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							Rs.		Rs.		Rs.			Rs.
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			Not sanctioned	1,280		..	..	..	..	..	..	1	12	9,600
			Small	14,250		9	2,945	33	5,216	..	..	10	56	51,880
			Land improvements ..	1,333		..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
			Taluk Total ..	33,011	14·67	9	2,945	33	5,216	..	..	11	68	61,480
Ponnéri	122	24,400	Large—											
			Sanctioned	14,027		..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
			Not sanctioned	37,955		2	69,200	..	..	..	..	4	28	1,10,065
			Small	5,313		1	5,290	17	10,071	..	..	..	..	..
			Land improvements ..	1,333		..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
			Taluk Total ..	58,628	48·06	3	74,490	17	10,071	..	..	4	28	1,10,065
Tiruvallúr	171	34,200	Large—											
			Sanctioned	12,547		..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
			Not sanctioned	16,197		..	..	..	..	..	..	5	59	59,000
			Small	12,183		7	962	82	49,344	..	..	3	16	16,000
			Land improvements ..	1,333		..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
			Taluk Total ..	42,260	24·71	7	962	82	49,344	..	..	8	75	75,000
Chingleput	137	27,400	Large—											
			Sanctioned	10,400		..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
			Not sanctioned	6,933		..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
			Small	16,189		..	..	152	1,03,416	..	..	..	..	..
			Land improvements ..	2,267		..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
			Taluk Total ..	35,789	26·12	..	..	152	1,03,416	..	..	..	..	..
Conjeevaram ..	219	43,800	Large—											
			Sanctioned	25,368		..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
			Not sanctioned	11,698		1	22,770	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
			Small	10,197		3	8,790	81	40,242	..	..	..	..	..
			Land improvements ..	4,000		..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
			Taluk Total ..	51,263	23·41	4	31,560	81	40,242	..	..	..	..	..

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	Repairs.		Drinking-water supply.		Others.		Total.					
	Number.	Amount.	Number.	Amount.	Number.	Amount.	Number.	Amount.	Number.	Approximate cost.	Number.	Cost.
	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27
		Rs.		Rs.		Rs.		Rs.		Rs.		Rs.
Saidapet	5	1,21,110	..	..	..	..	..	..	5	1,21,110	5	1,21,110
	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	9,600	..	..
	8	32,080	60	8,750	55	6,000	115	14,750	175	1,06,871	50	40,241
	..	..	..	..	100	10,000	100	10,000	100	10,000	..	..
Total ..	13	1,53,190	60	8,750	155	16,000	215	24,750	281	2,47,581	55	1,61,351
Ponnéri	4	1,05,200	..	..	..	..	..	..	4	1,05,200	4	1,05,200
	3	1,05,400	..	..	..	..	..	..	9	2,84,665	5	1,74,600
	5	16,150	49	7,245	9	1,090	58	8,335	81	* 39,846	81	88,798
	..	..	..	..	100	10,000	100	10,000	100	10,000	..	..
Total ..	12	2,26,750	49	7,245	109	11,090	158	18,335	194	4,39,711	90	3,18,598
Tiruvallúr	2	94,105	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	94,105	2	94,105
	4	62,475	..	..	..	..	..	..	9	1,21,475	4	62,475
	7	21,720	5	355	2	2,991	7	3,346	106	91,372	99	74,349
	..	..	..	..	100	10,000	100	10,000	100	10,000	..	..
Total ..	13	1,78,300	5	355	102	12,991	107	13,346	217	3,16,952	105	2,30,929
Chingleput	2	78,000	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	78,000	2	78,000
	3	52,000	..	..	..	..	..	..	3	52,000	3	52,000
	..	..	73	12,000	47	6,000	120	18,000	272	1,21,416	234	1,13,733
	..	..	..	..	170	17,000	170	17,000	170	17,000	..	..
Total ..	5	1,30,000	73	12,000	217	23,000	290	35,000	447	2,68,416	239	2,43,733
Conjeevaram	2	92,893	1	97,370	..	..	1	97,370	3	1,90,263	3	1,90,263
	5	64,966	..	..	..	..	..	..	6	87,736	6	87,736
	3	9,296	68	12,150	28	6,000	96	18,150	183	76,478	182	76,378
	..	..	..	..	300	30,000	300	30,000	300	30,000	..	..
Total ..	10	1,67,155	69	1,09,520	328	36,000	397	1,45,520	492	3,84,477	191	3,54,377

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							Rs.		Rs.		Rs.			Rs.
Madurántakam ..	263	52,600	Large—											
			Sanctioned	4,934		..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
			Not sanctioned	14,253		..	..	..	..	..	..	1	21	38,500
			Small	33,449		14	9,758	169	2,10,912	..	..	1	8	7,000
			Land improvements	1,467		..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
			Taluk Total ..	54,103	20·57	14	9,758	169	2,10,912	..	..	2	29	45,500
District Total ..	1,127	227,400	Large—											
			Sanctioned	83,424		..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
			Not sanctioned	88,317		3	91,970	..	..	..	..	11	120	2,17,165
			Small	91,580		34	27,745	534	4,19,201	..	..	14	80	74,880
			Land improvements	11,733		..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
			Total ..	275,054	* 24·19	37	1,19,715	534	4,19,201	..	..	25	200	2,92,045

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	1	5,000	..	18,200	87	12,200	68	6,000	155	18,200	340	2,66,870	340	1,46,504
	..	..	..	11,000	..	..	110	11,000	110	11,000	110	11,000	..	..
Total ..	6	1,10,400	..	29,200	87	12,200	178	17,000	265	29,200	456	4,05,770	346	2,90,404
	16	5,28,308	1	97,370	1	97,370	..	..	1	97,370	17	6,25,678	17	6,25,678
	19	3,55,241	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	33	6,62,376	23	4,83,711
	24	84,246	551	80,781	342	52,700	209	28,081	551	80,781	1,157	6,86,853	986	4,90,003
	..	..	880	88,000	..	..	880	88,000	880	88,000	880	88,000	..	..
Total ..	59	9,65,795	1,432	2,66,151	343	1,50,070	1,089	1,16,081	1,432	2,66,151	2,087	* 20,62,907	1,026	15,99,392

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						Number.	Amount.	Number.	Amount.	Number.	Miles.	Amount.		Number.	Amount.		
1	2	8	4	5	6	7		9	10	11	12	13	14	15			
							Rs		Rs.				Rs.		Rs.		
Saidapet	225	45,000	Large—														
			Sanctioned	16,148		..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..		
			Not sanctioned	1,260		..	..	..	..	..	12	9,600		..	..		
			Small	14,250		..	..	33	5,216	1	56	51,880		..	..		
			Land improvements ..	1,333		9	2,945	..	..	10	..	..		..	..		
			Taluk Total ..	33,011	14·67	9	2,945	33	5,216	11	68	61,480		..	..		
Ponnéri	122	24,400	Large—														
			Sanctioned	14,027		..	..	..	..	4	..	1,10,065		..	..		
			Not sanctioned	37,955		2	69,200	17	10,071	..	28	..		..	..		
			Small	5,318		1	5,290	..	..	..	..	..		..	..		
			Land improvements ..	1,333		..	..	..	..	..	..	..		..	..		
			Taluk Total ..	58,628	48·06	3	74,490	17	10,071	4	28	1,10,065		..	..		
Tiruvallúr	171	34,200	Large—														
			Sanctioned	12,547		..	..	..	..	..	..	..		..	..		
			Not sanctioned	16,197		..	..	..	..	5	59	59,000		..	..		
			Small	12,183		7	962	82	49,344	3	16	16,000		..	..		
			Land improvements ..	1,333		..	..	..	..	..	..	..		..	..		
			Taluk Total ..	42,260	24·71	7	962	82	49,344	8	75	75,000		..	..		
Chingleput	137	27,400	Large—														
			Sanctioned	10,400		..	..	..	..	..	..	..		..	..		
			Not sanctioned	6,933		..	..	..	..	..	..	..		..	..		
			Small	16,189		..	..	152	1,03,416	..	..	..		..	..		
			Land improvements ..	2,267		..	..	..	..	..	..	..		..	..		
			Taluk Total ..	35,789	26·12	..	..	152	1,03,416	..	..	..		..	..		
Conjeevaram ..	219	43,800	Large—														
			Sanctioned	25,368		..	..	..	..	..	..	..		..	..		
			Not sanctioned	11,698		1	22,770	81	40,242	..	..	..		..	..		
			Small	10,197		3	8,790	..	..	..	..	..		..	..		
			Land improvements ..	4,000		..	..	..	..	..	..	..		..	..		
			Taluk Total ..	51,263	23·41	4	31,560	81	40,242	..	..	..		..	..		

Statement C.—Abstract of programme of famine relief works in the Chingleput district for the year 1897-98—*cont.*

Taluks.	Road works—*cont.*		Miscellaneous works.						Grand Total.		Works for which estimates are ready.	
	Repairs.		Drinking-water supply.		Others.		Total.					
	Number.	Amount.	Number.	Amount.	Number.	Amount.	Number.	Amount.	Number.	Approximate cost.	Number.	Cost.
	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27
		Rs.		Rs.		Rs.		Rs.		Rs.		Rs.
Saidapet	5	1,21,110	..	..	..	..	..	..	5	1,21,110	5	1,21,110
	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	9,600	..	..
	8	32,080	60	8,750	55	6,000	115	14,750	175	1,06,871	50	40,241
	..	..	..	..	100	10,000	100	10,000	100	10,000	..	..
Total ..	13	1,53,190	60	8,750	155	16,000	215	24,750	281	2,47,581	55	1,61,351
Ponnéri	4	1,05,200	..	..	..	..	..	..	4	1,05,200	4	1,05,200
	3	1,05,400	..	..	..	..	..	..	9	2,84,665	5	1,74,600
	5	16,150	49	7,245	9	1,090	58	8,335	81	* 39,846	81	38,798
	..	..	..	..	100	10,000	100	10,000	100	10,000	..	..
Total ..	12	2,26,750	49	7,245	109	11,090	158	18,335	194	4,39,711	90	3,18,598
Tiruvallúr	2	94,105	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	94,105	2	94,105
	4	62,475	..	..	..	..	..	..	9	1,21,475	4	62,475
	7	21,720	5	355	2	2,991	7	3,346	106	91,372	99	74,349
	..	..	..	..	100	10,000	100	10,000	100	10,000	..	..
Total ..	13	1,78,300	5	355	102	12,991	107	13,346	217	3,16,952	105	2,30,929
Chingleput	2	78,000	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	78,000	2	78,000
	3	52,000	..	..	..	..	..	..	3	52,000	3	52,000
	..	..	73	12,000	47	6,000	120	18,000	272	1,21,416	234	1,13,733
	..	..	..	..	170	17,000	170	17,000	170	17,000	..	..
Total ..	5	1,30,000	73	12,000	217	23,000	290	35,000	447	2,68,416	239	2,43,733
Conjeevaram	2	92,893	1	97,370	..	..	1	97,370	3	1,90,263	3	1,90,263
	5	64,966	..	..	..	..	..	..	6	87,736	6	87,736
	3	9,296	68	12,150	28	6,000	96	18,150	183	76,478	182	76,378
	..	..	..	..	300	30,000	300	30,000	300	30,000	..	..
Total ..	10	1,67,155	69	1,09,520	328	36,000	397	1,45,520	492	3,84,477	191	3,54,377

* Estimates for Rs. 1,048 still due from the Tahsildar in respect of the same works.

Statement C.—Abstract of programme of famine relief works in the Chingleput district for the year 1897-98—*cont.*

Taluks.	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 daily for three months.			Irrigation works.				Forest-fencing works.		Road works.		
						New.		Repairs.				New.		
			Class of work.	Numbers provided for on.	Total per cent. of population.	Number.	Amount.	Number.	Amount.	Number.	Amount.	Number.	Miles.	Amount.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15
							Rs.		Rs.		Rs.			Rs.
Madurántakam ..	263	52,600	Large—											
			Sanctioned	4,934		..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
			Not sanctioned	14,253		..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
			Small	33,449		14	9,758	169	2,10,912	..	..	1	21	38,500
			Land improvements	1,467		..	..	..	..	..	..	1	8	7,000
			Taluk Total ..	54,103	20·57	14	9,758	169	2,10,912	..	..	2	29	45,500
District Total ..	1,127	227,400	Large—											
			Sanctioned	83,424		..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
			Not sanctioned	88,317		3	91,970	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
			Small	91,580		34	27,745	534	4,19,201	..	..	11	120	2,17,165
			Land improvements	11,733		..	..	..	..	..	..	14	80	74,880
			Total ..	275,054	* 24·19	37	1,19,715	534	4,19,201	..	..	25	200	2,92,045

* Difference due to rounding of fractions.

Statement C.—Abstract of programme of famine relief works in the Chingleput district for the year 1897-98—*cont.*

Taluks.	Road works—*cont.*				Miscellaneous works.				Grand Total.		Works for which estimates are ready.	
	Repairs.		Others.		Total.		Drinking-water supply.					
	Number.	Amount.	Number.	Amount.	Number.	Amount.	Number.	Amount.	Number.	Approximate cost.	Number.	Cost.
	16	17	20	21	22	23	18	19	24	25	26	27
		Rs.		Rs.		Rs.		Rs.		Rs.		Rs.
	1	37,000	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	37,000	1	37,000
	4	68,400	..	..	155	18,200	..	..	5	1,06,900	5	1,06,900
Madurántakam	1	5,000	68	6,000	110	11,000	87	12,200	340	2,66,870	340	1,46,504
	..	..	110	11,000	..	..	..	..	110	11,000	..	..
Total ..	6	1,10,400	178	17,000	265	29,200	87	12,200	456	4,05,770	346	2,90,404
	16	5,28,308	..	..	1	97,370	1	97,370	17	6,25,678	17	6,25,678
	19	3,53,241	209	28,081	551	..	..	..	33	6,62,376	23	4,88,711
District Total	24	84,246	880	88,000	880	88,000	342	52,700	1,157	6,86,853	986	4,90,003
	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	880	88,000	..	..
Total ..	59	9,65,795	1,089	1,16,081	1,432	2,66,151	343	1,50,070	2,087	* 20,62,907	1,026	15,99,392

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(8) The entry 340 in column 26 against Madurántakam taluk, small works, is evidently incorrect. The correct figures should be reported.

The necessary corrections have been made as far as possible in this office and the Collector will be requested to see that they are carried out in his office copy.

5. It is observed that, as noted below, the greater part of the amounts set down against certain works, is not available for famine relief:—

Taluks.	Works.	Total approximate cost.	Cost available for famine relief.
		Rs.	Rs.
Ponnéri	Extension of Minjur branch channel	5,290	2,142
Tiruvallúr	Kalinganadi minor basin—small works, 20	12,050	5,542
Do.	Arni river minor basin—small works, 39	28,315	11,155
Chingleput	Major irrigation works, 7	22,160	10,900
Madurántakam	Repair of Kinar tank	7,080	2,805
Do.	Repair of Munnakolam tank	5,000	1,620

6. The Collector is requested to see that more care is bestowed on the preparation and punctual submission of future programmes.

(True Copy and Extract.)

(Signed) L. E. BUCKLEY,
Famine Secretary.

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

Exd. A. F. Eccleston.

[Appendix.

APPENDIX.

STATEMENT C.—Abstract of programme of famine relief works in the Chingleput district for the year 1897–98.

Taluks.	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 daily for three months.			Irrigation works. New.		Irrigation works. Repairs.		Forest-fencing works.		Road works. New.		
			Class of work.	Numbers provided for on.	Total per cent. of population.	Number.	Amount.	Number.	Amount.	Number.	Amount.	Number.	Miles.	Amount.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15
							Rs.		Rs.		Rs.			Rs.
Saidapet	225	45,000	Large—											
			Sanctioned	16,148		..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
			Not sanctioned	1,280		..	..	..	..	..	..	1	12	9,600
			Small	14,250		9	2,945	33	5,216	..	..	10	66	51,880
			Land improvements ..	1,333		..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
			Taluk Total ..	33,011	14·67	9	2,945	33	5,216	..	..	11	68	61,480
Ponnéri	122	24,400	Large—											
			Sanctioned	14,027		..	..	..	..	..	..	4	28	1,10,065
			Not sanctioned	87,955		2	69,200	17	10,071	..	..	..	..	..
			Small	5,313		1	5,290	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
			Land improvements ..	1,333		..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
			Taluk Total ..	58,628	48·06	3	74,490	17	10,071	..	..	4	28	1,10,065
Tiruvallúr	171	34,200	Large—											
			Sanctioned	12,547		..	..	..	..	..	..	5	59	59,000
			Not sanctioned	16,197		..	..	..	..	..	..	3	16	16,000
			Small	12,183		7	962	82	49,344	..	..	..	..	..
			Land improvements ..	1,333		..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
			Taluk Total ..	42,260	24·71	7	962	82	49,344	..	..	8	75	75,000
Chingleput	137	27,400	Large—											
			Sanctioned	10,400		..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
			Not sanctioned	6,933		..	..	152	1,03,416	..	..	..	..	..
			Small	16,189		..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
			Land improvements ..	2,267		..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
			Taluk Total ..	35,789	26·12	..	..	152	1,03,416	..	..	..	..	..
Conjeevaram ..	219	43,800	Large—											
			Sanctioned	25,368		..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
			Not sanctioned	11,698		1	22,770	81	40,242	..	..	..	..	..
			Small	10,197		3	8,790	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
			Land improvements ..	4,000		..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
			Taluk Total ..	51,263	23·41	4	31,560	81	40,242	..	..	..	..	..

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Taluks.	Road works—*cont.*		Miscellaneous works.						Grand Total.		Works for which estimates are ready.	
	Repairs.		Drinking-water supply.		Others.		Total.					
	Number.	Amount.	Number.	Amount.	Number.	Amount.	Number.	Amount.	Number.	Approximate cost.	Number.	Cost.
	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27
		Rs.		Rs.		Rs.		Rs.		Rs.		Rs.
Saidapet	5	1,21,110	..	..	..	..	..	..	5	1,21,110	5	1,21,110
	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	9,600	..	..
	8	32,080	60	8,750	55	6,000	115	14,750	175	1,06,871	50	40,241
	..	..	..	..	100	10,000	100	10,000	100	10,000	..	..
Total ..	13	1,53,190	60	8,750	155	16,000	215	24,750	281	2,47,581	55	1,61,351
Ponnéri	4	1,05,200	..	..	..	..	..	..	4	1,05,200	4	1,05,200
	3	1,05,400	..	..	..	..	..	..	9	2,84,665	5	1,74,600
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	..	..	..	..	100	10,000	100	10,000	100	10,000	..	..
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Tiruvallúr	2	94,105	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	94,105	2	94,105
	4	62,475	..	..	..	..	..	..	9	1,21,475	4	62,475
	7	21,720	5	355	2	2,991	7	3,346	106	91,372	99	74,349
	..	..	..	..	100	10,000	100	10,000	100	10,000	..	..
Total ..	13	1,78,300	5	355	102	12,991	107	13,346	217	3,16,952	105	2,30,929
Chingleput	2	78,000	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	78,000	2	78,000
	3	52,000	..	..	..	..	..	..	3	52,000	3	52,000
	..	..	73	12,000	47	6,000	120	18,000	272	1,21,416	234	1,13,733
	..	..	..	..	170	17,000	170	17,000	170	17,000	..	..
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1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15
							Rs.		Rs.		Rs.			Rs.
Madurántakam ..	263	52,600	Large—											
			Sanctioned	4,934		..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
			Not sanctioned	14,253		..	..	..	..	..	..	1	21	38,500
			Small	33,449		14	9,758	169	2,10,912	..	..	1	8	7,000
			Land improvements	1,467		..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
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District Total ..	1,127	227,400	Large—											
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			Small	91,580		34	27,745	534	4,19,201	..	..	14	80	74,880
			Land improvements	11,733		..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
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	16	17	20	21	22	23	18	19	24	25	26	27
		Rs.		Rs.		Rs.		Rs.		Rs.		Rs.
Madurántakam	1	37,000	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	37,000	1	37,000
	4	68,400	..	..	..	..	..	..	5	1,06,900	5	1,06,900
	1	5,000	68	6,000	155	18,200	87	12,200	340	2,66,870	340	1,46,504
	..	..	110	11,000	110	11,000	..	..	110	11,000	..	..
Total ..	6	1,10,400	178	17,000	265	29,200	87	12,200	456	4,05,770	346	2,90,404
	16	5,28,308	..	..	1	97,370	1	97,370	17	6,25,678	17	6,25,678
	19	3,53,241	..	..	..	..	..	..	33	6,62,376	23	4,83,711
	24	84,246	209	28,081	651	80,781	342	52,700	1,157	6,86,853	986	4,90,003
	..	..	880	88,000	880	88,000	..	..	880	88,000	..	..
Total ..	59	9,65,795	1,089	1,16,081	1,432	2,66,151	343	1,50,070	2,087	* 20,62,907	1,026	15,99,392

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READ—again Proceedings of the Board of Revenue (R. S., L. R. and Agri.), Mis. No. 4578, dated 25th June 1897.

ABSTRACT.—Requesting the Collector of Chingleput to revise and re-submit the statements of famine relief programme for 1897–98 at an early date.

READ—also the following letter from D. D. MURDOCH, Esq., Acting Collector of Chingleput, to the Secretary to the Commissioner of Revenue Settlement and Director of the Department of Land Records and Agriculture, Ref. on No. 105-Pl., dated Saidapet, 10th July 1897 :—

In reply to B.P., Mis. No. 4578 (R.S.), dated the 25th ultimo, I have the honour to enclose a revised famine relief programme for the year 1897–98 in Forms I and III. Form II will follow when the revised form is received from the Executive Engineer.

2. The programme provides for the construction of 37 new irrigation works and for repairs to existing works, to cost 1·19 lakhs and 4·19 lakhs, respectively; for the construction of 200 miles of new roads and for repairing the existing ones, to cost 2·92 and 9·65 lakhs, respectively; for works intended to improve the supply of drinking water costing 1·50 lakhs, and other miscellaneous works costing 1·16 lakhs. The last item includes advances under the Land Improvement Loans Act amounting to Rs. 88,000. The total provision comes to 20·63 lakhs, and the works are sufficient to provide employment for a period of three months to 22·68 per cent. of the population of the district.

3. Estimates are ready for 15·99 lakhs, or about 80 per cent. of the total provision exclusive of the land improvements. The proportion of the large works sanctioned to those unsanctioned is as 1·04 to 1·10.

4. The Madras water works distributaries, against which a sum of Rs. 10,418 was entered in the original programme, has now been omitted, as the Executive Engineer explains that the work is not to be carried out under any circumstances. He further states that in statement I, as first submitted by him, certain small works in the Madurántakam and Chingleput taluks were included, the estimates for which had been prepared in a rough and ready way to meet the urgent demand for labour which the failure of the north-east monsoon last year would have created. These estimates can, he remarks, always be brought forward, if urgent need arises, but prepared in the way they have been they should not he considers, find a place in the famine programme. They have, therefore, been omitted from the present programme.

5. A useful famine relief work in the Madurántakam taluk would be the widening and improving of the Uttiramérur channel. This is under investigation.

RESOLUTION—No. 624, dated 16th September 1897.

The revised abstract of the programme of famine relief works, received from the Collector of Chingleput, will be submitted, as amended by the Board, for the information of Government.

2. The programme contains provision for different classes of works, as detailed below :—

		Cost. LAKHS.
Irrigation works	New ...	1·20
	Repairs ...	4·19
Roads	New (200 miles)	2·92
	Repairs ...	9·66
Miscellaneous works	Drinking-water supply	1·50
	Land improvements	0·88
	Others	0·28
	Total ...	20·63

The total provision amounts to Rs. 20,62,907, and is calculated to provide employment for 24·19 per cent. of the population. Of this amount, however, Rupees 68,482 is stated to be not available for unskilled labour; the percentage is, in consequence, reduced to 23·39. It is nevertheless generally adequate. In the Saidapet taluk alone, it falls short of the prescribed limit, being sufficient for only 14·67 per cent. of the population. This deficiency could probably be met by providing for the repair of all the irrigation works under the Public Works Department shown in statement B as out of repair. It is noted that the Collector has been able to find sufficient work in Chingleput and Conjeeveram taluks without proposing the construction of new roads.

3. Estimates are stated to be ready for works to cost Rs. 15,99,392 or nearly 80 per cent. of the total provision, exclusive of land improvement works for which no estimates are required. Estimates have been sanctioned for 49 per cent. of the cost of large works.

4. The following mistakes and omissions are noted in the revised programme:—

Statement A—

(1) In the Saidapet taluk, the length of the three new roads, to cost approximately Rs. 14,280, is not mentioned.

(2) In the Tiruvallúr taluk, the total cost of repairing four unsanctioned road works is given, both in this statement and the statement C, as Rs. 62,675 instead of Rs. 62,475.

(3) In the last page, the total against Saidapet, in column 5, should be Rs. 9,600 and not Rs. 96,000.

(4) The work of widening and improving the Uttiramérur channel, in the Madurántakam taluk, referred to in paragraph 5 of the last letter read above, should have been shown as an additional work at the end of this statement (*vide* clause 3 of draft rule No. 9 embodied in B.P., No. 411, dated 7th June 1892).

Statement B—

(5) The number of works under the Revenue Department, for which provision is made in column 10, exceeds the number stated to be out of repair in column 5, in the taluks of Saidapet, Chingleput, Conjeeveram and Madurántakam. This should be explained.

(6) The tank restoration works, included in column 8 against Tiruvallúr, should also be included in columns 3 and 7.

Statement C—

(7) The population by the last census in the Tiruvallúr taluk is entered in column 2 as 248 thousand, whereas it is 171.

(8) The entry 340 in column 26 against Madurántakam taluk, small works, is evidently incorrect. The correct figures should be reported.

The necessary corrections have been made as far as possible in this office and the Collector will be requested to see that they are carried out in his office copy.

5. It is observed that, as noted below, the greater part of the amounts set down against certain works, is not available for famine relief:—

Taluks.	Works.	Total approximate cost.	Cost available for famine relief.
		Rs.	Rs.
Ponnéri	Extension of Minjur branch channel	5,290	2,142
Tiruvallúr	Kalingamadi minor basin—small works, 20	12,050	5,542
Do.	Arni river minor basin—small works, 39	28,315	11,155
Chingleput	Major irrigation works, 7	22,160	10,900
Madurántakam ..	Repair of Kinar tank	7,080	2,805
Do. ..	Repair of Munnakolam tank	5,000	1,620

6. The Collector is requested to see that more care is bestowed on the preparation and punctual submission of future programmes.

(True Copy and Extract.)

(Signed) L. E. BUCKLEY,
Famine Secretary.

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

APPENDIX.

Statement C.—Abstract of programme of famine relief works in the Chingleput district for the year 1897–98.

Taluks.	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 daily for three months.			Irrigation works.				Forest-fencing works.		Road works.		
						New.		Repairs.				New.		
			Class of work.	Numbers provided for on.	Total per cent. of population.	Number.	Amount.	Number.	Amount.	Number.	Amount.	Number.	Miles.	Amount.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15
							Rs.		Rs.		Rs.			Rs.
Saidapet	225	45,000	Large—											
			Sanctioned	16,148		..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
			Not sanctioned	1,280		..	..	..	..	..	..	1	12	9,600
			Small	14,250		9	2,945	33	5,216	..	..	10	56	51,880
			Land improvements ..	1,333		..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
			Taluk Total ..	33,011	14·67	9	2,945	33	5,216	..	..	11	68	61,480
Ponnéri	122	24,400	Large—											
			Sanctioned	14,027		..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
			Not sanctioned	37,955		2	69,200	..	..	..	..	4	28	1,10,065
			Small	5,313		1	5,290	17	10,071	..	..	..	..	..
			Land improvements ..	1,333		..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
			Taluk Total ..	58,628	48·06	3	74,490	17	10,071	..	..	4	28	1,10,065
Tiruvallúr	171	34,200	Large—											
			Sanctioned	12,547		..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
			Not sanctioned	16,197		..	..	..	..	..	..	5	59	59,000
			Small	12,183		7	962	82	49,344	..	..	3	16	16,000
			Land improvements ..	1,333		..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
			Taluk Total ..	42,260	24·71	7	962	82	49,344	..	..	8	75	75,000
Chingleput	137	27,400	Large—											
			Sanctioned	10,400		..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
			Not sanctioned	6,933		..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
			Small	16,189		..	..	152	1,03,416	..	..	..	..	..
			Land improvements ..	2,267		..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
			Taluk Total ..	35,789	26·12	..	..	152	1,03,416	..	..	..	..	..
Conjeevaram ..	219	43,800	Large—											
			Sanctioned	25,368		..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
			Not sanctioned	11,698		1	22,770	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
			Small	10,197		3	8,790	81	40,242	..	..	..	..	..
			Land improvements ..	4,000		..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
			Taluk Total ..	51,263	23·41	4	31,560	81	40,242	..	..	..	..	..

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Statement C.—Abstract of programme of famine relief works in the Chingleput district for the year 1897–98—*cont.*

Taluks.	Road works—*cont.*		Miscellaneous works.						Grand Total.		Works for which estimates are ready.	
	Repairs.		Drinking-water supply.		Others.		Total.					
	Number.	Amount.	Number.	Amount.	Number.	Amount.	Number.	Amount.	Number.	Approximate cost.	Number.	Cost.
	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27
		RS.		RS.		RS.		RS.		RS.		RS.
Saidapet	5	1,21,110	..	..	..	..	..	..	5	1,21,110	5	1,21,110
	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	9,600	..	..
	8	32,080	60	8,750	55	6,000	115	14,750	175	1,06,871	50	40,241
	..	..	..	..	100	10,000	100	10,000	100	10,000	..	..
Total ..	13	1,53,190	60	8,750	155	16,000	215	24,750	281	2,47,581	55	1,61,351
Ponnéri	4	1,05,200	..	..	..	..	..	..	4	1,05,200	4	1,05,200
	3	1,05,400	..	..	..	..	..	..	9	2,84,665	5	1,74,600
	5	16,150	49	7,245	9	1,090	58	8,335	81	* 39,846	81	38,798
	..	..	..	..	100	10,000	100	10,000	100	10,000	..	..
Total ..	12	2,26,750	49	7,245	109	11,090	158	18,335	194	4,39,711	90	3,18,598
Tiruvallúr	2	94,105	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	94,105	2	94,105
	4	62,475	..	..	..	..	..	..	9	1,21,475	4	62,475
	7	21,720	5	355	2	2,991	7	3,346	106	91,372	99	74,349
	..	..	..	..	100	10,000	100	10,000	100	10,000	..	..
Total ..	13	1,78,300	5	355	102	12,991	107	13,346	217	3,16,952	105	2,30,929
Chingleput	2	78,000	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	78,000	2	78,000
	3	52,000	..	..	..	..	..	..	3	52,000	3	52,000
	..	..	73	12,000	47	6,000	120	18,000	272	1,21,416	234	1,13,733
	..	..	..	..	170	17,000	170	17,000	170	17,000	..	..
Total ..	5	1,30,000	73	12,000	217	23,000	290	35,000	447	2,68,416	239	2,43,733
Conjeevaram	2	92,893	1	97,370	..	..	1	97,370	3	1,90,263	3	1,90,263
	5	64,966	..	..	..	..	..	..	6	87,736	6	87,736
	3	9,296	68	12,150	28	6,000	96	18,150	183	76,478	182	76,378
	..	..	..	..	300	30,000	300	30,000	300	30,000	..	..
Total ..	10	1,67,155	69	1,09,520	328	36,000	397	1,45,520	492	3,84,477	191	3,54,377

* Estimates for Rs. 1,048 still due from the Tahsildar in respect of the same works.

Statement C.—Abstract of programme of famine relief works in the Chingleput district for the year 1897–98—*cont.*

Taluks.	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 daily for three months.			Irrigation works.				Forest-fencing works.		Road works.		
						New.		Repairs.				New.		
			Class of work.	Numbers provided for on.	Total per cent. of population.	Number.	Amount.	Number.	Amount.	Number.	Amount.	Number.	Miles.	Amount.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15
							RS.		RS.		RS.			RS.
Madurántakam ..	263	52,600	Large—											
			Sanctioned	4,934		..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
			Not sanctioned	14,253		..	..	..	..	..	..	1	21	38,500
			Small	33,449		14	9,758	169	2,10,912	..	..	1	8	7,000
			Land improvements	1,467		..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
			Taluk Total ..	54,103	20·57	14	9,758	169	2,10,912	..	..	2	29	45,500
District Total ..	1,127	227,400	Large—											
			Sanctioned	83,424		..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
			Not sanctioned	88,317		3	91,970	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
			Small	91,580		34	27,745	534	4,19,201	..	..	11	120	2,17,165
			Land improvements	11,733		..	..	..	..	..	..	14	80	74,880
			Total ..	275,054	* 24·19	37	1,19,715	534	4,19,201	..	..	25	200	2,92,045

* Difference due to rounding of fractions.

Statement C.—Abstract of programme of famine relief works in the Chingleput district for the year 1897-98—*cont.*

Taluks.	Road works—*cont.*				Miscellaneous works.				Grand Total.		Works for which estimates are ready.	
	Repairs.		Drinking-water supply.		Others.		Total.					
	Number.	Amount.	Number.	Amount.	Number.	Amount.	Number.	Amount.	Number.	Approximate cost.	Number.	Cost.
	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27
		Rs.		Rs.		Rs.		Rs.		Rs.		Rs.
	1	37,000	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	37,000	1	37,000
	4	68,400	..	..	..	..	..	..	5	1,06,900	5	1,06,900
	1	5,000	87	12,200	68	6,000	155	18,200	340	2,56,870	340	1,46,504
	..	..	..	..	110	11,000	110	11,000	110	11,000	..	..
Madurántakam	6	1,10,400	87	12,200	178	17,000	265	29,200	456	4,05,770	346	2,90,404
Total ..												
	16	5,28,308	1	97,370	..	..	1	97,370	17	6,25,678	17	6,25,678
	19	3,53,241	..	..	209	28,081	..	..	33	6,62,376	23	4,83,711
	24	84,246	342	52,700	880	88,000	551	80,781	1,157	6,86,853	986	4,90,003
	..	..	..	..			880	88,000	880	88,100	..	..
District Total	59	9,65,795	343	1,50,070	1,089	1,16,081	1,432	2,66,151	2,087	* 20,62,907	1,026	15,99,392
Total ..												

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