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Receipt & Disbursement under Provincial Advances
and Loan Account

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showing the — for March 1897. Copy to the
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Read—the following paper:—

Statement showing the Receipts and Disbursements under Provincial Advance
Loan Account for March 1897.

[Statement.]

STATEMENT showing the Receipts and Disbursements under
PRELIM

Receipts.	Current month.	Progressive total.	Budget estimate.	Revised estimate.
<i>Class I.</i>	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.
ADVANCES TO CULTIVATORS.				
Land Improvement Act Advances—Ordinary—				
Ordinary loans bearing interest at 6½ per cent	20,100 3 2	2,12,949 15 4		
Do. do. at 4½ do.	83 13 10	357 11 8		
Do. do. at 3 do.	341 15 0	2,775 1 6		
Loans under the special well rules bearing interest at 4 per cent.	3,315 9 4	26,937 9 9	3,15,000 0 0	2,99,000 0 0
Loans under the special well rules bearing interest at 3 per cent.	8,707 10 2	49,461 7 5		
Famine Advances—				
Advances for relief operations				
Do. for seed-grain				
Do. to weavers				
Agriculturists Loans Act, XII of 1884	2,165 15 11	11,994 4 0	10,000 0 0	16,000 0 0
Advances in cases of distress				
Miscellaneous advances				
Total ..	34,715 3 5	3,04,476 1 7	3,25,000 0 0	3,15,000 0 0
<i>Class III.</i>				
LOANS TO LANDHOLDERS AND OTHER NOTABILITIES.				
Banganapalle Nabob				
Shulagiri estate				
Andipatti poligar		2,993 1 6	3,000 0 0	3,000 0 0
Total ..		2,993 1 6	3,000 0 0	3,000 0 0
<i>Class IV.</i>				
LOANS TO MUFUSSIL MUNICIPALITIES.				
Cuddapah Municipality				
Adoni do.		186 11 10		
Kurnool do.		1,244 8 0	200 0 0	200 0 0
Tanjore do.		1,084 8 0	1,200 0 0	1,200 0 0
Kumbakonam do.		6,316 10 8	1,100 0 0	1,100 0 0
Mayavaram do.		2,163 4 10	6,300 0 0	6,300 0 0
Trichinopoly do.	325 0 0	325 0 0	2,100 0 0	6,300 0 0
Madura do.		4,400 0 0	300 0 0	2,100 0 0
Dindigul do.		3,529 10 6	4,400 0 0	4,400 0 0
Ootacamund do.		564 8 0	3,600 0 0	3,600 0 0
Coonoor do.		2,352 4 4	600 0 0	3,600 0 0
Vaniyambadi do.		484 5 10	2,400 0 0	600 0 0
Calicut do.			500 0 0	2,400 0 0
Cochin do.		2,000 0 0		500 0 0
Tellicherry do.		810 5 8	2,000 0 0	14,000 0 0
		500 0 0	800 0 0	2,000 0 0
			500 0 0	800 0 0
Total ..	325 0 0	25,961 14 2	26,000 0 0	40,000 0 0
LOANS TO DISTRICT AND OTHER LOCAL FUND COMMITTEES.				
Local Fund Board, Ganjam				
Do. Saidapet		13,802 4 7	14,000 0 0	14,000 0 0
Do. Tellicherry		3,000 0 0	3,000 0 0	3,000 0 0
Total ..		16,802 4 7	17,000 0 0	17,000 0 0
Grand Total ..	35,040 3 5	3,50,233 5 10	3,71,000 0 0	3,75,000 0 0

FORT ST. GEORGE,
5th May 1897.

To the Chief Secretary to Government, Financial Department, with reference to dated 28th August 1895.

No.

INARY.

Provincial Advance and Loan Account for March 1897.

Disbursements.	Current month.	Progressive total.	Budget grant.	Revised estimate.
<i>Class I.</i>	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.
ADVANCES TO CULTIVATORS.				
Land Improvement Act Advances—Ordinary—				
Ordinary loans bearing interest at 6½ per cent.	1,45,798 0 0	2,95,381 13 11		
Do. do. at 4½ do.	250 0 0	250 0 0		
Do. do. at 3 do.		26,358 1 8	7,35,000 0 0	4,87,000 0 0
Loans under the special well rules bearing interest at 4 per cent.	36,556 8 0	1,79,237 6 3		
Loans under the special well rules bearing interest at 3 per cent.	362 8 0	2,974 15 1		
Famine Advances—				
Advances for relief operations				
Do. for seed-grain				
Do. to weavers	26,126 0 0	48,403 8 0	15,000 0 0	13,000 0 0
Agriculturists Loans Act, XII of 1884				
Advances in cases of distress				
Miscellaneous advances				
Total ..	2,09,093 0 0	5,52,605 12 11	7,50,000 0 0	5,00,000 0 0
<i>Class III.</i>				
LOANS TO LANDHOLDERS AND OTHER NOTABILITIES.				
Banganapalle Nabob				
Shulagiri estate				
Andipatti poligar				
Total ..				
<i>Class IV.</i>				
LOANS TO MUFUSSIL MUNICIPALITIES.				
Vizagapatam Municipality	1,50,000 0 0	1,56,000 0 0		1,50,000 0 0
Cocanada do.	92,870 0 0	92,870 0 0		92,900 0 0
Ellore do.			50,000 0 0	25,000 0 0
Bezawada do.			3,600 0 0	3,600 0 0
Cuddapah do.	8,630 0 0	48,500 0 0	48,500 0 0	48,500 0 0
Kurnool do.	45,000 0 0	45,000 0 0	47,800 0 0	45,000 0 0
Conjeevaram do.			1,00,000 0 0	
Tirupati do.				
Cuddalore do.				
Tanjore do.				
Kumbakonam do.				
Mayavaram do.				
Trichinopoly do.				
Madura do.	10,000 0 0	10,000 0 0	50,000 0 0	10,000 0 0
Dindigul do.			80,600 0 0	
Ootacamund do.				
Coonoor do.				
Calicut do.	3,000 0 0	3,000 0 0		
Cochin do.				
Anakapalle do.				
Total ..	3,09,500 0 0	3,58,000 0 0	3,80,000 0 0	3,80,000 0 0
LOANS TO DISTRICT AND OTHER LOCAL FUND COMMITTEES.				
Local Fund Board, Ganjam			15,000 0 0	
Do. Saidapet				23,000 0 0
Do. Coimbatore				
Total ..			15,000 0 0	23,000 0 0
Grand Total ..	5,18,593 0 0	9,10,605 12 11	11,45,000 0 0	9,03,000 0 0

(Signed) W. MICHAEL,
Offg. Accountant-General.

B.F.Y.-4.

his memorandum No. 1944, dated 9th December 1892, and G.O., No. 629, Financial,

ORDER—No. 493, Financial, dated 25th June 1897.

The transactions of the Provincial Advance and Loan account for the five years ending 1896-97 are abstracted below:—

Class of Loans.	Accounts, 1896-97.	Revised, 1896-97.	Budget, 1896-97.	Accounts.			
				1895-96.	1894-95.	1893-94.	1892-93.
Class I—Advances to Cultivators.	Balance ..	30.06	30.06	29.69	31.54	36.46	40.73
	Advances ..	5.53	5.00	7.50	2.04	2.80	4.51
	Recoveries ..	3.04	3.15	3.25	3.52	4.61	21.39
	Balance ..	32.55	31.91	33.94	30.06	31.54	36.46
Class III—Loans to Landholders and Notabilities.	Balance ..	10	10	10	32	62	91
	Advances ..	03	03	03	22	30	20
	Recoveries ..	07	07	07	10	32	62
	Balance ..	12.38	12.46	12.46	9.06	7.41	5.73
Class IV (a)—Loans to Municipalities.	Balance ..	9.06	9.06	8.92	7.41	5.73	3.47
	Advances ..	3.58	3.80	3.80	1.90	1.82	2.35
	Recoveries ..	26	40	26	25	14	09
	Balance ..	12.38	12.46	12.46	9.06	7.41	5.73
Class IV (b)—Loans to District Board.	Balance ..	59	59	59	61	77	97
	Advances ..	17	23	15	05	77	97
	Recoveries ..	33	56	48	50	61	77
	Balance ..	39.72	39.72	39.21	39.88	43.58	46.08
Total, Provincial Loans and Advances	Balance ..	9.11	9.03	11.45	3.99	4.62	6.86
	Advances ..	3.50	3.75	3.71	4.15	8.32	9.36
	Recoveries ..	45.33	45.00	46.95	39.72	39.88	43.58

2. *Class I.*—Of the provision of 7.50 lakhs for *Advances to cultivators*, a sum of 5.00 was intended for loans to ryots holding lands under the Periyar project, but no more than 2 lakhs appear to have been utilised for this purpose. The actual disbursements* between November and February were exceedingly small, while considerable advances have been made in March and April. In view of the restrictions recently placed by the Government of India on the working of these loan operations and the reduced amounts allowed under this class for 1897-98 (G.O., No. 323, dated 8th April 1897), it is to be regretted that the full grant of 7.50 lakhs was not utilised in 1896-97. In 1892-93 the outgoings were 23.05 against a grant of 6.00, while the recoveries amounted to 3.71 against an estimate of 1.23. The attention of the Revenue department will be drawn to the fact that the bulk of the advances is now being made at $6\frac{1}{4}$ per cent.

3. *Class III.*—The small balance outstanding under this head relates to the Shulagiri estate.

4. *Class IV (a).*—Out of the total grant of 3.80 lakhs for loans to municipalities, the only disbursement up to the end of February 1897 was the sum of .48 for the water-supply scheme in Conjeeveram. The allotments provided for similar projects in Bezwada (.50), Cuddalore (1.00), Coonoor (.81) and Ootacamund (.50) could not be utilised owing either to delay in the financing of the schemes or to the non-preparation of plans and estimates, and reappropriations were therefore made for other schemes sanctioned towards the close of the year. On the whole, a sum of 3.10 lakhs was

Months.	$6\frac{1}{4}$ per cent.	4 per cent.	Other rates.	Total.
* First seven months.	34	71	29	1.34
November 1896 ..	08	12	..	20
December 1896 ..	18	14	..	32
January 1897 ..	39	18	..	57
February 1897 ..	74	27	..	1.01
March 1897 ..	1.71	37	01	2.09
Total ..	3.44	1.79	30	5.53
April 1897 ..	1.05	12	..	1.17

disbursed in March 1897, viz., for the water-supply schemes in Vizagapatam (1.50), Cocanada (.93), Tirupati (.45), and Kurnool (.04), for sanitary improvements in Ootacamund (.10), and for market buildings in Kurnool (.05). A provision of .25 made for a market in Ellore, however, lapsed, and out of this a sum of .03 was utilized for the construction of office buildings in Anakapalle. The net result was that a sum of .22 lakh only remained undrawn at the close of the year.

5. *Class IV (b).*—The District Board, Ganjam, did not require any portion of the loan of .15 provided in the budget estimate for feeder roads, as its financial position had improved; for similar reasons the Coimbatore District Board failed to utilise the loan of .23 provided in the revised estimate for the construction of a causeway across the Amaravati.

6. The subjoined account of the working of these loans in the five larger provinces shows that Madras is still very far behind the rest in availing itself of the advantages of the Provincial loans and advance scheme.

Provinces.	Opening balance, 1896-97.	Net advances in 1896-97 and 1897-98.	Estimated closing balance, 1897-98.
North-Western Provinces	101.33	36.21	137.54
Bombay	62.54	34.39	96.93
Bengal	49.78	13.97	63.75
Punjab	51.10	7.75	58.85
Madras	39.72	4.48	44.20

(True Extract.)

C. F. B. B. B.
for Chief Secretary.

To the Local and Municipal Department.
" Revenue Department.
" Accountant-General.
Editors' Table.

ENDORSEMENT—No. 494, Financial, dated 25th June 1897.

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J. F. PRICE,
Chief Secretary.

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