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Read—Proceedings of the Board of Revenue, *RS. LR Lakshmi*
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W. S. Lakshmi
M. Under Secretary to Government.

To the Board of Revenue. *RS. LR Lakshmi*,
Public Works Dept.
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Abstract of programme of famine relief works in the Salem district for the year 1895-96—cont.

Taluka.	Road works.						Miscellaneous works.						Grand total.				Works for which estimates are ready.	
	New.			Repairs.			Drinking-water supply.		Others.		Total.		Grand total.		Works for which estimates are ready.			
	Number.		Amount.	Number.		Amount.	Number.	Amount.	Number.	Amount.	Number.	Amount.	Number.	Amount.	Number.	Amount.		
	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27			
6. Salem	1	12	3,32,000	22	3,25,500	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	3,200	1	3,200			
	2	..	4,000	23	13,400	..	5,850	25	7,995	73	13,845	26	6,61,000	1	3,32,000			
	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	27,000	..	27,000	..	143	48,025	6	15,115		
7. Attur	3	12	3,36,000	45	3,38,900	48	5,850	25	34,995	73	40,845	170	7,39,225	8	3,50,315			
	..	25	46,700	11	2,27,800	..	..	..	..	..	..	4	3,100	4	3,100			
	..	..	..	..	..	..	250	4	250	7	4,000	43	12,850	..	..			
8. Namakkal	3	25	46,700	11	2,27,800	3	..	..	4,250	7	4,500	70	3,08,450	4	3,100			
	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..			
	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	4,000	..	4,000	..	..	..	..			
9. Tiruchengodu	4	45	1,35,500	16	3,14,500	19	1,270	23	4,955	42	6,225	150	4,75,545	28	4,300			
	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..			
	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..			
9. Tiruchengodu	2	18	56,500	16	3,15,600	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	1,000	1	1,000			
	..	..	..	8	5,700	4	3,375	7	700	11	4,075	18	3,73,100	..	..			
	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	15,000	..	15,000	55	27,380	14	10,085			
District total	2	18	56,500	24	3,22,300	4	3,375	7	15,700	11	19,075	74	4,16,480	15	11,085			
	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..			
	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..			
Grand Total	13	133	6,71,750	130	23,02,850	85	16,395	72	12,550	157	28,945	211	68,500	211	68,500			
	2	..	4,000	31	19,100	..	..	..	66,000	..	66,000	1,106	30,12,800	2	3,44,800			
	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	3,42,575	112	65,990			
Grand Total	15	133	6,76,750	161	23,21,950	85	16,395	72	77,550	157	93,945	1,481	34,88,435	325	4,79,350			

* Municipal Town roads.

A bstract of programme of famine relief works in the Salem district for the year 1895-96—*cont.*

Taluk.	Population by last census in thousands.	Maximum number of persons for whom relief may be required daily in the event of serious famine.	Persons provided for by relief works for three months.			Irrigation works.				Forest fencing works.	
			Class of work.	Number provided for on.	Total per cent. of population.	New.		Repairs.		Number.	Amount.
						Number.	Amount.	Number.	Amount.		
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
6. Salem	417	83,400	Large .. { Sanctioned .. Small .. { Not sanctioned .. Land Improvements ..	427 88,133 6,403 3,600	{ 24 }	.. .. .. ..	.. .. .. ..	1 3 42 ..	Rs. 3,200 8,500 11,665 ..	 3 ..	 5,115 ..
7. Atūr	183	36,600	Large .. { Sanctioned .. Small .. { Not sanctioned .. Land Improvements ..	413 38,467 1,713 533	{ 22 }	.. .. .. ..	.. .. .. ..	4 9 36 ..	3,100 14,000 12,360 ..	.. .. .. ..	.. .. .. ..
8. Nāmakkal	300	60,000	Large .. { Sanctioned .. Small .. { Not sanctioned .. Land Improvements ..	60,307 2,566 533	{ 21 }	.. .. .. ..	.. .. .. ..	2 86	2,300 17,020 .. ..	.. .. .. ..	.. .. .. ..
9. Tiruchengōdu	249	49,800	Large .. { Sanctioned .. Small .. { Not sanctioned .. Land Improvements ..	133 49,747 3,651 2,000	{ 22 }	.. .. .. ..	.. .. .. ..	1 .. 36 ..	1,000 .. 17,605 ..	.. .. .. ..	.. .. .. ..
District total	1,962	392,400	Large .. { Sanctioned .. Small .. { Not sanctioned .. Land Improvements ..	55,531 9,141 401,640 45,676 8,666 465,123	{ 24 }	.. .. .. .. .. ..	.. .. .. .. .. ..	37 211 21 895 .. 1,127	18,605 58,560 37,700 2,61,650 .. 3,67,910	 21	 28,880

Abstract of programme of famine relief works in the Salem district for the year 1895-96--cont.

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APPENDIX.

Form C.—Abstract of programme of famine relief works in the Salem district for the year 1895-96.

BOARD OF REVENUE (REV. SETT., L. RDS. AND AGRI.), 4TH MAY 1895, No. 110. 3

FORM C.—Abstract of programme of famine relief works in the Salem district for the year 1895-96.																
Taluk.	Popula- tion by last census in thousands.	Maximum number of persons for whom relief may be required daily in the event of serious famine.	Persons provided for by relief works for three months.				Total per cent. of population.	Irrigation works.				Repairs.		Forest fencing works.		
			Class of work.	Number provided for on.	4	5		New.	Number.	Amount.	Number.	Amount.	Number.	Am out.		
1	2	3					6	7	8	9	10	11	12			
1. Hosur ..	..	156	Large .. { Sanctioned .. Small .. { Not sanctioned .. Land Improvements ..	44 31,201 4,173 400	..	..	23	..	..	..	1	Rs. 830 .. 24,375 ..	 3 ..	 6,270 ..	..	
2. Dharmapuri ..	..	178	Large .. { Sanctioned .. Small .. { Not sanctioned .. Land Improvements ..	133 36,240 17,457 933	..	..	31	..	..	..	1 3 262 ..	1,000 4,500 1,27,630 ..	.. .. .. ..	.. .. .. ..	..	
3. Krishnagiri ..	..	152	Large .. { Sanctioned .. Small .. { Not sanctioned .. Land Improvements ..	54,763 5,727 32,067 5,314 267	..	..	29	..	..	..	266	1,38,130	..	..	..	
4. Tirupattur ..	..	189	Large .. { Sanctioned .. Small .. { Not sanctioned .. Land Improvements ..	43,375 1,154 37,800 1,046 267	..	..	21	..	..	..	128 1 115 ..	42,950 12,800 38,980 ..	 2 ..	.. .. .. ..	..	
5. Utangarai ..	..	138	Large .. { Sanctioned .. Small .. { Not sanctioned .. Land Improvements ..	40,267 1,110 27,678 3,353 138	..	..	23	..	..	..	244	94,730	2	325	..	
			Taluk total ..	32,274	..	..	..	..	..	..	51	8,655	..	..	..	
											.. 83	4,705	4	340	..	
											..	..	..	..	..	
			Taluk total ..	32,274	..	..	..	..	..	..	134	13,360	4	340	..	
											..	..	..	..	..	
											24	8,325	..	..	..	
											3	600	..	16,830	..	
											64	7,320	9	..	..	
											..	..	..	..	..	
			Taluk total ..	32,274	..	..	..	..	..	..	91	16,245	9	16,830	..	

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Taluk.	Amount of esti- mates that ought to be ready in order to provide employment for 5 per cent. of population for three months.	Amount of estimates ready.	Amount for which esti- mates have yet to be got ready.	Remarks.
1	2	3	4	5
	RS.	RS.	RS.	
Salem ..	1,56,375	3,50,315	..	Rs. 1,93,940 in excess of mini- mum requirements.
Atūr ..	68,625	3,100	65,525	
Namakkal ..	1,12,500	4,300	1,08,200	Rs. 4,440 in excess of minimum requirements.
Tiruchengódu ..	93,375	11,085	82,290	
Hosūr ..	58,500	9,355	49,145	
Dharmapuri ..	66,750	3,630	63,120	
Krishnagiri ..	57,000	61,440	..	
Tirupattūr ..	70,875	9,445	61,430	
Uttangarai ..	51,750	26,680	25,070	
Total ..	7,35,750	4,79,350	2,56,400	

In regard to the simple irrigation works in the Atūr taluk which can be carried out with the ordinary staff, the Tahsildar says that estimates will be ready in a fortnight after notice. He and the other Tahsildars have been directed to have estimates prepared as early as possible for all irrigation works, as well as drinking-water supply and other works mentioned in their programmes.

5. The irrigation works entered in the statement received from the Executive Engineer and the road works entered in the Local Fund Engineer's statement* are classed under "professional agency" works in the statement A herewith submitted.

6. In this programme ample provision is made for minor irrigation works in all the taluks.

7. The District Forest-officer, who submitted the list of forest fencing works, says that the works have been sanctioned by the Conservator of Forests.

8. In regard to the five additional irrigation projects mentioned at the end of statement A, the Board has, in paragraph 3 of its order, dated 2nd July 1894, No. 265 (R. S., L. R. and Agri.), stated that the Chief Engineer for Irrigation reports that none of them can be made available as relief works within a reasonable time, and that only two of the five works—Krishnagiri reservoir (Rs. 30,00,000) and Gudamalai project (Rs. 3,50,000)—are likely to be remunerative and that these two cannot be investigated without a special project division.

RESOLUTION—dated 4th May 1895, No. 110.

The abstract of the programme of famine relief works for 1895-96 received from the Collector of Salem will be submitted for the information of Government.

2. The general character of the programme has been carefully summarised by the Collector in his letter read above and calls for no remarks from the Board.

3. The total number of irrigation works under the Public Works Department is given in column 3 of form B as 12, but in columns 8 and 10 of the same form the number is shown as 13. The discrepancy should be explained.

(True Copy and Extract.)

(Signed) P. RAJARATNA MUDALIAR,
Secretary.

To the Secretary to Government, Revenue Department.
" Collector of Salem.

Exd. T. K. Narayana Aiyangar.

PROCEEDINGS OF THE BOARD OF REVENUE
(REVENUE SETTLEMENT, LAND RECORDS AND AGRICULTURE).

READ—the following letter from G. STOKES, Esq., Collector of Salem, to the Secretary to the Commissioner of Revenue Settlement, Land Records and Agriculture, dated 31st March 1895, No. 1243:—

I have the honour to submit, herewith, the programme of famine relief works for 1895-96, prepared in the forms prescribed in B. P., No. 411, dated 7th June 1892, as modified in B. P., Nos. 502 and 360, dated 16th July 1892 and 6th September 1894, respectively.

2. Provision is made in the programme as follows:—

	RS.
1. Irrigation works	3,67,910
2. Forest fencing works	28,880
3. Road works, (a) breaking and stacking metal and storing gravel along the sides of the existing roads	23,21,950
4. Road works, (b) new roads	6,75,750
5. Miscellaneous works (improvements of water-supply, village-site, &c.)	28,945
6. Works to be carried out by the aid of State loans	65,000
Total approximate estimated cost	34,88,435

3. The works are calculated to afford employment for a period of three months to 465,123 persons, or 24 per cent. of the total population of the district according to the census of 1891. The proportion of the population for whom provision is made in each taluk for three months is more than 20 per cent.

I would repeat my remarks in my last year's letter* that the amount of road work shown is for breaking and stacking material on the road side only; that it is, however, a most completely wasteful and foolish policy to collect material, and not, at the same time, to spread it and thoroughly finish the road; and that if this course is laid down and carried out, the amount of work available on the roads may be increased by 75 per cent.

4. It is necessary to have estimates ready to provide labour for 5 per cent. (98,100) for three months. This amounts, at the rate of Rs. 7-8-0 for three months per cooly, to Rs. 7,35,750. Estimates are only ready for Rs. 4,79,350, leaving a deficiency in the whole district of Rs. 2,56,400, of which the following are the talukwar details:—

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