Editors' Table.

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APPENDIX.

APPENDIX.

RECEIPTS.

XXI.—SCIENTIFIC AND OTHER MINOR DEPARTMENTS.

PROVINCIAL.	Detailed Account No.	Budget Estimate, 1896-97.	Revised Estimate, 1895-96.	Budget Estimate, 1895-96.	Accounts, 1894-95.
Veterinary and Stallion Receipts	XXIC	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
Receipts on account of Experimental Cultivation		(d) ..	(b) 850	20	(a) 15
Receipts on account of Public Exhibitions and Fairs		(d) ..	..	..	(c) 1
TOTAL PROVINCIAL		..	850	20	16

DETAILED ACCOUNT NO. XXIC.—SCIENTIFIC, ETC., DEPTS.—Receipts on account of Experimental Cultivation.

Saidapet Farm	..	..	..	..	..
Other Agricultural Services	..	..	..	..	..
Miscellaneous	..	..	..	..	..
TOTAL	..	..	..	..	1

DETAILED ACCOUNT NO. XXVE.—MISCELLANEOUS—Miscellaneous Fees, Fines and Forfeitures.

PROVINCIAL.				
Fees for Stamping Weights and Measures	..	..	..	..
	22,500	23,000	23,500	22,723

EXPLANATORY REMARKS.

- (a) Sale-proceeds of manure of Government stallions.
(b) Details—

	Rs.	A.	P.
Sale-proceeds of stallion No. 10	..	..	..
Do. do. No. 12	..	..	..
Do. of Veterinary medicines	..	..	..
Do. of unserviceable office furniture	..	..	..
Total	813	8	10

- The revised estimate is accordingly fixed at Rs. 850.
(c) Sale-proceeds of "Essays" on the best method of planting and plantations in India.
(d) No data exist for framing an estimate of the receipts under these heads during 1896-97.

The actuals of the first five months of this year amounted to Rs. 9,760, which gives an average of Rs. 1,952 a month. If this rate is maintained in the next seven months, the receipts for the whole year would be Rs. 23,424. Adding the actuals of the first five months of this year to the actuals of the last seven months of last year, the total comes to Rs. 23,179. The revised estimate may be fixed at Rs. 23,000 or only Rs. 42 less than the Collectors' estimates. The budget estimate for 1896-97 is fixed at Rs. 500 below the revised figures, as the rate of fees for stamping has been ordered to be reduced in Vizagapatam and Cuddapah, and similar reductions may also be sanctioned in some other districts. The actual receipts in the past three years amounted to Rs. 21,453 in 1892-93, Rs. 24,910 in 1893-94 and Rs. 22,723 in 1894-95.

EXPENDITURE.

26.—SCIENTIFIC AND OTHER MINOR DEPARTMENTS.

	Detailed Account No.	Budget Estimate, 1896-97.	Revised Estimate, 1895-96.	Budget Estimate, 1895-96.	Accounts, 1894-95.
IMPERIAL.					
Veterinary and Stallion Charges	26A	Rs. 9,300	Rs. 7,900	Rs. 8,000	Rs. 7,043
TOTAL IMPERIAL ..		9,300	7,900	8,000	7,043
PROVINCIAL.					
Exploration of Petroleum, Coal and Minerals	26F	(a) 300	(a) 200	11,000	158
Experimental Cultivation	26A	11,000	600	2,000	1,328
Public Exhibitions and Fairs	26A	2,000	(b) 1,700	40,800	25,199
Veterinary and Stallion Charges	26K	41,800	34,100	28,800	27,693
Provincial Statistics		27,700	27,700		
TOTAL PROVINCIAL ..		82,800	64,300	82,400	54,278
TOTAL ..		92,100	72,200	90,400	61,321

DETAILED ACCOUNT No. 26A.—SCIENTIFIC, ETC., DEPARTMENTS—Veterinary and Stallion Charges.

DEPARTMENTS—Veterinary and Stallion Charges.											
Numbers.				Budget Estimate, 1896-97.		Revised Estimate, 1895-96.		Budget Estimate, 1895-96.		Accounts, 1894-95.	
	1896-96.	1896-97.		RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.
IMPERIAL.											
VETERINARY AND STALLION CHARGES.											
Salaries—	1	1	Superintendent, Civil Veterinary Department (650)	(d) 7,800		(e) 6,650		6,600		6,047	
	1	1	Exchange Compensation Allowance	1,500		1,250		1,279		996	
			Add for rounding		9,300		7,900		7,879		121
			TOTAL IMPERIAL		9,300		7,900		8,000		7,043
PROVINCIAL.											
VETERINARY HOSPITAL.											
											
											
			Lump provision	(f) 4,300							
					4,300	(e) ..		4,300		..	..
PONY-BREEDING CHARGES.											
Establishment—	5	5	1. District charges	(g) 240		(g) 220		360		720	
Allowances—			2. Travelling allowance of Salustries. { Coimbatore	(h) 720		705		720			
			{ Salem	100		80		140			
			{ Coimbatore	80		70		80			
Supplies—			3. Feeding charges (maintenance of stallions)	3,160							
			4. Keep of ponies whilst under castration. { Coimbatore	1,900		2,500		2,150		2,005	
			{ Salem	100		1,400		2,150		1,522	
			5. Purchase of ponies	250		50		100		185	
			6. Rewards for castration	(m) 1,800		(k) 250		150		1,845	
			7. Petty construction and repairs	50		(l) 3,600		3,600		28	
				200		25		50		178	
					8,600	(n) 300		200			6,487
MULE-BREEDING CHARGES.											
Supplies—			1. Purchase of Donkey stallions including forwarding charges				2,200		9,700		
			2. Maintenance of Donkey stallions	(q) 1,070		(o) 1,900					
			3. Stabling charges			(p) 500					
			4. Fees for first forty foals	(q) 1,000		600					
			5. Prizes at shows	(q) 180							
					2,250		3,000				

EXPLANATORY REMARKS.

(a) A section-cutter on Rs. 25 per mensem has been sanctioned in G.O., No. 3065, Revenue Department, dated 31st July 1895, to assist Mr. Middlemiss in connection with microscopical examination; but the sub-head under "26. Scientific and other minor departments" against which the charge should be debited has not been stated in the above G.O. Provision to meet this expenditure has, however, been made in the revised and budget estimates against item "Exploration of petroleum, coal and minerals."

(b) The actuals up to date amounted to Rs. 920 and included the cost of the Tiruppur pony show, and travelling allowances to the Judges who attended that show, as well as the Mécheri show held in March last, drawn in this year.

The next pony show will be held at Adamancottah, Salem district, at the end of March 1896 and for this Rs. 800 have been allowed. The revised estimate is accordingly fixed at Rs. 1,700.

N.B.—The other items are explained in separate statements.

(c) The increase of Rs. 50 is the net result of an increase of Rs. 380 due chiefly to Veterinary Lieutenant Clarke's pay for the period prior to his joining his appointment in this Presidency (i.e., from 1st to 25th September 1895) having been drawn in Madras, and of a decrease of Rs. 330 due to the post of the Superintendent having remained vacant from 8th to 25th September 1895.

(d) Provision has been made for Veterinary-Lieutenant C. B. M. Harris's pay at Rs. 650 a month, the pay he drew before going on leave.

(e) The sanctioned grant (Rs. 4,300) will not be utilized this year.

(f) The sanctioned grant is repeated on the assumption that Veterinary hospitals will be started next year.

(g) Decrease due to reduction in the pay of the salustri from Rs. 30 to Rs. 20.

(h) Two salustries at Rs. 20 each, and two pupil salustries at Rs. 10 each.

(i) Decrease over the sanctioned grant due to two stallions having been sold, and fresh ones not having been purchased as yet.

(j) Increase due to increased number of stallions to be maintained (10 in Coimbatore and 6 in Salem). Provision includes also cost of purchase of stable gear, syces' clothing, medicines, &c.

(k) Increase in Salem due to the large number of ponies castrated.

(l) Out of 12 stallions that remained at the end of 1894-95, two were sold as unfit for service. Six more stallions will be purchased during the current year (G.O., No. 827, Revenue, dated 21st November 1894).

(m) Provision is made for probable purchase of three new stallions in place of those that may be found useless for covering.

(n) The actuals up to date amounted to Rs. 208.

(o) Provision made with reference to G.O., No. 3546, Revenue Department, dated 30th August 1895, including forwarding charges, &c., to and from Babugarh.

(p) For three months in this year inclusive of stable gear.

(q) Paragraphs 8 and 9 of Board's Proceedings, No. 207, dated 11th July 1895, approved in G.O., No. 541, Revenue Department, dated 13th August 1895.

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Average.	Actuals.		
	1894-95.	1893-94.	1892-93.
Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
512	529	499	507
760	1,308	438	533
119	189	122	48
1,705	2,232	1,164	1,719
833	732	1,149	618
3,929	4,990	3,372	3,425
34	31	45	25
20	28	24	9
141	181	243	8
79	114	115	
142	169	109	147
416	523	536	189
17	10	14	20
	6	1	
17	16	15	20
..	..	..	..
..	..	..	8
..	..	..	8
3	..	..	

DETAILED ACCOUNT No. 26F.—SCIENTIFIC, ETC., DEPTS.—Experimental Cultivation.				
Improvement of Agriculture and Trade.				
Distribution of seeds, &c.				
Farm-schools				

No. 26F.—SCIENTIFIC, ETC., DEPTS.—Experimental Cultivation.									
Improvement of Agriculture and Trade.	}	1,000		(l) 600					
Distribution of seeds, &c.		..	..	..					
Farm-schools		..	..	..					
TOTAL ..		10,000		(m) ..		1,000		158	
			11,000			(m) 10,000		..	
					600		11,000		158

(2) The actuals up to date amounted to about Rs. 380.

(d) The actuals up to date amounted to about Rs. 380.

(m) The sanctioned grant of Rs. 10,000 on account of farm-schools has been struck out in the revised estimates, as it is not likely that the farm-schools will be started this year; the amount has, however, been repeated for next year.

EXPENDITURE.

DETAILED ACCOUNT No. 26K.—SCIENTIFIC, ETC., DEPARTMENTS—Provincial Statistics.

			Numbers.	Budget Estimate, 1896-97.		Revised Estimate, 1895-96.		Budget Estimate, 1895-96.		Accounts, 1894-95.	
			1895-96.	1896-97.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.
REGISTRATION OF ROAD TRAFFIC LAND TRADE.											
Establishment—	55		Clerks 8 (15), 3 (12), 4 (11), 17 (10), 4 (9), 10 (8), 4 (7), 2 (6), 3 (5)		6,500		6,300		6,492		7,271
Supplies and Services—									1,508		
Contingencies—			Temporary sheds, &c.		1,500		1,200				
TOTAL LAND TRADE REGISTRATION ..						8,000		(a) 7,500		8,000	
REGISTRATION OF RAIL-BORNE TRAFFIC.											
Establishments—	13	13	Clerks (50), (40), (30), 5 (20), 2 (17½), 2 (15), (12½)		(c) 3,570		(c) 3,580		4,950		(b) 6,130
			Servant		72		72		72		
	1	1	Special establishment for the preparation of Rail-borne Traffic Returns of the East Coast Railway		720		(d) 840		720		
REGISTRATION CHARGES.						4,362		4,492		5,742	
Supplies and Services—			House-rent		(e) 144		(e) 144		..		
Contingencies—			Service Postage, &c.		194		64		158		
TOTAL RAIL-BORNE TRAFFIC ..						338		208		158	
TOTAL RAIL-BORNE TRAFFIC ..						4,700		4,700		5,900	6,130
BIRTH AND DEATH REGISTRATION—District Charges.											
Establishments—	40	40	Clerks (30) and (15) for all the districts except Madras and Nilgiris		10,800		10,800		10,800		10,716
Contingencies—			Service Postage, &c.		200		200		200		103
TOTAL BIRTH AND DEATH REGISTRATION ..						11,000		11,000		11,000	10,819
RAIN GAUGES.											
Salaries—	1	1	Meteorological Reporter (150)		1,800		1,800		1,800		1,800
Establishments—	1	1	Clerk (20—2—30)		360	1,800	360	1,800	360	1,800	1,800
Contingencies—			Meteorological Reporter { Service postage		40	360	360	360	360	360	360
			{ Service telegrams		10		40		40		65
			{ House-rent		(f) 600		10		10		..
			{ Books, &c.		190		190		190		73
Collectors.						840		840		240	138
Supplies and Services—			Compensation for lands		300		1,000		1,000		344
			Petty construction and repairs		450		..		..		325
			Bottle gauges for villages		..		..		..		361
Contingencies—			Service Postage, &c.		250	750	500	1,000	500	1,000	1,030
						(g) 1,000		1,500		1,500	1,075
TOTAL RAIN GAUGES ..						4,000		4,500		3,900	3,373
TOTAL PROVINCIAL STATISTICS ..						27,700		27,700		28,800	27,593

EXPLANATORY REMARKS.

(a) At the end of 1894-95, the registration of road traffic was closed at 17 out of 26 stations and 17 fresh stations were selected in their stead. The establishment sanctioned for 1895-96 is as shown below:—

	A month.
Clerks 4 (15), 8 (12), 20 (10), 3 (9), 12 (8)	RS. 479
Peons 4 (7), 2 (6), 2 (5)	50
	529 or Rs. 6,348, a year.

Adding for the cost of sheds and contingencies, Rs. 7,500 have been provided in the revised estimate.

(b) Includes expenditure reported by the Accountant-General on account of the establishment working in Bombay, Dharwar and Secunderabad.

(c) The decrease in the revised and budget estimates over the sanctioned grant is due to the fact that the Examiner of Guaranteed Railway Accounts, Bombay, has excluded from his estimates the salary of the establishment working in Bombay, Dharwar and Secunderabad amounting to Rs. 135 a month or Rs. 1,620 a year as per margin, which is paid at those treasuries. The provision, however, includes the pay of the Statistical clerk employed in the Madras branch office on account of the Bombay Government in connection with the registration of rail-borne trade.

(d) Includes charges for January and February 1895 drawn in the current year.

(e) House-rent of Rs. 12 per mensem sanctioned in G.O., No. 3836, Revenue Department, dated 23rd September 1895.

Bombay Office.		RS.
1 Clerk at Rs. 25		25
2 Clerks at Rs. 20 each		40
Dharwar Office.		RS.
1 Clerk on Rs. 25		25
1 Clerk on Rs. 20		20
Secunderabad Office.		RS.
1 Clerk on Rs. 25		25
		135

Birth and Death Registration.				
Average.	Actuals.			
	1894-95.	1893-94.	1892-93.	
RS. 115	RS. 103	RS. 127	RS. Not available.	

(f) Included as directed in G.O., No. 428, Financial, dated 31st May 1896.

(g) For 1896-97, the Collectors estimate the expenditure at Rs. 874. A round sum of Rs. 1,000 is provided. Rs. 300 is provided under compensation for land against Rs. 344 actually paid in 1894-95 and Rs. 510 in 1893-94. As the gauges must now have been fixed in most places, a smaller provision is considered sufficient for next year. For petty repairs to rain gauge pillars, fences, &c., a sum of Rs. 450 is provided at about Rs. 20 roughly for each district.

EXPENDITURE.

DETAILED ACCOUNT No. 32C.—MISCELLANEOUS—Petty Establishments.

		Numbers.				Budget Estimate, 1896-97.		Revised Estimate, 1895-96.		Budget Estimate, 1895-96.		Accounts, 1894-95.	
		1895-96.	1896-97.			RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.
PROVINCIAL.													
Establishments for Stamping Weights and Measures.													
Madras.													
Establishment—	1	1	Head Tester (35)	420		420		420		420		420	
	1	1	Tester Smith (15)	180		180		180		180		180	
	1	1	Iron-smith (10)	120		120		120		120		120	
	2	2	Servants (Rs. 7 each)	168		168		168		168		168	
Contingencies—			Contingencies	888		888		888		888		888	
				212	1,100	212	1,100	212	1,100	150	1,038		
Mofussil Establishments.													
Establishment—	61	61	Clerks and Accountants (23), (20), (18), 7 (15), 21 (12), 23 (10), 2 (9), 5 (7)	701	16,748	16,748	17,406	15,720					
	74	74	Maistries or Smiths 14 (12), 20 (10), 5 (9), 25 (8), 6 (7), 2 (6), (5), (3)	675									
	17	17	Servants and Bellowsmen (6), 9 (5), (4), 3 (3), 3 (1½)	68½									
			(b) A month = 1,444½ A year = 17,334										
Contingencies—			Contingencies	1,152	17,900	1,152	17,900	794	(a) 2,902	18,622			
			Total Stamping Weights and Measures.		19,000		(c) 19,000		19,300		19,660		

EXPLANATORY REMARKS.

(a) Includes Rs. 1,779 and Rs. 61 on account of standard weights and measures supplied by the Public Works Workshops to the Collectors of Vizagapatam and Salem, respectively, and also Rs. 95-7-0 on account of 15 Madras measures supplied by the above Workshops to the Collector of Malabar for conducting crop experiments. As the last item is not a charge connected with stamping operations, the Collector has been requested to make the necessary adjustment in communication with the Accountant-General.

(b) Exclusive of Vizagapatam and Salem, for which districts, the scale of establishment has not been given. The Collectors of these districts, however, provide Rs. 450 and Rs. 500, respectively, both in the revised and budget estimates. The Collector of Vizagapatam states that the establishment being temporary and fluctuating, the scale cannot be given, while the Collector of Salem reports that fees not exceeding Rs. 25 per mensem are paid to maistries. The estimates of the lump sums provided for these districts. In some of the other districts also, the provision made by the Collectors is less than the cost calculated according to the scale. This is due to the fact that a portion of the staff may not be entertained for the whole year.

(c) The revised estimate of charges proposed by the Collectors amounts to Rs. 19,104 against the sanctioned grant of Rs. 19,300. The decrease occurs chiefly in Vizagapatam and Kurnool, and is due, in the former case, to the cost of establishment having been reduced, so that it may not exceed the probable receipts which will be diminished owing to a reduction in the scale of fees for stamping weights and measures. In the Kurnool district, the decrease is due to the additional hand sanctioned for the Cumbum division not having been entertained. As usual, Ganjam is the only district in which the charges exceed the receipts. Owing to the reluctance of the Uriyas to get their weights and measures stamped, the collections from fees are generally poor in this district.

The actuals under "Contingencies" for the last three years for "Registration of road and rail-borne traffic" and for "Rain gauges" not being separately available, they have not been shown in the estimates against those items. Particulars of provision for "Contingencies under the heads "Registration of road and rail-borne traffic," "Birth and death registration" and "stamping weights and measures," &c., have not yet been received completely; and will, when received, be submitted to Government.

Average.	Actuals,			rs.
	1894-95.	1893-94.	1892-93.	
rs. 267	rs. 150	rs. 385	rs.	Figures separately for contingencies not available.
1,909	2,902	915	Do.	
2,176	3,052	1,300	..	

APPENDIX I.

STAMPING Weights and Measures—Receipts.

Districts.	Actuals of 1894-95.	Sanctioned grant for 1895-96.	Budget estimate for 1896-97	
			Of Collectors.	Of the Board.
	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.
Ganjām	156	350	350	350
Vizagapatam	317	750	600	500
Godāvari	159	500	500	400
Kistna	944	800	950	900
Nellore	839	500	600	600
Cuddapah	1,575	1,800	1,400	1,400
Anantapur	347	360	400	400
Bellary	305	340	300	330
Kurnool	946	1,100	800	800
Madras	1,511	1,500	1,500	1,500
Chingleput	1,198	1,200	1,300	1,220
North Arcot	2,804	3,300	3,000	3,000
South Arcot	1,443	1,500	1,400	1,400
Tanjore	2,156	2,250	2,200	2,200
Trichinopoly	1,143	800	1,000	1,000
Madura	2,319	2,300	2,300	2,300
Tinnevely	2,566	2,400	2,500	2,450
Coimbatore	870	700	750	700
Nilgiris	..	..	..	..
Salem	679	500	500	550
Malabar	..	..	..	..
South Canara	446	550	500	500
Total	22,723	23,500	22,850	22,500

APPENDIX II.

Stock Inspectors.	Date of appoint- ment.	Amount required for 1896-97 on account of			Remarks.
		Salaries.	Travelling allowances.	Conti- nencies.	
		RS.	RS.	RS.	
1. K. Padmanabhaya ..	16th July 1884.	1,200	400	28	
2. M. Venkataramana Sastri.	1st " "	1,200	400	26	
3. A. Canthaya Mudaliar ..	26th " "	600	120	26	On furlough for one year from 22nd October 1895.
4. B. K. Santayya	25th Sept. "	1,028	330	26	On furlough for one year from 14th June 1895.
5. K. Setu Row	19th Jan. 1885.	1,200	400	26	
6. C. Viswanatha Aiyar ..	8th July "	1,200	400	26	
7. V. P. Subramania Mudaliar	Do. "	1,200	300	26	Being Head-quarter Inspector, he may not have to travel fre- quently.
8. V. Sithamber Devoo ..	13th July 1886.	1,090	400	26	At Rs. 75 up to 12th July 1896 and at Rs. 100 from 13th July 1896.
9. G. Rangiah Naidu ..	24th " "	1,081	400	26	At Rs. 75 up to 23rd July 1896 and at Rs. 100 from 24th July 1896.
10. M. Hassan Ali Sahib ..	11th Aug. "	1,067	400	26	At Rs. 75 up to 10th August 1896 and at Rs. 100 from 11th August 1896.
11. V. Chokalingam Pillai ..	6th July 1889.	900	350	26	
12. R. Kanniah Naidu ..	14th Oct. "	900	350	26	
13. Moses Abraham	27th Mar. 1890.	900	350	26	
Total		13,566	4,600	340	

APPENDIX III.
STAMPING Weights and Measures—Charges.

Districts.	Sanctioned grant for 1895-96.			Revised estimate for 1895-96.			Budget estimate for 1896-97.		
	Actuals of 1894-95.			Of Collectors			Of Collectors		
	Establishment.	Contingencies.	Total.	Establishment.	Contingencies.	Total.	Establishment.	Contingencies.	Total.
Ganjām ..	480	80	560	480	80	560	480	80	560
Vizagapatam ..	153	60	213	450	50	500	510	50	560
Godāvari ..	145	30	175	370	30	400	370	30	400
Kistna ..	711	44	755	756	44	800	756	44	800
Nellore ..	310	30	340	400	30	430	400	30	430
Cuddapah ..	1,177	30	1,207	1,320	30	1,350	1,320	30	1,350
Anantapur ..	260	..	260	360	..	360	370	..	370
Bellary ..	300	30	330	300	30	330	300	30	330
Kurnool ..	657	100	757	550	50	600	550	50	600
Madras ..	888	212	1,100	888	212	1,100	888	212	1,100
Chingleput ..	770	40	810	890	50	940	890	50	940
North Arcot ..	2,872	50	2,922	2,990	10	3,000	2,990	10	3,000
South Arcot ..	816	6	822	1,230	30	1,260	1,230	30	1,260
Tanjore ..	1,253	6	1,259	1,224	6	1,230	1,224	6	1,230
Trichinopoly ..	600	50	650	650	50	700	650	50	700
Madura ..	1,868	53	1,921	1,884	66	1,950	1,884	66	1,950
Tinnevely ..	2,070	175	2,245	2,000	220	2,220	2,000	220	2,220
Coimbatore ..	536	32	568	564	36	600	564	36	600
Salem ..	611	128	739	500	50	550	500	50	550
South Canara ..	240	240	480	240	210	450	240	210	450
Total ..	16,808	8,052	24,860	17,750	1,354	19,104	17,746	1,364	19,050
									19,000

* Includes Rs. 95-7-0 on account of 15 Madras measures supplied by the Public Works Workshops to the Collector of Malabar for conducting crop experiments. As this is not a charge connected with stamping operations, the Collector has been requested to make the necessary adjustment in communication with the Accountant-General.

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DECEMBER.

**Budget Estimates of Receipts and
Charges.**

Accepting the — of Scientific and other Minor
Departments for 1896-97.

No. 765, REVENUE, 23RD NOVEMBER 1895.

GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.
REVENUE DEPARTMENT.

READ—the following Proceedings of the Board of Revenue (Revenue Settlement, Land Records and Agriculture), No. 347, dated 31st October 1895 :—

Read—Revised Estimates of Receipts and Charges for the current year and the Budget Estimates for the ensuing year (1896-97) for such of the items under "Scientific and other Minor Departments" and "Miscellaneous" as are under the control of this department.

Resolution—No. 347, dated 31st October 1895.

The above budgets will be submitted to Government, Revenue Department. The budget relating to the Civil Veterinary Department was not received from the Superintendent (who joined his appointment only on 26th September 1895) till the night of 25th instant. Even then the budget was incomplete, provision for mule-breeding, &c., not having been made.

(True Copy and Extract.)

(Signed) P. RAJARATNA MUDALIAR,
Secretary.

To the Secretary to Government, Revenue Department.
" the Superintendent, Civil Veterinary Department.
" the Examiner of Guaranteed Railway Accounts, Bombay.
" the Examiner of Accounts, East Coast Railway.
" the Meteorological Reporter to the Government of Madras.
" all Collectors.
" the Accountant-General.

ORDER—No. 765, Revenue, dated 23rd November 1895.

Miscellaneous.

The Board's estimates are approved and will be transferred to the Financial Department, subject to the following remarks and modifications :—

(1) The proposal to debit the cost of the section cutter, entertained to assist Mr. Middlemiss, to the head "Exploration of petroleum, coal and minerals" is accepted.

(2) The provision made in the budget estimates for 1896-97 on account of a Veterinary Assistant for the Saidapet College of Agriculture will be omitted with reference to paragraph 4 of the letter from the Government of India No. 1434-19-4, dated 17th September 1895, * as the post is not likely to be filled up during the ensuing year, whatever may be the ultimate decision in regard to its creation.

(3) Even if it be decided to abolish the separate appointment of Deputy Superintendent, Civil Veterinary Department, with reference to paragraph 3 of the letter from the Supreme Government already quoted, the post may be merged, in the class of Veterinary Assistants and the provision made by the Board on the above account will therefore be allowed to stand.

(4) It is presumed that the provision made on account of the cost of transport of the four donkey stallions and their keep and other charges includes the travelling expenses and salaries payable to the men who accompany the stallions from Babugarh in accordance with the proposal approved in G.O., No. 4050, dated 9th October 1895.

(True Extract.)

Secretary to Government.

To the Board of Revenue (Revenue Settlement,
Land Records and Agriculture).

" the Financial Department
" the Accountant-General.

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APPENDIX.

RECEIPTS.

XXI.—SCIENTIFIC AND OTHER MINOR DEPARTMENTS.

	Detailed Account No.	Budget Estimate, 1896-97.	Revised Estimate, 1895-96.	Budget Estimate, 1895-96.	Accounts, 1894-95.
<i>PROVINCIAL.</i>					
Veterinary and Stallion Receipts	XXIC	Rs. (d) ..	Rs. (b) 850	Rs. 20	Rs. (a) 15
Receipts on account of Experimental Cultivation ..		(d) ..	..	..	(c) 1
Receipts on account of Public Exhibitions and Fairs..		(d) ..	..	..	..
<i>TOTAL PROVINCIAL</i> ..		..	850	20	16

DETAILED ACCOUNT No. XXIC.—SCIENTIFIC, ETC., DEPTS.—Receipts on account of Experimental Cultivation.

Saidapet Farm	..	..	..	..
Other Agricultural Services	..	..	..	..
Miscellaneous	..	..	..	1
<i>TOTAL</i> ..	..	..	..	1

DETAILED ACCOUNT No. XXVE.—MISCELLANEOUS—Miscellaneous Fees, Fines and Forfeitures.

<i>PROVINCIAL.</i>				
Fees for Stamping Weights and Measures	..	22,500	23,000	23,500
				22,723

		EXPLANATORY REMARKS.			
(a) Sale-proceeds of manure of Government stallions.					Rs. A. P.
(b) Details—					
Sale-proceeds of stallion No. 10	..	..	..	..	360 2 7
Do. do. No. 12	..	..	..	..	279 14 10
Do. of Veterinary medicines	..	..	..	..	155 8 5
Do. of unserviceable office furniture	..	..	..	..	17 15 0
				Total ..	813 8 10

The revised estimate is accordingly fixed at Rs. 850.
 (c) Sale-proceeds of "Essays" on the best method of planting and plantations in India.
 (d) No data exist for framing an estimate of the receipts under these heads during 1896-97.

The actuals of the first five months of this year amounted to Rs. 9,760, which gives an average of Rs. 1,952 a month. If this rate is maintained in the next seven months, the receipts for the whole year would be Rs. 23,424. Adding the actuals of the first five months of this year to the actuals of the last seven months of last year, the total comes to Rs. 23,179. The revised estimate may be fixed at Rs. 23,000 or only Rs. 42 less than the Collectors' estimates. The budget estimate for 1896-97 is fixed at Rs. 500 below the revised figures, as the rate of fees for stamping has been ordered to be reduced in Vizagapatam and Cuddapah, and similar reductions may also be sanctioned in some other districts. The actual receipts in the past three years amounted to Rs. 21,453 in 1892-93, Rs. 22,910 in 1893-94 and Rs. 22,723 in 1894-95.

EXPENDITURE.

26.—SCIENTIFIC AND OTHER MINOR DEPARTMENTS.

	Detailed Account No.	Budget Estimate, 1896-97.	Revised Estimate, 1896-96.	Budget Estimate, 1895-96.	Accounts, 1894-95.
IMPERIAL.					
Veterinary and Stallion Charges	26A	RS. 9,300	RS. 7,900	RS. 8,000	RS. 7,043
TOTAL IMPERIAL ..		9,300	7,900	8,000	7,043
PROVINCIAL.					
Exploration of Petroleum, Coal and Minerals		(a) 300	(a) 200		
Experimental Cultivation	26F	11,000	600	11,000	158
Public Exhibitions and Fairs		2,000	(b) 1,700	2,000	1,328
Veterinary and Stallion Charges	26A	41,800	34,100	40,600	25,199
Provincial Statistics	26K	27,700	27,700	28,600	27,593
TOTAL PROVINCIAL ..		82,800	64,300	82,400	54,278
TOTAL ..		94,300	72,200	90,400	61,321

DETAILED ACCOUNT No. 26A.—SCIENTIFIC, ETC., DEPARTMENTS—Veterinary and Stallion Charges.

Numbers.			Budget Estimate, 1896-97.	Revised Estimate, 1895-96.	Budget Estimate, 1895-96.	Accounts, 1894-95.	
1895-96. 1896-97.			RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	
IMPERIAL.							
VETERINARY AND STALLION CHARGES.							
Salaries—	1	1	Superintendent, Civil Veterinary Department (650)	(d) 7,800	(e) 6,650	6,600	6,047
	1	1	Exchange Compensation Allowance	1,500	1,250	1,279	996
			Add for rounding	..	..	121	..
TOTAL IMPERIAL ..			9,300	7,900	8,000	7,043	
PROVINCIAL.							
VETERINARY HOSPITAL.							
....							
....							
		Lamp provision	(f) 4,300	(e) ..	4,300	..	
			4,300	..	4,300	..	
PONY-BREEDING CHARGES.							
Establishment—	5	5	1. District charges .. { Coimbatore	(g) 240	(g) 220	360	..
			{ Salem	(h) 720	705	720	720
Allowances—			2. Travelling allowance .. { Coimbatore	100	80	140	..
			{ Salem	80	70	80	4
Supplies—			3. Feeding charges { Coimbatore	3,160	2,500	2,150	2,005
			{ Salem	1,900	1,400	2,150	1,522
			4. Keep of ponies whilst { Coimbatore	100	50	100	..
			{ Salem	250	(k) 250	150	185
			5. Purchase of ponies	(m) 1,800	(l) 3,600	3,600	1,845
			6. Rewards for castration	50	25	50	28
			7. Petty construction and repairs	200	(n) 300	200	178
			8,600	9,200	9,700	6,487	
MULE-BREEDING CHARGES.							
Supplies—			1. Purchase of Donkey stallions including forwarding charges	..	(o) 1,900	..	..
			2. Maintenance of Donkey stallions	(q) 1,070	(p) 500	..	..
			3. Stabling charges	..	600	..	..
			4. Fees for first forty foals	(q) 1,000	..	..	..
			5. Prizes at shows	(r) 180	..	..	..
			2,250	3,000	..	..	

EXPLANATORY REMARKS.

(a) A section-cutter on Rs. 25 per mensem has been sanctioned in G.O., No. 3065, Revenue Department, dated 31st July 1895, to assist Mr. Middlemiss in connection with microscopical examination; but the sub-head under "26. Scientific and other minor departments" against which the charge should be debited has not been stated in the above G.O. Provision to meet this expenditure has, however, been made in the revised and budget estimates against item "Exploration of petroleum, coal and minerals."

(b) The actuals up to date amounted to Rs. 920 and included the cost of the Tiruppur pony show, and travelling allowances to the Judges who attended that show, as well as the Mécheri show held in March last, drawn in this year. The next pony show will be held at Adamancottah, Salem district, at the end of March 1896 and for this Rs. 800 have been allowed. The revised estimate is accordingly fixed at Rs. 1,700.

N.B.—The other items are explained in separate statements.

(c) The increase of Rs. 50 is the net result of an increase of Rs. 380 due chiefly to Veterinary Lieutenant Clarke's pay for the period prior to his joining his appointment in this Presidency (i.e., from 1st to 25th September 1895) having been drawn in Madras, and of a decrease of Rs. 330 due to the post of the Superintendent having remained vacant from 8th to 25th September 1895.

(d) Provision has been made for Veterinary-Lieutenant C. B. M. Harris's pay at Rs. 650 a month, the pay he drew before going on leave.

(e) The sanctioned grant (Rs. 4,300) will not be utilized this year.

(f) The sanctioned grant is repeated on the assumption that Veterinary hospitals will be started next year.

(g) Decrease due to reduction in the pay of the salustri from Rs. 30 to Rs. 20.

(h) Two salustries at Rs. 20 each, and two pupil salustries at Rs. 10 each.

(i) Decrease over the sanctioned grant due to two stallions having been sold, and fresh ones not having been purchased as yet.

(j) Increase due to increased number of stallions to be maintained (10 in Coimbatore and 6 in Salem). Provision includes also cost of purchase of stable gear, syces' clothing, medicines, &c.

(k) Increase in Salem due to the large number of ponies castrated.

(l) Out of 12 stallions that remained at the end of 1894-95, two were sold as unfit for service. Six more stallions will be purchased during the current year (G.O., No. 827, Revenue, dated 21st November 1894).

(m) Provision is made for probable purchase of three new stallions in place of those that may be found useless for covering.

(n) The actuals up to date amounted to Rs. 208.

(o) Provision made with reference to G.O., No. 3546, Revenue Department, dated 30th August 1895, including forwarding charges, &c., to and from Babugarh.

(p) For three months in this year inclusive of stable gear.

(q) Paragraphs 8 and 9 of Board's Proceedings, No. 207, dated 11th July 1895, approved in G.O., No. 541, Revenue Department, dated 13th August 1895.

EXPENDITURE.

DETAILED ACCOUNT No. 26A.—SCIENTIFIC, ETC., DEPT.—Veterinary and Stallion Charges—cont.

Numbers.			BUDGET ESTIMATE, 1896-97. REVISED ESTIMATE, 1895-96. BUDGET ESTIMATE, 1895-96. ACCOUNTS, 1894-95.									
			CIVIL VETERINARY DEPARTMENT.									
			(Prevention of Cattle Disease.)									
Salaries—	1	1	Deputy Superintendent (150—10—200)	RS. (a) 1,990	RS. 1,870	RS. 1,870	RS. 1,757	RS. 1,757	RS. 1,757	RS. 1,757	RS. 1,757	
	1	1	Assistant (200—10—250)	(b) ..	1,870	2,200	1,757	1,757	1,757	1,757	1,757	
	13	13	Stock Inspectors 9 (100), 4 (75)	(c) 13,570	(e) 12,080	13,330	10,792	10,792	10,792	10,792	10,792	
Establishments—	1	1	Clerk (35)	420	420	420	420	420	420	420	420	
	1	1	Compounder (25)	300	300	300	300	300	300	300	300	
	4	4	Servants 2 (7), 2 (6)	(f) 312	(f) 297	240	214	214	214	214	214	
Allowances—			House-rent allowance of the Superintendent.	600	570	600	529	529	529	529	529	
			Travelling allowance of Superintendent	2,400	(h) 1,000	2,400	1,308	1,308	1,308	1,308	1,308	
			Do. of Establishment	400	(i) 130	400	189	189	189	189	189	
			Do. of Stock Inspectors	(j) 4,600	(j) 3,900	2,710	2,232	2,232	2,232	2,232	2,232	
			Do. of Deputy Superintendent	1,000	1,000	1,000	732	732	732	732	732	
			OF SUPERINTENDENT.									
Contingencies—			Service postage	150	150	150	31	31	31	31	31	
			Service telegrams	40	25	40	28	28	28	28	28	
			Books costing Re. 1 and more	15	50	40	181	181	181	181	181	
			Periodicals and newspapers	125	125	40	114	114	114	114	114	
			Conveyance of tents by rail and cart expenses, &c.	223	248	40	169	169	169	169	169	
			Binding books, &c.	25	25	40	169	169	169	169	169	
			Carriage of stationery, &c.	15	15	40	169	169	169	169	169	
			Cooly-hire (local)	10	10	40	169	169	169	169	169	
			Honorarium for conducting examination of Stock Inspectors for promotion	50	50	40	169	169	169	169	169	
			Conveyance of office record box by rail or cart while on tour	30	30	40	169	169	169	169	169	
				683	(k) 713	650	523	523	523	523	523	
				35	20	40	16	16	16	16	16	
				340	200	390	..	..	..	..	..	
				..	..	40,550	..	..	..	..	..	
				41,800	34,100	40,600	25,199	25,199	25,199	25,199	25,199	
			TOTAL VETERINARY AND STALLION CHARGES, IMPERIAL AND PROVINCIAL									
			51,100	42,000	48,600	32,242	32,242	32,242	32,242	32,242	32,242	

DETAILED ACCOUNT No. 26F.—SCIENTIFIC, ETC., DEPTS.—Experimental Cultivation.

Improvement of Agriculture and Trade ..	1,000	(l) 600	1,000	158
Distribution of seeds, &c. ..	10,000	(m) ..	(m) 10,000	..
Farm-schools ..	..	..	..	..
TOTAL ..	11,000	600	11,000	158

EXPLANATORY REMARKS.				
Average.	1894-95.	1893-94.	1892-93.	
RS. 512	RS. 529	RS. 499	RS. 507	(a) Increase due to increment.
760	1,308	438	533	(b) No provision has been made for the pay of an Assistant with reference to paragraph 4 of the letter from the Government of India, No. 1434—19-4, dated 17th September 1895. No special provision for the pay of a Senior Veterinary Assistant, 3rd Grade (G.O., No. 666, Revenue Department, dated 17th September 1894) is necessary, pending sanction of the Government of India for the creation of the post, as the selected Stock Inspectors are already drawing Rs. 100.
119	189	122	48	(c) Decrease due to following causes:—
1,705	2,232	1,164	1,719	(1) Grant of furlough to two Stock Inspectors; (2) Increment to certain Stock Inspectors having been sanctioned only from 8th June and 8th July 1895 instead of from the beginning of the year as originally expected; (3) Pay of a Stock Inspector for March and April 1895 having been drawn in March last in advance.
833	732	1,149	618	(d) Increase due to increment to be granted to certain Stock Inspectors on passing their examination next year.
3,929	4,900	3,372	3,425	(e) Provision has been struck out as the post will not be filled up.
34	31	45	25	(f) Includes pay of a peon sanctioned for the Deputy Superintendent, Civil Veterinary Department, in G.O., No. 1600, Revenue Department, dated 23rd April 1895.
20	28	24	9	(g) Decrease due to savings consequent on the post remaining vacant from 8th to 25th September 1895.
141	181	243	8	(h) Decrease due to the fact that the Superintendent, Civil Veterinary Department, did not do much touring in the first six months. The actuals up to date amounted to only Rs. 327, and provision has been made for the next five months at the rate of Rs. 140 a month.
79	114	115	..	(i) Decrease due to cause (h).
142	169	109	147	(j) Increase in the revised and budget estimates due to extended touring of Stock Inspectors in connection with Bacteriological investigation, cattle fairs, &c. The actuals up to date amounted to Rs. 1,686, exclusive of bills for Rs. 236, remaining to be cashed.
416	523	536	189	(k) Increase due to provision having been made for (1) Books costing Re. 1 and more (Medical Dictionary Rs. 9; Hamilton's Pathology Rs. 30). Sanction for the latter book will be separately applied for; (2) Periodicals and newspapers to meet the cost of Veterinary Journals, &c.; (3) Conveyance of tents (Rs. 248). This charge was hitherto included under the travelling allowances of the Superintendent and has now been shown under contingencies under instructions from the Accountant-General. The actuals up to date amounted to Rs. 110; (4) Honorarium to Veterinary-Captain Hazelton for conducting examination of Stock Inspectors for promotion.
17	10	14	20	
17	6	..	..	
17	16	15	20	
..	..	..	..	
..	..	..	..	
3	..	..	8	

(l) The actuals up to date amounted to about Rs. 380.

(m) The sanctioned grant of Rs. 10,000 on account of farm-schools has been struck out in the revised estimates, as it is not likely that the farm-schools will be started this year; the amount has, however, been repeated for next year.

EXPENDITURE.

DETAILED ACCOUNT No. 26K.—SCIENTIFIC, ETC., DEPARTMENTS—Provincial Statistics.

		Numbers.		Budget Estimate, 1896-97.		Revised Estimate, 1895-96.		Budget Estimate, 1895-96.		Accounts, 1894-95.	
		1895-96.	1896-97.								
REGISTRATION OF ROAD TRAFFIC LAND TRADE.											
Establishment—	55		Clerks 8 (15), 3 (12), 4 (11), 17 (10), 4 (9), 10 (8), 4 (7), 2 (6), 3 (5)	6,500		6,300		6,492		7,271	
Supplies and Services—			Temporary sheds, &c.	1,500		1,200		1,508			
Contingencies—			TOTAL LAND TRADE REGISTRATION ..		8,000		(a) 7,500		8,000		7,271
REGISTRATION OF RAIL-BORNE TRAFFIC.											
Establishments—	13	13	Clerks (50), (40), (30), 5 (20), 2 (17½), 2 (15), (12½)	(c) 3,570		(c) 3,580		4,950		(d) 6,130	
	1	1	Servant	72		72		72			
			Special establishment for the preparation of Rail-borne Traffic Returns of the East Coast Railway	720		(d) 840		720			
REGISTRATION CHARGES.											
Supplies and Services—			House-rent	(e) 144		(e) 144		..			
Contingencies—			Service Postage, &c.	194		64		158			
			TOTAL RAIL-BORNE TRAFFIC ..		4,700		4,700		5,900		6,130
BIRTH AND DEATH REGISTRATION—											
District Charges.											
Establishments—	40	40	Clerks (30) and (15) for all the districts except Madras and Nilgiris	10,800		10,800		10,800		10,716	
Contingencies—			Service Postage, &c.	200		200		200		103	
			TOTAL BIRTH & DEATH REG.		11,000		11,000		11,000		10,819
RAIN GAUGES.											
Salaries—	1	1	Meteorological Reporter (150)	1,800		1,800		1,800		1,800	
Establishments—	1	1	Clerk (20—2—30)	360	1,800	360	1,800	1,800	360	360	1,800
Contingencies—			Meteorological Reporter { Service postage .. 40 Service telegrams .. 10 House-rent .. (f) 600 Books, &c. .. 190	840	360	40 10 (f) 600 190	360	40 10 .. 190	360	65 73	360
Collectors.											
Supplies and Services—			Compensation for lands	300		1,000		1,000		344	
			Petty construction and repairs	450		..		..		325	
Contingencies—			Bottle gauges for villages	..		..		..		361	
			Service Postage, &c.	250	750	500	1,000	500	1,000	45	1,030
			TOTAL RAIN GAUGES ..		(g) 1,000		1,500		1,500		1,075
TOTAL RAIN GAUGES ..											
Total Provincial Statistics											

EXPLANATORY REMARKS.

(a) At the end of 1894-95, the registration of road traffic was closed at 17 out of 26 stations and 17 fresh stations were selected in their stead. The establishment sanctioned for 1895-96 is as shown below:—

Bombay Office.		RS.
1 Clerk at Rs. 25	..	25
2 Clerks at Rs. 20 each	..	40
Dharwar Office.		RS.
1 Clerk on Rs. 25	..	25
1 Clerk on Rs. 20	..	20
Secunderabad Office.		RS.
1 Clerk on Rs. 25	..	25
		* 135

A month.
Clerks 4 (15), 8 (12), 20 (10), 3 (9), 12 (8) 479
Peons 4 (7), 2 (6), 2 (5) 50
529 or Rs. 6,343, a year.
Adding for the cost of sheds and contingencies, Rs. 7,500 have been provided in the revised estimate.
(b) Includes expenditure reported by the Accountant-General on account of the establishment working in Bombay, Dharwar and Secunderabad.
(c) The decrease in the revised and budget estimates over the sanctioned grant is due to the fact that the Examiner of Guaranteed Railway Accounts, Bombay, has excluded from his estimates the salary of the establishment working in Bombay, Dharwar and Secunderabad amounting to Rs. 135 * a month or Rs. 1,620 a year as per margin, which is paid at those treasuries. The provision, however, includes the pay of the Statistical clerk employed in the Madras branch office on account of the Bombay Government in connection with the registration of rail-borne trade.
(d) Includes charges for January and February 1895 drawn in the current year.
(e) House-rent of Rs. 12 per mensem sanctioned in G.O., No. 3836, Revenue Department, dated 23rd September 1895.

Birth and Death Registration.			
Average.	Actuals for 1894-95.	Actuals for 1893-94.	Actuals for 1892-93.
RS. 115	RS. 103	RS. 127	RS. Not available.

(f) Included as directed in G.O., No. 428, Financial, dated 31st May 1895.

(g) For 1896-97, the Collectors estimate the expenditure at Rs. 874. A round sum of Rs. 1,000 is provided. Rs. 300 is provided under compensation for land against Rs. 344 actually paid in 1894-95 and Rs. 510 in 1893-94. As the gauges must now have been fixed in most places, a smaller provision is considered sufficient for next year. For petty repairs to rain gauge pillars, fences, &c., a sum of Rs. 450 is provided at about Rs. 20 roughly for each district.

EXPENDITURE.

DETAILED ACCOUNT No. 32C.—MISCELLANEOUS—Petty Establishments.

Numbers.				Budget Estimate, 1896-97.		Revised Estimate, 1895-96.		Budget Estimate, 1895-96.		Accounts, 1894-95.	
				RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.
				1895-96.	1896-97.						
PROVINCIAL.											
Establishments for Stamping Weights and Measures.											
Madras.											
Establishment—											
	1	1	Head Tester (35)	420		420		420		420	
	1	1	Tester Smith (15)	180		180		180		180	
	1	1	Iron-smith (10)	120		120		120		120	
	2	2	Servants (Rs. 7 each)	168		168		168		168	
Contingencies—			Contingencies	888		888		888		888	
				212		212		212		150	
					1,100		1,100		1,100		1,038
Mofussil Establishments.											
	61	61	Clerks and Accountants (23), (20), (18), 7 (15), 21 (12), 23 (10), 2 (9), 5 (7)	701							
	74	74	Maistries or Smiths 14 (12), 20 (10), 5 (9), 25 (8), 6 (7), 2 (6), (5), (3)	675							
	17	17	Servants and Bellowsmen (6), 9 (5), (4), 3 (3), 3 (1½)	68½							
			(b) A month = 1,444½ A year = 17,334	16,748		16,748		17,406		16,720	
Contingencies—			Contingencies	1,152		1,152		794		(a) 2,902	
					17,900		17,900		18,200		18,622
			Total Stamping Weights and Measures.		19,000		(c) 19,000		19,300		19,660

EXPLANATORY REMARKS.

(a) Includes Rs. 1,779 and Rs. 61 on account of standard weights and measures supplied by the Public Works Workshops to the Collectors of Vizagapatam and Salem, respectively, and also Rs. 95-7-0 on account of 15 Madras measures supplied by the above Workshops to the Collector of Malabar for conducting crop experiments. As the last item is not a charge connected with stamping operations, the Collector has been requested to make the necessary adjustment in communication with the Accountant-General.

(b) Exclusive of Vizagapatam and Salem, for which districts, the scale of establishment has not been given. The Collectors of these districts, however, provide Rs. 450 and Rs. 500, respectively, both in the revised and budget estimates. The Collector of Vizagapatam states that the establishment being temporary and fluctuating, the scale cannot be given, while the Collector of Salem reports that fees not exceeding Rs. 25 per mensem are paid to maistries. The estimates of Salem include the lump sums provided for these districts. In some of the other districts also, the provision made by the Collectors is less than the cost calculated according to the scale. This is due to the fact that a portion of the staff may not be entertained for the whole year.

(c) The revised estimate of charges proposed by the Collectors amounts to Rs. 19,104 against the sanctioned grant of Rs. 19,300. The decrease occurs chiefly in Vizagapatam and Kurnool, and is due, in the former case, to the cost of establishment having been reduced, so that it may not exceed the probable receipts which will be diminished owing to a reduction in the scale of fees for stamping weights and measures. In the Kurnool district, the decrease is due to the additional hand sanctioned for the Cumbum division not having been entertained. As usual, Ganjam is the only district in which the charges exceed the receipts. Owing to the reluctance of the Uriyas to get their weights and measures stamped, the collections from fees are generally poor in this district.

The actuals under "Contingencies" for the last three years for "Registration of road and rail-borne traffic" and for "Rain gauges" not being separately available, they have not been shown in the estimates against those items. Particulars of provision for "Contingencies under the heads "Registration of road and rail-borne traffic," "Birth and death registration" and "stamping weights and measures," &c., have not yet been received completely; and will, when received, be submitted to Government.

Average.	Actuals, 1894-95.	Actuals, 1893-94.	Actuals, 1892-93.
RS. 267	RS. 150	RS. 385	RS. Figures separately for contingencies not available.
1,909	2,902	915	Do.
2,176	3,052	1,300	..

APPENDIX I.

STAMPING Weights and Measures—Receipts.

Districts.	Actuals of 1894-95.	Sanctioned grant for 1895-96.	Budget estimate for 1896-97	
			Of Collectors.	Of the Board.
Ganjām	Rs. 156	Rs. 350	Rs. 350	Rs. 350
Vizagapatam	317	750	600	500
Godāvari	159	500	500	400
Kistna	944	800	950	900
Nellore	839	500	600	600
Cuddapah	1,575	1,800	1,400	1,400
Anantapur	347	360	400	400
Bellary	305	340	300	330
Kurnool	946	1,100	800	800
Madras	1,511	1,500	1,500	1,500
Chingleput	1,198	1,200	1,300	1,220
North Arcot	2,804	3,300	3,000	3,000
South Arcot	1,443	1,500	1,400	1,400
Tanjore	2,156	2,250	2,200	2,200
Trichinopoly	1,143	800	1,000	1,000
Madura	2,319	2,300	2,300	2,300
Tinnevely	2,566	2,400	2,500	2,450
Coimbatore	870	700	750	700
Nilgiris	..	..	..	..
Salem	679	500	500	550
Malabar	..	..	..	..
South Canara	446	550	500	500
Total	22,723	23,500	22,850	22,500

APPENDIX II.

Stock Inspectors.	Date of appoint- ment.	Amount required for 1896-97 on account of			Remarks.
		Salaries.	Travelling allowances.	Conti- nencies.	
1. K. Padmanabhaya ..	16th July 1884.	Rs. 1,200	Rs. 400	Rs. 28	On furlough for one year from 22nd October 1895.
2. M. Venkataramana Sastri.	1st " "	1,200	400	26	
3. A. Canthaya Mudaliar ..	26th " "	600	120	26	
4. B. K. Santayya	25th Sept. "	1,028	330	26	On furlough for one year from 14th June 1895.
5. K. Setu Row	19th Jan. 1885.	1,200	400	26	
6. C. Viswanatha Aiyar ..	8th July "	1,200	400	26	
7. V. P. Subramania Mudaliar	Do. "	1,200	300	26	Being Head-quarter Inspector, he may not have to travel fre- quently.
8. V. Sithamber Devoo ..	13th July 1886.	1,090	400	26	
9. G. Rangiah Naidu	24th " "	1,081	400	26	
10. M. Hassan Ali Sahib ..	11th Aug. "	1,067	400	26	At Rs. 75 up to 12th July 1896 and at Rs. 100 from 13th July 1896. At Rs. 75 up to 23rd July 1896 and at Rs. 100 from 24th July 1896. At Rs. 75 up to 10th August 1896 and at Rs. 100 from 11th August 1896.
11. V. Chokalingam Pillai ..	6th July 1889.	900	350	26	
12. R. Kanniah Naidu	14th Oct. "	900	350	26	
13. Moses Abraham	27th Mar. 1890.	900	350	26	
Total		13,566	4,600	340	

APPENDIX III.
STAMPING Weights and Measures—Charges.

Districts.	Budget estimate for 1896-97.					
	Revised estimate for 1895-96.			Budget estimate for 1896-97.		
	Of Collectors		Of the Board	Of Collectors		Of the Board
	Establishment.	Contingencies.	Total.	Establishment.	Contingencies.	Total.
Ganjām	Rs. 480	Rs. 80	Rs. 560	Rs. 480	Rs. 80	Rs. 560
Vizagapatam	450	60	510	450	60	510
Godāvari	370	30	400	370	30	400
Kistna	756	44	800	756	44	800
Nellore	400	30	430	400	30	430
Cuddapah	1,320	30	1,350	1,320	30	1,350
Anantapur	368	30	398	368	30	398
Bellary	300	30	330	300	30	330
Kurnool	300	30	330	300	30	330
Madras	1,088	60	1,148	1,088	60	1,148
Chingleput	880	50	930	880	50	930
North Arcot	2,890	10	2,900	2,890	10	2,900
South Arcot	850	30	880	850	30	880
Tanjore	1,224	6	1,230	1,224	6	1,230
Trichinopoly	650	50	700	650	50	700
Madura	1,884	66	1,950	1,884	66	1,950
Tinnevely	2,000	220	2,220	2,000	220	2,220
Coimbatore	564	36	600	564	36	600
Salem	500	120	620	500	120	620
South Canara	240	210	450	240	210	450
Total	17,636	1,364	19,000	17,636	1,364	19,000
Sanctioned grant for 1896-96.						
Of Collectors			Of the Board	Of Collectors		
Establishment.	Contingencies.	Total.	Establishment.	Contingencies.	Total.	
Rs. 480	Rs. 80	Rs. 560	Rs. 480	Rs. 80	Rs. 560	
1,861	60	1,921	1,861	60	1,921	
74	30	104	74	30	104	
711	44	755	711	44	755	
310	30	340	310	30	340	
1,177	30	1,207	1,177	30	1,207	
260	30	290	260	30	290	
300	30	330	300	30	330	
657	60	717	657	60	717	
888	50	938	888	50	938	
680	10	690	680	10	690	
2,872	5	2,877	2,872	5	2,877	
816	10	826	816	10	826	
1,253	5	1,258	1,253	5	1,258	
600	66	666	600	66	666	
1,868	53	1,921	1,868	53	1,921	
2,070	175	2,245	2,070	175	2,245	
536	32	568	536	32	568	
611	26	637	611	26	637	
128	128	256	128	128	256	
172	172	344	172	172	344	
Total	16,608	3,052	19,660	16,608	3,052	19,660

* Includes Rs. 95-7-0 on account of 15 Madras measures supplied by the Public Works Workshops to the Collector of Malabar for conducting crop experiments. As this is not a charge connected with stamping operations, the Collector has been requested to make the necessary adjustment in communication with the Accountant-General.

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