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Read—again the following paper:—

G.O., No. 536, Political, dated 13th November 1890.

Abstract.—Communicating to the Revenue Department letter from the Government of India on the subject of taking of a census of British subjects in the French possessions in India.

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Read—also the following paper:—

From Captain H. DALY, C.I.E., Deputy Secretary to the Government of India, Foreign Department, to the Chief Secretary to the Government of Madras, dated Simla, 5th September 1899, No. 2564-I.A.

I am directed to forward a copy of the correspondence marginally noted regarding a census of the British subjects in the French possessions in India, and to request that, with the permission of His Excellency the Governor, you will issue instructions to the local Census Commissioner to act in communication with the French authorities and to supply them with all the forms and papers which they may require.

Letter to His Excellency the Governor of the French Settlements in India, dated the 22nd July 1899.
Letter from His Excellency the Governor of the French Settlements in India, No. 14, dated the 28th July 1899.
Letter to His Excellency the Governor of the French Settlements in India, dated the 5th September 1899.

2. In the event of the French authorities deciding to take a synchronous census of their own subjects, the Government of India will be glad if every assistance in the matter is given to them.

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From Lord CURZON OF KEDLESTON, Viceroy and Governor-General of India, to His Excellency the Governor of the French Settlements in India, Pondicherry, dated Simla, 22nd July 1899.

I have the honour to refer to the letter from your Excellency's predecessor, No. 18, dated the 17th September 1890, in connection with the census of 1891.

It is the intention of my Government to take a fresh census of the inhabitants of British India and the protected Native States in the month of February 1901, and I shall be greatly obliged if the statistics can again be rendered more complete by the inclusion of returns relating to the French possessions.

The census operations will be conducted on practically the same lines as those of 1891, and if it should be possible for your Excellency to arrange a simultaneous census in French India, it will afford me much pleasure to furnish your Excellency with more detailed information and to cause every assistance to be rendered to the officer whom your Excellency may appoint to superintend your arrangements.

Accept the assurance of my highest consideration.

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From Mons. RODIER, Governor of the French Settlements in India, to His Excellency the Governor-General and Viceroy of British India, dated Pondicherry, 28th July 1899, No. 14.

I have the honour to acknowledge the receipt of your Excellency's letter, dated 22nd July 1899, relating to the general census of the population of India in February 1901.



The co-operation of my administration is submitted to your Excellency for the census of English subjects domiciled in our different possessions.

On my side, I shall ask the Consul-General of the Colony to grant, on some appropriate occasion, the necessary orders for a census of French subjects in our establishments, in order to obtain exact statistics of the total population of the peninsula of Hindustan.

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From Lord CURZON OF KEDLESTON, Viceroy and Governor-General of India, to His Excellency the Governor of the French Settlements in India, Pondicherry, dated Simla, 5th September 1899.

I have the honour to acknowledge the receipt of your Excellency's letter No. 14, dated the 28th July 1899, and to thank you for your promised co-operation in respect of the census of 1901.

I shall now acquaint the Governor of Madras and the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal with the correspondence which has passed between us, and ask them to arrange directly with any officers whom your Excellency may appoint all necessary details in connection with the enumeration of British subjects resident in or passing through French territory on the date which will be fixed for the purpose.

If it should be found possible to arrange a simultaneous census of French subjects, may I ask your Excellency to communicate directly on the subject with the Governments of Madras and Bengal, who will be requested to meet, as far as may be in their power, any wishes in the matter which your Excellency may express.

Accept the assurance of my highest consideration.

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Order—No. 619, Political, dated 14th September 1899.

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(True Extract.)

G. STOKES,
*Chief Secretary.*

To the Revenue Department.

Exd. C. M. Thumbusawmy.

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