GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.

PUBLIC DEPARTMENT.

READ—the following papers :—

From W. P. AUSTIN, Esq., Protector of Emigrants, Madras, to the Chief Secretary to Government, dated Madras, 18th March 1893, No. 122.

I have the honour to submit my administration report on the emigration operations at this port for 1892 and to enclose the usual statements and copy of the Medical Inspector's report.

2. There was no change in the administrative staff of both the agencies in the year under consideration.

3. There was absolutely no requisition for coolies for the Mauritius during the year and consequently no shipment for that colony.

4. The Natal emigration operations of the year were, on the whole, satisfactory. From the commencement of the year down to the end of July business went on quite as briskly as was desirable. It was then slightly disturbed by an outbreak of measles in the depôt, which, however, did not, I am glad to say, interfere much with embarkation. The disease was pronounced to be of a very mild form, and as there was cholera raging in the vicinity of the depôt, it was decided, in consultation with the Medical Inspector of Emigrants and the Surgeon-Superintendent of the *Umzinto*, Dr. Seaton, to embark the coolies in the depôt at once.

5. There was not a complaint of any kind made to me by the coolies, who, on the contrary, always expressed themselves fully satisfied with the treatment they had received at the depôt. Their food was invariably good, both in quality and quantity, and the depôt premises were always well kept.

6. Out of 3,030 coolies kept in the depôt from time to time, the number detained over 3 months was only 137, mostly due to the wreck of the *Umtata* in December of the previous year. The coolies who were to have gone by her had to wait till another ship was ready to take them, which was not till the 25th January next, thus involving a delay of one month.

7. Ninety-seven recruiters' licenses were granted during the year for the Natal agency.

Natal.

Men	1,716
Women	730
Children	584
Total ..	3,030

8. Seven shipments were made for Natal during the year, the percentage of women to men being 42·5.

The number of men, women and children despatched is noted on the margin.

No. 2.—Statement showing the period of detention of Emigrants in Depot from 1st January to 31st December 1892.

Number detained one month and under.	Number detained between one and two months.	Number detained between two and three months.	Number detained between three and four months.	Number detained more than four months.	Total.
1	2	3	4	5	6
1,005	1,420	378	128	9	3,030

Remarks.—With regard to the detentions in depôt beyond the period of three months, as shown in columns 4 and 5, it is submitted:—

(1) That the *Upnata* which was to have taken coolies from here about the end of last year was wrecked, and a fresh steamer had to be chartered, which left here on the 25th January, thus involving a delay of one month.

(2) That owing to the prevalence of ophthalmia, measles and fever, several coolies had to be kept in the quarantine depôt until recovery and were then re-admitted into the main depôt.

No. 3.—Statement showing the number of Emigrants in Hospital from 1st January to 31st December 1892.

Month.	Number of emigrants in the depôt hospital.	Number of emigrants in outside hospital.	Number of deaths in the outside hospital.	Number of deaths in the depôt.	Remarks.
January	34	13	..	..	
February	33	6	..	..	
March	45	11	..	..	
April	22	3	(a) 2	..	
May	31	5	..	..	
June	41	8	..	..	
July	47	13	..	(a) One pneumonia, one fever.	
August	68	12	..	..	
September	82	(b) 2	..	..	
October	89	(c) 6	(d) 1	(b) One diarrhœa, one measles. (c) Three diarrhœa, one dysentery, two measles. (d) general debility. (e) Six measles, two fever. (f) Dysentery.	
November	32	..	..	..	
December	17	(e) 8	(f) 1	..	
	16	..	..	..	
	21	..	..	..	
	3	..	..	..	
	1	..	..	..	

No. 4.—Statement showing the number of Indians embarked from Madras from 1st January to 31st December 1892.

Month and date.	Name of vessels.	Destination.	Number of heads.			
			Men.	Women.	Children.	Total souls.
26th January	"Chupra"	Natal	295	150	126	570
26th March	"Huzara"	"	302	120	120	542
4th June	"Congella"	"	219	83	81	383
8th July	"Pongola"	"	202	97	94	393
11th August	"Umzinto"	"	296	123	88	507
10th October	"Pongola"	"	226	89	88	403
14th November	"Umzinto"	"	176	68	40	284
		Total	1,716	730	584	3,030
Number of emigrants embarked—						
Previous year						3,030
Year under report						2,619

No. 5.—Statement showing the number of Emigrants registered in each District and admitted into the Depôt and the number actually embarked out of them.

Districts.	Number admitted.			Coolies not brought to the depôt.			Number registered.			Total. souls.	Total adults.	Number embarked.			Total souls.	Total adults.
	Men.	Women.	Children.	Men.	Women.	Children.	Men.	Women.	Children.			Men.	Women.	Children.		
Balance on 31st December 1891.																
Madras	177	117	121	..	..	..	..	..	..	415	326	139	95	88	322	259½
Chingleput	40	17	14	..	..	..	..	..	..	71	61	30	14	9	53	46½
North Arcot	73	22	16	..	..	..	..	..	..	111	99	50	12	4	66	62
South Arcot	7	3	3	..	..	..	..	..	..	13	10½	7	3	3	13	10½
Coimbatore	4	3	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	8	7½	3	2	..	5	5
Tanjore	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	1	1	..	..	1	1
Madura	7	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	8	8	6	1	..	7	7
Bangalore	5	2	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	9	8	2	1	1	4	3½
Nellore	10	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	11	11	7	1	..	8	8
Godávari	8	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	9	9	..	..	..	..	..
Salem	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	2	2	..	..	2	2
Total ..	334	167	157	..	..	..	..	..	..	658	543	247	129	105	481	405
1892.																
Madras	1,554	598	497	66	29	29	1,620	627	526	2,773	2,384	855	384	302	1,541	1,325½
Chingleput	109	40	37	10	1	8	119	41	45	205	177½	61	21	18	100	88½
North Arcot	701	264	249	141	34	55	842	298	304	1,444	1,253	343	138	131	612	522
South Arcot	18	2	1	3	..	..	21	2	1	24	23½	11	1	..	12	12
Coimbatore	18	4	3	..	..	..	13	4	3	20	18	13	2	1	16	15
Tanjore	18	10	4	8	1	..	26	11	4	41	38½	8	8	2	18	16½
Madura	127	25	4	16	1	..	143	26	4	173	169½	70	14	1	85	84½
Bangalore	15	3	1	2	..	..	17	3	1	21	20½	7	2	1	10	9½
Nellore	44	26	22	39	20	1	83	46	23	152	138½	28	13	14	55	46
Godávari	*92	15	7	..	..	..	92	15	7	114	110½	68	17	7	92	87½
Vizagapatam	† 5	2	1	3	..	..	8	2	1	11	10½	3	1	2	6	5
Ganjam	9	3	2	..	..	..	9	3	2	14	13	2	..	..	2	2
Total ..	3,039	1,159	985	288	86	93	2,993	1,078	921	5,650	4,900	1,716	730	584	3,030	2,619

* This excludes 14 men and 3 women who were registered at the end of December 1891 and were admitted in January 1892.
† This excludes 5 men, 1 woman and 2 children who were registered at the end of December 1891 and were admitted in January 1892.

No. 6.—Statement showing the number of Indian Emigrants returned from Natal to Madras from 1st January to 31st December 1892.

Date of arrival.	By what steamer arrived.	From where.	Number returned. Men.	Women.	Children.	Total.	Number of emigrants that died during the voyage.	Savings.	Remarks.
14th May ..	"Congella" ..	Natal ..	60	26	25	111	..	Rs. 10,000	*Number returned.*
16th September.	"Pongola" ..	Do. ..	60	21	22	103	..	25,000	Previous year .. 380
		Total ..	120	47	47	214	..	35,000	Year under report .. 214

No. 7.—Statement showing the Districts of Emigrants embarked.

Names of districts.	Men.	Women.	Children.	Total.
Madras ..	15	7	1	23
Chingleput ..	491	245	205	941
North Arcot ..	718	333	280	1,331
Salem ..	46	11	5	62
Bangalore ..	10	4	1	15
Mysore ..	5	..	..	5
Coimbatore ..	22	3	1	26
Malabar ..	1	..	..	1
Travancore ..	1	..	..	1
South Arcot ..	130	35	33	198
Pondicherry ..	11	1	..	12
Tanjore ..	6	7	..	13
Trichinopoly ..	10	5	4	19
Madura ..	58	14	2	74
Tinnevelly ..	10	1	..	11
Cuddapah ..	22	2	2	26
Bellary ..	1	1	..	2
Anantapur ..	1	..	..	1
Hyderabad ..	2	3	2	7
Nellore ..	78	34	38	150
Godávari ..	33	3	..	36
Kistna ..	3	1	..	4
Vizagapatam ..	38	17	8	63
Ganjam ..	2	..	..	2
Pudukóta Territory ..	1	1	1	3
Dharwar ..	1	1	1	3
Nagpur ..	..	..	..	..
Total ..	1,716	730	584	3,030

No. 8.—Statement showing the number of Emigrants despatched to and returned from Natal with the total amount of expenditure from 1st January to 31st December 1892.

Name of Agency.	Number of emigrants despatched. Souls.	Adults.	Number of emigrants returned. Souls.	Adults.	Expenditure on account of emigrants despatched.	Expenditure on account of emigrants returned.	Grand Total.	Rate of exchange.	Sterling money.
Natal ..	3,030	2,619	214	187	Rs. A. P. 1,38,653 13 2	Rs. A. P. 643 8 5	Rs. A. P. 1,39,297 5 7	*	£ s. d. 10,000 16 11½

* 1st January to 31st March 1892 .. .. Rs. A. P. 38,270 6 7 at 1 6½ = £ s. d. 2,950 0 2½
1st April to 31st December 1892 .. .. 1,01,026 15 0 at 1 4½ = 7,050 16 9½
Total .. 1,39,297 5 7 10,000 16 11½

MMAURITIUS.

No. 1.—Statement showing the number of Emigrants admitted in the Depôt during the year 1892 and how they were disposed of.—*Nil.*

No. 2.—Statement showing the period of detention of Emigrants in Depôt during 1892.—*Nil.*

No. 3.—Statement showing the number of Emigrants in Hospital during 1892.—*Nil.*

No. 4.—Statement showing the number of Indian Emigrants embarked from Madras in the year 1892.—*Nil.*

No. 5.—Statement showing the number of Emigrants registered in each District and the number actually embarked out of those registered.—*Nil.*

No. 6.—Statement showing Districts of Emigrants embarked in 1892.—*Nil.*

No. 7.—Statement showing the number of Indian Emigrants returned to Madras in the year 1892.

Date of arrival.	By what vessel arrived.	From where.	Number returned. Men.	Women.	Children.	Total.	Number of emigrants died during the voyage.	Amount of savings.	Remarks.
29th Feb. 1892.	S.S. "Fultala."	Mauritius.	147	48	33	228	..	Rs. 5,839	*Number returned.* *No. died.*
18th June „	S.S. "Lalpoora"	Mauritius.	110	31	27	168	2	1,895	Previous year 366 .. 1
10th Sept. „	S.S. "Wardha."	Mauritius.	167	71	45	283	3	6,010	Year under report 679 .. 5
		Total ..	424	150	105	679	5	13,744	Previous year savings. Rs. 4,644
									Year under report savings .. .. „ 13,744

No. 8.—Statement of Advances paid to Emigrants at Madras in the year 1892.—*Nil.*

No. 9.—*Colonial Emigration Form No.* 19.—Form of Report of delayed despatches of Emigrants.—Return showing cause of lengthy detention of Emigrants in the Depot of the Mauritius Emigration Agency during the year 1892.—*Nil.*

No. 10.—Statement of Emigration Receipts during the year 1892 in the office of the Protector of Emigrants, Madras.

Months.	Number of emigrants registered. Men.	Women.	Children.	Amount of embarkation fees collected.	Amount of license fees collected.	Total receipts.
				Rs.		Rs.
January 1892 ..	92	39	41	..	..	..
February „ ..	237	118	97	1,335	..	1,335
March „ ..	73	24	22	..	..	..
April „ ..	152	48	54	1,266	..	1,266
May „ ..	58	18	12	..	..	..
June „ ..	302	130	120	906	..	906
July „ ..	203	85	83	897	..	897
August „ ..	188	72	57	1,257	..	1,257
September „ ..	75	18	12	..	..	..
October „ ..	110	38	17	945	..	945
November „ ..	43	16	4	732	..	732
December „ ..	87	21	7	..	..	..
Total ..	1,620	627	526	7,338	..	7,338

Statement of Emigration Charges during the year 1892 in the office of the Protector of Emigrants, Madras.

Establishment.	Cost.	Contingencies.	Refunds.	Total.	Remarks.
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	
Protector's allowance at Rs. 200 per mensem less fund deduction.	2,304 0 0	..	..	2,304 0 0	
Medical Inspector's allowance at Rs. 150 per mensem.	1,800 0 0	..	..	1,800 0 0	
Head Clerk	1,040 0 0	..	..	1,040 0 0	Mofussil disbursement amounted to Rs. 457-5-4.
Second Clerk	390 0 0	..	..	390 0 0	
Attender	130 0 0	..	..	130 0 0	
Two Peons	195 0 0	..	..	195 0 0	
Assessment	54 14 4	..	..	54 14 4	
Contingencies	..	117 2 0	..	117 2 0	
Total ..	5,913 14 4	117 2 0	..	6,031 0 4	

From Lieut.-General H. McLEOD, R.A., Her Britannic Majesty's Consular Agent, Pondicherry and Karikal, to the Chief Secretary to Government, dated Pondicherry, 25th March 1893, No. 170.

I have the honour to submit my report on emigration and free passenger traffic at Pondicherry and Karikal for the calender year 1892.

2. (*I*) *French Colonies.*—There was no emigration to French colonies, consequently Statements 1 to 10 are blank. From Statement No. 11 it will be seen that only one colony, viz., Réunion, bringing with them Rs. 8,000, declared savings, giving for 148 adults an average of Rs. 54–0–10 per head. In 1891, 235 adults who returned from the same colony averaged Rs. 34–6–9.

3. There was no death during the voyage. 38 per cent. of the emigrants landed were over the age of 50. The general appearance of the emigrants was on the whole not bad.

4. (*II*) *Straits Settlements.*—Seven hundred and thirty-seven passengers embarked from Karikal for the Straits against 2,131 in 1891. The decrease is owing to the competition between the Steamer Companies having ceased from the beginning of the year under review. Further, passengers, as a rule, prefer to embark at Negapatam, for the reason that Negapatam is the last port of call for steamers for the Straits. One thousand two hundred and twenty-three persons returned to Karikal from the Straits during 1892 against 1,997 in 1891. The reduced rate of passage-money allowed last year was not extended to the year under review consequent on the cessation of competition between the Steamer Companies. Sixty-five passengers embarked at Pondicherry for the Straits, of these only two were British subjects.

5. (*III*) *Burma, Mauritius, Ceylon.*—The embarkations from Pondicherry for Burma were 62 against 28 in 1891. Thirty-eight left Karikal for Burma in 1892 against 30 in the previous year. None returned from Burma to either port. No passengers embarked from Pondicherry for the Mauritius in 1892. In 1891 only 5 French subjects left Pondicherry for the Mauritius. There was no passenger traffic during the year between Karikal and Ceylon. The Consular clerk at Karikal states that the passengers from Ceylon landed at Negapatam, at which port the steamers arrived first.

6. *Receipts and Charges.*—There were no receipts during the year. The total expenditure at Pondicherry and Karikal was Rs. 21,245–7–0, of which Rs. 10,622–11–6 being debited to Political, leaves Rs. 10,622–11–6 as the emigration charges for the year. The total expenditure for 1891 was Rs. 13,509–11–3.

7. *Establishments.*—S. Kuppuswami Aiyar was made chief clerk on the death of T. Appasami Aiyar in October 1892 and posted to Pondicherry—*vide* G.O., Financial, dated 9th December 1892, No. 1338; and one P. Ganapati Aiyar, late clerk in the Revenue Department, was entertained as Consular clerk at Karikal. S. Kuppuswami Aiyar was placed in charge of the office on three occasions during the absence of the

Consular Agent on casual leave. Chief Clerk S. Kuppuswami Aiyar was, as usual, most efficient at Pondicherry, and Clerk P. Ganapati Aiyar has managed the Karikal office satisfactorily ever since his appointment in the Consulate. I visited Karikal in December 1892 and found the office records and everything in complete order.

8. The service registers of the establishments are properly kept up to date.

ENCLOSURES.

Nos. 1 and 2.—Statements showing the number of emigrants admitted into the Pondicherry and Karikal Depôts from January to 31st December 1892, and how they were disposed of —*Nil.*

No. 3.—Statement showing the period of detention of the emigrants in the Pondicherry and Karikal Depôts during the year 1892—*Nil.*

No. 4.—Statement showing the number of emigrants in Pondicherry and Karikal Hospitals from January to December 1892—*Nil.*

No. 5.—Statement showing the number of Indian emigrants embarked from Pondicherry and Karikal in 1892—*Nil.*

No. 6.—Statement of advances paid to emigrants at Pondicherry and Karikal in the year 1892—*Nil.*

Nos. 7 and 8.—Statements showing districts of emigrants embarked at Pondicherry and Karikal during the year 1892—*Nil.*

Nos. 9 and 10.—Statements showing the number of emigrants registered in each district and the number actually embarked at Pondicherry and Karikal—*Nil.*

No. 11.—Statement showing the number of Indian Emigrants returned to Pondicherry in the year 1892.

Date of arrival.	By what ship arrived.	From where.	Number embarked.				Number of emigrants died during the voyage.	Number of children born during the voyage.	Total number landed at Pondicherry.	Amount of savings.	Remarks.		
			Men.	Women.	Children.	Total.					Previous year.		
											Number returned.	Number died.	Savings.
										Rs.			Rs. A. P.
7th July 1892.	S.S. "Madagascar."	La Réunion.	115	33	34	182	..	..	182	8,000	*1,135	14	28,835 10 9

* From 3 colonies.

No. 12.—Statement showing the number of Indian Emigrants returned to Karikal in the year 1892—*Nil.*

No. 13.—Statement of Emigration Receipts at Pondicherry during the year 1892—*Nil.*

No. 14.—Statement of Emigration Charges at Pondicherry during the year 1892.

Establishment. Details.	Cost.	Contingencies.			Remarks.
			Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P. Total charges	
1 British Consular Agent.	Rs. A. P.				
1 Clerk ..	(a) 18,846 8 0	Office rent ..	300 0 0		
4 Peons ..	(b) 555 9 0	Service postage and telegrams ..	43 13 0		
1 Sweeper ..	(c) 361 11 1	Hot weather charges ..	..		
	12 0 0	Ordinary office contingencies ..	85 10 3		Previous year.
Total ..	19,805 12 10	Total ..	37 11 9	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
			467 3 0	..	18,501 12 10
					433 9 0
				Total ..	18,935 5 10

(a) Includes travelling allowance Rs. A. P.
(b) do. do. .. ..
(c) do. do. .. ..
(d) Half of this amount, i.e., Rs. 10,135 7 11 debited to Political and the other half to emigration.

No. 15.—Statement of Emigration Charges at Karikal during the year 1892.

Establishment. Details.	Cost.	Contingencies.			Refunds.	Total expenditure.	Remarks.
			Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.		Rs. A. P.	
1 Chief Clerk ..	Rs. A. P.						
2 Peons ..	636 12 6	Office rent ..	120 0 0		..	..	
1 Sweeper ..	154 0 0	Service labels ..	20 0 0		..	..	
	11 0 0	Hot weather charges ..	..		..	..	
		Other expenses.	20 14 9		..	..	
Total ..	801 12 6	Total ..	0 12 0		..	496 3 3	were debited to emigration.
			170 10 9		..	496 3 3	were debited to Political.
			..		..	972 7 6	Total.

Previous year Rs. 1,234-5-0. Last year charge allowance was drawn by the chief clerk in addition to his salary.
Hence the decrease this year.

No. 16.—Statement showing the number of coolies under advances and passengers who embarked at Karikal for the Straits Settlements during the year 1892.

Dates.	Names of vessels.	British subjects.									French subjects.			Grand Total.			Remarks.			
		Coolies under advances.			B. Form passengers.			Other passengers.												
		Men.	Women.	Children.	Men.	Women.	Children.	Men.	Women.	Children.	Men.	Women.	Children.	Men.	Women.	Children.				
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21
																	Previous year.	Present year.	Increase.	Decrease.
7th January 1892 ..	S.S. "Pundwa"	..	..	..	..	..	..	51	1	1	5	1	..	56	2	1				
18th ,, ,, ..	,, "Purnea"	..	..	..	..	..	..	10	1	..	16	..	2	26	1	2				
5th February ,, ..	,, "Pundwa"	..	..	..	..	..	..	11	2	2	1	..	1	12	2	3				
16th ,, ,, ..	,, "Purnea"	..	..	..	..	..	..	6	..	..	9	3	..	15	3	..				
29th ,, ,, ..	,, "Secundra"	..	..	..	..	..	..	5	2	2	4	..	..	9	2	2				
14th March ,, ..	,, "Sirsa"	..	..	..	..	..	..	12	4	1	1	..	..	13	4	1				
28th ,, ,, ..	,, "Secundra"	..	..	..	..	..	..	7	2	2	..	..	..	7	2	2	2,131	737	..	1,394
4th April ,, ..	,, "Chupra"	..	..	..	..	..	..	17	4	2	81	7	5	98	11	7				
25th ,, ,, ..	,, "Secundra"	..	..	..	..	..	..	8	..	..	7	1	1	15	1	1				
9th May ,, ..	,, "Sirsa"	..	..	..	..	..	..	16	4	..	10	2	2	26	6	2				
23rd ,, ,, ..	,, "Secundra"	..	..	..	..	..	..	36	4	2	4	..	..	40	4	2				
5th June ,, ..	,, "Sirsa"	..	..	..	..	..	..	61	3	1	19	6	3	80	9	4				
18th ,, ,, ..	,, "Secundra"	..	..	..	..	..	..	10	..	..	14	2	..	24	2	..				
3rd July ,, ..	,, "Sirsa"	..	..	..	..	..	..	11	5	1	15	1	..	26	6	1				
16th ,, ,, ..	,, "Secundra"	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..				
31st ,, ,, ..	,, "Sirsa"	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	9	..	..	10	..	..				
14th August ,, ..	,, "Secundra"	..	..	..	..	..	..	11	3	1	9	..	3	20	3	4				
28th ,, ,, ..	,, "Sirsa"	..	..	..	..	..	..	23	3	3	6	2	..	29	5	3				
11th September ,, ..	,, "Secundra"	..	..	..	..	..	..	39	..	..	..	..	..	39	..	..				
27th ,, ,, ..	,, "Sirsa"	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..				
9th October ,, ..	,, "Secundra"	..	..	..	..	..	..	24	1	4	7	..	..	31	1	4				
22nd ,, ,, ..	,, "Sirsa"	..	..	..	..	..	..	7	..	..	4	..	2	11	..	2				
6th November ,, ..	,, "Secundra"	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	..	1	8	1	2	10	1	3				
21st ,, ,, ..	,, "Sirsa"	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..				
5th December ,, ..	,, "Secundra"	..	..	..	..	..	..	3	..	..	..	..	..	3	..	..				
19th ,, ,, ..	,, "Sirsa"	..	..	..	..	..	..	18	..	1	6	1	2	24	1	3				
	Total ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	389	39	24	235	27	23	624	66	47				

owing number of passengers who returned to Karikal from the Sts Settlements during the year 1892.

Date.	Names of Ships.	Number of passengers landed				Remarks			
		Men.	Women.	Children.	Total.	Previous year.	Present year.	Increase.	Decrease.
2nd Jan. 1892	S.S. "Pundwa"	35	3	2	40	1,997	1,223	..	774
13th ,, ,,	,, "Purnea"	97	6	4	107				
12th Feb. ,, ,,	,, "Do."	61	5	4	70				
27th ,, ,,	,, "Pundwa"	15	2	1	18				
6th March ,, ,,	,, "Sirsa"	33	4	..	37				
10th ,, ,,	,, "Do."	21	3	..	24				
24th ,, ,,	,, "Secundra" ..	46	7	3	56				
21st April ,, ,,	,, "Do."	19	2	..	21				
5th May ,, ,,	,, "Sirsa"	82	6	3	91				
19th ,, ,,	,, "Secundra" ..	56	5	2	63				
1st June ,, ,,	,, "Sirsa"	53	6	3	62				
14th ,, ,,	,, "Secundra" ..	47	6	..	53				
29th ,, ,,	,, "Sirsa"	55	6	2	63				
12th July ,, ,,	,, "Do."	28	2	5	35				
9th Aug. ,, ,,	,, "Secundra" ..	41	3	1	45				
24th ,, ,,	,, "Sirsa"	40	6	5	51				
27th ,, ,,	,, "Secundra" ..	30	3	4	37				
6th Sept. ,, ,,	,, "Sirsa"	31	2	1	34				
22nd ,, ,,	,, "Secundra" ..	37	6	4	47				
4th Oct. ,, ,,	,, "Sirsa"	30	5	29	64				
18th ,, ,,	,, "Secundra" ..	25	3	5	33				
3rd Nov. ,, ,,	,, "Sirsa"	20	4	6	30				
16th ,, ,,	,, "Secundra" ..	20	..	1	21				
30th ,, ,,	,, "Sirsa"	38	4	2	44				
14th Dec. ,, ,,	,, "Secundra" ..	34	5	2	41				
28th ,, ,,	,, "Sirsa"	16	4	1	21				
	,, "Secundra" ..	1	1	7	9				
	Total	1,010	103	110	1,223				

No. 18.—Statement showing the number of passengers who embarked from the port of Karikal for British Burma during the year 1892.

Date.	Names of Ships.	Number of passengers embarked for Moulmein.								Remarks.
		British subjects.				French subjects.				
		Men.	Women.	Children.	Total.	Men.	Women.	Children.	Total.	
15th Sept. 1892	Barque Sri Venugopalaswamy.	12	1	1	14	..	..	..	..	
16th ,, ,,	Do. ..	15	1	1	17	6	..	1	7	
	Total ..	27	2	2	31	6	..	1	7	

Previous year.	Present year.	Increase.	Decrease.
30	38	8	..

No. 19.—Statement showing the number of passengers returned from British Burma to Karikal during the year 1892.

Date.	Names of vessels.	Number of passengers returned from British Burma.				Remarks.			
		Men.	Women.	Children.	Total.	Previous year.	Present year.	Increase.	Decrease.
....	....	..	..	..	..	28	*Nil.*	..	28
	Total ..	..	..	..	..				

No. 20.—Statement showing the number of passengers embarked at Karikal for Ceylon during the year 1892.

Date.	Names of vessels.	Passengers embarked.								Remarks.			
		British subjects.				French subjects.							
		Men.	Women.	Children.	Total.	Men.	Women.	Children.	Total.	Previous year.	Present year.	Increase.	Decrease.
..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	46	..	..	46

No. 21.—Statement showing the number of passengers landed at Karikal from Ceylon during the year 1892.—*Nil.*

No. 22.—Abstract statement showing the number of passengers who went to British Burma, Straits Settlements and Mauritius during the year 1892.

Ports from which embarked.	Number of passengers embarked for Burma.							Number of passengers embarked for Straits Settlements.							Number of passengers embarked for Mauritius.						
	British subjects.			French subjects.			Total.	British subjects.			French subjects.			Total.	British subjects.			French subjects.			Total.
	Men.	Women.	Children.	Men.	Women.	Children.		Men.	Women.	Children.	Men.	Women.	Children.		Men.	Women.	Children.	Men.	Women.	Children.	
Pondicherry.	26	2	4	23	4	3	62	2	..	..	47	13	3	65	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Karikal ..	27	2	2	6	..	1	38	389	39	24	235	27	23	737	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Total ..	53	4	6	29	4	4	100	391	39	24	282	40	26	802	..	..	..	..	..	..	..

No. 23.—Abstract statement showing the number of passengers returned from Burma, Straits Settlements and Ceylon during the year 1892.

Ports to which returned.	Passengers returned from Burma.				Passengers returned from Straits Settlements.				Passengers returned from Ceylon.			
	Men.	Women.	Children.	Total.	Men.	Women.	Children.	Total.	Men.	Women.	Children.	Total.
Pondicherry	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Karikal	..	..	..	..	1,010	103	110	1,223	..	..	..	..
Total ..	..	..	..	..	1,010	103	110	1,223	..	..	..	..

No. 24.—Statement showing the names of British steamers that arrived at Pondicherry during the year 1892.

Names.	Number of arrivals.	Names.	Number of arrivals.
1. S.S. "Putiala"	21	30. S.S. "Pentakota"	1
2. " "Pundwa"	3	31. " "Metapedia"	1
3. " "Culna"	5	32. " "Bhundara"	1
4. " "Khandalla"	7	33. " "Peveril"	1
5. " "Nawab"	9	34. " "Congo"	1
6. " "Palitana"	18	35. " "Abana"	1
7. " "Huzara"	3	36. " "Bancoora"	1
8. " "Purnea"	2	37. " "Asloun"	1
9. " "Tannadice"	2	38. " "Erato"	1
10. " "Oriental"	2	39. " "Loch Maree"	1
11. " "Kangra"	4	40. " "Orono"	1
12. " "Nadir"	10	41. " "Nowshera"	1
13. " "Katoria"	6	42. " "Chanda"	1
14. " "Rajpootana"	6	43. " "Patna"	1
15. " "Baghdad"	9	44. " "Calliope"	1
16. " "Goalpara"	5	45. " "Blackheath"	1
17. " "Kohinur"	2	46. " "Mortlake"	1
18. " "Chindwara"	11	47. " "Altonowar"	1
19. " "Secundra"	6	48. " "Umballa"	1
20. " "Ellora"	5	49. " "Waverley"	1
21. " "Camorta"	1	50. " "Loodiana"	1
22. " "River Indus"	1	51. " "Sirdhana"	1
23. " "Amana"	11	52. " "Landaura"	1
24. " "Nizam"	1	53. " "Effel Tower"	1
25. " "Harrogate"	11	54. " "Warora"	1
26. " "Sirsa"	3		
27. " "Henzada"	1		
28. " "Scindia"	3		
29. " "Chupra"		Total	199

No. 25.—Statement showing the names of British steamers that arrived at Karikal during the year 1892.

Names.	Number of arrivals.	Names.	Number of arrivals.
1. S.S. "Pundwa"	4	14. S.S. "Baghdad"	2
2. " "Khandalla"	1	15. " "Aska"	7
3. " "Purnea"	4	16. " "Nadir"	6
4. " "Huzara"	1	17. " "Chupra"	2
5. " "Tannadice"	2	18. " "Bancoora"	1
6. " "Rajpootana"	1	19. " "Kohinur"	1
7. " "Goalpara"	2	20. " "Nizam"	2
8. " "Chindwara"	1	21. " "Vita"	1
9. " "Kulna"	1	22. " "Kangra"	1
10. " "Nawab"	2	23. " "Chanda"	2
11. " "Secundra"	2	24. " "Waverley"	9
12. " "Camorta"	5		1
13. " "Sirsa"	22		1
	2		1
	22	Total	101

No. 26.—Statement showing the names of sailing vessels that arrived at Pondicherry during the year 1892.

Names.	Number of times arrived.	Names.	Number of times arrived.
1. 3 M. Ch. "Curreem Bux"	1	21. Dhony "Muhamed Bunder"	1
2. Br. Ch. "Sri Venkatachalapati"	1	22. " "Ramasamy"	1
3. " "Sri Venkateswaraloo"	1	23. " "Sivasundarapuravy"	4
4. " "Bougarie Moidin Samadany"	3	24. " "Sainte Annalakshmy"	1
5. " "Parvatabakyalakshmy"	1	25. " "Nagalingapuravy"	1
6. Colonel Fytche	1	26. " "Nagur Mira Sahib"	4
7. Selvanayagy Kaliana Varada Lukshmy, "Candasami	1	27. " "Sebamalé Madavinpuravy"	1
8. Br. Ch. "Muhamed Suliman Bux"	1	28. " "Saint Joseph Provendamaria"	4
9. " "Harrington"	1	29. " "Kouripakyalakshmy"	3
10. Bk. "Mailvaganapuravy"	1	30. " "Parvatabakyalakshmy"	2
11. Br. Ch. "Katheria"	3	31. " "Poornalakshmy"	6
12. " "Veeralakshmy"	1	32. " "Nilayadatchy"	3
13. " "Nithiyapakiam"	1	33. " "Tayalnayagy"	1
14. " "Dhanalakshmy"	1	34. " "Moidin Bux"	1
15. " "Cader Moidin Bux"	1	35. " "Annapurany"	1
16. " "Annulakshmy"	1	36. " "Saminaden"	2
17. " "Sree Venugopalasami"	2	37. " "Adinarayanapuravy"	1
18. " "Nilayadatchy"		38. " "Marie Sintadri Antonipuravy"	
19. "		39. " "Hydrose"	
20. Dhony "Annulakshmy"		Total	64

No. 27.—Statement showing the names of sailing vessels that arrived at Karikal during the year 1892.

Names.	Number of arrivals.	Names.	Number of arrivals.
1. Bk. "Sri Venugopalasamy"	5	20. Dhony "Tirusundra Puravy"	1
2. Br. Ch. "Soobramaniapuravy"	1	21. Bk. "Sundraraja Vijia Lakshmi"	2
3. Schooner "Meanatchy Soondram"	4	22. Dhony "Mohamed Bunder"	1
4. Dhony "Sivagami Amman"	9	23. " "Mohamed Abdul Carim"	2
5. " "Sepamalai Madavinpuravy"	4	24. " "Poorva Lakshmi"	5
6. Bk. "Soondra Lakshmi"	3	25. " "Thayel Nayagy"	1
7. " "Konesarpuravy"	5	26. Bk. "John and Mary"	1
8. " "Vinayaga Pakia Lakshmi"	1	27. " "Tirunadaraja Puravy"	1
9. Dhony "Haja Ameed Bux"	2	28. Dhony "Mohidin Bux Lakshmi"	2
10. " "Fatasalam"	4	29. Bk. "Sahool Hamed"	1
11. " "Adi Lakshmi"	2	30. " "Cader Mohidin Bux"	1
12. " "Swaminathan"	1	31. " "Mohidin Hydroze"	3
13. " "Mohidin Sahool Amid Bux"	1	32. Dhony "Mohamed Ibram Ali"	1
14. " "Anna Lakshmi"	5	33. " "Rajool Mohamed Bux"	2
15. " "Harriet"	1	34. " "Joseph Prabanda Maria"	1
16. " "Cader Bux"	4	35. " "Abdul Ameed"	1
17. " "Mahilvahanapuravy"		36. " "Sepamalai Madavinpuravy"	1
18. " "Ramasamy"		Total	90
19. " "Nilayadatchy"			

No. 28.—Abstract statement of shipping particulars.

Particulars of vessels.	Number of vessels				Total number of arrivals.	
	Steamers.		Sailing vessels.			
	To Pondicherry.	To Karikal.	To Pondicherry.	To Karikal.	At Pondicherry.	At Karikal.
Vessels making 25 voyages and upwards	..	..	..	..	..	..
Do. 24 do.	..	..	..	..	..	..
Do. 23 do.	..	..	..	..	..	..
Do. 22 do.	..	..	..	..	..	..
Do. 21 do.	..	..	..	..	..	..
Do. 19 do.	..	..	..	..	..	..
Do. 18 do.	..	..	..	..	..	..
Do. 12 do.	1	2	..	..	..	..
Do. 11 do.	..	..	..	..	..	..
Do. 10 do.	1	..	..	..	..	..
Do. 9 do.	..	..	..	..	..	..
Do. 8 do.	3	..	..	..	21	44
Do. 7 do.	1	..	..	..	..	..
Do. 6 do.	2	..	..	..	18	..
Do. 5 do.	..	1	..	..	..	..
Do. 4 do.	1	..	..	..	33	..
Do. 3 do.	3	1	..	1	10	..
Do. 2 do.	3	..	..	..	18	..
Do. 1 do.	1	2	..	..	..	18
	5	2	..	1	..	..
	7	..	3	..	7	..
Total ..	26	7	4	5	24	7
		9	3	2	15	..
	54		28	7	16	35
		24		16	27	28
			39		20	6
				36	54	28
					263	25
						191

From the Accountant-General, dated 19th April 1893, No. B.B.P.-1.

Proceedings of the Board of Revenue (Separate Revenue), dated 24th April, 1893, No. 169.

Read—again Proceedings of the Board of Revenue (Separate Revenue), dated 29th March 1893, Mis. No. 1172.

Abstract.—Forwarding to the Accountant-General, for verification, statement of emigration receipts and charges during the year 1892.

Read—also the following papers:—

From the Collector of Ganjam,	dated 21st Mar. 1893,	No. 159-Eng.
,, ,, of Vizagapatam,	,, 7th Feb. ,,	,, 324.
,, ,, of Gódávari,	,, 20th ,, ,,	,, —.
,, ,, of Nellore,	,, 5th ,, ,,	,, 181-Eng.
,, ,, of Chingleput,	,, 17th ,, ,, Ref.	,, 32-S.R.
,, ,, of North Arcot,	,, 18th ,, ,,	,, 859-R.G.
,, ,, of South Arcot,	,, 13th ,, ,,	,, 209-I.
,, ,, of ,,	,, 22nd ,, ,,	,, 283-I.
,, ,, of Tanjore,	,, 18th ,, ,,	,, 130.
,, ,, of Madura,	,, 21st ,, ,,	,, 22.
,, ,, of Tinnevelly,	,, 2nd Mar. ,,	,, 138.
,, ,, of Coimbatore,	,, 4th Feb. ,,	,, 119-M.
,, Protector of Emigrants, Madras,	,, 18th Mar. ,,	,, 123.
,, ,, ,,	,, 19th April ,,	,, 172.
,, British Consular Agent, Pondicherry and Karikal,	,, 25th Mar. ,,	,, 171.

Abstract.—Reports and Returns of Emigration and Immigration for 1892.

Read—also Nil returns of emigration and immigration from the Collectors of Kistna, Cuddapah, Anantapur, Bellary, Kurnool, Trichinopoly, Nilgiris, Salem, South Canara and Malabar.

Read—also letter from the Collector of Cuddapah, dated 19th February 1893, No. 631-Ver.

Abstract.—Requesting that a certain correction may be made in his *Nil* return of emigration for 1892.

Read—also letter from the Accountant-General, Madras, dated 19th April 1893, No. I.B.B.-16.

Abstract.—Returning after verification the statement of emigration receipts and charges for 1892, received with Board's Proceedings, dated 29th March 1893, Mis. No. 1172.

Resolution—dated 24th April 1893, No. 169.

The papers read above relate to the statistics of emigration and immigration for the year 1892. There was no emigration to the French colonies during the year under report. Emigration to Assam took place under Act V of 1866 from the Ganjam district, but the subject has been excluded from this report, as directed in G.O., dated 2nd February 1892, No. 80, Public.

2. The subjoined abstract compares the number of emigrants, including children, registered for Mauritius and Natal under Act XXI of 1833, and for the Straits Settlements, Burmah and Ceylon, with the corresponding figures for 1891:—

	Regulated emigration.		Non-regulated or free emigration.	
	1891.	1892.	1891.	1892.
Mauritius	516	..	..	..
Natal	4,118	4,970	..	17,750
Straits Settlements	3,972	1,970	* 26,552	45,881
Burmah	..	..	43,717	86,415
Ceylon	..	..	† 74,643	8,769
Other parts of India	..	..	1,948	
Total ..	8,606	6,940	146,860	158,815
	1891. 155,466		1892. 165,755	
Total emigration, regulated and non-regulated ..				

* This is the correct figure, as it includes the number of emigrants (22) from Pondicherry (*vide* second statement appended to paragraph 10 of Board's Proceedings, dated 11th May 1892, No. 255.)

† The difference between this and the figure given in Board's Proceedings, dated 11th May 1892, No. 255, is explained in the foot-note to the statement appended to paragraph 12 below.

Thus the total number of emigrants registered during the year under report shows an increase of 10,289 or 6·6 per cent. over the number for the previous year.

Regulated Emigration.

3. *Emigration to Mauritius.*—Owing to the absence of demand for labour, there was no emigration to Mauritius during the year under reference. The number of coolies registered for 1891 was 516.

4. *Emigration to Natal.*—The following statement shows the number of emigrants registered for Natal and the number that actually embarked for the colony during the past two years:—

Statement showing the number of emigrants registered for Natal in each district and the number embarked out of them during 1892, as compared with the figures of 1891.

Districts.		Number registered.				Number embarked.			
		Men.	Women.	Children.	Total.	Men.	Women.	Children.	Total.
1		2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
1. Ganjám	1892	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
	1891	9	3	..	12	..	..	..	..
2. Vizagapatam.	1892	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
	1891	8	..	2	10	2	..	2	4
3. Gódávari	1892	18	2	..	20	3	..	..	3
	1891	92	3	1	96	6	1	..	7
4. Nellore	1892	42	15	2	59	..	..	..	..
	1891	83	6	7	96	3	..	..	3
5. Madras	1892	51	46	..	97	9	1	..	10
	1891	1,630	16	23	1,669	68	2	2	72
6. North Arcot.	1892	1,273	627	5	1,905	5	17	1	23
	1891	842	574	526	1,942	28	..	7	35
7. Cuddapah	1892	488	288	537	1,313	11	13	..	24
	1891	..	153	304	457	835	4	14	853
8. Chingleput	1892	8	..	108	116	376	334	3	713
	1891	119	..	..	119	343	175	302	820
9. South Arcot.	1892	272	41	..	313	114	138	157	409
	1891	21	86	45	152	..	59	131	190
10. Tanjore	1892	41	2	85	128	6	..	43	49
	1891	26	13	1	40	61	..	..	61
11. Madura	1892	42	11	18	71	38	21	..	59
	1891	148	7	3	158	11	11	16	38
12. Salem	1892	49	26	4	79	2	1	8	11
	1891	..	12	4	16	53	..	..	53
13. Coimbatore	1892	8	..	2	10	8	..	..	8
	1891	13	2	..	15	173	13	8	194
Total	1892	143	4	..	147	63	70	3	136
	1891	..	33	3	36	10	14	2	26
	1892	2,976	1,075	919	4,970	1,402	599	478	2,539
	1891	2,436	905	778	4,119	647	272	218	1,137

Note.—The figures in the above statement exclude the number of emigrants from Bangalore and the number embarked out of those remaining on hand on the 31st December 1891.

* The Collector of Tanjore says that this is the correct number and that the figure shown in the statement submitted to the Protector of Emigrants for April 1892 should have been 3 (2 males and 1 female) instead of 4.

5. There was thus an increase of 852 in the number of persons registered for Natal during 1892, as compared with 1891. The explanation given by the Emigration Agent for the colony is that the outbreak of cholera in the latter part of 1891 interfered very much with the recruiting of coolies, while there was no serious epidemic of any kind in 1892. North Arcot alone shows an increase of 695, for which explanation has been called for from the Collector.

6. The total number of children registered in the several districts was 919 against 778 in the previous year, the number that actually embarked being 478.

7. The emigration operations of the year are reported to have been on the whole satisfactory. Excepting measles of a mild type, which broke out about the end of July, but which happily did not interfere much with embarkation, nothing happened to disturb the usual routine of business in the depôt. Prompt and careful attention was paid to the comfort of the coolies, who appear to have expressed themselves highly satisfied with the treatment they had received at the depôt.

8. There was some delay in the shipments, which was mainly due to the wreck of the vessel that was to have carried some coolies in December last. This necessitated their detention for a further period of about a month, which it took to get another ship ready.

9. *Emigration to the Straits Settlements.*—Indentured emigrants proceeded only from Negapatam. The following statement shows the number of emigrants of this class registered during the year and the number of them that embarked :—

	1891.				1892.			
	Adults.	Children.	Dependents.	Total.	Adults.	Children.	Dependents.	Total.
Number of emigrants registered	3,578	244	150	3,972	1,666	185	119	1,970
Number embarked	3,440	244	150	3,834	1,629	185	119	1,933

The decrease in the emigration to the Straits is attributed to the decreased demand in the colony for labourers and to the higher standard of physical fitness now required by the Medical officer.

NON-REGULATD EMIGRATION.

10. The subjoined statement shows the number of free passengers that proceeded to the Straits Settlements during the year under report :—

Ports of embarkation.	1891.			1892.		
	Adults.	Children.	Total.	Adults.	Children.	Total.
Porto Novo	991	23	1,014	518	55	573
Karikal	1,240	48	1,288	428	24	452
Negapatam	21,800	2,428	24,228	15,417	1,306	16,723
Pondicherry	22	..	22	2	..	2
Total ..	24,053	2,499	26,552	16,365	1,385	17,750

The falling off in the number of passengers is reported to be due to the absence of the competition among the Steamer Agents which existed in 1891, the British India Steam Navigation Company now monopolising the whole traffic and to the consequent enhancement of the passage fares.

11. *Emigration to Burmah.*—The number of passengers that embarked for Burmah during 1892 is compared below with the figures of 1891 :—

Districts.	1891.			1892.		
	Adults.	Children.	Total.	Adults.	Children.	Total.
Ganjám	14,072	455	14,527	12,870	706	13,576
Vizagapatam	10,533	242	10,775	8,880	290	9,170
Tanjore	16,935	1,475	18,410	21,230	1,873	23,103
South Arcot (Pondicherry)	4	1	5	28	4	32
Total ..	41,544	2,173	43,717	43,008	2,873	45,881

Emigration to Burmah and Ceylon being free, it is not possible to distinguish real emigrants from ordinary passengers. The figures tabulated in this and the following paragraphs merely represent the number of all persons who actually embarked for those countries.

There was a slight decrease in the number of emigrants to Burmah from Ganjám and Vizagapatam. The variation in the first-named district is attributed to the greater inducements held out by the Assam Tea Planters, while that in Vizagapatam is ascribed to the favorable season. The Collector of Tanjore reports that the steady increase in his district is natural in view of the widely extended fields for labour opened out by the recent annexation.

12. *Emigration to Ceylon.*—The statistics of the last two years are compared below :—

Districts.	1891.				1892.			
	Men.	Women.	Children.	Total.	Men.	Women.	Children.	Total.
Madura	22,563	4,221	1,365	28,119	21,780	5,230	1,992	29,002
Tinnevelly	33,001	3,678	4,170	40,849	42,933	4,509	4,776	52,218
Tanjore. Karikal	43	3	..	46	..	..	..	..
Tanjore. Negapatam	4,727	559	309	1,886	3,652	359	194	4,205
Tanjore. Minor ports				3,709				
Vizagapatam	4	..	..	4	..	..	..	..
Total ..	60,338	8,461	5,844	74,643	69,215	10,175	7,025	86,415

Note.—The figures in this statement include the passenger traffic to Ceylon from the minor ports of the Tanjore district. This was omitted in Board's Proceedings, dated 11th May 1892, No. 255, as the corresponding figures for 1890 were not available.

Emigration to Ceylon was, as usual, almost wholly confined to the Maduras and Tinnevelly districts. The total number of emigrants shows an increase of 11% over the previous year, nearly 16 per cent. when compared with the number for the previous year. The large increase in Tinnevelly is explained by the Collector to be due to the great exertions of the Ceylon Planters to secure labour for coffee and other estates, to the general development of the tea industry, and to the improved facilities provided by the colony for the transport of coolies from the seaports. Madura shows a large increase which is attributed to the unfavorable character of the season. The Collector of Tanjore says that no plausible reason can be assigned for the slight decline in the number from his district.

13. The figures tabulated in paragraphs 9 to 12 above are those given in the annual Emigration reports read at the head of these Proceedings and differ from the figures furnished in the quarterly returns of passengers submitted by Collectors of Maritime districts, as shown in the following abstract :—

Districts.	Straits Settlements.		Burmah		Ceylon.	
	As per annual emigration report.	As per quarterly returns of passengers.	As per annual emigration report.	As per quarterly returns of passengers.	As per annual emigration report.	As per quarterly returns of passengers.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
Ganjám ..	..	..	13,576	13,576	..	..
Vizagapatam ..	..	..	9,179	9,179	..	..
Gódávari ..	..	..	..	5,402	..	..
Kistna ..	..	..	..	867	..	..
Madras ..	..	..	32	6,803	..	..
South Arcot ..	..	..	23,103	215	..	1
Tanjore ..	..	..	..	22,972	..	..
Madura ..	..	..	..	..	5,195	5
Tinnevelly ..	..	..	..	..	29,002	5,195
South Canara ..	575	222	..	..	52,218	57,431
Malabar ..	19,108	592	..	267	..	54,107
..	..	17,259	..	215	..	1
..	..	..	32	6,803	..	56
..	..	..	23,103	215	..	..
..	..	..	..	22,972	..	..
..	..	..	..	..	5,195	5
..	..	..	..	..	29,002	5,195
..	..	..	3	3	52,218	57,431
..	..	..	6	6	..	54,107
..	..	..	..	..	..	1
..	..	..	..	..	..	56

The Collector of Ganjám reports that the number of passengers shown in his annual Emigration report as having sailed for Burmah, *i.e.*, 13,576, is correct. The difference between the figures entered in columns 4 and 5 against Tanjore apparently represents the number of emigrants that proceeded from Karikal. The Collector is requested to include the passenger traffic from that port in his future quarterly returns. There is no difference between the figures shown in columns 6 and 7 against the same district, and in columns 4 and 5 against Vizagapatam. The other discrepancies should be explained by the Collectors concerned, whose attention will again be drawn to the last sentence of paragraph 11, Board's Proceedings, dated 11th May 1892, No. 255. The number of emigrants to Ceylon from Madura, as shown in the Collector's quarterly returns, is nearly twice as large as the number given in his annual emigration report.

14. *Emigration to other parts of British India.*—During the year under report, there were 8,769 emigrants to other parts of British India (6,877 * from Ganjám, 1,890 from Vizagapatam and 2 from Tanjore) against 1948 in 1,891 (1923 from Vizagapatam and 25 from Tanjore). But it is hardly credible that emigration of this kind took place only from the three districts mentioned above. The Collectors of the other coast districts, who have not furnished returns in spite of the instruction in paragraph 11 of G.O., dated 11th June 1892, No. 392, Public, are requested to explain the omission and see that it does not recur. The figures now furnished by the Collectors of Ganjám, Vizagapatam and Tanjore, differ from those given in the quarterly returns, as shown in the margin. The discrepancies should be explained.

Districts.	As per annual emigration report.	As per quarterly returns under the headings "ports within the Presidency" and "ports beyond the Presidency but within British India."
Ganjám ..	6,877	6,901
Vizagapatam ..	1,890	1,901
Tanjore ..	2	64

* This figure is reported by the Collector to include the number of emigrants registered and despatched to Assam, inasmuch as they embarked for Calcutta at the port of Gopalpur.

15. *Immigration.*—The number of immigrants during the year under report is compared below with the figures for 1891 :—

Districts.	1891.			1892.		
	Adults.	Children.	Total.	Adults.	Children.	Total.
South Arcot .. Pondicherry ..	877	258	1,135	148	34	182
South Arcot .. Porto Novo ..	165	2	167	156	7	163
Ganjám	5,000	2	5,002	7,168	247	7,415
Madras	578	168	746	741	152	* 893
Madura	53,174	2,587	55,761	48,928	3,657	52,585
Tanjore .. Negapatam ..	37,000	2,079	39,079	29,467	1,532	30,999
Tanjore .. Karikal	1,932	93	2,025	1,113	110	1,223
Tanjore .. Minor ports ..	5,723	265	5,988	3,445	139	3,584
Tinnevelly	39,461	2,147	41,608	46,832	2,183	49,015
Vizagapatam	10,881	273	11,154	11,220	235	11,455
Total ..	154,791	7,874	162,665	149,218	8,296	157,514

* Of these, five persons died during the voyage.

Note.—The figures in this statement include the passenger traffic from Ceylon to the minor ports of the Tanjore district. This was omitted in Board's Proceedings, dated 11th May 1892, No. 255, as the corresponding figures for 1890 were not available.

16. The number of immigrants recorded during the year amounted to 157,514 against 162,665 in 1891, showing a slight decrease of 5,151 or about 3 per cent. The Collector of South Arcot states that he is unable to explain the decrease in the number of emigrants returned from the French colonies, but it is apparently due to the fact that while in the previous year emigrants returned from the three colonies of La Réunion, Martinique and Guadeloupe, there were no returns from the two latter colonies during 1892. The increase in Ganjám is reported to be due to the favorable character of the season and to the prospect of work on the East Coast Railway in progress in the district. The latter cause also explains the increase in Vizagapatam. The unfavorable season is the reason assigned by the Collector of Madura for the decrease in his district. In Tanjore the prevalence of famine prices and the drought that prevailed from September onwards probably discouraged the return of many emigrants. The raising of the passage fares by the British India Steam Navigation Company also partially accounts for the decrease. The Collector of Tinnevelly explains the increase in his district by saying that immigration follows the fluctuations of emigration and that the immigrants are mostly returned emigrants. There was an increase in the number of emigrants returned from Mauritius which is surmised by the Agent for that colony to be due to the terrible hurricane which swept over the colony during the year under report.

17. The various colonies from which the immigrants returned are specified below :—

From Burmah	27,040
„ Ceylon	106,866
„ Straits Settlements	18,234
„ Natal	214
„ Mauritius	679
„ La Réunion	182
„ Other parts of India	4,299
Total ...	157,514

18. The subjoined table compares the number of immigrants from the Straits Settlements, Burmah, Ceylon and other parts of India, as shown in the previous paragraph with the number given by Collectors of Maritime districts in their quarterly returns of passengers :—

Districts.	Passengers returning from Straits Settlements.		Passengers returning from Burmah.		Passengers returning from Ceylon.		Passengers returning from other parts of India.	
	As per annual emigration report.	As per quarterly returns of passengers.	As per annual emigration report.	As per quarterly returns of passengers.	As per annual emigration report.	As per quarterly returns of passengers.	As per annual emigration report.	As per quarterly returns of passengers.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
Ganjám	..	..	..	6,701				
Vizagapatam ..	..	..	..	9,295				
Godávari ..	..	..	..	..				
Kistna	..	..	..	..				
Madras	..	..	..	..				
South Arcot ..	..	..	..	..				
Tanjore ..	163	475	..	..				
Madura	18,071	165	..	..				
Tinnevelly ..	..	16,843	..	12,169				
South Canara ..	..	..	..	..				
Malabar	..	..	..	..				

* The Collector says that this figure probably includes the number of emigrants returned from Assam.

There is no discrepancy in the figures furnished by the Collectors of Ganjám and Vizagapatam. The difference between the figures in columns 2 and 3 against Tanjore seems to represent the number of immigrants (1,223) who landed at Karikal, which should also be included in future quarterly returns. The other differences between the two sets of figures should be explained by the Collectors concerned.

19. The annexed statement compares the number of emigrants and immigrants from Burmah, Straits Settlements and Ceylon for the last five years :—

Years.	Burmah.		Straits Settlements.		Ceylon.	
	Emigrants to.	Immigrants from.	Emigrants to.	Immigrants from.	Emigrants to.	Immigrants from.
1888	33,014	19,929	22,599	12,015	78,307	61,080
1889	34,203	21,638	19,800	13,992	93,219	67,023
1890	33,046	25,416	19,341	18,103	78,881	55,221
1891	43,717	28,260	20,521	25,514	74,641	103,458
1892	45,891	27,040	19,729	19,334	85,415	106,865
Average ..	38,983	24,463	22,398	16,592	81,412	78,729

20 The subjoined statement shows at one glance the total number of emigrants from, and immigrants to, the Madras Presidency during the past ten years :—

	Emigrants.	Immigrants.
1883–84	54,347	57,537
1884–85	55,127	57,548
1885 (nine months)	47,075	39,673
1886	83,337	71,542
1887	128,650	89,844
1888	143,045	97,318
1889	155,685	106,924
1890	135,474	98,486
1891	155,466	162,665
1892	165,755	157,314
Average ...	112,528	93,895

The average of the last ten years shows that about 83 per cent. of the number of emigrants returned to their homes, while 17 per cent. settled, either temporarily or permanently, in the various colonies to which they proceeded. The number of immigrants has exceeded the number of emigrants only in the years 1883–84, 1884–85 and 1891.

21. The statement appended below, giving the details of receipts and charges on account of emigration during the year under report, has been verified by the Accountant-General, as directed in Government Order, dated 18th September 1886, No. 1946, Public :—

STATEMENT of Receipts and Charges on account of Emigration during the year 1892.

Districts.	Receipts.	Districts.	Expenditure.	
	RS. A. P.	*Presidency.*	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.
Madras	7,338 0 0	Protector of Emigrants' allowance at Rs. 200 per month from 1st December 1891 to 30th November 1892, less annuity fund deductions	2,304 0 0	
		Medical Inspector of Emigrants' allowance at Rs. 150 per month from 1st December 1891 to 30th November 1892	1,800 0 0	
		Pay of clerks and servants from 1st December 1891 to 31st December 1892	1,755 0 0	
		Municipal assessment on sheds	54 14 4	
		Service postage and telegrams	11 8 0	
		Other contingencies	105 10 0	
			6,031 0 4	
		Add 25 per cent. on the third item on account of leave and pensionary allowances	438 12 0	6,469 12 4
		South Arcot.		
		Moiety of salary of the British Consular Agent at Karikal and Pondicherry including his pay of Military rank from 1st December 1891 to 30th November 1892	9,391 14 0	
		Moiety of pay of clerks and servants at Pondicherry from 1st December 1891 to 31st December 1892 ..	468 9 0	
		Moiety of office rent	150 0 0	
		Do. of service postage and telegrams	21 14 6	
		Do. of travelling allowance of officer and establishment	42 7 6	
		Moiety of other contingencies	61 10 11	
			10,136 7 11	
		Add 25 per cent. on the second item on account of leave and pensionary allowances	117 2 3	10,253 10 2
		Tanjore.		
		Pay of clerks and peons of the Protector of Emigrants, Negapatam, and of those under the Deputy Magistrate, Tanjore, from 1st December 1891 to 31st December 1892	449 11 4	
		Travelling allowance	1 8 0	
		Service postage	2 0 0	
		Contingencies	4 2 0	
			457 5 4	
		Add 25 per cent. on the first item on account of leave and pensionary allowances	112 6 10	569 12 2
		Moiety of pay of clerks and servants of the Consular Agent's office at Karikal from 1st December 1891 to October 1892	400 14 3	
		Moiety of service postage	10 0 0	
		Do. of office rent and contingencies	75 5 4	
			486 3 7	
		Add 25 per cent. on the first item on account of leave and pensionary allowances	100 3 7	586 7 2
		Maisur.		
		Fees for copying the agreements of emigrants ..	3 12 0	3 12 0
Total, Receipts ..	7,338 0 0	Total, Charges ..	..	17,883 5 10

The receipts of the year, excluding those in Ganjám and Vizagapatam un
Act V of 1866, amounted to Rs. 7,338 or nearly twice as much as the amount realis
in 1891, viz., Rs. 3,721. The charges amounted to Rs. 17,883 against Rs. 13,053
the previous year, showing an increase of Rs. 4,830 or 37 per cent. The charge
exclude a moiety of the salaries of the British Consular Agent at Pondicherry a
Karikal and of his establishments, which has been debited to "Political" under
orders of Government.

(A true Extract.)

(Signed) W. O. HORNE,
Acting Secretary.

(True Copy.)

(Signed) EDMUND MILLETT,
Assistant Secretary.

To the Chief Secretary to Government, Public Department.
" all Collectors.
" the Protector of Emigrants, Madras.

Exd. S. J. Pereira.

No. 122

OFFICE OF THE PROTECTOR OF EMIGRANTS,

Madras, 18th March 1893.

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PROTECTOR OF EMIGRANTS,

Madras,

To

The Honble C. A. Galton

Ag CHIEF SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT,

PUBLIC DEPARTMENT,

Fort St. George.

SIR,

I have the honor to submit my Administrative Report on the Emigration operations at this port for 1892 and to enclose the usual Statement and copy of the Medical Inspector's Report.

2. There was no change in the administrative staff of both the Agencies in the year under consideration.

3. There was absolutely no requisition for coolies for the Mauritius during the year and consequently no shipment for that Colony.

4. The Natal Emigration operations of the year were on the whole satisfactory. From the commencement of the year down to the end of July business went on quite as briskly as was desirable. Many

then slightly disturbed by an outbreak of measles in the Depôt which, however, did not, I am glad to say, interfere much with embarkation. The disease was pronounced to be a very mild form and as there was Cholera raging in the vicinity of the depôt it was decided in Consult-ation with the medical Inspector of Emigrants and the Surgeon Superintendent of the 'Mauritz' Dr. Seaton to embark the Coolies in the depôt at once.

5. There was not a Complaint of any kind made by the Coolies who, on the Contrary, always expressed themselves fully satisfied with the treatment they had received at the depôt. Their food was invariably good both in quality and quantity and the depôt premises were always well kept.

6. Of the 3030 Coolies kept in the Depôt from time to time, the number detained over 3 months was only 137, mostly due to the wreck of the 'Umtata' in December of the previous year. The Coolies who were to have gone by her had to wait till another Ship was ready to take them which was not till the 25th January next, thus involving a delay of one month.

7. 97 Recruiters licenses were granted during the year for the Natal Agency.

8. 7 Shipments were made for Natal during the year, the percentage of women being 42·5.

The Nos of men, women and children despatched is noted on the margin.

Natal	
Men	1716
Women	730
Children	584
Total	3030

9. Two Ships returned from Natal with 214 Coolies viz. the 'Congella' and the 'Dongola'. The Savings of the Coolies amounted to Rs 35,000.

Three Ships returned from the Mauritius with 679 Coolies, viz, the S.S. 'Tultala' 'Lalpoora' and the 'Wardha'. There were two deaths on board the 'Lalpoora' one from dysentery and the other from erysipelas.

There were 3 deaths on board the 'Wardha' one from dysentery and the other two from heart disease. The Coolies brought savings amounting to Rs 13,744.

10. The fees collected on Emigrants' Embarka-

aggregated Rs 7338.

The disbursements in Madras were Rs 6031.

and in the mofussil Rs 457.5.4.

11. There was no Emigration to French Colonies.

12. The Service registers of the office have been verified to date.

I have the honor to be

Sir,

Your most obedient Servant

Protector of Emigrants.

Copy of letter from the Medical Inspector of Emigrants to the Protector of Emigrants, Madras, dated 11th Feb 1893.

As laid down in Rule 5 of the Emigration Rules under Act XXI of 1883, I have the honor to submit my annual Report on the Emigration Depôt during 1892.

2. My Report must necessarily be a short one for Emigration to Mauritius was at a standstill during the year and Natal operations went on without any hitch. I am very pleased to note that, unlike in some of the past years, there was nothing to disturb the usual routine of business except that measles broke out in the depôt about the end of July which, however, did not much interfere with the Embarkation. The disease was of very mild type and there was cholera raging in the vicinity of the depôt. The Municipality was very keen to take Cooties. It was therefore decided by us in Consultation with Dr Lawton the Superintendent to bleed away the Cooties with measles rather than subject them to the risk of cholera.

My weekly depôt inspections I am glad to say,

[illegible] marked by any Complaint of Victuals
[illegible] the Cookeries inspected the nice Cookery &c.
[illegible] The supervision was invariably good and the
[illegible] The Medicines &c supplied equally so. Cooking Sheds
[illegible] an Hospital Sheds Cabooses &c were always kept
[illegible] 11. in a Satisfactory Condition. The rule of letting a
[illegible] 12. Lady vaccinated on admission was strictly adhered
[illegible] to during the year, & all the Coolies who had
[illegible] not been vaccinated
[illegible] Steamer left for Natal with 3030 Coolies
[illegible] and returned with 2140 Coolies.
[illegible] Three Steamers returned from Mauritius
[illegible] with 679 Coolies.
[illegible] Those that proceeded to the Colony were examined
[illegible] by me in the presence of the respective Surgeon
[illegible] Superintendents and Protector in regard to
[illegible] their health and fitness to undertake the
[illegible] voyage, and the usual inspection of the returning
[illegible] people was also carefully made.

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Protector of Immigrants

No 1 Statement Showing the number of Emigrants to the Depot from 1st January to 31st December 1892 and how they were dealt with

Month	Number admitted into the Depot			Number readmitted from Hospital			Number of Emigrants who renounced their Engagement or deserted the Depot			Rejected						Number of Emigrants died			Number in Hospital			Number detained for further Enquirement			Number Emigrated		
										By Medical Officer			By Emigration Agent														
	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total
Balance on 31st December 1891	413	245	658	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"
January	135	53	188	5	9	14	24	3	27	72	37	109	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	367	203	570
February	503	254	757	2	6	8	12	1	13	102	52	154	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	360	182	542
March	107	62	169	3	6	9	19	3	22	93	47	140	2	"	2	"	"	"	3	10	13	"	"	"	"	"	"
April	275	124	399	1	6	7	15	2	17	27	9	36	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	6	6	"	"	"	"	"	"
May	130	72	202	4	5	9	13	1	14	80	52	132	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	8	11	"	"	"	"	"	"
June	535	275	810	1	"	1	35	12	47	132	47	179	"	"	"	"	"	"	3	"	3	"	"	"	267	116	383
July	438	201	639	2	4	6	44	5	49	152	66	218	"	"	"	3	"	3	12	3	15	"	"	"	"	"	"
August	430	191	621	10	9	19	27	6	33	137	48	185	2	3	5	"	1	1	2	2	4	"	"	"	247	146	393
September	105	24	129	17	13	30	10	4	14	46	14	60	1	"	1	"	"	"	"	1	1	"	"	"	"	"	"
October	214	83	297	10	14	24	13	3	16	92	32	124	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	7	7	"	"	"	332	175	507
November	108	43	151	2	1	3	11	4	15	86	46	132	"	"	"	"	"	"	5	8	13	"	"	"	"	"	"
December	154	34	188	1	"	1	11	"	11	19	2	21	"	"	"	"	"	"	1	12	13	"	"	"	"	"	"
	3527	1661	5208	58	73	131	234	44	278	1038	452	1490	5	4	9	3	3	6	23	39	62	"	"	"	247	108	355
																			9	4	13	"	"	"	"	"	"
																			48	32	80	1	1	2	247	108	355
																			1	9	3	12	4	3	7	23	16	39	"	"	"	192	88	280
																				5	1	6	3	6	9	6	11	17	"	"	"	"	"	"
																				9	5	14	"	"	"	2	1	3	"	"	"	125	"	"
																				25	6	31	"	"	"	1	"	1	99	26	125	2012	1018	3030
																			9	152	104	256	8	12	20	57	74	131	99	26	125			

Returns Office
Dated 18th March 1893

Protector of Emigrants

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Received
No. 2
Natal

No 2. Statement Showing the period of detention of Emigrants in Depot from 1st January to 31st December 1892.

Number detained one Month and under	Number detained between one and two months	Number detained between 2 & 3 months	Number detained between 3 & 4 Months	Number detained more than 4 months	Total	Remarks
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
1095	1420	378	128	9	3030	

With regard to the detentions in Depot beyond the period of three months, as shown in Columns 4 and 5 it is submitted:—
1 That the "Umtata" which was to have taken coolies from here about the end of last year was wrecked, and a fresh steamer had to be chartered, which left here on the 25th January, thus involving a delay of one month.
2. That owing to the prevalence of Ophthalmia, Measles, and fever, several coolies had to be kept in the quarantine Depot until recovery, and were then readmitted into the main depot.

Protectors office
Madras 18th March 1893

Protector of Emigrants.

Natal

No 3. Statement Showing the number of Emigrants in Hospital from 1st January to 31st December 1892

Month	Number of Emigrants in the Depot Hospital	Number of Emigrants in outside Hospital	Number of deaths in the outside Hospital	Number of deaths in the Depot	Remarks
January	34	13	"	"	
February	33	6	"	"	
March	45	11	"	"	
April	22	3	"	"	
May	31	5	(a) 2	"	(a) one Pneumonia; one Fever
June	41	8	"	"	
July	47	13	"	"	
August	68	12	(b) 2	"	(b) one Diarrhoea; one measles.
September	82	39	(c) 6	(d) 1	(c) 3 Diarrhoea, one Dysentery, 2 Measles. (d) General debility
October	32	17	(E) 8	(F) 1	(E) 6 Measles, 2 Fever, (F) Dysentery.
November	16	3	"	"	
December	21	1	"	"	

Protectors office
Madras 18th March 1893

Protector of Emigrants

No. 4 Statement Showing the number of Indians embarked from Madras
from 1st January to 31st December 1892

Month and date	Name of Vessels	Destination	Number of Heads. Men	Women	Children	Total Souls	Total Adults	Remarks.
25th January	"Chapra"	Natal	295	150	125	570	479	
26 March	"Hazara"	do	302	120	120	542	458	Number of Emigrants
4th June	"Congella"	do	219	83	81	383	329	Embarked.
8th July	"Pongola"	do	202	97	94	393	327	
11 August	"Umzinto"	do	296	123	88	507	446½	Previous Year 1182
10th October	"Pongola"	do	226	89	40	355	327	Year under Report 3030
14th November	"Umzinto"	do	176	68	36	280	252½	
			1716	730	584	3030	2619	

Protectors office
Madras 18th March 1893

Protector of Emigrants

No 5. Statement Showing the number of Emigrants registered in each District and admitted into the Depot and the number actually embarked during the year

Districts.	Number admitted			Coolies not brought to the Depot			Number Registered			Total Adults	Number Embarked			Total Souls	Total Adults	Remarks.
	Men	Women	Children	Men	Women	Children	Men	Women	Children		Men	Women	Children			
Balance on 31st December 1891																
Madras	177	117	121	"	"	"	"	"	"	26	139	95	88	322	259½	
Chingleput	40	17	14	"	"	"	"	"	"	61	30	14	9	53	46½	
North Arcot	73	22	16	"	"	"	"	"	"	99	50	12	4	66	62	
South Arcot	7	3	3	"	"	"	"	"	"	10½	7	3	3	13	10½	
Coimbatore	4	3	1	"	"	"	"	"	"	7½	3	2	"	5	5	
Tanjore	1	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	1	1	"	"	1	1	
Madura	7	1	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	8	6	1	"	7	7	
Bangalore	5	2	2	"	"	"	"	"	"	8	2	1	1	4	3½	
Nellore	10	1	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	11	7	1	"	8	8	
Godavery	8	1	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	9	"	"	"	"	"	
Salem	2	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	2	2	"	"	2	2	
	334	167	157	"	"	"	"	"	"	643	247	129	105	481	405	
1892.																
Madras	1554	598	497	66	29	29	1620	627	526	2784	855	384	302	1541	1325½	
Chingleput	109	40	37	10	1	8	119	41	45	277½	61	21	18	100	88½	
North Arcot	701	264	249	141	34	55	842	298	304	1483	343	138	131	612	522	
South Arcot	18	2	1	3	"	"	21	2	1	23½	11	1	"	12	12	
Coimbatore	13	4	3	"	"	"	13	4	3	18	13	2	1	16	15	
Tanjore	18	10	4	8	1	"	26	11	4	38½	8	8	2	18	16½	
Madura	127	25	4	16	1	"	143	26	4	169½	70	14	1	85	82½	
Bangalore	15	3	1	2	"	"	17	3	1	20½	7	2	1	10	9½	
Nellore	44	26	22	39	20	1	83	46	23	138½	28	13	14	55	46	
Godavery	× 92	15	7	"	"	"	92	15	7	110½	68	17	7	92	87½	
Vizagapatam	※ 5	2	1	3	"	"	8	2	1	10½	3	1	2	6	5	
Ganjam	9	3	2	"	"	"	9	3	2	13	2	"	4	2	2	
	3039	1159	985	288	86	93	2993	1078	921	5649	1716	730	584	3030	2619	

× This excludes 14 men, 3 women, who were registered at the end of December 1891, and were admitted in January 1892

※ This excludes 5 men, 1 woman and 2 children who were registered at the end of December 1891 and were admitted in January 1892

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No 6 Statement Showing the number of

from 1st January to 31st December 1892.

Date of arrival	By what Steamer arrived	From where	Number returned				Number of Emigrants that died during the voyage	Savings	Remarks.
			Men	Women	Children	Total			
14 May	"Congella"	Natal	60	26	25	111	"	Rs 10000 " "	Number Returned
16 September	"Congola"	Natal	60	21	22	103	"	Rs 25000 " "	Previous Year 380
									Per annum Report 214
			120	47	47	214	"	Rs 35000 " "	

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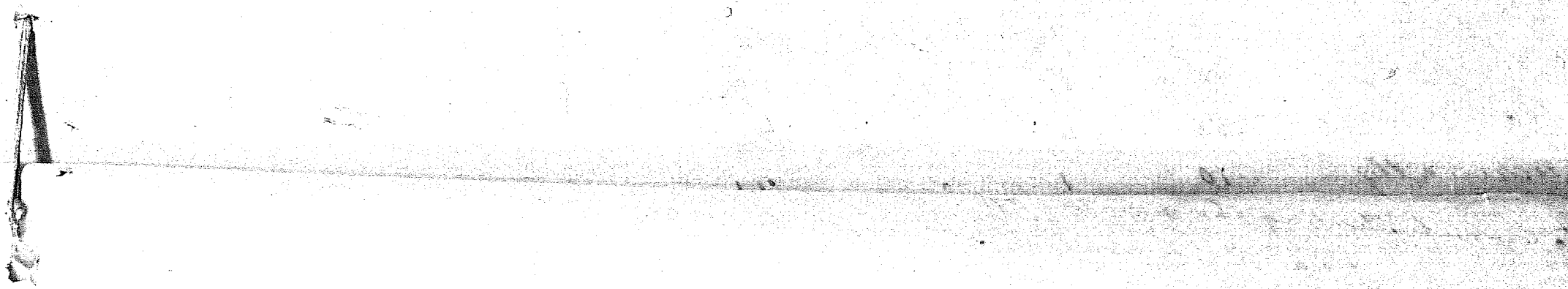

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No. 7. Statement Showing the Districts of Emigrants embarked

Names of Districts	Men	Women	Children	Total
Madras	15	7	1	23
Chingleput	491	245	205	941
North Arcot	718	333	280	1331
Salem	46	11	5	62
Bangalore	10	4	1	15
Mysore	5	"	"	5
Coimbatore	22	3	1	26
Malabar	1	"	"	1
Travancore	1	"	"	1
South Arcot	130	35	33	198
Pondicherry	11	1	"	12
Tanjore	6	7	"	13
Trichinopoly	10	5	4	19
Madura	58	14	2	74
Tinnevelly	10	1	"	11
Cuddapah	1	1	"	2
Bellary	1	"	"	1
Anantapur	1	"	"	1
Kurnool	2	3	2	7
Hyderabad	78	34	38	150
Nellore	33	3	"	36
Godavery	3	1	"	4
Kistna	38	17	8	63
Vizagapatam	2	"	"	2
Ganjam	1	1	1	3
Pudukotta Territory	1	1	1	3
Dharwar	1	1	"	1
Nagpur	"			
	1716	730	584	3030

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Natal

No 8 Statement Showing the number of Emigrants despatched to and returned from Natal with the total amount of Expenditure from 1st January to 31st December 1892.

Name of Agency	Number of Emigrants despatched		Number of Emigrants returned		Expenditure on account of Emigrants despatched	Expenditure on account of Emigrants Returned	Grand Total	Rate of Exchange	Sterling Money
	Souls	Adults	Souls	Adults					
Natal	3030	2819	214	187	Rs A P 138653-13-2	Rs A P 643-8-5	Rs A P 139297-5-7	*	£ s d 10,000 — 16 — 11 3/4

* 1st January to 31st March 1892 Rs 38270-6-7 at 5/6 1/2d = £2950-0-0 — 2 1/2
1st April to 31st December 1892 Rs 101026-15-0 at 5/4 3/4d = £7050 — 16 — 9 1/4
Total Rs 139297-5-7 £10000 — 16 — 11 3/4

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Mauritius

No 1 Statement Showing the number of Emigrants admitted in the Depot during the year 1892 and how they were disposed of

Nil

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No 2. Statement Showing the period of detention of Emigrants in Depot during 1892.

Nil

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No 3 Statement showing the number of Emigrants in Hospital during 1892.

Nil

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No 4. Statement Showing the numbers of Indian Emigrants embarked from Madras in the year 1892

Nil

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to 5: Statement Showing the number of Emigrants registered in each
District and the number actually embarked out of those registered.

Nil

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No 6. Statement Showing District of Emigrants embarked in 1892.

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Nil

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Mauritius

No 7 Statement Showing the number of Indian Emigrants Returned to Madras in the year 1892

Date of arrival	By what Vessel arrived	From Where	Number Returned				Number of Emigrants died during the voyage	Amount of Savings	Remarks
			Men	Women	Children	Total			
29 February 1892	S.S. "Sultan"	Mauritius	147	48	33	228	"	5839	Number Returned No. die
18" June 1892	S.S. "Lalpoora"	Mauritius	110	31	27	168	2	1895	Previous year 366 ... 1
6 September 1892	S.S. "Wardha"	Mauritius	167	71	45	283	3	6010	Years under Report 679 5
									Previous year Savings Rs 4,644
			424	150	105	679	5	13,744	Years under Report Savings Rs 13,744

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No 8. Statement of Advances paid to Emigrants at Madras in the year 1892

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Nil

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No 9. Colonial Emigration form No. 19.

Form of Report of delayed despatches of Emigrants

Return showing Cause of lengthy detention of Emigrants in the Depot of the Mauritius Emigration Agency during the year 1892

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Nil

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No 10 Statement of Emigration Receipts during the year 1892. in the office of the Protector of Emigrants Madras.

Months	Number of Emigrants registered			Amount of Embarkation fees Collected	Amount of Excise fees Collected	Total Receipts
	Men	Women	Children	Rs		Rs
January 1892	92	39	41	"	"	"
February	237	118	97	1335	"	1335
March	73	24	22	"	"	"
April	152	48	54	1266	"	1266
May	58	18	12	"	"	"
June	302	130	120	906	"	906
July	203	85	83	897	"	897
August	188	72	57	1257	"	1257
September	75	18	12	"	"	"
October	110	38	17	945	"	945
November	43	16	4	732	"	732
December	87	21	7	"		"
	1620	627	526	7338	"	7338

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No 11 Statement of Emigration Charges during the year 1892 in the Office of the Protector of Emigrants Madras

Establishment	Cost	Contingencies	Refunds	Total	Remarks
Protector's allowance at Rs 200 per mensem less Fund deduction	2304 " "	"	"	2304 " "	
Medical Inspector's allowance at Rs 150 per mensem	1800 " "	"	"	1800 " "	
Head Clerk	1040 " "	"	"	1040 " "	
Second Clerk	390 " "	"	"	390 " "	Mofussil
Attender	130 " "	"	"	130 " "	disbursement
Two Peons	195 " "	"	"	195 " "	Amounted to
Assessment	54 14 4	"	"	54 14 4	Rs 457-5-4
Contingencies	" " "	117-2-"	"	117 2 "	
	5913 14 4	117-2-"	"	6031 " 4	

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From

THE PROTECTOR OF EMIGRANTS,

Madras,

To

THE CHIEF SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT,

PUBLIC DEPARTMENT,

Fort St. George.

No. 122

Dated 16
Despatched 24 March 1893.
Received

ENCLOSURES. 20

No.

Subject.

Forwg Emigr. admr Report for 1892.

Last year's ref 92 —
with 20 enclosures.

Enclosures. 20

Nos. 1 and 2. — Statements showing the number of Emigrants admitted into the Pondicherry and Karikal Depôts from January to 31st December 1892, and how they were disposed of — Nil

No. 3. — Statement showing the period of detention of the Emigrants in the Pondicherry and Karikal Depôts during the year 1892 — Nil

No. 4. — Statement showing the number of emigrants in Pondicherry & Karikal Hospitals from January to December 92 — Nil

No. 5. — Statement showing the number of Indian Emigrants embarked from Pondicherry and Karikal in 1892 — Nil

No. 11 — Statement Showing the number of Indian Emigrants returned to Pondicherry in the year 1892.

Date of arrival	By what Ship arrived	From where	Number embarked				No. of Emigrants died during the voyage	No. of Children born during the voyage	Total number landed at Pondicherry	Amount of Savings			Remarks Previous Year		
			Men	Women	Children	Total							No. returned	No. died	Savings
										Rs	as	P			
7th July 1892	S.S. "Madagascar"	La Réunion	115	33	34	182	–	–	182	8000	–	–	*1135	14	28835/09

* From 3 Colonies.

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No. 12 — Statement showing the number of Indian Emigrants returned to Karikal in the year 1892 — Nil.

No. 13 — Statement of Emigration receipts at Pondicherry during the year 1892. — Nil

No. 14 — Statement of Emigration Charges at Pondicherry during the year 1892.

Establishment Details	Establishment Cost Rs as P		Contingencies Details	Contingencies Cost Rs as P		Total Refunds Charges Rs as P	Remarks
1 British Consular Agent	1884 8 -	(a)	Office Rent	300 - -			Previous year Rs - as - P
1 Clerk	585 9 9	(b)	Service Postage & Telegrams	43 13 -			Establishment 11841 - 12 - 5
4 Peons	361 11 1	(c)	Hot weather Charges	85 10 3			Contingencies 433 - 9 - 10
1 Sweeper	12 - -		Ordinary Office Contingencies	37 11 9			Refunds -
Total	19805 12 10		Total	467 3 -	-	20272 15 10	Total 12275 - 6 - 3

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(a) Includes Travelling allowance Rs 62 - 12 - -
(b) " " " " 17 - 14 - -
(c) " " " " 4 - 5 - -
(d) Half of this amount ie Rs 10136 - 7 - 11 debited to Political and the other half to Emigration.

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Statement of Emigration charges at Karikal during the year 1892

Establishment			Contingencies			Refunds	Total Expenditure	Remarks
Details	Cost- Rs	as Ps		Rs	as Ps			
			Office Rent	120	— —			Rs 486-3-7 were debited to Emigration
1 Chief clerk	636	12 5	Service Labels	20	—			Rs 486-3-7 were debited to Political
Two Peons	154	— —	Hot weather charges	29	14 9			972-7-2 Total
one Sweeper	11	— —	Other Expenses	—	12 — — —			
							972 7 2	Previous year Rs 1234-5-0
Total —	801	12 5	Total —	170	10 9	— — —	972 7 2	Last year charge allowance was drawn by the chief clerk in addition to his salary.
								Hence the decrease this year

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No. 16

Statement Showing the number of coolies under advances and passengers who embarked at Karikal for the Straits Settlements during the year 1892

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Dates	Names of vessels	British Subjects: Coolies under advances – Men	Women	Children	B. Foreign Passengers – Men	Women	Children	other Passengers – Men	Women	Children	French Subjects – Men	Women	Children	Grand Total – Men	Women	Children	Remarks
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18
ary 92	S.S. "Pondowa"							51	1	1	5	1	0	56	2	1	Previous Year 2131 737 - 1394
" "	" "Purnea"							10	1	0	16	0	2	26	1	2	Present Year
5th February	" "Pondowa"							11	2	2	1	0	1	12	2	3	
16th "	" "Purnea"							6	0	0	9	3	0	15	3	0	Increase
29th "	" "Secundra"							5	2	2	4	0	0	9	2	2	
14th March	" "Sirsa"							12	4	1	1	0	0	13	4	1	Decrease
28th "	" "Secundra"							7	2	2	0	0	0	7	2	2	
4th April	" "Chupra"							174	2	81	7	5	98	11	7		
25th "	" "Secundra"							8	0	0	7	1	1	15	1	1	
9th May	" "Sirsa"							16	4	0	10	2	2	26	6	2	
23rd "	" "Secundra"							36	4	2	4	0	0	40	4	2	
5th June	" "Sirsa"							61	3	1	19	6	3	80	9	4	
18th "	" "Secundra"							10	0	0	14	2	0	24	2	0	
3rd July	" "Sirsa"							11	5	1	15	1	0	26	6	1	
16th "	" "Secundra"																
31st "	" "Sirsa"							1	0	0	9	0	0	10	0	0	
14th August	" "Secundra"							11	3	1	9	0	3	20	3	4	
28th "	" "Sirsa"							23	3	3	6	2	0	29	5	3	
11th September	" "Secundra"							39	0	0	0	0	0	39	0	0	
27th "	" "Sirsa"																
9th October	" "Secundra"							24	1	4	7	0	0	31	1	4	
22nd "	" "Sirsa"							7	0	0	4	0	2	11	0	2	
6th November	" "Secundra"							20	1	8	1	2	10	1	3		
21st "	" "Sirsa"																
5th December	" "Secundra"							30	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	0	
19th "	" "Sirsa"							180	1	6	1	2	24	1	3		
	Total							389	39	24	235	27	23	624	66	47	
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No. 16

No. 17

Statement showing number of passengers who returned to Karikal from the Straits Settlements during the year 1892

Date	Names of Ships	Number of passengers landed: Men	Women	Children	Total	Remarks
2nd January 1892	S. S. "Pundua"	35	3	2	40	
13th " "	" "Purnea"	97	6	4	107	
12th February "	" "Purnea"	61	5	4	70	
27th " "	" "Pundua"	15	2	1	18	
6th March "	" "Sirsa"	33	4	0	37	
10th " "	" "Sirsa"	21	3	0	24	
24th " "	" "Secundra"	46	7	8	61	
21st April "	" "Secundra"	19	2	0	21	
5th May "	" "Sirsa"	82	6	9	97	
19th " "	" "Secundra"	56	5	9	70	
1st June "	" "Sirsa"	53	6	0	59	
14th " "	" "Secundra"	47	6	2	55	
29th " "	" "Sirsa"	55	2	5	62	
12th July 1892	" "Secundra"	28	3	1	32	
9th August "	" "Secundra"	41	6	5	52	
24th " "	" "Sirsa"	40	3	4	47	
27th " "	" "Sirsa"	30	2	1	33	
6th September "	" "Secundra"	31	6	29	66	
22nd " "	" "Sirsa"	37	5	5	47	
4th October "	" "Secundra"	30	3	6	39	
18th " "	" "Sirsa"	25	4	1	30	
3rd November "	" "Secundra"	20	0	2	22	
16th " "	" "Sirsa"	20	4	2	26	
30th " "	" "Secundra"	38	5	1	44	
14th December "	" "Sirsa"	34	4	7	45	
28th " "	" "Secundra"	16	1	2	19	
	Total	1010	103	110	1223	

Previous Year	Present Year	Increase	Decrease
1997	1223	-	774

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Statement showing the number of passengers who embarked from the Port of Karikal for British Burma during the year 1892

Date	Names of ships	Number of passengers Embarked for Moulmein								Remarks			
		British Subjects				French Subjects							
		Men	Women	Children	Total	Men	Women	Children	Total				
15th September 92	Barque Sri Venugopalasamy	12	1	1	14	0	0	0	0				
16th " "	Do	15	1	1	17	6	0	1	7				
		3	3	3	3	3	-	3	3				
7	9	Total	27	2	2	31	6	0	1	7	Previous year 30	Present year 38	Increase 8	Decrease 0

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No. 1

Statement showing the number of passengers returned from British Burma to Karikal during the year 1892

Date	Names of Vessels	Number of passengers returned from British Burma				Remarks			
		Men	Women	Children	Total	Previous Year	Present Year	Increase	Decrease
"	"	"	"	"	"				
		3	3	3	3	4	4	4	4

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Statement showing the number of passengers embarked at Karikal for Ceylon during the year 1892

Date	Names of Vessels	Passengers embarked								Remarks			
		British Subjects				French Subjects							
		Men	Women	Children	Total	Men	Women	Children	Total	Previous Year	Present Year	Increase	Decrease
-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	46	0	0	46

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Statement showing the number of passengers landed at Karikal from ceylon during the year 1892.—

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Abstract Statement showing the number of passengers who went to British Burma, Straits Settlements and Mauritius during the year 1892

Ports from which embarked	Number of passengers embarked for Burma							Number of passengers embarked for Straits Settlements							Number of passengers embarked for Mauritius							Remarks
	British Subjects			French Subjects			Total	British Subjects			French Subjects			Total	British Subjects			French Subjects			Total	
	Men	Women	Children	Men	Women	Children		Men	Women	Children	Men	Women	Children		Men	Women	Children	Men	Women	Children		
Pondicherry	26	2	4	23	4	3	62	2	-	-	47	13	3	65	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Karikal	27	2	2	6	0	1	38	389	39	24	235	27	23	737	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Total	53	4	6	29	4	4	100	391	39	24	282	40	26	802	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	

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Abstract Statement showing the number of passengers returned from Burma, Straits Settlements and Ceylon during the year 1892

Ports to which returned	Passengers returned from Burma				Passengers returned from Straits Settlements				Passengers returned from Ceylon				Remarks
	Men	Women	Children	Total	Men	Women	Children	Total	Men	Women	Children	Total	
Pondicherry	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	
Karikal	"	"	"	"	1010	103	110	1223	—	"	"	"	
Total	"	"	"	"	1010	103	110	1223	—	"	"	"	

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No. 24. —— Statement Showing the names of British Steamers that arrived at Pondicherry during the yeadr 1892.

	Name	number of arrivals		Name	number of arrivals		Name	number of arrivals
1	S.S. Putiala	21	21	S.S. Camorta	5	41	S.S. Nowshera	1
2	" Pundua	3	22	" River Indus	1	42	" Chanda	2
3	" Culna	5	23	" Arcana	1	43	" Patna	2
4	" Khandalla	7	24	" Nizam	11	44	" Calliope	1
5	" Nawab	9	25	" Harrogate	1	45	" Blackheath	1
6	" Palitana	18	26	" Sirda	11	46	" Mortlake	1
7	" Huzara	3	27	" Henzada	3	47	" Altonower	1
8	" Purnea	2	28	" Scindia	1	48	" Kimballa	1
9	" Jannadice	2	29	" Ghupra	3	49	" Waverley	3
10	" Oriental	2	30	" Pentakota	1	50	" Loodiana	1
11	" Kangra	4	31	" Metapedia	1	51	" Sirdhana	1
12	" Nadir	10	32	" Bhundara	1	52	" Landaura	1
13	" Katoria	6	33	" Peveril	1	53	" Effel Tower	1
14	" Rajpootana	6	34	" Congo	1	54	" Harora	1
15	" Baghdad	9	35	" Abana	1			
16	" Goalpara	5	36	" Bancoora	1			
17	" Kohinur	2	37	" Asloun	1			
18	" Chindwara	2	38	" Erato	1			
19	" Secundra	11	39	" Loch Maree	1			
20	" Ellora	6	40	" Orono	1			
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Statement showing the names of British Steamers that arrived at Karikal during the year 1892

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	Names	Number of Arrivals	Remarks
1.	S. S. "Pundua"	4	
2.	" "Kandella"	1	
3	" "Purnea"	4	
4	" "Nuzara"	1	
5	" "Ismadice"	2	
6	" "Rajpootana"	1	
7	" "Goalpara"	1	
8	" "Chindwara"	2	
9	" "Kulna"	2	
10	" "Nawab"	5	
11	" "Secundra"	22	
12	" "Camorta"	2	
13	" "Sirsa	22	
14	" "Baghdad	2	
15	" "Poka"	7	
16	" "Nadir	5	
17	" "Chupra"	2	
18	" "Bancoora"	1	
19	" "Kohinur"	1	
20	" "Nizam"	2	
21	" "Vila"	9	
22	" "Kangra"	1	
23	" "Chanda"	1	
24	" "Waverley"	1	
	Total	101	

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No: 26 — Statement showing the names of sailing Vessels that arrived at Pondicherry during the year 1892.

	Name	Number of times arrived		Name	Number of times arrived
1	Cureem Bux Bz: Ch	1	21	Muhamed Bunder Dny	1
2	Sri: Venkatachalapati Bz: Ch	1	22	Ramasamy "	1
3	Sri Venkateswaraloo "	1	23	Sivasundarapuramy "	4
4	Bougarie Moidin Samadamy Bz: Ch	1	24	Sainte Annalakshmy "	1
5	Parvatabakyalakshmy Bz: Ch	3	25	Nagalingapuramy "	1
			26	Nagur Mira Sahib "	4
6	Colonel Fytche	1	27	Sebamalémadavin puramy "	4
7	Selvanayagy	1	28	Saint Joseph Provenda — Maria "	1
8	Candasami Kaliama Varada Lakshmy Bz: Ch	1	29	Kouriapakyalakshmy "	4
9	Muhamed Sillimani Bux "	1	30	Parvatabakyalakshmy "	3
10	Harrington BK	1	31	Poornalakshmy "	2
11	Nailangapuramy Bz: Ch	1	32	Vilayadatchy "	6
12	Katheria "	1	33	Jayalnayagy "	3
13	Veeralakshmy "	3	34	Moidin Bux "	1
14	Vithiyapakiam "	1	35	Annapurany "	1
15	Dhanalakshmy "	1	36	Saminadel "	1
16	Cader Moidin Bux "	1	37	Adinarayana — puramy "	1
17	Annalakshmy "	1	38	Marie Sintadri Antonipuramy "	2
18	Sree Venugopala — Sami "	1	39	Hydrose "	1
19	Vilayadatchy "	1			
20	Anbalakshmy Dny	2			39

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H. B. M's Consular Agent
Pondicherry

Statement Showing the names of Sailing vessels that Arrived at Karikal during the Year 1892

	Name	Number of arrivals	Remarks
1	Bk "Srivenugopalasamy"	5	
2	Brch: "Soobramania purawy"	1	
3	Schooner "Meenatchy Sabadram"	4	
4	Dhony "Sivagami Amman"	9	
5	Dhony "Sepanatchi Madavin purawy"	4	
6	Bk "Soondra Lakshmi"	3	
7	Do "Konesar purawy"	5	
8	Do "Vinayaga Pakia Lakshmi"	5	
9	Dhony "Haja Auced Bux"	1	
10	Do "Fatasalam"	2	
11	Do "Adi Lakshmi"	4	
12	Do "Swaminathan"	2	
13	Do "Mohidin Sahool Hamid Bux"	4	
14	Do "Arma Lakshmi"	2	
15	Do "Harriet"	1	
16	Do "Cader Bux"	1	
17	Do "Mahalakshmi purawy"	5	
18	Do "Ramasamy"	1	
19	Do "Nilayadatchy"	4	
20	Do "Tirusundra purawy"	1	
21	Bk "Sundraraja Vijia Lakshmi"	2	
22	Dhony "Mohamed Bunder"	1	
23	Do "Mohamed Abdul Carim"	2	
24	Do "Poorna Lakshmi"	5	
25	Do "Thayel Nayagy"	1	
26	Bk "John and Mary"	1	
27	Do "Tirunadaraja Purawy"	1	
28	Dhony "Mohidin Bux Lakshmi"	1	
29	Bk "Sahool Hamed"	2	
30	Do "Cader Mohidin Bux"	1	
31	Do "Mohidin Hydrozy"	1	
32	Dhony "Mohamed Ibrum ali"	3	
33	Do "Rajool Mohamed Bux"	1	
34	Do "Joseph Prabanda Maria"	2	
35	Do "Abdul Ameed"	1	
36	Do "Sepanatchi Madavin purawy"	1	
	Total.	90	

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H.B.M's Consular agent
Pondicherry & Karikal

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Abstract Statement of shipping Particulars

Particulars of vessels	Number of vessels: Steamers: To Pondicherry	Steamers: To Karikal	Sailing vessels: To Pondicherry	Sailing vessels: To Karikal	Total number of arrivals: At Pondicherry	At Karikal	Remarks
Vessels making 25 voyages	--	--	--	--	--	--	
" 24 "	--	--	--	--	--	--	
" 23 "	--	--	--	--	--	--	
" 22 "	--	2	--	--	--	44	
" 21 "	1	--	--	--	21	--	
" 19 "	--	--	--	--	--	--	
" 18 "	1	--	--	--	18	--	
" 12 "	--	--	--	--	--	--	
" 11 "	3	--	--	--	33	--	
" 10 "	1	--	--	--	10	--	
" 9 "	2	1	--	1	18	18	
" 8 "	--	--	--	--	--	--	
" 7 "	1	1	--	--	7	7	
" 6 "	3	--	1	--	24	--	
" 5 "	3	2	--	5	15	35	
" 4 "	1	2	3	5	16	28	
" 3 "	~~1~~ 5	--	4	2	~~24~~ 27	6	
" 2 "	~~8~~ 7	7	3	7	~~22~~ 20	28	
" 1 "	~~27~~ 26	9	28	16	~~55~~ 54	25	
Total	~~55~~ 54	24	39	~~36~~ 36	263	191	

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Annual Statements

for 1892

Her Britannic Majesty's Consulate : Pondicherry.

25th March 1893

No. 170

From

Lieutenant General H. Mc LEOD, R. A.

H. B. M's Consular Agent, Pondicherry & Karikal.

To

The Honorable C. A. Galton,

In. A. D. C. S.

Sir, Chief Secretary to Govt

Fort St. George.

I have the honor to Submit my report on Emigration and free passenger traffic at Pondicherry and Karikal for the Calendar year 1892.

2. ① French Colonies:—There was no Emigration to French Colonies, Consequently Statements

Statements 1 to 10 are blanks.

From Statement No. 11 it will be seen that only one Colony, viz Réunion, brings with them Rs 8000, declared Savings, giving for 148 adults an average of Rs 54--10 per head. In 1891, 235 adults who returned from the same Colony averaged Rs 34-6-9.

3. There was no death during the voyage. 38 per Cent of the Emigrants landed were over the age of 50. The general appearance of the Emigrants was on the whole not bad.

4. (II). Straits Settlements.—737 passengers embarked from Karikal for the Straits against 2131 in 1891. The decrease is owing to the Competition between the Steamer Companies having Ceased from the beginning of the year under review. Further, passengers, as a rule, prefer to embark

embark at Negapatam, for the reason that Negapatam is the last port of Call for steamers for the Straits. 1223 persons returned to Karikal from the Straits during 1892 against 1997 in 1891. The reduced rate of passage money allowed last year was not extended to the year under review Consequent on the Cessation of Competition between the Steamer Companies.

65 passengers embarked at Pondicherry for the Straits; of these only 2 were British Subjects.

5. (III) Burma, Mauritius, Ceylon.

The embarkations from Pondicherry for Burma were 62 against 28 in 1891. 38 left Karikal for Burma in 1892 against 30 in the previous year. None returned from Burma to either port. No passengers embarked from Pondicherry for the Mauritius in 1892.

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In 1891 only 5 French subjects left Pondicherry for the Mauritius. There was no passenger traffic during the year between Karikal and Ceylon. The Consular Clerk at Karikal states that the passengers from Ceylon landed at Negapatam at which port the steamers arrived first.

6. Receipts & charges.—

There were no receipts during the year. The total expenditure at Pondicherry and Karikal was Rs 21245-7-, of which Rs 10622-11-6 being debited to Political, leaves Rs 10622-11-6 as the Emigration Charges for the year. The total Expenditure for 1891 was Rs. 13509-11-3.

7. Establishments.—

S. Kuppuswami Aiyar was made Chief Clerk on the death of T. Appasami Aiyar in October 1892 and posted to Pondicherry. Vide G. O. Financial, dated 9th December 1892, No. 1338; and one P. Ganapati Aiyar late

late Clerk in the Revenue Department was entertained as Consular Clerk at Karikal. S. Kuppuswami Aiyar was placed in charge of the office on three occasions during the absence of the Consular Agent on Casual leave. — Chief Clerk S. Kuppuswami Aiyar was, as usual, most efficient at Pondicherry and Clerk P. Ganapati Aiyar has managed the Karikal Office

Office satisfactorily ever since his appointment in the Consulate. I visited Karikal in December 1892 and found the Office Records and everything in Complete order.

8. The Service Registers of the Establishments are properly kept up to date.

I have the honor to be,
Sir,
Your most obt Servant,

W. Mc Lux Tupper

H. B. M's Consular Agent
Pondicherry & Karikal

Public Department.

From Lieutenant General H. Mc LEOD R.A.
Her Britannic Majesty's Consular Agent,
Pondicherry & Karikal.

To The Honorable C.A. Galton
In. A.S.C.S
&c Chief Secretary to Govt
Fort St George

No. 170

Dated 25th March 1893

Received

Enclosure

Subject.

Submitting Annual Report on Emigration for the year 1892.

Statement of Receipts and charges in the Madras Presidency on account of Emigration to British and French Colonies for the year 1892.

Receipts	British Colonies	French Colonies	
Fees levied on Emigrants			Protector of Emigrants 91 to 30 November 1892
			Medical Inspectors
			Pay of Clerks and Ser
			Municipal Capitation
			Service Postage and
			Other Contingencies
Madras.	7338 - -		Add 25 per cent on
			Pay of clerks and Ser under the Deputy Emig
	7338 - -		Travelling allowance
			Service Postage
			Contingencies
			Add 25 per cent on
			Fees for copying the
			Moiety of pay of Cl
			Do Service Pos
			Do Office rent
			Add 25 per cent on
			Moiety of the Sala Pondicherry including
			Moiety of pay of Clerk
			Do Office rent
			Do Service Pos
			Do Travelling
			Do Other Cont
			Add 25 per cent on 2
Excess Charges over Receipts		10840 14	Excess Receipts
	7338 - -	10840 14	

N.B. Receipts and Charges on account of Inland Emigration under Madras Public Department No 267 dated 5 April 1893.

No 1393

Fort Saint George
Accountant General's Office
19th April 1893

To The Chief Secretary to Government, Fort Saint George,
with reference to G.O. Public No 1517 dated 22nd July 1886.

Emigration to British and French Colonies for the year 1892.

Charges	British Colonies	French Colonies
Presidency.		
Do allowance at Rs 200 per mensem from 1st December		
Annuity Fund deductions	2304 - 4	
Emigrants allowance at Rs 150 per mensem do. do.	1800 - -	
do from 1st December 1891 to 31 December 1892	1755 - -	
Rent on sheds	54 14 4	
Telegrams	11 8 -	
	105 10 .	
	6031 - 4	
3rd Item on account of Leave and Pensionary allowances	438 12	569 12 4
Tanjore.		
Pay of the Protector of Emigrants, Negapatam and of those Sub Tanjore from 1 December 1891 to 31 December 1892.	449 11 4	
	1 8 .	
	2 . .	
	42 . .	
	457 5 4	
Item 1 Item on account of Leave and Pensionary allowances	112 6 10	569 12 2
Maistry		
Engagements of Emigrants		3 12 -
Tanjore		
Do and Allowance of the Coringa Agents Office at Karikal from 1st December 91 to October 92	400 14 3	
Do	10 . .	
Rent and Contingencies	75 5 4	
	486 3 7	
4th Item on account of Leave and Pensionary allowance	100 3 7	586 7 2
South Arcot.		
Pay of the British Peninsular Agent at Karikal and		
Do pay of Sub Assistant from 1 December 1891 to 30 November 92	939 14 -	
Establishment at Pondicherry from 1 December 91 to 31 December 92	468 9 .	
	150 . .	
Rent and Telegrams	21 14 6	
Allowance of Office and Establishment	42 7 6	
Contingencies	61 10 11	
5th Item on account of Leave and Pensionary allowances	1013 6 7 11 / 117 2 3	1025 3 10 2
	7043 4 6	1084 0 1 4
Do over Charges	294 11 6	. . .
	7338 - -	1084 0 1 4

Cases Act V of 1866 have been excluded in this Statement as desired in Government Order

Accountant General.

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From
The Accte General
Madras

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Dated 19th April
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Enclosures —

SUBJECT.

Omitting statement of receipts & charges in the Madras Presidency on account of Emigration to British & French Colonies for the year 1892

PROCEEDINGS OF THE BOARD OF REVENUE
(SEPARATE REVENUE).

READ—again Proceedings of the Board of Revenue (Separate Revenue), dated 29th March 1893, Mis. No. 1172.

ABSTRACT.—Forwarding to the Accountant-General, for verification, statement of emigration receipts and charges during the year 1892.

READ—also the following papers :—

From the Collector of Ganjam,	dated 21st Mar. 1893,		No.	159-Eng.
„ „ of Vizagapatam,	„ 7th Feb.	„	„	324.
„ „ of Gódávari,	„ 20th „	„	„	——.
„ „ of Nellore,	„ 5th „	„	„	181-Eng.
„ „ of Chingleput,	„ 17th „	„ Ref.	„	32-S R.
„ „ of North Arcot,	„ 18th „	„	„	859 R.G.
„ „ of South Arcot,	„ 13th „	„	„	209-I.
„ „ of „	„ 22nd „	„	„	283-I.
„ „ of Tanjore,	„ 18th „	„	„	130.
„ „ of Madura,	„ 21st „	„	„	22.
„ „ of Tinnevelly,	„ 2nd Mar.	„	„	138.
„ „ of Coimbatore,	„ 4th Feb.	„	„	119-M.
„ Protector of Emigrants, Madras,	„ 18th Mar.	„	„	123.
„ „ „ „	„ 19th April	„	„	172.
„ British Consular Agent, Pondicherry and Karikal,	„ 25th Mar.	„	„	171.

ABSTRACT.—Reports and Returns of Emigration and Immigration for 1892.

READ—also Nil returns of emigration and immigration from the Collectors of Kistna, Cuddapah, Anantapur, Bellary, Kurnool, Trichinopoly, Nilgiris, Salem, South Canara and Malabar.

READ—also letter from the Collector of Cuddapah, dated 19th February 1893, No. 631-[illegible]r.

ABSTRACT.—Requesting that a certain correction may be made in his *Nil* return of emigration for 1892.

READ—also letter from the Accountant-General, Madras, dated 19th April 1893, No. I.B.B.-16.

ABSTRACT.—Returning after verification the statement of emigration receipts and charges for 1892, received with Board's Proceedings, dated 29th March 1893, Mis. No. 1172.

RESOLUTION—dated 24th April 1893, No. 169.

The papers read above relate to the statistics of emigration and immigration for the year 1892. There was no emigration to the French colonies during the year under report. Emigration to Assam took place under Act V of 1866 from the Ganjam district, but the subject has been excluded from this report, as directed in G.O., dated 2nd February 1892, No. 80, Public.

2. The subjoined abstract compares the number of emigrants, including children, registered for Mauritius and Natal under Act XXI of 1883, and for the Straits Settlements, Burmah and Ceylon, with the corresponding figures for 1891 :—

—	Regulated emigration.		Non-regulated or free emigration.	
	1891.	1892.	1891.	1892.
Mauritius	516	..	..	..
Natal	4,118	4,970	..	..
Straits Settlements	3,972	1,970	* 26,552	17,750
Burmah	..	..	43,717	46,881
Ceylon	..	..	† 74,643	86,415
Other parts of India	..	..	1,948	8,769
Total ..	8,606	6,940	146,860	158,815
	1891.		1892.	
Total emigration, regulated and non-regulate d..	155,466		165,755	

* This is the correct figure, as it includes the number of emigrants (22) from Pondicherry (*vide* second statement appended to paragraph 10 of Board's Proceedings, dated 11th May 1892, No. 255.)

† The difference between this and the figure given in Board's Proceedings, dated 11th May 1892, No. 255, is explained in the foot-note to the statement appended to paragraph 12 below.

Thus the total number of emigrants registered during the year under report shows an increase of 10,289 or 6·6 per cent. over the number for the previous year.

REGULATED EMIGRATION.

3. *Emigration to Mauritius.*—Owing to the absence of demand for labour, there was no emigration to Mauritius during the year under reference. The number of coolies registered for 1891 was 516.

4. *Emigration to Natal.*—The following statement shows the number of emigrants registered for Natal and the number that actually embarked for the colony during the past two years:—

Statement showing the number of emigrants registered for Natal in each district and the number embarked out of them during 1892, as compared with the figures of 1891.

Districts.		Number registered.				Number embarked.			
		Men.	Women.	Children.	Total.	Men.	Women.	Children.	Total.
1		2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
1. Ganjám ..	1892 ..	9	3	2	14	2	..	..	2
	1891 ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
2. Vizagapatam.	1892 ..	8	2	1	11	3	1	2	6
	1891 ..	18	3	2	23	9	2	1	12
3. Gódávari ..	1892 ..	92	15	7	114	68	17	7	92
	1891 ..	42	6	..	48	5	..	..	5
4. Nellore ..	1892 ..	83	46	23	152	28	13	14	55
	1891 ..	51	16	5	72	11	4	3	18
5. Madras ..	1892 ..	1,620	627	526	2,773	855	384	302	1,541
	1891 ..	1,273	574	537	2,384	376	175	157	708
6. North Arcot.	1892 ..	842	298	304	1,444	343	138	131	612
	1891 ..	488	153	108	749	114	59	43	216
7. Cuddapah ..	1892 ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
	1891 ..	8	..	..	8	6	..	..	6
8. Chingleput ..	1892 ..	119	41	45	205	61	21	18	100
	1891 ..	272	86	85	443	38	11	8	57
9. South Arcot..	1892 ..	21	2	1	24	11	1	..	12
	1891 ..	41	13	18	72	2	..	..	2
10. Tanjore ..	1892 ..	26	11	* 3	40	8	8	2	18
	1891 ..	42	7	4	53	19	3	2	24
11. Madura ..	1892 ..	143	26	4	173	70	14	1	85
	1891 ..	49	12	2	63	15	5	1	21
12. Salem ..	1892 ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
	1891 ..	8	2	..	10	3	..	..	3
13. Coimbatore ..	1892 ..	13	4	3	20	13	2	1	16
	1891 ..	143	33	17	193	49	13	3	65
Total ..	1892 ..	2,976	1,075	919	4,970	1,462	599	478	2,539
	1891 ..	2,435	905	778	4,118	647	272	218	1,137

Note.—The figures in the above statement exclude the number of emigrants from Bangalore and the number embarked out of those remaining on hand on the 31st December 1891.

* The Collector of Tanjore says that this is the correct number and that the figure shown in the statement submitted to the Protector of Emigrants for April 1892 should have been 3 (2 males and 1 female) instead of 4.

5. There was thus an increase of 852 in the number of persons registered for Natal during 1892, as compared with 1891. The explanation given by the Emigration Agent for the colony is that the outbreak of cholera in the latter part of 1891 interfered very much with the recruiting of coolies, while there was no serious epidemic of any kind in 1892. North Arcot alone shows an increase of 695, for which explanation has been called for from the Collector.

6. The total number of children registered in the several districts was 919 against 778 in the previous year, the number that actually embarked being 478.

7. The emigration operations of the year are reported to have been on the whole satisfactory. Excepting measles of a mild type, which broke out about the end of July, but which happily did not interfere much with embarkation, nothing happened to disturb the usual routine of business in the depôt. Prompt and careful attention was paid to the comfort of the coolies, who appear to have expressed themselves highly satisfied with the treatment they had received at the depôt.

8. There was some delay in the shipments, which was mainly due to the wreck of the vessel that was to have carried some coolies in December last. This necessitated their detention for a further period of about a month, which it took to get another ship ready.

9. *Emigration to the Straits Settlements.*—Indentured emigrants proceeded only from Negapatam. The following statement shows the number of emigrants of this class registered during the year and the number of them that embarked:—

—	1891.				1892.			
	Adults.	Children.	Dependents.	Total.	Adults.	Children.	Dependents.	Total.
Number of emigrants registered	3,578	244	150	3,972	1,666	185	119	1,970
Number embarked	3,440	244	150	3,834	1,629	185	119	1,933

The decrease in the emigration to the Straits is attributed to the decreased demand in the colony for labourers and to the higher standard of physical fitness now required by the Medical officer.

NON-REGULATD EMIGRATION.

10. The subjoined statement shows the number of free passengers that proceeded to the Straits Settlements during the year under report:—

Ports of embarkation.	1891.			1892.		
	Adults.	Children.	Total.	Adults.	Children.	Total.
Porto Novo	991	23	1,014	518	55	573
Kalikal	1,240	48	1,288	428	24	452
Negapatam	21,800	2,428	24,228	15,417	1,306	16,723
Pondicherry	22	..	22	2	..	2
Total ..	24,053	2,499	26,552	16,365	1,385	17,750

The falling off in the number of passengers is reported to be due to the absence of the competition among the Steamer Agents which existed in 1891, the British India Steam Navigation Company now monopolising the whole traffic and to the consequent enhancement of the passage fares.

11. *Emigration to Burmah.*—The number of passengers that embarked for Burmah during 1892 is compared below with the figures of 1891:—

Districts.	1891.			1892.		
	Adults.	Children.	Total.	Adults.	Children.	Total.
Ganjám	14,072	455	14,527	12,870	706	13,576
Vizagapatam	10,533	242	10,775	8,880	290	9,170
Tanjore	16,935	1,475	18,410	21,230	1,873	23,103
South Arcot (Pondicherry)	4	1	5	28	4	32
Total ..	41,544	2,173	43,717	43,008	2,873	45,881

Emigration to Burmah and Ceylon being free, it is not possible to distinguish real emigrants from ordinary passengers. The figures tabulated in this and the following paragraphs merely represent the number of all persons who actually embarked for those countries.

There was a slight decrease in the number of emigrants to Burmah from Ganjám and Vizagapatam. The variation in the first-named district is attributed to the greater inducements held out by the Assam Tea Planters, while that in Vizagapatam is ascribed to the favorable season. The Collector of Tanjore reports that the steady increase in his district is natural in view of the widely extended fields for labour opened out by the recent annexation.

12. *Emigration to Ceylon.*—The statistics of the last two years are compared below:—

Districts.	1891.				1892.			
	Men.	Women.	Children.	Total.	Men.	Women.	Children.	Total.
Madura	22,563	4,221	1,365	28,149	21,780	5,230	1,992	29,002
Tinnevelly	33,001	3,678	4,170	40,849	42,033	4,509	4,776	52,218
Tanjore. Karikal	43	3	..	46	..	..	..	..
Tanjore. Negapatam	4,727	559	309	1,886	850	77	63	990
Tanjore. Minor ports				3,709	3,652	359	194	4,205
Vizagapatam	4	..	..	4	..	..	..	..
Total ..	60,338	8,461	5,844	74,643	69,215	10,175	7,025	86,415

Note.—The figures in this statement include the passenger traffic to Ceylon from the minor ports of the Tanjore district. This was omitted in Board's Proceedings, dated 11th May 1892, No. 255, as the corresponding figures for 1890 were not available.

Emigration to Ceylon was, as usual, almost wholly confined to the Madura and Tinnevelly districts. The total number of emigrants shows an increase of 11,772 or nearly 16 per cent. when compared with the number for the previous year. The large increase in Tinnevelly is explained by the Collector to be due to the greater exertions of the Ceylon Planters to secure labour for coffee and other estates, to the general development of the tea industry, and to the improved facilities provided in the colony for the transport of coolies from the sea-ports. Madura shows a small increase which is attributed to the unfavorable character of the season. The Collector of Tanjore says that no plausible reason can be assigned for the slight decline in the number from his district.

13. The figures tabulated in paragraphs 9 to 12 above are those given in the annual Emigration reports read at the head of these Proceedings and differ from the figures furnished in the quarterly returns of passengers submitted by Collectors of Maritime districts, as shown in the following abstract:—

Districts.	Straits Settlements.		Burmah.		Ceylon.	
	As per annual emigration report.	As per quarterly returns of passengers.	As per annual emigration report.	As per quarterly returns of passengers.	As per annual emigration report.	As per quarterly returns of passengers.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
Ganjám	..	..	13,576	13,574	..	..
Vizagapatam	..	..	9,170	9,170	..	..
Godávari	..	..	..	8,402	..	1
Kistna	..	..	..	367	..	..
Madras	..	222	..	6,803	..	101
South Arcot	575	592	32	215	..	5
Tanjore	19,108	17,259	23,103	23,072	5,195	5,195
Madura	..	..	..	..	29,002	57,431
Tinnevelly	..	..	..	..	52,218	53,407
South Canara	..	..	..	3	..	1
Malabar	..	..	..	6	..	36

The Collector of Ganjám reports that the number of passengers shown in his annual Emigration report as having sailed for Burmah, *i.e.*, 13,576, is correct. The difference between the figures entered in columns 4 and 5 against Tanjore apparently represents the number of emigrants that proceeded from Karikal. The Collector is requested to include the passenger traffic from that port in his future quarterly returns. There is no difference between the figures shown in columns 6 and 7 against the same district, and in columns 4 and 5 against Vizagapatam. The other discrepancies should be explained by the Collectors concerned, whose attention will again be drawn to the last sentence of paragraph 11, Board's Proceedings, dated 11th May 1892, No. 255. The number of emigrants to Ceylon from Madura, as shown in the Collector's quarterly returns, is nearly twice as large as the number given in his annual emigration report.

14. *Emigration to other parts of British India.*—During the year under report, there were 8,769 emigrants to other parts of British India (6,877 * from Ganjám, 1,890 from Vizagapatam and 2 from Tanjore) against 1948 in 1,891 (1923 from Vizagapatam and 25 from Tanjore). But it is hardly credible that emigration of this kind took place only from the three districts mentioned above. The Collectors of the other coast districts, who have not furnished returns in spite of the instruction in paragraph 11 of G.O., dated 11th June 1892, No. 392, Public, are requested to explain the omission and see that it does not recur. The figures now furnished by the Collectors of Ganjám, Vizagapatam and Tanjore, differ from those given in the quarterly returns, as shown in the margin. The discrepancies should be explained.

* This figure is reported by the Collector to include the number of emigrants registered and despatched to Assam, inasmuch as they embarked for Calcutta at the port of Gopalpur.

Districts.	As per annual emigration report.	As per quarterly returns under the headings "ports within the Presidency" and "ports beyond the Presidency but within British India."
Ganjám	6,877	6,901
Vizagapatam	1,890	1,901
Tanjore	2	64

15. *Immigration.*—The number of immigrants during the year under report is compared below with the figures for 1891:—

Districts.	1891.			1892.		
	Adults.	Children.	Total.	Adults.	Children.	Total.
South Arcot .. { Pondicherry ..	877	258	1,135	148	34	182
South Arcot .. { Porto Novo ..	165	2	167	156	7	163
Ganjám	5,000	2	5,002	7,168	247	7,415
Madras	578	168	746	741	152	*893
Madura	53,174	2,587	55,761	48,928	3,657	52,585
Tanjore .. { Negapatam ..	37,000	2,079	39,079	29,467	1,532	30,999
Tanjore .. { Karikal ..	1,932	93	2,025	1,113	110	1,223
Tanjore .. { Minor ports ..	5,723	265	5,988	3,445	139	3,584
Tinnevelly	39,461	2,147	41,608	46,832	2,183	49,015
Vizagapatam	10,881	273	11,154	11,220	235	11,455
Total ..	154,791	7,874	162,665	149,218	8,296	157,514

* Of these, five persons died during the voyage.

Note.—The figures in this statement include the passenger traffic from Ceylon to the minor ports of the Tanjore district. This was omitted in Board's Proceedings, dated 11th May 1892, No. 255, as the corresponding figures for 1890 were not available.

16. The number of immigrants recorded during the year amounted to 157,514 against 162,665 in 1891, showing a slight decrease of 5,151 or about 3 per cent. The Collector of South Arcot states that he is unable to explain the decrease in the number of emigrants returned from the French colonies, but it is apparently due to the fact that while in the previous year emigrants returned from the three colonies of La Réunion, Martinique and Guadeloupe, there were no returns from the two latter colonies during 1892. The increase in Ganjám is reported to be due to the favorable character of the season and to the prospect of work on the East Coast Railway in progress in the district. The latter cause also explains the increase in Vizagapatam. The unfavorable season is the reason assigned by the Collector of Madura for the decrease in his district. In Tanjore the prevalence of famine prices and the drought that prevailed from September onwards probably discouraged the return of many emigrants. The raising of the passage fares by the British India Steam Navigation Company also partially accounts for the decrease. The Collector of Tinnevelly explains the increase in his district by saying that immigration follows the fluctuations of emigration and that the immigrants are mostly returned emigrants. There was an increase in the number of emigrants returned from Mauritius which is surmised by the Agent for that colony to be due to the terrible hurricane which swept over the colony during the year under report.

17. The various colonies from which the immigrants returned are specified below:—

From Burmah	27,040
„ Ceylon	106,866
„ Straits Settlements	18,234
„ Natal	214
„ Mauritius	679
„ La Réunion	182
„ Other parts of India	4,299
Total ...	157,514

18. The subjoined table compares the number of immigrants from the Straits Settlements, Burmah, Ceylon and other parts of India, as shown in the previous paragraph with the number given by Collectors of Maritime districts in their quarterly returns of passengers:—

Districts.	Passengers returning from						Other parts of British India.	
	Straits Settlements.		Burmah.		Ceylon.			
	As per annual emigration report.	As per quarterly returns of passengers.	As per annual emigration report.	As per quarterly returns of passengers.	As per annual emigration report.	As per quarterly returns of passengers.	As per annual emigration report.	As per quarterly returns of passengers (headings, "ports within the Presidency" and "ports beyond the Presidency but within British India)".
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
Ganjám	..	..	5,701	5,701	..	..	*1,714	1,714
Vizagapatam ..	..	..	9,236	9,236	10	10	2,209	2,209
Godávari ..	..	..	..	10,163	..	1	..	1,885
Kistna	..	..	..	310	..	..	..	708
Madras	..	475	..	5,268	..	298	..	3,925
South Arcot ..	163	165	..	..	..	87	..	7
Tanjore ..	18,071	16,848	12,103	12,111	5,256	5,256	376	543
Madura	..	..	..	..	52,585	29,869	..	29,444
Tinnevelly ..	..	..	..	..	49,015	49,914	..	2,037
South Canara ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	15,523
Malabar	..	..	..	2	..	77	..	2,761

* The Collector says that this figure probably includes the number of emigrants returned from Assam.

There is no discrepancy in the figures furnished by the Collectors of Ganjám and Vizagapatam. The difference between the figures in columns 2 and 3 against Tanjore seems to represent the number of immigrants (1,223) who landed at Karikal, which should also be included in future quarterly returns. The other differences between the two sets of figures should be explained by the Collectors concerned.

19. The annexed statement compares the number of emigrants and immigrants from Burmah, Straits Settlements and Ceylon for the last five years:—

Years.	Burmah.		Straits Settlements.		Ceylon.	
	Emigrants to.	Immigrants from.	Emigrants to.	Immigrants from.	Emigrants to.	Immigrants from.
1888	38,014	19,929	22,299	12,015	78,302	61,080
1889	34,303	21,638	19,800	13,992	93,219	67,023
1890	33,048	25,446	19,361	14,103	74,481	55,221
1891	43,717	28,260	30,524	26,114	74,643	103,456
1892	45,881	27,040	19,720	18,234	86,415	106,866
Average ..	38,993	24,463	22,339	16,892	81,412	78,729

20 The subjoined statement shows at one glance the total number of emigrants from, and immigrants to, the Madras Presidency during the past ten years:—

	Emigrants.	Immigrants.
1883–84	54,347	57,537
1884–85	55,427	57,548
1885 (nine months)	47,075	39,673
1886	83,337	71,542
1887	129,650	89,844
1888	143,045	97,318
1889	155,685	106,924
1890	135,473	98,386
1891	155,466	162,665
1892	165,755	157,514
Average ..	112,526	93,895

The average of the last ten years shows that about 83 per cent. of the number of emigrants returned to their homes, while 17 per cent. settled, either temporarily or permanently, in the various colonies to which they proceeded. The number of immigrants has exceeded the number of emigrants only in the years 1883–84, 1884–85 and 1891.

21. The statement appended below, giving the details of receipts and charges on account of emigration during the year under report, has been verified by the Accountant-General, as directed in Government Order, dated 18th September 1886, No. 1946, Public.

STATEMENT of Receipts and Charges on account of Emigration during the year 1892.

Districts.	Receipts.	Districts.	Expenditure.	
	RS. A. P.		RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.
		Presidency.		
Madras	7,338 0 0	Protector of Emigrants' allowance at Rs. 200 per month from 1st December 1891 to 30th November 1892, less annuity fund deductions	2,304 0 0	
		Medical Inspector of Emigrants' allowance at Rs. 150 per month from 1st December 1891 to 30th November 1892	1,800 0 0	
		Pay of clerks and servants from 1st December 1891 to 31st December 1892	1,755 0 0	
		Municipal assessment on sheds	54 14 4	
		Service postage and telegrams	11 8 0	
		Other contingencies	105 10 0	
			6,031 0 4	
		Add 25 per cent. on the third item on account of leave and pensionary allowances	438 12 0	6,469 12 4
		South Arcot.		
		Moiety of salary of the British Consular Agent at Karikal and Pondicherry including his pay of Military rank from 1st December 1891 to 30th November 1892..	9,391 14 0	
		Moiety of pay of clerks and servants at Pondicherry from 1st December 1891 to 31st December 1892 ..	468 9 0	
		Moiety of office rent	150 0 0	
		Do. of service postage and telegrams	21 14 6	
		Do. of travelling allowance of officer and establishment	42 7 6	
		Moiety of other contingencies	61 10 11	
			10,136 7 11	
		Add 25 per cent. on the second item on account of leave and pensionary allowances	117 2 3	10,253 10 2
		Tanjore.		
		Pay of clerks and peons of the Protector of Emigrants, Negapatam, and of those under the Deputy Magistrate, Tanjore, from 1st December 1891 to 31st December 1892	449 11 4	
		Travelling allowance	1 8 0	
		Service postage	2 0 0	
		Contingencies	4 2 0	
			457 5 4	
		Add 25 per cent. on the first item on account of leave and pensionary allowances	112 6 10	569 12 2
		Moiety of pay of clerks and servants of the Consular Agent's office at Karikal from 1st December 1891 to October 1892	400 14 3	
		Moiety of service postage	10 0 0	
		Do. of office rent and contingencies	75 5 4	
			486 3 7	
		Add 25 per cent. on the first item on account of leave and pensionary allowances	100 3 7	586 7 2
		Maisur.		
		Fees for copying the agreements of emigrants ..	3 12 0	3 12 0
		Total, Charges ..	..	17,883 5 10
Total, Receipts ..	7,338 0 0			

The receipts of the year, excluding those in Ganjám and Vizagapatam under Act V of 1866, amounted to Rs. 7,338 or nearly twice as much as the amount realized in 1891, viz., Rs. 3,721. The charges amounted to Rs. 17,883 against Rs. 13,053 in the previous year, showing an increase of Rs. 4,830 or 37 per cent. The charges exclude a moiety of the salaries of the British Consular Agent at Pondicherry and Karikal and of his establishments, which has been debited to "Political" under the orders of Government.

(A true Extract.)

(Signed) W. O. HORNE,
Acting Secretary.

(True Copy.)

Assistant Secretary.

To the Chief Secretary to Government, Public Department.
„ all Collectors.
„ the Protector of Emigrants, Madras.

Exd J. S. Pereira.

PUBLIC DEPARTMENT.

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Board of Revenue

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CHIEF SECRETARY
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GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS

Proceedings, 24th April 1893, No. 169.

For the perusal of the Annual Emigration Report
& the Sent. Records mentioned in Cont. of G.O. No. 1266

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Reviewing the emigration and immigration reports for the calendar year 1892.

REVENUE BOARD OFFICE
MADRAS

Proceedings of the Board of Revenue

(Separate Revenue).

Dated 10th May 1893

No. 1675 mis.

Resolution

In Continuation of para 5 of Boards' Proceedings No. 169 dated 24th April 1893 the Board begs to state that the increase in the number of Emigrants registered for Natal in the North Arcot District during 1892, as compared with the previous year, is explained by the Collector to be due to the continued unfavourable character of the season and the prevalence of distress.

(True Extract)

Assistant Secretary

To

The Chief Secretary to Government

Public Department.

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Board of Revenue

(Separate Revenue),

MADRAS

To

The Chief Secretary to Govt

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The Collector of Ganjam now reports that the correct number of emigrants to other parts of British India is 6887 and not 6877

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Assistant Secretary

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The Chief Secretary to Government Public Department

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Subject

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REVENUE BOARD OFFICE
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Board of Revenue

(Separate Revenue),

MADRAS

To

The Chief Secretary to
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GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS

Proceedings, dated 1st June 1893,
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NOTE FOR THE CHIEF SECRETARY.

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Order.

The papers read above relate to the operations connected with Emigration in the Madras Presidency during the year 1892, with the exception of that from the Ganjam distt to Assam on which a separate report has already been received & reviewed.

Go. 25th April 1890 nos 330-334.

A. Regulated Emigration

I. Emigration under act XIII of 1883

(a) To British Colonies.

2. The only two colonies which maintained agencies at Madras were those of Mauritius and Natal, Mr. J.G. Cowran continuing to be in charge of the former agency and messrs Parry & Co, in charge of the latter. The Govt is glad to learn from the reports of the Protector of Emigrants and the Medical Inspector that the depots were kept in good condition throughout the year and that their management was satisfactory. There was ~~no recruitment for the depot for Mauritius during the year under review. The operations connected with the Natal Emigration were on the whole successful~~ a mild outbreak of measles in the Natal depot at the end of July but this did not interfere much with the embarkation of Emigrants.

3. Mauritius. Owing to the absence of any demand for labour there was no emigration to Mauritius during the year under review

but 674 coolies returned from that Colony in three batches into savings amounting to Rs 13,444. There were altogether 5 deaths among these men. The corresponding figures for 1891 were, Coolies 366, savings Rs 4644 and deaths 3.

4. Natal. Recruitment for Natal was carried on actively throughout the year, although towards the end of July it was slightly disturbed by a mild outbreak of measles in the depot. At the end of 1891 there were 658 emigrants awaiting embarkation and 4650 were admitted during the year making a total of 5208. The number re-admitted from hospital was 131 bringing the total up to 5339. Of these 278 renounced their engagements or deserted, 1755 were repatriated 20 died, 131 were in hospital 3030 were shipped in seven instalments, leaving the small number of 126 for future shipment. As compared with the previous year there was a large increase of 2024 in the total number of admissions which is the highest on record for the last 8 years and of 1848 in the number actually shipped which was slightly exceeded in 1890. There was however an undesirable advance in the number of deaths which should have been explained. Of the number that embarked North arcot supplied no less than 1331 coolies which is stated to be the continued unfavorable character of the season and the prevalence of distress in that district. The number from Chingleput South arcot and Nellore was also considerable being 941, 1980 and 150 respectively. With the exception of the period of detention of the Coolies in the depot shows a creditable

+ men 424
women 150
Children 105

men 120
women 47
Children 47

+ 214 emigrants returned from Natal with savings amounting to Rs 35,000 against 380 with Rs 62,232 in 1891 and there were no deaths among them.

5. The following statement compares the average savings of an adult returned emigrant in the years 1891 + 1892:-

	Mauritius			Natal		
	No. of Adults	Total Savings	Average	No. of Adults	Total Savings	Average
		Rs	Rs		Rs	Rs
1891.	314.	4,644.	15	264.	62,232.	236.
1892.	574.	13,744.	24	167.	35,000.	210.

6. (a) To French Colonies

There was no emigration to French Colonies during the year under review and only one colony — Reunion — repatriated emigrants numbering 182, the savings brought by them being Rs 8,000. There were no deaths on the return voyage. With reference to the concluding portion of para: 5 of the review of the operations for 1891, it is observed that the French Govt has recently promised to take steps for removing the difficulties hitherto placed in the way of emigrants wishing to return to India.

← 80. 11th June 1892 No 392

II. Emigration to Straits Settlements

7. As in previous year indentured emigrants proceed only from Negapatam. The following statets however show the total number of emigrants indentured and free that embarked for the Straits Settlements during the last three years :-

A.—*Laborers registered under Form A (with minor dependents).*

Ports of embarkation.	1890. 1892		1890.		1891.	
	Adults.	Children.	Adults.	Children.	Adults.	Children.
Madras						
Negapatam	1748	185	7 2,913	139	3,590	244
Porto Novo						
Total	1933		3,059		3,834	

B.—*Free Passengers.*

Ports of embarkation.	1890. 1892		1890.		1891.	
	Adults.	Children.	Adults.	Children.	Adults.	Children.
Madras						
Negapatam	1748	185	7 2,913	139	3,590	244
Porto Novo						
Total	1933		3,059		3,834	

the large falling off as compared with the previous year in the number of indentured emigrants is ascribed to decreased demand in the colony for labourers and to the higher standard of physical fitness now required by the ~~emigrants~~ Emigrants of the medical officer while ~~that~~ that in the other class is explained to be due to the enhancement of the passage fares. It is however observed that the increase under this ~~head~~ heading 1891 was abnormal. In addition to the number shown in the foregoing table 348 French subjects embarked at Pondicherry and Karikal for the Straits Settlements. The number of immigrants from the straits was 18,234 against 26,114 in 1891.

II. Emigration to Assam.

8. As observed supra: ~~I~~ above a separate report on this subject has already been received and reviewed in G.O. 25th April 1892 No. 330. According to this report 6,109 Emigrants were registered in Ganjam of whom 3269 were labourers.

B. Free Emigration

9. Free Emigration takes place chiefly to Burmah & Ceylon owing to the fact that it is not regulated, it was as in previous years found impossible to distinguish real emigrants from ordinary passengers to those territories. The returns therefore include all persons who actually embarked for these countries and the following is a comparative statement of them for the last three years—

To Burmah

Districts.	1889. / 1892 Adults.	1889. / 1892 Children.	1890. Adults.	1890. Children.	1891. Adults.	1891. Children.
Ganjam	~~10,085~~ 12870	~~706~~ 800	11,166	226	14,072	455
Vizagapatam	~~5,010~~ 8880	~~290~~ 300	6,006	237	10,533	242
Tanjore	~~14,113~~ 21230	~~1873~~ 2000	14,299	1,108	16,936	1,475
South Arcot (Pondicherry)	28	4	6	..	4	1
Total	~~34,208~~ 45,881		33,048		43,717	

To Ceylon

Districts.	1889. / 1892 Adults.	1889. / 1892 Children.	1890. Adults.	1890. Children.	1891. Adults.	1891. Children.
Madura	~~21,000~~ 27010	~~1,915~~ 1992	52,661	3,793	26,784	1,365
Tinnevelly	~~20,010~~ 47442	~~1,001~~ 4776	15,717	1,886	36,679	4,170
Tanjore (Karikal)	"	"	396	28	46	..
Do. (Negapatam)	~~750~~ 927	~~100~~ 63	..	..	~~1,000~~ "	..
Vizagapatam	4018	194	"	"	" 4	"
	~~92,010~~ 96,415		74,481		70,934	

The bulk of the emigrants to Burmah belong as usual to Ganjam, Vizagapatam and Tanjore. ~~As compared with the last~~ ~~year~~ There was a steady increase in the number from Tanjore which is ascribed by the Collector to the widely extended field for labour opened out by the recent annexation. This explanation however does not seem to be altogether accurate since the emigrants from Ganjam and Vizagapatam were fewer than in 1891 although they had the same inducement as those from Tanjore and inland emigration to Assam affected only Ganjam at all.

Emigration to Ceylon was chiefly confined to Madura & Tinnevelly. The number of Emigrants from Madura remained almost the same as in 1891 while that from Tinnevelly shows a further considerable increase owing to the greater exertions of the Ceylon planters, the general development of the tea industry in that colony and the improved facilities thereby provided for the transport of Coolies from the seaports.

Pondicherry & Karikal for Burmah.

10. The number of Emigrants to other parts of British India is returned as 8769 including those who left Ganjam for Assam but from para: 14 of the Board's Proceedings read above it does not appear that this number is altogether accurate.

* From Ganjam 6877
" Vizagapatam 1890
" Tanjore 25

GENERAL.

11. The total number of British subjects, including children, who left the Presidency for countries outside India in the year under review, was ~~146,554~~, against 155009 146554 ~~131,020~~ 131920 in 1891 and ~~150,579~~ in ~~1890~~, as shown below :—

Countries to which emigration occurred.	Regulated Emigration.		Non-regulated or free Emigration.		
	~~1890~~ 1892	1890.	1891.	~~1890~~ 1892	1890.	1891.
Mauritius	~~0544~~	1,929	335	..	..	..
Natal	3030 ~~3015~~	3,308	1,182	..	..	..
Straits Settlements	1933 ~~3015~~	3,059	3,834	17 ~~5,511~~	16,095	26,552
Burma	..	..	..	45391 ~~47,000~~	33,048	43,717
Ceylon	..	..	..	96446 ~~90,000~~	74,481	70,934
	4963 ~~5015~~	8,296	5,351	~~150,068~~	123,624	141,203
Total emigration for 1892 regulated and non-regulated				150046		155009 ~~146,554~~

In addition to the above there were 8769 emigrants ~~&~~ from the Presidency to Ganjam and other parts of India against 7157 in 1891.

12. Financial. The total receipts and Charges on account of Emigration in 1892 amounted to Rs 13,187 and Rs 19,082 respectively but Rs 5849 of the former and Rs 1199 of the latter appertain to the inland emigration from Ganjam to Assam, the corresponding figures for 1891 being ~~Rs 13,125, Rs 13,425~~ as shown below as shown in the margin. The receipts & Charges on account of Emigration to Countries outside India thus exceeded the previous years figures by Rs 3617 and Rs 4830 respectively. The increase in the receipts is apparently due to the larger recruitment for Natal referred to in para: 4 above. That in the Charges appears chiefly in the salary of the British Consular Agent at Pondicherry & Karikal.

Fees were levied from the Emigrants from Madras & the French Colonies but Charges to the extent of Rs 10,840 representing a

	Total Receipts	Total Charges	Inland Emigration Receipts	Inland Emigration Charges
	~~13,125~~ Rs	Rs	Rs	Rs
	13,125	13,425	9,404	372

	Receipts	Charges
	Rs	Rs
1892	7,338.	17883
1891	3721.	13053
Excess	3,617	4830

a moiety of the Salaries of the Consular Agent and his Establishments had to be incurred on their account; (the other moiety was debited ~~Charges~~ to Political ~~as in the~~ under existing arrangements) the fees levied on Emigrants to British Colonies exceeded the Charges by Rs 295, the loss on account of Emigration being thus reduced to Rs 10,545 as compared with Rs 9332 in 1891.

13. The attention of the officers concerned will again be drawn to the discrepancies and omissions pointed out by the Board, & it is hoped that these will be guarded against in future.

* The Govt in its Proceedings endorse.

Addresses as usual.

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GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.

PUBLIC DEPARTMENT.

READ—the following papers :—

From W. P. AUSTIN, Esq., Protector of Emigrants, Madras, to the Chief Secretary to Government, dated Madras, 18th March 1893, No. 122.

I have the honour to submit my administration report on the emigration operations at this port for 1892 and to enclose the usual statements and copy of the Medical Inspector's report.

2. There was no change in the administrative staff of both the agencies in the year under consideration.

3. There was absolutely no requisition for coolies for the Mauritius during the year and consequently no shipment for that colony.

4. The Natal emigration operations of the year were, on the whole, satisfactory. From the commencement of the year down to the end of July business went on quite as briskly as was desirable. It was then slightly disturbed by an outbreak of measles in the depôt, which, however, did not, I am glad to say, interfere much with embarkation. The disease was pronounced to be of a very mild form, and as there was cholera raging in the vicinity of the depôt, it was decided, in consultation with the Medical Inspector of Emigrants and the Surgeon-Superintendent of the *Umzinto*, Dr. Seaton, to embark the coolies in the depôt at once.

5. There was not a complaint of any kind made to me by the coolies, who, on the contrary, always expressed themselves fully satisfied with the treatment they had received at the depôt. Their food was invariably good, both in quality and quantity, and the depôt premises were always well kept.

6. Out of 3,030 coolies kept in the depôt from time to time, the number detained over 3 months was only 137, mostly due to the wreck of the *Umtata* in December of the previous year. The coolies who were to have gone by her had to wait till another ship was ready to take them, which was not till the 25th January next, thus involving a delay of one month.

7. Ninety-seven recruiters' licenses were granted during the year for the Natal agency.

	Natal.
Men	1,716
Women	730
Children	584
Total ..	3,030

8. Seven shipments were made for Natal during the year, the percentage of women to men being 42·5.

The number of men, women and children despatched is noted on the margin.

9. Two ships returned from Natal with 214 coolies, viz., the *Congella* and the *Pongola*. The savings of the coolies amounted to Rs. 35,000. Three ships returned from the Mauritius with 679 coolies, viz., the S.S. *Fultala*, *Lalpoora* and the *Wardha*. There were two deaths on board the *Lalpoora*, one from dysentery and the other from erysipelas.

There were three deaths on board the *Wardha*, one from dysentery and the other two from heart disease. The coolies brought savings amounting to Rs. 13,744.

10. The fees collected on emigrants embarked aggregated Rs. 7,338.

The disbursements in Madras were Rs. 6,031–0–4 and in the mofussil Rs. 457–5–4.

11. There was no emigration to French colonies.

12. The service registers of the office have been verified to date.

ENCLOSURES.

COPY of letter from the Medical Inspector of Emigrants, to the Protector of Emigrants, Madras, dated 11th March 1893.

As laid down in Rule 5 of the Emigration Rules under Act XXI of 1883, I have the honour to submit my annual report on the emigration depôts during 1892.

2. My report must necessarily be a short one, for emigration to Mauritius was at a standstill during the year and Natal operations went on without any hitch. I am very pleased to note that, unlike in some of the past years, there was nothing to disturb the usual run of business, except that measles broke out in the depôt about the end of July which, however, did not much interfere with embarkation. The disease was of a very mild type and there was cholera raging in the vicinity of the depôt. The *Umsinto* was ready here to take coolies. It was therefore decided by us, in consultation with Dr. Seaton, the Surgeon-Superintendent, to send away the coolies with measles rather than subject them to the risk of cholera.

3. My weekly depôt inspections, I am glad to say, were not marked by any complaint whatever from the coolies in regard to the rice, condiments, &c. The provisions were invariably good and the medicines supplied equally so. Cooking-sheds, hospital-sheds, latrines, &c., were always kept in a satisfactory condition. The rule of getting a cooly vaccinated on admission was strictly adhered to, and no cooly therefore embarked who had not either had small-pox or been vaccinated.

4. Seven steamers left for Natal with 3,030 coolies and two returned with 214 coolies.

5. Three steamers returned from Mauritius with 679 coolies.

6. Those that proceeded to the colony were examined by me in the presence of the respective Surgeon-Superintendents and the Protector in regard to their health and fitness to undertake the voyage, and the usual inspection of the returning people was also regularly made.

No. 1.—Statement showing the number of Emigrants admitted into the Depôt from 1st January to 31st December 1892 and how they were disposed of.

NATAL.

Month.	Number admitted into the depôt.			Number re-admitted from hospital.			Number of emigrants who renounced their engagements or deserted the depôt.			Rejected						Number of emigrants died.			Number in hospital.			Number detained for future shipment.			Number emigrated.		
										By Medical Officer.			By Protector.			By Emigration Agent.											
	Male.	Female.	Total.	Male.	Female.	Total.	Male.	Female.	Total.	Male.	Female.	Total.	Male.	Female.	Total.	Male.	Female.	Total.	Male.	Female.	Total.	Male.	Female.	Total.	Male.	Female.	Total.
Balance on 31st Dec. 1891 ..	413	245	658	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
January ..	135	53	188	6	9	14	24	3	27	72	37	109	..	..	..	9	4	13	3	10	13	..	..	..	367	203	570
February ..	503	254	757	2	6	8	12	1	13	102	52	154	..	..	..	1	5	6	8	6	14	..	..	..	..	..	..
March ..	107	62	169	3	6	9	19	3	22	93	47	140	2	..	2	12	3	15	3	8	11	..	..	..	360	182	542
April ..	275	124	399	1	6	7	15	2	17	27	9	36	..	..	..	2	1	3	1	2	3	..	..	..	..	..	..
May ..	130	72	202	4	5	9	13	1	14	86	52	132	..	..	..	23	39	62	1	7	8	..	..	..	267	116	383
June ..	535	275	810	1	..	1	35	12	47	132	47	179	..	..	..	9	4	13	5	8	13	..	..	..	247	146	393
July ..	438	201	639	2	4	6	44	5	49	152	66	218	..	..	..	48	32	80	6	6	12	..	..	..	332	175	507
August ..	430	191	621	10	9	19	27	6	33	137	48	185	2	1	3	9	3	12	4	8	12	..	..	..	..	..	..
September ..	105	24	129	17	13	30	10	4	14	46	14	60	1	..	1	5	1	6	3	3	6	..	..	..	247	108	355
October ..	214	83	297	10	14	24	13	3	16	92	32	124	..	..	..	9	5	14	4	8	12	..	..	..	192	88	280
November ..	108	43	151	2	1	3	11	4	15	86	46	132	..	..	..	25	6	31	1	1	2	..	..	..	..	..	..
December ..	154	34	188	1	..	1	11	..	11	19	2	21	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Total ..	3,547	1,661	5,208	58	73	131	234	44	278	1,038	452	1,490	5	4	9	152	104	256	57	74	131	99	26	125	2,012	1,018	3,030

No. 2.—Statement showing the period of detention of Emigrants in Depot from 1st January to 31st December 1892.

Number detained one month and under.	Number detained between one and two months.	Number detained between two and three months.	Number detained between three and four months.	Number detained more than four months.	Total.
1	2	3	4	5	6
1,095	1,420	378	128	9	3,030

REMARKS.—With regard to the detentions in depôt beyond the period of three months, as shown in columns 4 and 5, it is submitted :—

(1) That the *Umtata* which was to have taken coolies from here about the end of last year was wrecked, and a fresh steamer had to be chartered, which left here on the 25th January, thus involving a delay of one month.

(2) That owing to the prevalence of ophthalmia, measles and fever, several coolies had to be kept in the quarantine depôt until recovery and were then re-admitted into the main depôt.

No. 3.—Statement showing the number of Emigrants in Hospital from 1st January to 31st December 1892.

Month.	Number of emigrants in the depôt hospital.	Number of emigrants in outside hospital.	Number of deaths in the outside hospital.	Number of deaths in the depôt.	Remarks.
January	34	13	..	..	
February	33	6	..	..	
March	45	11	..	..	
April	22	3	..	..	
May	31	5	.. (a) 2	..	(a) One pneumonia, one fever.
June	41	8	..	..	
July	47	13	..	..	
August	68	12	.. (b) 2	..	(b) One diarrhœa, one measles.
September	82	39	(c) 6	(d) 1	(c) Three diarrhœa, one dysentery, two measles.
October	32	17	(e) 8	(f) 1	(d) general debility.
November	16	3	..	..	(e) Six measles, two fever.
December	21	1	..	..	(f) Dysentery.

No. 4.—Statement showing the number of Indians embarked from Madras from 1st January to 31st December 1892.

Month and date.	Name of vessels.	Destination.	Number of heads: Men.	Women.	Children.	Total souls.	Total adults.
25th January	"Chupra"	Natal ..	295	150	125	570	479
26th March	"Huzara"		302	120	120	542	458
4th June	"Congella"		219	83	81	383	329
8th July	"Pongola"		202	97	94	393	327
11th August	"Umzinto"		296	123	88	507	446½
10th October	"Pongola"		226	89	40	355	327
14th November	"Umzinto"		176	68	36	280	252½
		Total ..	1,716	730	584	3,030	2,619

Number of emigrants embarked—
Previous year 1,182
Year under report .. .. 3,030.

No. 5.—Statement showing the number of Emigrants registered in each District and admitted into the Depôt and the number actually embarked out of them.

Districts.	Number admitted. Men.	Women.	Children.	Total. souls.	Total adults.	Coolies not brought to the depôt. Men.	Women.	Children.	Number registered. Men.	Women.	Children.	Total souls.	Total adults.	Number embarked. Men.	Women.	Children.	Total souls.	Total adults.
Balance on 31st December 1891.																		
Madras ..	177	117	121	415	326	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	139	95	88	322	259½
Chingleput	40	17	14	71	61	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	30	14	9	53	46½
North Arcot	73	22	16	111	99	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	50	12	4	66	62
South Arcot	7	3	3	13	10½	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	7	3	3	13	10½
Coimbatore	4	3	1	8	7½	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	3	2	..	5	5
Tanjore	1	..	..	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	1	1
Madura ..	7	1	..	8	8	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	6	1	..	7	7
Bangalore	5	2	2	9	8	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	1	1	4	3½
Nellore ..	10	1	..	11	9	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	7	1	..	8	8
Godávari ..	8	1	..	9	9	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Salem ..	2	..	..	2	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	..	..	2	2
Total ..	334	167	157	668	543	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	247	129	105	481	405
1892.																		
Madras ..	1,554	598	497	2,773	2,384	66	29	29	1,620	627	526	2,773	2,384	855	384	302	1,541	1,325½
Chingleput	109	40	37	205	177½	10	1	8	119	41	45	205	177½	61	21	18	100	88½
North Arcot	701	264	249	1,414	1,263	141	34	55	842	298	304	1,444	1,263	343	138	131	612	522
South Arcot	18	2	1	24	23½	3	..	..	21	2	1	24	23½	11	1	..	12	12
Coimbatore	13	4	3	20	18	..	..	..	13	4	3	20	18	13	2	1	16	16
Tanjore	18	10	4	32	28½	8	1	1	26	11	4	41	38½	8	2	2	18	16½
Madura ..	127	25	17	169	145½	16	2	4	143	26	4	173	169½	70	14	1	85	84½
Bangalore	15	3	3	21	20½	2	..	1	17	3	1	21	20½	7	2	1	10	9½
Nellore ..	44	26	22	152	139½	39	20	14	83	46	23	152	139½	28	13	5	55	46
Godávari ..	*92	15	7	114	110½	..	..	1	92	15	7	114	110½	68	17	7	92	87½
Vizagapatam	† 5	2	1	11	10½	3	..	..	8	2	1	11	10½	3	1	2	6	5
Ganjam ..	9	3	2	14	13	..	..	..	9	3	2	14	13	2	..	..	2	2
Grand Total ..	3,039	1,159	985	5,650	4,900	288	86	93	2,993	1,078	921	5,650	4,900	1,716	730	584	3,030	2,619

* This excludes 14 men and 3 women who were registered at the end of December 1891 and were admitted in January 1892.
† This excludes 6 men, 1 woman and 2 children who were registered at the end of December 1891 and were admitted in January 1892.

No. 6.—Statement showing the number of Indian Emigrants returned from Natal to Madras from 1st January to 31st December 1892.

Date of arrival.	By what steamer arrived.	From where.	Number returned. Men.	Women.	Children.	Total.	Number of emigrants that died during the voyage.	Savings.	Remarks.
14th May ..	"Congella" ..	Natal ..	60	26	25	111	..	Rs.	*Number returned.*
16th September.	"Pongola" ..	Do. ..	60	21	22	103	..		Previous year 339
		Total ..	120	47	47	214	..		Year under report 271

No. 7.—Statement showing the Districts of Emigrants embarked.

Names of districts.	Men.	Women.	Children.	Total.
Madras ..	15	7	1	23
Chingleput ..	491	246	204	941
North Arcot ..	718	323	290	1,331
Salem ..	46	11	5	62
Bangalore ..	18	4	3	25
Mysore ..	5	..	..	5
Coimbatore ..	22	3	1	26
Malabar ..	1	..	..	1
Travancore ..	1	..	..	1
South Arcot ..	130	75	53	258
Pondicherry ..	11	1	..	12
Tanjore ..	8	3	2	13
Trichinopoly ..	10	5	4	19
Madura ..	58	14	4	76
Tinnevelly ..	10	1	..	11
Cuddapah ..	22	6	2	30
Bellary ..	1	1	..	2
Anantapur ..	1	..	..	1
Hydorabad ..	2	3	2	7
Nellore ..	78	34	38	150
Godávari ..	33	3	..	36
Kistna ..	3	1	..	4
Vizagapatam ..	38	17	8	63
Ganjam ..	2	..	..	2
Pudukóta Territory ..	1	1	1	3
Dharwar ..	1	1	1	3
Nagpur ..	..	1	..	1
Total ..	1,716	750	584	3,050

No. 8.—Statement showing the number of Emigrants despatched to and returned from Natal with the total amount of expenditure from 1st January to 31st December 1892.

Name of Agency.	Number of emigrants despatched. Souls.	Adults.	Number of emigrants returned. Souls.	Adults.	Expenditure on account of emigrants despatched.	Expenditure on account of emigrants returned.	Grand Total.	Rate of exchange.	Sterling money.
Natal ..	3,030	2,619	214	187	Rs. A. P. 1,38,653 13 2	Rs. A. P. 643 8 5	Rs. A. P. 1,39,297 5 7	*	£ s. d. 10,000 16 11½

* 1st January to 31st March 1892 .. .. Rs. 38,270 6 7 at 1 6½ = £2,950 0 2½
1st April to 31st December 1892 .. .. 1,01,026 15 0 at 1 4½ = 7,050 16 9½
Total .. 1,39,297 5 7 10,000 16 11½

MAURITIUS.

No. 1.—Statement showing the number of Emigrants admitted in the Depôt during the year 1892 and how they were disposed of.—*Nil.*

No. 2.—Statement showing the period of detention of Emigrants in Depôt during 1892.—*Nil.*

No. 3.—Statement showing the number of Emigrants in Hospital during 1892.—*Nil.*

No. 4.—Statement showing the number of Indian Emigrants embarked from Madras in the year 1892.—*Nil.*

No. 5.—Statement showing the number of Emigrants registered in each District and the number actually embarked out of those registered.—*Nil.*

No. 6.—Statement showing Districts of Emigrants embarked in 1892.—*Nil.*

No. 7.—Statement showing the number of Indian Emigrants returned to Madras in the year 1892.

Date of arrival.	By what vessel arrived.	From where.	Number returned. Men.	Women.	Children.	Total.	Number of emigrants died during the voyage.	Amount of savings.	Remarks.
29th Feb. 1892.	S.S. "Fultala."	Mauritius.	147	48	33	228	..	Rs. 5,839	*Number returned.* *No. died.*
18th June ,,	S.S. "Lalpoora"	Mauritius.	110	31	27	168	2	1,895	Previous year 366 .. 1
10th Sept. ,,	S.S. "Wardha."	Mauritius.	167	71	45	283	3	6,010	Year under report 679 .. 5
									Previous year savings. Rs. 4,644
									Year under report savings .. .. ,, 13,744
		Total ..	424	150	105	679	5	13,744	

No. 8.—Statement of Advances paid to Emigrants at Madras in the year 1892.—*Nil.*

No. 9.—*Colonial Emigration Form No.* 19.—Form of Report of delayed despatches of Emigrants.—Return showing cause of lengthy detention of Emigrants in the Depot of the Mauritius Emigration Agency during the year 1892.—*Nil.*

No. 10.—Statement of Emigration Receipts during the year 1892 in the office of the Protector of Emigrants, Madras.

Months.	Number of emigrants registered. Men.	Women.	Children.	Amount of embarkation fees collected.	Amount of license fees collected.	Total receipts.
				Rs.		Rs.
January 1892	92	39	41	..	..	..
February ,, ...	237	118	97	1,335	..	1,335
March ,, ...	73	24	22	..	..	..
April ,, ...	152	48	54	1,266	..	1,266
May ,, ...	58	18	12	..	..	..
June ,, ...	302	130	120	906	..	906
July ,, ...	203	85	83	897	..	897
August ,, ...	188	72	57	1,257	..	1,257
September ,, ...	75	18	12	..	..	..
October ,, ...	110	38	17	945	..	945
November ,, ...	43	16	4	732	..	732
December ,, ...	87	21	7	..	..	..
Total ..	1,620	627	526	7,338	..	7,338

No. 11.—Statement of Emigration Charges during the year 1892 in the office of the Protector of Emigrants, Madras.

Establishment.	Cost.	Contingencies.	Refunds.	Total	Remarks.
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	
Protector's allowance at Rs. 200 per mensem less fund deduction.	2,304 0 0	..	..	2,304 0 0	
Medical Inspector's allowance at Rs. 150 per mensem.	1,800 0 0	..	..	1,800 0 0	
Head Clerk	1,040 0 0	..	..	1,040 0 0	
Second Clerk	360 0 0	..	..	360 0 0	Medical Inspector's allowance for 4 months 10 days at Rs. 150-4-4.
Attender	130 0 0	..	..	130 0 0	
Two Peons	195 0 0	..	..	195 0 0	
Assessment	54 14 4	..	..	54 14 4	
Contingencies	..	117 2 0	..	117 2 0	
Total ..	5,913 14 4	117 2 0	..	6,030 16 4	

From Lieut.-General H. McLEOD, R.A., Her Britannic Majesty's Consular Agent, Pondicherry and Karikal, to the Chief Secretary to Government, dated Pondicherry, 25th March 1893, No. 170.

I have the honour to submit my report on emigration and free passenger traffic at Pondicherry and Karikal for the calender year 1892.

2. (*I*) *French Colonies.*—There was no emigration to French colonies, consequently Statements 1 to 10 are blank. From Statement No. 11 it will be seen that only one colony, viz., Réunion, bringing with them Rs. 8,000, declared savings, giving for 148 adults an average of Rs. 54-0-10 per head. In 1891, 235 adults who returned from the same colony averaged Rs. 31-6-9.

3. There was no death during the voyage. 38 per cent. of the emigrants landed were over the age of 50. The general appearance of the emigrants was on the whole not bad.

4. (*II*) *Straits Settlements.*—Seven hundred and thirty-seven passengers embarked from Karikal for the Straits against 2,131 in 1891. The decrease is owing to the competition between the Steamer Companies having ceased from the beginning of the year under review. Further, passengers, as a rule, prefer to embark at Negapatam, for the reason that Negapatam is the last port of call for steamers for the Straits. One thousand two hundred and twenty-three persons returned to Karikal from the Straits during 1892 against 1,997 in 1891. The reduced rate of passage-money allowed last year was not extended to the year under review consequent on the cessation of competition between the Steamer Companies. Sixty-five passengers embarked at Pondicherry for the Straits, of these only two were British subjects.

5. (*III*) *Burma, Mauritius, Ceylon.*—The embarkations from Pondicherry for Burma were 62 against 28 in 1891. Thirty-eight left Karikal for Burma in 1892 against 30 in the previous year. None returned from Burma to either port. No passengers embarked from Pondicherry for the Mauritius in 1892. In 1891 only 5 French subjects left Pondicherry for the Mauritius. There was no passenger traffic during the year between Karikal and Ceylon. The Consular clerk at Karikal states that the passengers from Ceylon landed at Negapatam, at which port the steamers arrived first.

6. *Receipts and Charges.*—There were no receipts during the year. The total expenditure at Pondicherry and Karikal was Rs. 21,245-7-0, of which Rs. 10,622-11-6 being debited to Political, leaves Rs. 10,622-11-6 as the emigration charges for the year. The total expenditure for 1891 was Rs. 13,509-11-3.

7. *Establishments.*—S. Kuppuswami Aiyar was made chief clerk on the death of T. Appasami Aiyar in October 1892 and posted to Pondicherry—*vide* G.O., Financial, dated 9th December 1892, No. 1338; and one P. Ganapati Aiyar, late clerk in the Revenue Department, was entertained as Consular clerk at Karikal. S. Kuppuswami Aiyar was placed in charge of the office on three occasions during the absence of the

Consular Agent on casual leave. Chief Clerk S. Kuppuswami Aiyar was, as usual, most efficient at Pondicherry, and Clerk P. Ganapati Aiyar has managed the Karikal office satisfactorily ever since his appointment in the Consulate. I visited Karikal in December 1892 and found the office records and everything in complete order.

8. The service registers of the establishments are properly kept up to date.

ENCLOSURES.

Nos. 1 and 2.—Statements showing the number of emigrants admitted into the Pondicherry and Karikal Depôts from January to 31st December 1892, and how they were disposed of —*Nil.*

No. 3.—Statement showing the period of detention of the emigrants in the Pondicherry and Karikal Depôts during the year 1892—*Nil.*

No. 4.—Statement showing the number of emigrants in Pondicherry and Karikal Hospitals from January to December 1892—*Nil.*

No. 5.—Statement showing the number of Indian emigrants embarked from Pondicherry and Karikal in 1892—*Nil.*

No. 6.—Statement of advances paid to emigrants at Pondicherry and Karikal in the year 1892—*Nil.*

Nos. 7 and 8.—Statements showing districts of emigrants embarked at Pondicherry and Karikal during the year 1892—*Nil.*

Nos. 9 and 10.—Statements showing the number of emigrants registered in each district and the number actually embarked at Pondicherry and Karikal—*Nil.*

No. 11.—Statement showing the number of Indian Emigrants returned to Pondicherry in the year 1892.

Date of arrival.	By what ship arrived.	From where.	Number embarked.				Number of emigrants died during the voyage.	Number of children born during the voyage.	Total number landed at Pondicherry.	Amount of savings.	Remarks.		
			Men.	Women.	Children.	Total.					Previous year.		
											Number returned.	Number died.	Savings.
										Rs.			Rs. A. P.
7th July 1892.	S.S. "Madagascar."	La Réunion.	115	33	34	182	..	..	182	8,000	*1,135	14	28,835 10 9

* From 3 colonies.

No. 12.—Statement showing the number of Indian Emigrants returned to Karikal in the year 1892—*Nil.*

No. 13.—Statement of Emigration Receipts at Pondicherry during the year 1892—*Nil.*

No. 14.—Statement of Emigration Charges at Pondicherry during the year 1892.

Establishment.		Contingencies.		Refunds.	Total charges.	Remarks.
Details.	Cost.					
	Rs. A. P.		Rs. A. P.		Rs. A. P.	Previous year.
1 British Consular Agent.	(a) 18,846 8 0	Office rent ..	300 0 0	..	..	Rs. A. P.
1 Clerk	(b) 585 9 9	Service postage and telegrams	43 13 0	..	..	Establishment .. 11,641 12 5
4 Peons ..	(c) 361 11 1	Hot weather charges ..	85 10 3	..	..	Contingencies .. 433 9 10
1 Sweeper ..	12 0 0	Ordinary office contingencies.	37 11 9	..	..	Refunds ..
						Total .. 12,075 6 3
Total ..	19,805 12 10	Total ..	467 3 9	..	[illegible]	

Rs. A. P.

(a) Includes travelling allowance 62 12 0
(b) do. do. do. 27 14 0
(c) do do. do. 4 5 0
(d) Half of this amount, i.e., rs. 10,136 7 11 debited to Political and the other half to emigration.

No. 15.—Statement of Emigration Charges at Karikal during the year 1892.

Establishment.		Contingencies.		Refunds.	Total expenditure.	Remarks.
Details.	Cost.					
	Rs. A. P.		Rs. A. P.		Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
1 Chief Clerk ..	636 12 5	Office rent ..	120 0 0	..	..	636 12 5 were debited to emigration.
2 Peons ..	154 0 0	Service labels ..	20 0 0	..	..	154 0 0 were debited to Political.
1 Sweeper ..	11 0 0	Hot weather charges. ..	29 14 9	..	..	Total.
		Other expenses.	0 12 0	..	..	
Total ..	801 12 5	Total ..	170 10 9	..	972 7 2	

Previous year Rs. 1,234-5-0. Last year charge allowance was drawn by the chief clerk in addition to his salary. Hence the decrease this year.

No. 16.—Statement showing the number of coolies under advances and passengers who embarked at Karikal for the Straits Settlements during the year 1892.

Dates.	Names of vessels.	British subjects.						French subjects.			Grand Total.			Remarks.		
		Coolies under advances.			B. Form passengers.		Other passengers.									
		Men.	Women.	Children.	Men.	Women.	Children.	Men.	Women.	Children.	Men.	Women.	Children.	Previous year.	Present year.	Increase. / Decrease.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21
7th January 1892	S.S. "Pundwa"							51	1	1	5	1	..	56	2	1				
18th "	" "Purnea"							10	1	2	16	..	2	26	1	2				
5th February	" "Pundwa"							11	2	..	1	1	1	12	3	1				
16th "	" "Purnea"							6	2	2	9	..	..	15	2	2				
29th "	" "Seamdra"							5	4	1	4	3	2	9	7	3				
14th March	" "Sirsa"							12	2	2	1	..	..	13	2	2				
28th "	" "Secundra"							7	2	2	..	..	..	7	2	2				
4th April	" "Dhupra"							17	4	2	81	7	5	98	11	7				
25th "	" "Seamdra"							8	2	2	7	1	1	15	3	3				
9th May	" "Sirsa"							16	4	2	10	2	2	26	6	4				
23rd "	" "Secundra"							36	4	2	4	4	2	40	8	4				
5th June	" "Sirsa"							61	3	1	19	6	4	80	9	5				
18th "	" "Seamdra"							10	2	..	14	2	2	24	4	2				
3rd July	" "Sirsa"							11	6	1	15	1	2	26	7	3				
16th "	" "Secundra"							..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..				
31st "	" "Sirsa"							1	..	1	9	3	3	10	3	4				
14th August	" "Seamdra"							2	1	..	9	1	2	11	2	2				
28th "	" "Sirsa"							2	2	1	6	2	1	8	4	2				
11th September	" "Secundra"							4	2	1	3	1	3	7	3	4				
27th "	" "Sirsa"							1	..	..	1	..	..	2	..	..				
9th October	" "Secundra"							4	1	1	4	1	2	8	2	3				
22nd "	" "Sirsa"							7	1	..	8	1	2	15	2	2				
6th November	" "Secundra"							2	..	..	..	..	..	2	..	..				
21st "	" "Sirsa"							1	..	..	1	1	..	2	1	..				
5th December	" "Secundra"							1	..	..	5	1	1	6	1	1				
19th "	" "Sirsa"							1	..	..	1	..	1	2	..	1				
	Total							389	39	24	235	27	23	624	66	47	737	2,131	..	1,394

No. 17.—Statement showing number of passengers who returned to Karikal from the Straits Settlements during the year 1892.

Date.	Names of Ships.	Number of passengers landed.				Remarks.			
		Men.	Women.	Children.	Total.	Previous year.	Present year.	Increase.	Decrease.
2nd Jan. 1892 ..	S S. "Pundwa"	35	3	4	42				
13th ,, ,, ..	,, "Purnea"	97	6	4	107				
12th Feb. ,, ..	,, "Do."	61	5	4	70				
27th ,, ,, ..	,, "Pundwa"	15	2	1	18				
6th March ,, ..	,, "Sirsa"	53	4	..	57	1,997	1,223	..	774
10th ,, ,, ..	,, "Do."	21	5	1	27				
24th ,, ,, ..	,, "Secundra"	45	5	8	58				
21st April ,, ..	,, "Do."	19	2	..	21				
5th May ,, ..	,, "Sirsa"	82	6	9	97				
19th ,, ,, ..	,, "Secundra"	36	5	..	41				
1st June ,, ..	,, "Sirsa"	53	6	9	68				
14th ,, ,, ..	,, "Secundra"	47	6	..	53				
29th ,, ,, ..	,, "Sirsa"	55	2	3	60				
12th July ,, ..	,, "Secundra"	28	3	1	32				
9th Aug. ,, ..	,, "Do."	41	6	5	52				
24th ,, ,, ..	,, "Sirsa"	40	3	4	47				
27th ,, ,, ..	,, "Do."	30	2	1	33				
6th Sept. ,, ..	,, "Secundra"	51	6	29	86				
22nd ,, ,, ..	,, "Sirsa"	37	5	5	47				
4th Oct. ,, ..	,, "Secundra"	30	3	6	39				
18th ,, ,, ..	,, "Sirsa"	25	4	1	30				
3rd Nov. ,, ..	,, "Secundra"	20	..	2	22				
16th ,, ,, ..	,, "Sirsa"	29	4	3	36				
30th ,, ,, ..	,, "Secundra"	38	5	1	44				
14th Dec. ,, ..	,, "Sirsa"	34	4	2	40				
28th ,, ,, ..	,, "Secundra"	16	1	2	19				
	Total ..	1,010	103	110	1,223				

No. 18.—Statement showing the number of passengers who embarked from the port of Karikal for British Burma during the year 1892.

Date.	Names of Ships.	Number of passengers embarked for Moulmein.								Remarks.			
		British subjects.				French subjects.							
		Men.	Women.	Children.	Total.	Men.	Women.	Children.	Total.	Previous year.	Present year.	Increase.	Decrease.
15th Sept. 1892	Barque Sri Venugopalaswamy.	12	1	1	14	..	..	..	..				
16th ,, ,,	Do. ..	15	1	1	17	6	..	1	7				
	Total ..	27	2	2	31	6	..	1	7	30	38	8	..

No. 19.—Statement showing the number of passengers returned from British Burma to Karikal during the year 1892.

Date.	Names of vessels.	Number of passengers returned from British Burma.				Remarks.			
		Men.	Women.	Children.	Total.	Previous year.	Present year.	Increase.	Decrease.
....	....	..	..	..	..				
	Total ..	..	..	..	..	28.	*Nil.*	..	28

No. 20.—Statement showing the number of passengers embarked at Karikal for Ceylon during the year 1892.

Date.	Names of vessels.	Passengers embarked.								Remarks.			
		British subjects.				French subjects.							
		Men.	Women.	Children.	Total.	Men.	Women.	Children.	Total.	Previous year.	Present year.	Increase.	Decrease.
..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	46	..	..	46

No. 21.—Statement showing the number of passengers landed at Karikal from Ceylon during the year 1892.—*Nil.*

No. 22.—Abstract statement showing the number of passengers who went to British Burma, Straits Settlements and Mauritius during the year 1892.

Ports from which embarked.	Number of passengers embarked for Burma.							Number of passengers embarked for Straits Settlements.							Number of passengers embarked for Mauritius.						
	British subjects.			French subjects.			Total.	British subjects.			French subjects.			Total.	British subjects.			French subjects.			
	Men.	Women.	Children.	Men.	Women.	Children.		Men.	Women.	Children.	Men.	Women.	Children.		Men.	Women.	Children.	Men.	Women.	Children.	Total.
Pondicherry.	26	2	4	23	4	3	62	2	..	..	47	13	3	65	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Karikal ..	27	2	2	6	..	1	38	389	39	24	235	27	23	737	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Total ..	53	4	6	29	4	4	100	391	39	24	282	40	26	802	..	..	..	..	..	..	..

No. 23.—Abstract statement showing the number of passengers returned from Burma, Straits Settlements and Ceylon during the year 1892.

Ports to which returned.	Passengers returned from Burma.				Passengers returned from Straits Settlements.				Passengers returned from Ceylon.			
	Men.	Women.	Children.	Total.	Men.	Women.	Children.	Total.	Men.	Women.	Children.	Total.
Pondicherry	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Karikal	..	..	..	..	1,010	103	110	1,223	..	..	..	..
Total ..	..	..	..	..	1,010	103	110	1,223	..	..	..	..

No. 24.—Statement showing the names of British steamers that arrived at Pondicherry during the year 1892.

Names.	Number of arrivals.	Names.	Number of arrivals.
1. S.S. "Putiala"	21	30. S.S. "Pentakota"	1
2. ,, "Pundwa"	3	31. ,, "Metapedia"	1
3. ,, "Culna"	5	32. ,, "Bhundara"	1
4. ,, "Khandalla"	7	33. ,, "Peveril"	1
5. ,, "Nawab"	9	34. ,, "Congo"	1
6. ,, "Palitana"	18	35. ,, "Abana"	1
7. ,, "Huzara"	3	36. ,, "Bancoora"	1
8. ,, "Purnea"	2	37. ,, "Asloun"	1
9. ,, "Tannadice"	2	38. ,, "Erato"	1
10. ,, "Oriental"	2	39. ,, "Loch Maree"	1
11. ,, "Kangra"	4	40. ,, "Orono"	1
12. ,, "Nadir"	10	41. ,, "Nowshera"	1
13. ,, "Katoria,"	6	42. ,, "Chanda"	1
14. ,, "Rajpootana"	6	43. ,, "Patna"	2
15. ,, "Baghdad"	9	44. ,, "Calliope"	2
16. ,, "Goalpara"	5	45. ,, "Blackheath"	1
17. ,, "Kohinur"	2	46. ,, "Mortlake"	1
18. ,, "Chindwara"	2	47. ,, "Altonower"	1
19. ,, "Secundra"	11	48. ,, "Umballa"	1
20. ,, "Ellora"	6	49. ,, "Waverley"	1
21. ,, "Camorta"	5	50. ,, "Loodiana"	3
22. ,, "River Indus"	1	51. ,, "Sirdhana"	1
23. ,, "Amana"	1	52. ,, "Laudaura"	1
24. ,, "Nizam"	11	53. ,, "Effel Tower"	1
25. ,, "Harrogate"	1	54. ,, "Warora"	1
26. ,, "Sirsa"	11		
27. ,, "Henzada"	3		
28. ,, "Sciendia"	1		
29. ,, "Chupra"	3		
	Total ..		199

No. 25.—Statement showing the names of British steamers that arrived at Karikal during the year 1892.

Names.	Number of arrivals.	Names.	Number of arrivals.
1. S.S. "Pundwa"	4	14. S.S. "Baghdad"	2
2. ,, "Khandalla"	1	15. ,, "Aska"	7
3. ,, "Purnea"	4	16. ,, "Nadir"	5
4. ,, "Huzara"	1	17. ,, "Chupra"	2
5. ,, "Tannadice"	2	18. ,, "Bancoora"	1
6. ,, "Rajpootana"	1	19. ,, "Kohinur"	1
7. ,, "Goalpara"	1	20. ,, "Nizam"	2
8. ,, "Chindwara"	2	21. ,, "Vita"	9
9. ,, "Kulna"	2	22. ,, "Kangra"	1
10. ,, "Nawab"	5	23. ,, "Chanda"	1
11. ,, "Secundra"	22	24. ,, "Waverley"	1
12. ,, "Camorta"	2		
13. ,, "Sirsa"	22		
		Total ..	101

No. 26.—Statement showing the names of sailing vessels that arrived at Pondicherry during the year 1892.

Names.	Number of times arrived.	Names.	Number of times arrived.
1. 3 M. Ch. "Curreem Bux"	1	21. Dhony "Muhamed Bunder"	1
2. Br. Ch. "Sri Venkatachalapati"	1	22. ,, "Ramasamy"	1
3. ,, "Sri Venkateswaraloo"	1	23. ,, "Sivasundarapuravy"	4
4. ,, "Bougarie Moidin Samadany"	1	24. ,, "Sainte Annalakshmy"	1
5. ,, "Parvatabakyalakshmy"	3	25. ,, "Nagalingapuravy"	1
6. Colonel Fytche	1	26. ,, "Nagur Mira Sahib"	1
7. Selvanayagy	1	27. ,, "Sebamalé Madavinpuravy"	4
8. Br. Ch. "Candasami Kaliana Varada Lukshmy."	1	28. ,, "Saint Joseph Provendamaria"	1
		29. ,, "Kouripakyalakshmy"	4
9. ,, "Muhamed Suliman Bux"	1	30. ,, "Parvatabakyalakshmy"	3
10. Bk. "Harrington"	1	31. ,, "Poornalakshmy"	2
11. Br. Ch. "Mailvaganapuravy"	1	32. ,, "Nilayadatchy"	6
12. ,, "Kathoria"	1	33. ,, "Tayalnayagy"	3
13. ,, "Veeralakshmy"	3	34. ,, "Moidin Bux"	1
14. ,, "Nithiyapakiam"	1	35. ,, "Annapurany"	1
15. ,, "Dhanalakshmy"	1	36. ,, "Saminaden"	1
16. ,, "Cader Moidin Bux"	1	37. ,, "Adinarayanapuravy"	1
17. ,, "Annalakshmy"	1	38. ,, "Marie Sintadri Antonipuravy"	2
18. ,, "Sree Venugopalasami"	1	39. ,, "Hydrose"	1
19. ,, "Nilayadatchy"	1		
20. Dhony "Annalakshmy"	2	Total ..	64

No. 27.—Statement showing the names of sailing vessels that arrived at Karikal during the year 1892.

Names.	Number of arrivals.	Names.	Number of arrivals.
1. Bk. "Sri Venugopalasamy"	5	20. Dhony "Tirusundra Puravy"	1
2. Br. Ch. "Soobramaniapuravy"	1	21. Bk. "Sundraraja Vijia Lakshmi"	2
3. Schooner "Meanatchy Soondram"	4	22. Dhony "Mohamed Bunder"	1
4. Dhony "Sivagami Amman"	9	23. ,, "Mohamed Abdul Carim"	2
5. ,, "Sepamalai Madavinpuravy"	4	24. ,, "Poorva Lakshmi"	5
6. Bk. "Soondra Lakshmi"	3	25. ,, "Thayel Nayagy"	1
7. ,, "Konesarpuravy"	5	26. Bk. "John and Mary"	1
8. ,, "Vinayaga Pakia Lakshmi"	5	27. ,, "Tirunadaraja Puravy"	1
9. Dhony "Haja Ameed Bux"	1	28. Dhony "Mohidin Bux Lakshmi"	1
10. ,, "Fatasalam"	2	29. Bk. "Sahool Hamed"	2
11. ,, "Adi Lakshmi"	4	30. ,, "Cader Mohidin Bux"	1
12. ,, "Swaminathan"	2	31. ,, "Mohidin Hydroze"	1
13. ,, "Mohidin Sahool Amid Bux"	4	32. Dhony "Mohamed Ibram Ali"	3
14. ,, "Anna Lakshmi"	2	33. ,, "Rajool Mohamed Bux"	1
15. ,, "Harriet"	1	34. ,, "Joseph Prabanda Maria"	2
16. ,, "Cader Bux"	1	35. ,, "Abdul Ameed"	1
17. ,, "Mahilvahanapuravy"	5	36. ,, "Sepamalai Madavinpuravy"	1
18. ,, "Ramasamy"	1		
19. ,, "Nilayadatchy"	4	Total ..	90

No. 28.—Abstract statement of shipping particulars.

Particulars of vessels.	Number of vessels				Total number of arrivals.	
	Steamers.		Sailing vessels.			
	To Pondicherry.	To Karikal.	To Pondicherry.	To Karikal.	At Pondicherry.	At Karikal.
Vessels making 25 voyages	..	..	..	..	..	..
Do. 24 do.	..	..	..	..	..	..
Do. 23 do.	..	..	..	..	..	..
Do. 22 do.	..	2	..	..	..	44
Do. 21 do.	1	..	..	..	21	..
Do. 19 do.	..	..	..	..	..	..
Do. 18 do.	1	..	..	..	18	..
Do. 12 do.	..	..	..	..	..	..
Do. 11 do.	3	..	..	..	33	..
Do. 10 do.	1	..	..	..	10	..
Do. 9 do.	2	1	..	1	18	18
Do. 8 do.	..	..	..	..	..	..
Do. 7 do.	1	1	..	..	7	7
Do. 6 do.	3	..	1	..	24	..
Do. 5 do.	3	2	..	5	15	35
Do. 4 do.	1	2	3	5	16	28
Do. 3 do.	5	..	4	2	27	6
Do. 2 do.	7	7	3	7	20	28
Do. 1 do.	26	9	28	16	54	25
Total ..	54	24	39	36	263	191

From the Accountant-General, dated 19th April 1893, No. B.B.P.-1.

Proceedings of the Board of Revenue (Separate Revenue), dated 24th April 1893, No. 169.

Read—again Proceedings of the Board of Revenue (Separate Revenue), dated 29th March 1893, Mis. No. 1172.

ABSTRACT.—Forwarding to the Accountant-General, for verification, statement of emigration receipts and charges during the year 1892.

Read—also the following papers :—

From the Collector of Ganjam,	dated 21st Mar. 1893,	No. 159-Eng.		
,, ,, of Vizagapatam,	,, 7th Feb. ,,	,, 324.		
,, ,, of Gódávari,	,, 20th ,, ,,	,, ——.		
,, ,, of Nellore,	,, 5th ,, ,,	,, 181-Eng.		
,, ,, of Chingleput,	,, 17th ,, ,,	Ref. ,, 32-S.R.		
,, ,, of North Arcot,	,, 18th ,, ,,	,, 859-R.G.		
,, ,, of South Arcot,	,, 13th ,, ,,	,, 209-I.		
,, ,, of ,,	,, 22nd ,, ,,	,, 283-I.		
,, ,, of Tanjore,	,, 18th ,, ,,	,, 130.		
,, ,, of Madura,	,, 21st ,, ,,	,, 22.		
,, ,, of Tinnevelly,	,, 2nd Mar. ,,	,, 138.		
,, ,, of Coimbatore,	,, 4th Feb. ,,	,, 119-M.		
,, Protector of Emigrants, Madras,	,, 18th Mar. ,,	,, 123.		
,, ,, ,,	,, 19th April ,,	,, 172.		
,, British Consular Agent, Pondicherry and Karikal,	,, 25th Mar. ,,	,, 171.		

ABSTRACT.—Reports and Returns of Emigration and Immigration for 1892.

Read—also Nil returns of emigration and immigration from the Collectors of Kistna, Cuddapah, Anantapur, Bellary, Kurnool, Trichinopoly, Nilgiris, Salem, South Canara and Malabar.

Read—also letter from the Collector of Cuddapah, dated 19th February 1893, No. 631-Ver.

ABSTRACT.—Requesting that a certain correction may be made in his *Nil* return of emigration for 1892.

Read—also letter from the Accountant-General, Madras, dated 19th April 1893, No. I.B.B.-16.

ABSTRACT.—Returning after verification the statement of emigration receipts and charges for 1892, received with Board's Proceedings, dated 29th March 1893, Mis. No. 1172.

Resolution—dated 24th April 1893, No. 169.

The papers read above relate to the statistics of emigration and immigration for the year 1892. There was no emigration to the French colonies during the year under report. Emigration to Assam took place under Act V of 1866 from the Ganjam district, but the subject has been excluded from this report, as directed in G.O., dated 2nd February 1892, No. 80, Public.

2. The subjoined abstract compares the number of emigrants, including children, registered for Mauritius and Natal under Act XXI of 1883, and for the Straits Settlements, Burmah and Ceylon, with the corresponding figures for 1891 :—

	Regulated emigration.		Non-regulated or free emigration.	
	1891.	1892.	1891.	1892.
Mauritius	516	..	..	..
Natal	4,118	4,970	..	..
Straits Settlements	3,972	1,970	* 26,552	17,750
Burmah	..	..	43,717	45,881
Ceylon	..	..	† 74,643	86,415
Other parts of India	..	..	1,948	8,769
Total ..	8,606	6,940	146,860	158,815
	1891.		1892.	
Total emigration, regulated and non-regulated ..	155,466		165,755	

* This is the correct figure, as it includes the number of emigrants (22) from Pondicherry (*vide* second statement appended to paragraph 10 of Board's Proceedings, dated 11th May 1892, No. 255.)

† The difference between this and the figure given in Board's Proceedings, dated 11th May 1892, No. 255, is explained in the foot-note to the statement appended to paragraph 12 below.

Thus the total number of emigrants registered during the year under report shows an increase of 10,289 or 6·6 per cent. over the number for the previous year.

REGULATED EMIGRATION.

3. *Emigration to Mauritius.*—Owing to the absence of demand for labour, there was no emigration to Mauritius during the year under reference. The number of coolies registered for 1891 was 516.

4. *Emigration to Natal.*—The following statement shows the number of emigrants registered for Natal and the number that actually embarked for the colony during the past two years :—

Statement showing the number of emigrants registered for Natal in each district and the number embarked out of them during 1892, as compared with the figures of 1891.

Districts.		Number registered.				Number embarked.			
		Men.	Women.	Children.	Total.	Men.	Women.	Children.	Total.
1		2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
1. Ganjám ..	1892 ..	9	3	2	14	2	..	..	2
	1891 ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
2. Vizagapatam.	1892 ..	8	2	1	11	3	1	2	6
	1891 ..	18	3	2	23	9	2	1	12
3. Gódávari ..	1892 ..	92	15	7	114	68	17	7	92
	1891 ..	42	6	..	48	5	..	..	5
4. Nellore ..	1892 ..	83	46	23	152	28	13	14	55
	1891 ..	51	16	5	72	11	4	3	18
5. Madras ..	1892 ..	1,620	627	526	2,773	855	384	302	1,541
	1891 ..	1,273	574	537	2,384	376	175	157	708
6. North Arcot.	1892 ..	842	298	304	1,444	343	138	131	612
	1891 ..	488	153	108	749	114	59	43	216
7. Cuddapah ..	1892 ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
	1891 ..	8	..	..	8	..	6	..	6
8. Chingleput ..	1892 ..	119	41	45	205	61	21	18	100
	1891 ..	272	86	85	443	38	11	8	57
9. South Arcot..	1892 ..	21	2	1	24	11	1	..	12
	1891 ..	41	13	18	72	2	..	..	2
10. Tanjore ..	1892 ..	26	11	3	40	8	8	2	18
	1891 ..	42	7	4	53	19	3	2	24
11. Madura ..	1892 ..	143	26	4	173	70	14	1	85
	1891 ..	49	12	2	63	15	5	1	21
12. Salem ..	1892 ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
	1891 ..	8	2	..	10	..	..	..	..
13. Coimbatore ..	1892 ..	13	4	3	20	13	2	1	16
	1891 ..	143	33	17	193	49	13	3	65
Total ..	1892 ..	2,976	1,075	919	4,970	1,462	599	478	2,539
	1891 ..	2,435	905	778	4,118	647	272	218	1,137

Note.—The figures in the above statement exclude the number of emigrants from Bangalore and the number embarked out of those remaining on hand on the 31st December 1891.

* The Collector of Tanjore says that this is the correct number and that the figure shown in the statement submitted to the Protector of Emigrants for April 1892 should have been 3 (2 males and 1 female) instead of 4.

5. There was thus an increase of 852 in the number of persons registered for Natal during 1892, as compared with 1891. The explanation given by the Emigration Agent for the colony is that the outbreak of cholera in the latter part of 1891 interfered very much with the recruiting of coolies, while there was no serious epidemic of any kind in 1892. North Arcot alone shows an increase of 695, for which explanation has been called for from the Collector.

6. The total number of children registered in the several districts was 919 against 778 in the previous year, the number that actually embarked being 478.

7. The emigration operations of the year are reported to have been on the whole satisfactory. Excepting measles of a mild type, which broke out about the end of July, but which happily did not interfere much with embarkation, nothing happened to disturb the usual routine of business in the depôt. Prompt and careful attention was paid to the comfort of the coolies, who appear to have expressed themselves highly satisfied with the treatment they had received at the depôt.

8. There was some delay in the shipments, which was mainly due to the wreck of the vessel that was to have carried some coolies in December last. This necessitated their detention for a further period of about a month, which it took to get another ship ready.

9. *Emigration to the Straits Settlements.*—Indentured emigrants proceeded only from Negapatam. The following statement shows the number of emigrants of this class registered during the year and the number of them that embarked :—

	1891.				1892.			
	Adults.	Children.	Dependents.	Total.	Adults.	Children.	Dependents.	Total.
Number of emigrants registered	3,578	244	150	3,972	1,666	185	119	1,970
Number embarked	3,440	244	150	3,834	1,629	185	119	1,933

The decrease in the emigration to the Straits is attributed to the decreased demand in the colony for labourers and to the higher standard of physical fitness now required by the Medical officer.

NON-REGULATD EMIGRATION.

10. The subjoined statement shows the number of free passengers that proceeded to the Straits Settlements during the year under report :—

Ports of embarkation.	1891.			1892.		
	Adults.	Children.	Total.	Adults.	Children.	Total.
Porto Novo	991	23	1,014	518	55	573
Karikal	1,240	48	1,288	428	24	452
Negapatam	21,800	2,428	24,228	15,417	1,306	16,723
Pondicherry	22	..	22	2	..	2
Total ..	24,053	2,499	26,552	16,365	1,385	17,750

The falling off in the number of passengers is reported to be due to the absence of the competition among the Steamer Agents which existed in 1891, the British India Steam Navigation Company now monopolising the whole traffic and to the consequent enhancement of the passage fares.

11. *Emigration to Burmah.*—The number of passengers that embarked for Burmah during 1892 is compared below with the figures of 1891:—

Districts.	1891.			1892.		
	Adults.	Children.	Total.	Adults.	Children.	Total.
Ganjám	14,072	455	14,527	12,870	706	13,576
Vizagapatam	10,533	242	10,775	8,880	290	9,170
Tanjore	16,936	1,475	18,410	21,230	1,873	23,103
South Arcot (Pondicherry)	4	1	5	28	4	32
Total ..	41,544	2,173	43,717	43,008	2,873	45,881

Emigration to Burmah and Ceylon being free, it is not possible to distinguish real emigrants from ordinary passengers. The figures tabulated in this and the following paragraphs merely represent the number of all persons who actually embarked for those countries.

There was a slight decrease in the number of emigrants to Burmah from Ganjám and Vizagapatam. The variation in the first-named district is attributed to the greater inducements held out by the Assam Tea Planters, while that in Vizagapatam is ascribed to the favorable season. The Collector of Tanjore reports that the steady increase in his district is natural in view of the widely extended fields for labour opened out by the recent annexation.

12. *Emigration to Ceylon.*—The statistics of the last two years are compared below :—

Districts.		1891.				1892.			
		Men.	Women.	Children.	Total.	Men.	Women.	Children.	Total.
Madura		22,563	4,221	1,365	28,149	21,780	5,230	1,992	29,002
Tinnevelly		33,001	3,678	4,170	40,849	42,933	4,509	4,776	52,218
Tanjore.	Karikal	43	3	..	46	..	..	..	..
	Negapatam	4,727	559	309	1,886	850	77	63	990
	Minor ports	4	..	..	3,709	3,652	359	194	4,205
Vizagapatam					4	..	..	..	..
Total ..		60,338	8,461	5,844	74,643	69,215	10,175	7,025	86,415

Note.—The figures in this statement include the passenger traffic to Ceylon from the minor ports of the Tanjore district. This was omitted in Board's Proceedings, dated 11th May 1892, No. 255, as the corresponding figures for 1890 were not available.

Emigration to Ceylon was, as usual, almost wholly confined to the Madura and Tinnevelly districts. The total number of emigrants shows an increase of 11,772 or nearly 16 per cent. when compared with the number for the previous year. The large increase in Tinnevelly is explained by the Collector to be due to the greater exertions of the Ceylon Planters to secure labour for coffee and other estates, to the general development of the tea industry, and to the improved facilities provided in the colony for the transport of coolies from the sea-ports. Madura shows a small increase which is attributed to the unfavorable character of the season. The Collector of Tanjore says that no plausible reason can be assigned for the slight decline in the number from his district.

13. The figures tabulated in paragraphs 9 to 12 above are those given in the annual Emigration reports read at the head of these Proceedings and differ from the figures furnished in the quarterly returns of passengers submitted by Collectors of Maritime districts, as shown in the following abstract :—

Districts.	Straits Settlements.		Burmah.		Ceylon.	
	As per annual emigration report.	As per quarterly returns of passengers.	As per annual emigration report.	As per quarterly returns of passengers.	As per annual emigration report.	As per quarterly returns of passengers.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
Ganjám	..	..	13,576	13,574	..	..
Vizagapatam	..	..	9,170	9,170	..	..
Gódávari	..	..	..	8,402	..	..
Kistna	..	..	..	367	..	1
Madras	..	222	..	6,803	..	..
South Arcot	575	592	32	215	..	101
Tanjore	19,108	17,259	23,103	23,072	..	5
Madura	..	..	..	..	5,195	5,195
Tinnevelly	..	..	..	..	29,002	57,431
South Canara	..	..	..	..	52,218	53,407
Malabar	..	..	..	3	..	1
				6	..	36

The Collector of Ganjám reports that the number of passengers shown in his annual Emigration report as having sailed for Burmah, *i.e.*, 13,576, is correct. The difference between the figures entered in columns 4 and 5 against Tanjore apparently represents the number of emigrants that proceeded from Karikal. The Collector is requested to include the passenger traffic from that port in his future quarterly returns. There is no difference between the figures shown in columns 6 and 7 against the same district, and in columns 4 and 5 against Vizagapatam. The other discrepancies should be explained by the Collectors concerned, whose attention will again be drawn to the last sentence of paragraph 11, Board's Proceedings, dated 11th May 1892, No. 255. The number of emigrants to Ceylon from Madura, as shown in the Collector's quarterly returns, is nearly twice as large as the number given in his annual emigration report.

14. *Emigration to other parts of British India.*—During the year under report, there were 8,799 emigrants to other parts of British India (6,807 * from Ganjám, 1,890 from Vizagapatam and 2 from Tanjore) against 1948 in 1,891 (1923 from Vizagapatam and 25 from Tanjore). But it is hardly credible that emigration of this kind took place only from the three districts mentioned above. The Collectors of the other coast districts, who have not furnished returns in spite of the instruction in paragraph 11 of G.O., dated 11th June 1892, No. 392, Public, are requested to explain the omission and see that it does not recur. The figures now furnished by the Collectors of Ganjám, Vizagapatam and Tanjore, differ from those given in the quarterly returns, as shown in the margin. The discrepancies should be explained.

Districts.	As per annual emigration report.	As per quarterly returns under the headings "ports within the Presidency" and "ports beyond the Presidency but within British India."
Ganjám	6,807	6,901
Vizagapatam	1,890	1,901
Tanjore	2	64

* This figure is reported by the Collector to include the number of emigrants registered and despatched to Assam, inasmuch as they embarked for Calcutta at the port of Gopalpur.

15. *Immigration.*—The number of immigrants during the year under report is compared below with the figures for 1891 :—

Districts.	1891.			1892.		
	Adults.	Children.	Total.	Adults.	Children.	Total.
South Arcot .. { Pondicherry ..	877	258	1,135	148	34	182
South Arcot .. { Porto Novo ..	165	2	167	156	7	163
Ganjám	5,000	2	5,002	7,168	247	7,415
Madras	578	168	746	741	152	* 893
Madura	53,174	2,587	55,761	48,928	3,657	52,585
Tanjore .. { Negapatam ..	37,000	2,079	39,079	29,467	1,532	30,999
Tanjore .. { Karikal	1,932	93	2,025	1,113	110	1,223
Tanjore .. { Minor ports ..	5,723	265	5,988	3,445	139	3,584
Tinnevelly	39,461	2,147	41,608	46,832	2,183	49,015
Vizagapatam	10,881	273	11,154	11,220	236	11,455
Total ..	154,791	7,874	162,665	149,218	8,296	157,514

* Of these, five persons died during the voyage.

Note.—The figures in this statement include the passenger traffic from Ceylon to the minor ports of the Tanjore district. This was omitted in Board's Proceedings, dated 11th May 1892, No. 255, as the corresponding figures for 1890 were not available.

16. The number of immigrants recorded during the year amounted to 157,514 against 162,665 in 1891, showing a slight decrease of 5,151 or about 3 per cent. The Collector of South Arcot states that he is unable to explain the decrease in the number of emigrants returned from the French colonies, but it is apparently due to the fact that while in the previous year emigrants returned from the three colonies of La Réunion, Martinique and Guadeloupe, there were no returns from the two latter colonies during 1892. The increase in Ganjám is reported to be due to the favorable character of the season and to the prospect of work on the East Coast Railway in progress in the district. The latter cause also explains the increase in Vizagapatam. The unfavorable season is the reason assigned by the Collector of Madura for the decrease in his district. In Tanjore the prevalence of famine prices and the drought that prevailed from September onwards probably discouraged the return of many emigrants. The raising of the passage fares by the British India Steam Navigation Company also partially accounts for the decrease. The Collector of Tinnevelly explains the increase in his district by saying that immigration follows the fluctuations of emigration and that the immigrants are mostly returned emigrants. There was an increase in the number of emigrants returned from Mauritius which is surmised by the Agent for that colony to be due to the terrible hurricane which swept over the colony during the year under report.

17. The various colonies from which the immigrants returned are specified below :—

From Burmah	27,040
„ Ceylon	106,866
„ Straits Settlements	18,234
„ Natal	214
„ Mauritius	679
„ La Réunion	182
„ Other parts of India	4,299
Total ...	157,514

18. The subjoined table compares the number of immigrants from the Straits Settlements, Burmah, Ceylon and other parts of India, as shown in the previous paragraph with the number given by Collectors of Maritime districts in their quarterly returns of passengers :—

Districts.	Passengers returning from						Other parts of British India.	
	Straits Settlements.		Burmah.		Ceylon.			
	As per annual emigration report.	As per quarterly returns of passengers.	As per annual emigration report.	As per quarterly returns of passengers.	As per annual emigration report.	As per quarterly returns of passengers.	As per annual emigration report.	As per quarterly returns of passengers (headings, "ports within the Presidency" and "ports beyond the Presidency but within British India)."
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
Ganjám	..	..	5,701	5,701	..	..	* 1,714	1,714
Vizagapatam ..	..	..	9,236	9,236	10	10	2,209	2,209
Godávari ..	..	..	..	10,163	..	1	..	1,885
Kistna	..	..	..	310	..	..	..	708
Madras	..	475	..	5,268	..	298	..	3,925
South Arcot ..	163	165	..	..	..	87	..	7
Tanjore ..	18,071	16,848	12,103	12,111	5,256	5,256	376	543
Madura	..	..	..	..	52,585	29,869	..	29,444
Tinnevelly ..	..	..	..	..	49,015	49,914	..	2,037
South Canara ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	15,523
Malabar	..	..	..	2	..	77	..	2,761

* The Collector says that this figure probably includes the number of emigrants returned from Assam.

There is no discrepancy in the figures furnished by the Collectors of Ganjám and Vizagapatam. The difference between the figures in columns 2 and 3 against Tanjore seems to represent the number of immigrants (1,223) who landed at Karikal, which should also be included in future quarterly returns. The other differences between the two sets of figures should be explained by the Collectors concerned.

19. The annexed statement compares the number of emigrants and immigrants from Burmah, Straits Settlements and Ceylon for the last five years :—

Years.	Burmah.		Straits Settlements.		Ceylon.	
	Emigrants to.	Immigrants from.	Emigrants to.	Immigrants from.	Emigrants to.	Immigrants from.
1888	38,014	19,929	22,299	12,015	78,302	61,080
1889	34,303	21,638	19,800	13,992	93,219	67,023
1890	33,048	25,446	19,351	14,103	74,481	55,221
1891	43,717	28,260	30,524	26,114	74,643	103,456
1892	45,881	27,040	19,720	18,234	86,415	106,866
Average ..	38,993	24,463	22,339	16,892	81,412	78,729

20 The subjoined statement shows at one glance the total number of emigrants from, and immigrants to, the Madras Presidency during the past ten years :—

	Emigrants.	Immigrants.
1883–84	54,347	57,537
1884–85	55,427	57,548
1885 (nine months)	47,075	39,673
1886	83,337	71,542
1887	129,650	89,844
1888	143,045	97,318
1889	155,685	106,924
1890	135,473	98,386
1891	155,466	162,665
1892	165,755	157,514
Average ...	112,526	93,895

The average of the last ten years shows that about 83 per cent. of the number of emigrants returned to their homes, while 17 per cent. settled, either temporarily or permanently, in the various colonies to which they proceeded. The number of immigrants has exceeded the number of emigrants only in the years 1883–84, 1884–85 and 1891.

21. The statement appended below, giving the details of receipts and charges on account of emigration during the year under report, has been verified by the Account-ant-General, as directed in Government Order, dated 18th September 1886, No. 1946, Public :—

STATEMENT of Receipts and Charges on account of Emigration during the year 1892.

Districts.	Receipts.	Districts.	Expenditure.	
	Rs. A. P.	*Presidency.*	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Madras	7,338 0 0	Protector of Emigrants' allowance at Rs. 200 per month from 1st December 1891 to 30th November 1892, less annuity fund deductions	2,304 0 0	
		Medical Inspector of Emigrants' allowance at Rs. 150 per month from 1st December 1891 to 30th November 1892	1,800 0 0	
		Pay of clerks and servants from 1st December 1891 to 31st December 1892	1,755 0 0	
		Municipal assessment on sheds	54 14 4	
		Service postage and telegrams	11 8 0	
		Other contingencies	105 10 0	
			6,031 0 4	
		Add 25 per cent. on the third item on account of leave and pensionary allowances	438 12 0	
				6,469 12 4
		South Arcot.		
		Moiety of salary of the British Consular Agent at Karikal and Pondicherry including his pay of Military rank from 1st December 1891 to 30th November 1892	9,391 14 0	
		Moiety of pay of clerks and servants at Pondicherry from 1st December 1891 to 31st December 1892 ..	468 9 0	
		Moiety of office rent	150 0 0	
		Do. of service postage and telegrams	21 14 6	
		Do. of travelling allowance of officer and establishment	42 7 6	
		Moiety of other contingencies	61 10 11	
			10,136 7 11	
		Add 25 per cent. on the second item on account of leave and pensionary allowances	117 2 3	
				10,253 10 2
		Tanjore.		
		Pay of clerks and peons of the Protector of Emigrants, Negapatam, and of those under the Deputy Magistrate, Tanjore, from 1st December 1891 to 31st December 1892	449 11 4	
		Travelling allowance	1 8 0	
		Service postage	2 0 0	
		Contingencies	4 2 0	
			457 5 4	
		Add 25 per cent. on the first item on account of leave and pensionary allowances	112 6 10	
				569 12 2
		Moiety of pay of clerks and servants of the Consular Agent's office at Karikal from 1st December 1891 to October 1892	400 14 3	
		Moiety of service postage	10 0 0	
		Do. of office rent and contingencies	75 5 4	
			486 3 7	
		Add 25 per cent. on the first item on account of leave and pensionary allowances	100 3 7	
				586 7 2
		Maisur.		
		Fees for copying the agreements of emigrants ..	3 12 0	
				3 12 0
Total, Receipts ..	7,338 0 0	Total, Charges ..	..	17,883 5 10

ORDER—dated 7th ~~May~~ June 189 No. 445, Public.

The papers read above relate to the operations connected with emigration in the Madras Presidency during the year 1892, with the exception of that from the Ganjam district to Assam on which a separate report has already been received and reviewed.

G.O., dated 25th April 1890, pp. 330–331.

A.—REGULATED EMIGRATION.

I.—EMIGRATION UNDER ACT XXI OF 1883.

(a) *To British Colonies.*

2. The only two colonies which maintained agencies at Madras were those of Mauritius and Natal, ~~Mr. J. Conran continuing to be in charge of the former agency and Messrs. Parry and Co. in charge of the latter~~. The Government is glad to learn ~~from the reports of the Protector of Emigrants and the Medical Inspector~~, that the depôts were kept in good condition throughout the year and that their management was ~~on the whole~~ satisfactory. ~~There was a mild outbreak of measles in the Natal depôt at the end of July but this did not interfere much with the embarkation of emigrants.~~

3. *Mauritius.*—Owing to the absence of any demand for labour there was no emigration to Mauritius during the year under review, but 679 coolies * returned from that colony in three batches with savings amounting to Rs. 13,744. There were altogether 5 deaths among them.

* Men	..	424
Women	..	150
Children	..	105

The corresponding figures 1891 were—coolies 366, savings Rs. 4,644, and death 1.

Note. The usual statement showing the expenditure incurred by the two depôts on account of emigrants is omitted. The information required for the statement is not furnished in any of the returns prescribed for submission to Government but will be collected from the annual statement which will be called for from the Accountant General for communication to the India Office when the audited accounts of the year 1892-93 become available. As however they have now come in (vide Index file) the draft can be altered if ordered. It is submitted however that this heading may be omitted as the expenditure shown in these statements is for the official year while the report is for the Calendar year and the statement was first instituted to render only in 1890-vide G.O. 28th October 1890 No. 718.

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4. *Natal.*—Recruitment for Natal carried on actively throughout the year, although towards the end of July it was slightly disturbed by a mild outbreak of measles in the depôt. At the end of 1891 there were 658 emigrants awaiting embarkation and 4,550 were admitted during the year, making a total of 5,208. The number re-admitted from hospital was 131, bringing the total up to 5,339. Of these, 278 renounced their engagements or deserted, 1,755 were rejected, 20 died, 131 were in hospital, and 3,030 were shipped in seven instalments, leaving the small number of 125 for future shipment. As compared with the previous year, there was an increase of 849 in the number of admissions, which is the highest on record for the last six years, and of 1,848 in the number actually shipped, which was slightly exceeded only in 1890. ~~There was, however, an undesirable advance of 775 in the number of rejections and of 17 in that of deaths, which should have been explained.~~ Of the number that embarked, North Arcot supplied no less than 1,331, owing, it is stated, to the continued unfavorable character of the season and the prevalence of distress in that district. The ~~number from~~ Chingleput, South Arcot and Nellore was also considerable, being 941, 198 and 150, respectively. The period of detention of the coolies in the depôt showed ~~some~~ improvement.

Reports for

* Men 120
Women 47
Children 47

Two hundred and fourteen* emigrants returned from Natal with savings amounting to Rs. 35,000, against 380 with Rs. 62,232 in 1891, and there were no deaths among them.

5. The following statement compares the average savings of an adult returned emigrant in 1892 with those in 1891 :—

—	Mauri		Average.	Natal.		Average.
	Number of adults.	Total Savings.		Number of adults.	Total Savings.	
					Rs.	
1891	314	144	15	264	62,232	236
1892	574	244	24	167	35,000	209

(*b*) *To French Colonies.*

6. There was no emigration to French colonies during the year under review and only one colony—Réunion—repatriated emigrants numbering 182, the savings brought by them being Rs. 8,000. There were deaths on the return voyage. With reference to the concluding portion of paragraph 5 of the review of the operations † for 1891, it is observed that the French Government has recently promised to take steps for removing the difficulties hitherto placed in the way of emigrants wishing to return to India.

Impressed with the desirability of

† G.O., dated 11th June 1892, No. 392.

II.—EMIGRATION TO STRAITS SETTLEMENTS.

7. As in the previous year, indentured emigrants to the Straits Settlements proceeded only from Negapatam. The following statements, however, show the total number of emigrants, indentured and free, during the last three years :—

A.—Labourers registered under Form A (with minor dependents).

Ports of embarkation.	1890.		1891.		1892.	
	Adults.	Children.	Adults.	Children.	Adults.	Children.
Madras	7	2	..	..	..	..
Negapatam	2,913	919	3,590	244	1,748	185
Total ..	3,06		3,834		1,933	

B.—Fr assengers.

Ports of embarkation.	18		1891.		1892.	
	Adults.	dren.	Adults.	Children.	Adults.	Children.
Negapatam	14,108	,366	21,800	2,428	15,417	1,306
Karikal	279	22	1,240	48	428	24
Porto Novo	293	19	991	23	518	55
Pondicherry	8	..	22	..	2	..
Total ..	16,		26,552		17,750	

The large falling off as compared the previous year in the number of indentured emigrants is ascribed to decre demand in the colony for labourers and to the higher standard of physical fitne w required by the medical officer, while that in the emigrants of the other class i plained to be due to the enhancement of the passage fares. It is, however, obse hat the increase under the latter head in 1891 was abnormal. In addition to th nber shown in the foregoing table, 348 French subjects embarked at Pondiche d Karikal for the Straits Settlements. The number of immigrants from the Str s 18,234 against 26,114 in 1891.

III.—Emigr to Assam.

8. As observed in paragraph 1 abov eparate report on this subject has already been received and reviewed in G.O., d 25th April 1893, No. 330. According to this report, 6,449 emigrants were ered in Ganjám, of whom 3,369 were labourers.

B.—FREE GRATION.

9. Free emigration takes place chie Burmah and Ceylon, and owing to the fact that it is not regulated, it was, as in pr us years, found impossible to distinguish real emigrants from ordinary passengers ose territories. The returns therefore include all persons who actually embarke those countries, and the following is a comparative statement of them for the las ee years :—

To ah.

Districts.	1890.		1891.		1892.	
	Adults.	Ch	Adults.	Children.	Adults.	Children.
Ganjám	11,166		14,072	455	12,870	706
Vizagapatam	6,006		10,533	242	8,880	290
Tanjore	14,299		16,935	1,475	21,230	1,873
South Arcot (Pondicherry)	6		4	1	28	4
Total ..	33,048		43,717		45,881	

To n.

Districts.	1890.		1891.		1892.	
	Adults.	Ch	Adults.	Children.	Adults.	Children.
Madura	52,661		26,784	1,365	27,010	1,992
Tinnevelly	15,717		36,679	4,170	47,442	4,776
Tanjore (Karikal)	396		46	..	..	..
Do. (Negapatam)	..		1,886	..	927	63
Do. Minor Ports	..		..	..	4,011	194
Vizagapatam	..		4	..	..	..
Total ..	74,481		70,934		86,415	

The bulk of the emigrants to B… belonged as usual to Ganjám, Vizagapatam and Tanjore. There was a steady … ase in the number from Tanjore, which is ascribed by the Collector to the wi… extended fields for labour opened out by the recent annexation. This explanati… however, does not seem to be altogether accurate since the emigrants from Ga… n and Vizagapatam were fewer than in 1891 although they had the same inducem… as those from Tanjore and inland emigration to Assam affected only Ganjám.

Emigration to Ceylon was ch… confined to Madura and Tinnevelly. The number of emigrants from Madura… ained almost the same as in 1891, while that from Tinnevelly showed a further co… erable increase owing to the greater exertions of the Ceylon planters, the general d… pment of the tea industry in that colony, and the improved facilities provided ther… or the transport of coolies from the seaports.

Thirty-seven French subjects le… ondicherry and Karikal for Burmah.

The immigrants from Burmah a… eylon numbered 27,040 and 106,866, respectively, against 28,260 and 103,456 … 891

10. The number of emigrants to other parts of British India is returned as 8,7[illegible]9 * including those who left Ganjam for Assam, but from paragraph 14 of the first of the Board's Proceedings read above it would seem that this number is not altogether accurate.

* From Ganjám	7
„ Vizagapatam	0
„ Tanjore	2

The number of immigrants fro… her ports of India was 4,299 against 2,954 in 1891.

…NERAL.

11. The total number of Britis… bjects, including children, who left the Presidency for countries outside India … the year under review, was 155,009 against 146,554 in 1891 and 131,920 in 189… as shown below :—

Countries to which emigration occurred.	Re…	ed Emigration.		Non-regulated or free Emigration.		
	1890.	1891.	1892.	1890.	1891.	1892.
Mauritius	1,92…	335	..	..	..	..
Natal	3,30…	1,182	3,030	..	..	..
Straits Settlements	3,06…	3,834	1,933	16,095	26,552	17,750
Burmah	..	..	..	33,048	43,717	45,881
Ceylon	..	..	..	74,481	70,934	86,415
	8,29…	5,351	4,963	1,23,624	1,41,203	1,50,046
Total emigration for 1892, regulated and non-regulated	..	..	..	..	..	1,55,009

In addition to the above th… were 8,7[illegible]9 emigrants from the Presidency to Ganjam and other parts of India, a… st 7,151 in 1891.

12. The total number of imm… nts during the last three years was as shown below :—

	1890.	1891.	1892.
Mauritius	307	366	679
Natal	925	380	214
French Colonies	391	1,135	182
Straits Settlements	14,103	26,114	18,234
Burmah	25,446	28,260	27,040
Ceylon	55,221	103,456	106,866
Other parts of India	1,993	2,954	4,299
Total ..	98,386	162,665	157,514

Total		Inland Emigration.	
Receipts.	Charges.	Receipts.	Charges.
Rs. 13,125	Rs. 13,425	Rs. 9,404	Rs. 372

Financial.—The total receipts a ges on account of emigration in l ounted to Rs. 13,187 and R 2, respectively, but Rs. 5,849 of t er and Rs. 1,179 of the latter a ed to the inland emigration from (to Assam, the corresponding f r 1891 being as shown in the r The receipts and charges on account of emigration to countries outside In thus Rs. 7,338 and Rs. 17,883, exceeding the previous year's figures by Rs. d Rs. 4,830, respectively. The increase in the receipts is apparently due to r recruitment for Natal referred to in paragraph 4 above. That in the cha pears chiefly in the salary of the British Consular Agent at Pondicherry and K

No fees were levied from the emigrants dras to the French colonies, but charges to the extent of Rs. 10,840, repre a moiety of the salaries of the Consular Agent and his establishments, ha incurred on their account. The fees levied on emigrants to British colonies e the charges by Rs. 295, the loss on account of emigration being thus reduced 0,545 as compared with Rs. 9,332 in 1891.

14. The attention of the officers concern gain be drawn to the discrepancies and omissions pointed out by the Board of e in its Proceedings read above. It is hoped that these will be guarded again ure.

(True Ex

J. F. PRICE,
Chief Secretary.

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The receipts of the year, excluding those in Ganjám and Vizagapatam under Act V of 1866, amounted to Rs. 7,338 or nearly twice as much as the amount realized in 1891, viz., Rs. 3,721. The charges amounted to Rs. 17,883 against Rs. 13,053 in the previous year, showing an increase of Rs. 4,830 or 37 per cent. The charges exclude a moiety of the salaries of the British Consular Agent at Pondicherry and Karikal and of his establishments, which has been debited to "Political" under the orders of Government.

(A true Extract.)

(Signed) W. O. HORNE,
Acting Secretary.

(True Copy.)

(Signed) EDMUND MILLETT,
Assistant Secretary.

To the Chief Secretary to Government, Public Department.
„ all Collectors.
„ the Protector of Emigrants, Madras.

Proceedings of the Board of Revenue (Separate Revenue), dated 10th May 1893, Mis. No. 1675.

Resolution—dated 10th May 1893, Mis. No. 1675.

In continuation of paragraph 5 of Board's Proceedings, No. 169, dated 24th April 1893, the Board begs to state that the increase in the number of emigrants registered for Natal in the North Arcot district during 1892, as compared with the previous year, is explained by the Collector to be due to the continued unfavorable character of the season and the prevalence of distress.

(True Extract.)

(Signed) EDMUND MILLETT,
Assistant Secretary.

To the Chief Secretary to Government, Public Department.

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GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.

PUBLIC DEPARTMENT.

READ—the following papers: —

From W. P. AUSTIN, Esq., Protector of Emigrants, Madras, to the Chief Secretary to Government, dated Madras, 18th March 1893, No. 122.

I have the honour to submit my administration report on the emigration operations at this port for 1892 and to enclose the usual statements and copy of the Medical Inspector's report.

2. There was no change in the administrative staff of both the agencies in the year under consideration.

3. There was absolutely no requisition for coolies for the Mauritius during the year and consequently no shipment for that colony.

4. The Natal emigration operations of the year were, on the whole, satisfactory. From the commencement of the year down to the end of July business went on quite as briskly as was desirable. It was then slightly disturbed by an outbreak of measles in the depôt, which, however, did not, I am glad to say, interfere much with embarkation. The disease was pronounced to be of a very mild form, and as there was cholera raging in the vicinity of the depôt, it was decided, in consultation with the Medical Inspector of Emigrants and the Surgeon-Superintendent of the *Umzinto*, Dr. Seaton, to embark the coolies in the depôt at once.

5. There was not a complaint of any kind made to me by the coolies, who, on the contrary, always expressed themselves fully satisfied with the treatment they had received at the depôt. Their food was invariably good, both in quality and quantity, and the depôt premises were always well kept.

6. Out of 3,030 coolies kept in the depôt from time to time, the number detained over 3 months was only 137, mostly due to the wreck of the *Umtata* in December of the previous year. The coolies who were to have gone by her had to wait till another ship was ready to take them, which was not till the 25th January next, thus involving a delay of one month.

7. Ninety-seven recruiters' licenses were granted during the year for the Natal agency.

	Natal.
Men	1,716
Women	730
Children	584
Total ..	3,030

8. Seven shipments were made for Natal during the year, the percentage of women to men being 42·5.

The number of men, women and children despatched is noted on the margin.

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9. Two ships returned from Natal with 214 coolies, viz., the *Congella* and the *Pongola*. The savings of the coolies amounted to Rs. 35,000. Three ships returned from the Mauritius with 679 coolies, viz., the S.S. *Fultala*, *Lalpoora* and the *Wardha*. There were two deaths on board the *Lalpoora*, one from dysentery and the other from erysipelas.

There were three deaths on board the *Wardha*, one from dysentery and the other two from heart disease. The coolies brought savings amounting to Rs. 13,744.

10. The fees collected on emigrants embarked aggregated Rs. 7,338.

The disbursements in Madras were Rs. 6,031–0–4 and in the mofussil Rs. 457–5–4.

11. There was no emigration to French colonies.

12. The service registers of the office have been verified to date.

Enclosures.

Copy of letter from the Medical Inspector of Emigrants, to the Protector of Emigrants, Madras, dated 11th March 1893.

As laid down in Rule 5 of the Emigration Rules under Act XXI of 1883, I have the honour to submit my annual report on the emigration depôts during 1892.

2. My report must necessarily be a short one, for emigration to Mauritius was at a standstill during the year and Natal operations went on without any hitch. I am very pleased to note that, unlike in some of the past years, there was nothing to disturb the usual run of business, except that measles broke out in the depôt about the end of July which, however, did not much interfere with embarkation. The disease was of a very mild type and there was cholera raging in the vicinity of the depôt. The *Umzimto* was ready here to take coolies. It was therefore decided by us, in consultation with Dr. Seaton, the Surgeon-Superintendent, to send away the coolies with measles rather than subject them to the risk of cholera.

3. My weekly depôt inspections, I am glad to say, were not marked by any complaint whatever from the coolies in regard to the rice, condiments, &c. The provisions were invariably good and the medicines supplied equally so. Cooking-sheds, hospital-sheds, latrines, &c., were always kept in a satisfactory condition. The rule of getting a cooly vaccinated on admission was strictly adhered to, and no cooly therefore embarked who had not either had small-pox or been vaccinated.

4. Seven steamers left for Natal with 3,030 coolies and two returned with 214 coolies.

5. Three steamers returned from Mauritius with 679 coolies.

6. Those that proceeded to the colony were examined by me in the presence of the respective Surgeon-Superintendents and the Protector in regard to their health and fitness to undertake the voyage, and the usual inspection of the returning people was also regularly made.

NATAL.

No. 1.—Statement showing the number of Emigrants admitted into the Depôt from 1st January to 31st December 1892 and how they were disposed of.

Month.	Number admitted into the depôt.			Number re-admitted from hospital.			Number of emigrants who remained after engagements or deserted the depôt.			Rejected									Number of emigrants died.			Number in hospital.			Number detained for future shipment.			Number emigrated.		
										By Medical Officer.			By Protector.			By Emigration Agent.														
	Male.	Female.	Total.	Male.	Female.	Total.	Male.	Female.	Total.	Male.	Female.	Total.	Male.	Female.	Total.	Male.	Female.	Total.	Male.	Female.	Total.	Male.	Female.	Total.	Male.	Female.	Total.	Male.	Female.	Total.
Balance on 31st Dec. 1891 ..	413	245	658	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
January ..	135	53	188	5	9	14	24	3	27	72	37	109	..	..	..	9	4	13	..	..	..	3	10	13	..	..	..	367	203	570
February ..	503	254	757	2	6	8	12	1	13	102	52	154	..	..	..	1	5	6	..	..	..	3	6	9	..	..	..	360	182	542
March	107	62	169	3	6	9	19	3	22	93	47	140	2	1	3	12	3	15	..	..	..	3	8	11	..	..	..	..	..	..
April	275	124	399	1	6	7	15	2	17	27	9	36	..	..	..	2	1	3	..	..	..	2	3	5	..	..	..	..	..	..
May	130	72	202	4	5	9	13	1	14	86	52	132	..	..	..	23	39	62	2	1	3	2	6	8	..	..	..	267	116	383
June	535	275	810	1	..	1	35	12	47	132	47	179	..	..	..	9	4	13	..	..	..	1	7	8	..	..	..	247	146	393
July	438	201	639	2	4	6	44	5	49	152	66	218	..	..	..	48	32	80	1	1	2	11	1	12	..	..	..	332	175	507
August	430	191	621	10	9	19	27	6	33	137	48	185	2	3	5	9	3	12	4	3	7	23	16	39	..	..	..	..	..	..
September ..	105	24	129	17	13	30	10	4	14	46	14	60	1	..	1	5	1	6	3	6	9	6	11	17	..	..	..	247	108	355
October	214	83	297	10	14	24	13	3	16	92	32	124	..	..	..	9	5	14	..	..	..	2	1	3	..	..	..	192	88	280
November	108	43	151	2	1	3	11	4	15	86	46	132	..	..	..	9	5	14	..	..	..	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..
December	154	34	188	1	..	1	11	..	11	19	2	21	..	..	..	25	6	31	..	..	..	1	..	1	99	26	125	..	..	..
Total ..	3,547	1,661	5,208	58	73	131	234	44	278	1,038	452	1,490	5	4	9	152	104	256	8	12	20	67	74	131	99	26	125	2,012	1,018	3,030

No. 2.—Statement showing the period of detention of Emigrants in Depot from 1st January to 31st December 1892.

Number detained one month and under.	Number detained between one and two months.	Number detained between two and three months.	Number detained between three and four months.	Number detained more than four months.	Total.
1	2	3	4	5	6
1,095	1,420	378	128	9	3,030

Remarks.—With regard to the detentions in depôt beyond the period of three months, as shown in columns 4 and 5, it is submitted :—

(1) That the *Umtata* which was to have taken coolies from here about the end of last year was wrecked, and a fresh steamer had to be chartered, which left here on the 25th January, thus involving a delay of one month.

(2) That owing to the prevalence of ophthalmia, measles and fever, several coolies had to be kept in the quarantine depôt until recovery and were then re-admitted into the main depôt.

No. 3.—Statement showing the number of Emigrants in Hospital from 1st January to 31st December 1892.

Month.	Number of emigrants in the depôt hospital.	Number of emigrants in outside hospital.	Number of deaths in the outside hospital.	Number of deaths in the depôt.	Remarks.
January	34	13	..	..	
February	33	6	..	..	
March	45	11	..	..	
April	22	3	..	..	
May	31	5	(*a*) 2	..	(*a*) One pneumonia, one fever.
June	41	8	..	..	
July	47	13	..	..	
August	68	12	(*b*) 2	..	(*b*) One diarrhœa, one measles.
September	82	32	(*c*) 6	(*d*) 1	(*c*) Three diarrhœa, one dysentery, two measles. (*d*) general debility.
October	32	17	(*e*) 8	(*f*) 1	(*e*) Six measles, two fever. (*f*) Dysentery.
November	16	3	..	..	
December	21	1	..	..	

No. 4.—Statement showing the number of Indians embarked from Madras from 1st January to 31st December 1892.

Month and date.	Name of vessels.	Destination.	Number of heads.				
			Men.	Women.	Children.	Total souls.	Total adults.
25th January	"Chupra"	Natal	295	150	125	570	479
26th March	"Huzara"		302	120	120	542	458
4th June	"Congella"		219	83	81	383	329
8th July	"Pongola"		202	97	94	393	327
11th August	"Umzinto"		296	123	88	507	446½
10th October	"Pongola"		226	89	40	355	327
14th November	"Umzinto"		176	68	36	280	252½
		Total	1,716	730	584	3,030	2,619

Number of emigrants embarked—

Previous year	1,182
Year under report	3,030

No. 5.—Statement showing the number of Emigrants registered in each District and admitted into the Depôt and the number actually embarked out of them.

Districts.	Number admitted.			Coolies not brought to the depôt.			Number registered.			Total souls.	Total adults.
	Men.	Women.	Children.	Men.	Women.	Children.	Men.	Women.	Children.		
Balance on 31st December 1891.											
Madras	177	117	121	..	..	..	..	..	..	322	259½
Chingleput	40	17	14	..	..	..	..	..	..	63	46½
North Arcot	73	22	16	..	..	..	..	..	..	66	62
South Arcot	7	3	3	..	..	..	..	..	..	13	10½
Coimbatore	4	3	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	5	5
Tanjore	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	1
Madura	7	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	7	7
Bangalore	5	2	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	4	3½
Nellore	10	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	8	8
Godávari	8	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Salem	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	2
	334	167	157	..	..	..	..	..	..	481	405
Total											
1892.											
Madras	1,554	598	497	66	29	29	1,620	627	526	1,541	1,325½
Chingleput	109	40	87	10	1	8	119	41	45	100	85½
North Arcot	701	264	249	141	34	55	842	298	304	612	522
South Arcot	18	2	1	3	..	..	21	2	1	12	12
Coimbatore	13	4	3	..	..	..	13	4	3	16	15
Tanjore	18	10	4	8	1	..	26	11	4	18	16½
Madura	127	25	4	16	1	..	143	26	4	85	84½
Bangalore	15	3	1	2	..	..	17	3	1	10	9½
Nellore	44	26	22	39	20	1	83	46	23	55	46
Godávari	*92	15	7	..	..	..	92	15	7	92	87½
Vizagapatam	† 5	2	1	3	..	..	8	2	1	6	5
Ganjam	9	3	2	..	..	..	9	3	2	2	2
	3,039	1,159	985	288	86	93	2,993	1,078	921	3,030	2,619
Total											
Grand											

* This excludes 14 men and 3 women who were registered at the end of December 1891 and were admitted in January 1892.
† This excludes 5 men, 1 woman and 2 children who were registered at the end of December 1891 and were admitted in January 1892.

No. 6.—Statement showing the number of Indian Emigrants returned from Natal to Madras from 1st January to 31st December 1892.

Date of arrival.	By what steamer arrived.	From where.	Number returned. Men.	Women.	Children.	Total.	Number of emigrants that died during the voyage.	Savings.	Remarks.
14th May ..	"Congella" ..	Natal ..	60	26	25	111	..	Rs. 10,000	*Number returned.*
16th September.	"Pongola" ..	Do. ..	60	21	22	103	..	25,000	Previous year .. 389
		Total ..	120	47	47	214	..	35,000	Year under report .. 214

No. 7.—Statement showing the Districts of Emigrants embarked.

Names of districts.	Men.	Women.	Children.	Total.
Madras	15	7	1	23
Chingleput	491	245	205	941
North Arcot	718	333	280	1,331
Salem	46	11	5	62
Bangalore	10	4	1	15
Mysore	5	..	..	5
Coimbatore	22	3	1	26
Malabar	1	..	..	1
Travancore	1	..	..	1
South Arcot	130	35	33	198
Pondicherry	11	1	..	12
Tanjore	6	7	..	13
Trichinopoly	10	5	4	19
Madura	58	14	2	74
Tinnevelly	10	1	..	11
Cuddapah	22	2	2	26
Bellary	1	1	..	2
Anantapur	1	..	..	1
Hyderabad	2	3	2	7
Nellore	78	34	38	150
Godávari	33	3	..	36
Kistna	3	1	..	4
Vizagapatam	38	17	8	63
Ganjam	2	..	..	2
Pudukóta Territory	1	1	1	3
Dharwar	1	1	1	3
Nagpur	..	1	..	1
Total ..	1,716	730	584	3,030

No. 8.—Statement showing the number of Emigrants despatched to and returned from Natal with the total amount of expenditure from 1st January to 31st December 1892.

Name of Agency.	Number of emigrants despatched. Souls.	Adults.	Number of emigrants returned. Souls.	Adults.	Expenditure on account of emigrants despatched.	Expenditure on account of emigrants returned.	Grand Total.	Rate of exchange.	Sterling money.
Natal ..	3,030	2,619	214	187	Rs. A. P. 1,38,653 13 2	Rs. A. P. 643 8 5	Rs. A. P. 1,39,297 5 7	*	£ s. d. 10,000 16 11¼

* 1st January to 31st March 1892 .. .. Rs. 38,270 6 7 at 1 6½ = £ 2,950 0 2½
1st April to 31st December 1892 .. .. 1,01,026 15 0 at 1 4¾ = 7,050 16 9½
Total .. 1,39,297 5 7 10,000 16 11¼

MMAURITIUS.

No. 1.—Statement showing the number of Emigrants admitted in the Depót during the year 1892 and how they were disposed of.—*Nil.*

No. 2.—Statement showing the period of detention of Emigrants in Depót during 1892.—*Nil.*

No. 3.—Statement showing the number of Emigrants in Hospital during 1892.—*Nil.*

No. 4.—Statement showing the number of Indian Emigrants embarked from Madras in the year 1892.—*Nil.*

No. 5.—Statement showing the number of Emigrants registered in each District and the number actually embarked out of those registered.—*Nil.*

No. 6.—Statement showing Districts of Emigrants embarked in 1892.—*Nil.*

No. 7.—Statement showing the number of Indian Emigrants returned to Madras in the year 1892.

Date of arrival.	By what vessel arrived.	From where.	Number returned. Men.	Women.	Children.	Total.	Number of emigrants died during the voyage.	Amount of savings.	Remarks.
29th Feb. 1892.	S.S. "Fultala."	Mauritius.	147	48	33	228	..	Rs. 5,839	*Number returned.* *No. died.*
18th June ,,	S.S. "Lalpoora"		110	31	27	168	2	1,895	Previous year 366 .. 1
10th Sept. ,,	S.S. "Wardha."		167	71	45	283	3	6,010	Year under report 679 .. 5
									Previous year savings. Rs. 4,644
									Year under report savings .. .. ,, 13,744
		Total ..	424	150	105	679	5	13,744	

No. 8.—Statement of Advances paid to Emigrants at Madras in the year 1892.—*Nil.*

No. 9.—*Colonial Emigration Form No.* 19.—Form of Report of delayed despatches of Emigrants.—Return showing cause of lengthy detention of Emigrants in the Depot of the Mauritius Emigration Agency during the year 1892.—*Nil.*

No. 10.—Statement of Emigration Receipts during the year 1892 in the office of the Protector of Emigrants, Madras.

Months.	Number of emigrants registered. Men.	Women.	Children.	Amount of embarkation fees collected.	Amount of license fees collected.	Total receipts.
				Rs.		Rs.
January 1892	92	39	41	..	..	..
February ,, ...	237	118	97	1,335	..	1,335
March ,, ...	73	24	22	..	..	..
April ,, ...	152	48	54	1,266	..	1,266
May ,, ...	58	18	12	..	..	..
June ,, ...	302	130	120	906	..	906
July ,, ...	203	85	83	897	..	897
August ,, ...	188	72	57	1,257	..	1,257
September ,, ...	75	18	12	..	..	..
October ,, ...	110	38	17	945	..	945
November ,, ...	43	16	4	732	..	732
December ,, ...	87	21	7	..	..	..
Total ..	1,620	627	526	7,338	..	7,338

No. 11.—Statement of Emigration Charges during the year 1892 in the office of the Protector of Emigrants, Madras.

Establishment.	Cost.	Contingencies.	Refunds.	Total.	Remarks.
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	
Protector's allowance at Rs. 200 per mensem less fund deduction.	2,304 0 0	..	..	2,304 0 0	
Medical Inspector's allowance at Rs. 150 per mensem.	1,800 0 0	..	..	1,800 0 0	
Head Clerk	1,040 0 0	..	..	1,040 0 0	Mofussil disbursement amounted to Rs. 457-5-4.
Second Clerk	390 0 0	..	..	390 0 0	
Attender	130 0 0	..	..	130 0 0	
Two Peons	195 0 0	..	..	195 0 0	
Assessment	54 14 4	..	..	54 14 4	
Contingencies	..	117 2 0	..	117 2 0	
Total ..	5,913 14 4	117 2 0	..	6,031 0 4	

From Lieut.-General H. McLEOD, R.A., Her Britannic Majesty's Consular Agent, Pondicherry and Karikal, to the Chief Secretary to Government, dated Pondicherry, 25th March 1893, No. 170.

I have the honour to submit my report on emigration and free passenger traffic at Pondicherry and Karikal for the calender year 1892.

2. (*I*) *French Colonies.*—There was no emigration to French colonies, consequently Statements 1 to 10 are blank. From Statement No. 11 it will be seen that only one colony, viz., Réunion, bringing with them Rs. 8,000, declared savings, giving for 148 adults an average of Rs. 54-0-10 per head. In 1891, 235 adults who returned from the same colony averaged Rs. 34-6-9.

3. There was no death during the voyage. 38 per cent. of the emigrants landed were over the age of 50. The general appearance of the emigrants was on the whole not bad.

4. (*II*) *Straits Settlements.*—Seven hundred and thirty-seven passengers embarked from Karikal for the Straits against 2,131 in 1891. The decrease is owing to the competition between the Steamer Companies having ceased from the beginning of the year under review. Further, passengers, as a rule, prefer to embark at Negapatam, for the reason that Negapatam is the last port of call for steamers for the Straits. One thousand two hundred and twenty-three persons returned to Karikal from the Straits during 1892 against 1,997 in 1891. The reduced rate of passage-money allowed last year was not extended to the year under review consequent on the cessation of competition between the Steamer Companies. Sixty-five passengers embarked at Pondicherry for the Straits, of these only two were British subjects.

5. (*III*) *Burma, Mauritius, Ceylon.*—The embarkations from Pondicherry for Burma were 62 against 28 in 1891. Thirty-eight left Karikal for Burma in 1892 against 30 in the previous year. None returned from Burma to either port. No passengers embarked from Pondicherry for the Mauritius in 1892. In 1891 only 5 French subjects left Pondicherry for the Mauritius. There was no passenger traffic during the year between Karikal and Ceylon. The Consular clerk at Karikal states that the passengers from Ceylon landed at Negapatam, at which port the steamers arrived first.

6. *Receipts and Charges.*—There were no receipts during the year. The total expenditure at Pondicherry and Karikal was Rs. 21,245-7-0, of which Rs. 10,622-11-6 being debited to Political, leaves Rs. 10,622-11-6 as the emigration charges for the year. The total expenditure for 1891 was Rs. 13,509-11-3.

7. *Establishments.*—S. Kuppuswami Aiyar was made chief clerk on the death of T. Appasami Aiyar in October 1892 and posted to Pondicherry—*vide* G.O., Financial, dated 9th December 1892, No. 1338; and one P. Ganapati Aiyar, late clerk in the Revenue Department, was entertained as Consular clerk at Karikal. S. Kuppuswami Aiyar was placed in charge of the office on three occasions during the absence of the

Consular Agent on casual leave. Chief Clerk S. Kuppuswami Aiyar was, as usual, most efficient at Pondicherry, and Clerk P. Ganapati Aiyar has managed the Karikal office satisfactorily ever since his appointment in the Consulate. I visited Karikal in December 1892 and found the office records and everything in complete order.

8. The service registers of the establishments are properly kept up to date.

ENCLOSURES.

Nos. 1 and 2.—Statements showing the number of emigrants admitted into the Pondicherry and Karikal Depôts from January to 31st December 1892, and how they were disposed of —*Nil.*

No. 3.—Statement showing the period of detention of the emigrants in the Pondicherry and Karikal Depôts during the year 1892—*Nil.*

No. 4.—Statement showing the number of emigrants in Pondicherry and Karikal Hospitals from January to December 1892—*Nil.*

No. 5.—Statement showing the number of Indian emigrants embarked from Pondicherry and Karikal in 1892—*Nil.*

No. 6.—Statement of advances paid to emigrants at Pondicherry and Karikal in the year 1892—*Nil.*

Nos. 7 and 8.—Statements showing districts of emigrants embarked at Pondicherry and Karikal during the year 1892—*Nil.*

Nos. 9 and 10.—Statements showing the number of emigrants registered in each district and the number actually embarked at Pondicherry and Karikal—*Nil.*

No. 11.—Statement showing the number of Indian Emigrants returned to Pondicherry in the year 1892.

Date of arrival.	By what ship arrived.	From where.	Number embarked.				Number of emigrants died during the voyage.	Number of children born during the voyage.	Total number landed at Pondicherry.	Amount of savings.	Remarks.		
			Men.	Women.	Children.	Total.					Previous year.		
											Number returned.	Number died.	Savings.
										Rs.			Rs. A. P.
7th July 1892.	S.S. "Madagascar."	La Réunion.	115	33	34	182	..	..	182	8,000	*1,135	14	28,835 10 9

* From 3 colonies.

No. 12.—Statement showing the number of Indian Emigrants returned to Karikal in the year 1892—*Nil.*

No. 13.—Statement of Emigration Receipts at Pondicherry during the year 1892—*Nil.*

No. 14.—Statement of Emigration Charges at Pondicherry during the year 1892.

Establishment. Details.	Establishment. Cost.	Contingencies.		Refunds.	Total charges.	Remarks.
	Rs. A. P.		Rs. A. P.		Rs. A. P.	*Previous year.*
1 British Consular Agent.	(a)18,846 8 0	Office rent ..	300 0 0	..	..	Rs. A. P.
1 Clerk	(b) 585 9 9	Service postage and telegrams.	43 13 0	..	..	Establishment.. 11,841 12 5
4 Peons ..	(c) 361 11 1	Hot weather charges ..	85 10 3	..	..	Contingencies.. 433 9 10
1 Sweeper ..	12 0 0	Ordinary office contingencies.	37 11 9	..	..	Refunds .. ..
						Total .. 12,275 6 3
Total ..	19,805 12 10	Total ..	467 3 0	..	(d)20,272 15 10	

Rs. A. P.

(a) Includes travelling allowance 62 12 0
(b) do. do. do. 17 14 0
(c) do do. do. 4 5 0
(d) Half of this amount, *i.e.*, rs. 10,136 7 11 debited to Political and the other half to emigration.

No. 15.—Statement of Emigration Charges at Karikal during the year 1892.

Establishment. Details.	Establishment. Cost.	Contingencies.		Refunds.	Total expenditure.	Remarks.
	Rs. A. P.		Rs. A. P.		Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
1 Chief Clerk ..	636 12 5	Office rent ..	120 0 0	..	..	486 3 7 were debited to emigration.
2 Peons ..	154 0 0	Service labels ..	20 0 0	..	..	486 3 7 were debited to Political.
1 Sweeper ..	11 0 0	Hot weather charges. ..	29 14 9	..	..	972 7 2 Total.
		Other expenses.	0 12 0	..	..	
Total ..	801 12 5	Total ..	170 10 9	..	972 7 2	

Previous year Rs. 1,234–5–0. Last year charge allowance was drawn by the chief clerk in addition to his salary. Hence the decrease this year.

No. 16.—Statement showing the number of coolies under advances and passengers who embarked at Karikal for the Straits Settlements during the year 1892.

Dates.	Names of vessels.	British subjects.						French subjects.			Grand Total.			Remarks.		
		Coolies under advances.			B. Form passengers.			Other passengers.								
		Men.	Women.	Children.	Men.	Women.	Children.	Men.	Women.	Children.	Men.	Women.	Children.	Previous year.	Present year.	Increase. / Decrease.
		3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21
7th January 1892	S.S. "Pandya"	..	..	..	..	..	..	61	1	1	5	1	..	56	2	1				
18th "	" "Purnea"	..	..	..	..	..	..	10	1	..	16	..	..	26	1	2				
5th February	" "Pundwa"	..	..	..	..	..	..	11	2	2	1	3	..	12	2	3				
16th "	" "Purnea"	..	..	..	..	..	..	6	..	..	9	..	..	15	..	..				
29th "	" "Secundra"	..	..	..	..	..	..	5	2	1	4	..	..	9	2	2				
14th March	" "Sirsa"	..	..	..	..	..	..	12	4	2	1	..	..	13	2	1				
28th "	" "Secundra"	..	..	..	..	..	..	7	2	2	..	..	..	7	1	2				
4th April	" "Chupra"	..	..	..	..	..	..	17	8	4	81	7	2	98	15	4				
25th "	" "Secundra"	..	..	..	..	..	..	8	4	2	7	1	..	15	2	2				
9th May	" "Sirsa"	..	..	..	..	..	..	16	4	2	10	2	..	26	4	4				
23rd "	" "Secundra"	..	..	..	..	..	..	36	4	1	4	2	..	40	6	1				
5th June	" "Sirsa"	..	..	..	..	..	..	61	3	2	19	1	..	80	4	..				
18th "	" "Secundra"	..	..	..	..	..	..	10	5	1	14	2	..	24	9	1				
3rd July	" "Sirsa"	..	..	..	..	..	..	11	..	..	15	..	..	26	2	..				
16th "	" "Secundra"	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..				
31st "	" "Sirsa"	..	..	..	..	..	..	11	3	..	9	2	3	10	6	4				
14th August	" "Secundra"	..	..	..	..	..	..	23	3	1	9	..	..	20	3	1				
28th "	" "Sirsa"	..	..	..	..	..	..	39	1	..	6	..	..	29	3	1				
11th September	" "Secundra"	..	..	..	..	..	..	24	4	1	7	2	2	31	4	3				
27th "	" "Sirsa"	..	..	..	..	..	..	7	1	..	4	1	..	11	1	2				
9th October	" "Secundra"	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	..	..	8	..	..	10	1	3				
22nd "	" "Sirsa"	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..				
6th November	" "Secundra"	..	..	..	..	..	..	3	..	1	2	1	..	3	1	1				
21st "	" "Sirsa"	..	..	..	..	..	..	18	1	1	6	..	..	24	1	3				
5th December	" "Secundra"	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..				
19th "	" "Sirsa"	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..				
	Total	..	..	..	..	..	..	389	39	24	235	27	23	624	66	47	2,131	737	..	1,394

No. 17.—Statement showing number of passengers who returned to Karikal from the Straits Settlements during the year 1892.

Date.	Names of Ships.	Number of passengers landed.				Remarks.			
		Men.	Women.	Children.	Total.	Previous year.	Present year.	Increase.	Decrease.
2nd Jan. 1892	S.S. "Pundwa"	35	3	2	40				
13th ,, ,,	,, "Purnea"	97	6	4	107				
12th Feb. ,,	,, "Do."	61	5	4	70				
27th ,, ,,	,, "Pundwa"	15	2	1	18	1,997	1,223	..	774
6th March ,,	,, "Sirsa"	33	4	..	37				
10th ,, ,,	,, "Do."	21	3	..	24				
24th ,, ,,	,, "Secundra"	46	7	8	61				
21st April ,,	,, "Do."	19	2	..	21				
5th May ,,	,, "Sirsa"	82	6	9	97				
19th ,, ,,	,, "Secundra"	56	5	9	70				
1st June ,,	,, "Sirsa"	53	6	..	59				
14th ,, ,,	,, "Secundra"	47	6	2	55				
29th ,, ,,	,, "Sirsa"	55	2	5	62				
12th July ,,	,, "Secundra"	28	3	1	32				
9th Aug. ,,	,, "Do."	41	6	5	52				
24th ,, ,,	,, "Sirsa"	40	3	4	47				
27th ,, ,,	,, "Do."	30	2	1	33				
6th Sept. ,,	,, "Secundra"	31	6	29	66				
22nd ,, ,,	,, "Sirsa"	37	5	5	47				
4th Oct. ,,	,, "Secundra"	30	3	6	39				
18th ,, ,,	,, "Sirsa"	25	4	1	30				
3rd Nov. ,,	,, "Secundra"	20	..	2	22				
16th ,, ,,	,, "Sirsa"	20	4	2	26				
30th ,, ,,	,, "Secundra"	38	5	1	44				
14th Dec. ,,	,, "Sirsa"	34	4	7	45				
28th ,, ,,	,, "Secundra"	16	1	2	19				
	Total ..	1,010	103	110	1,223				

No. 18.—Statement showing the number of passengers who embarked from the port of Karikal for British Burma during the year 1892.

Date.	Names of Ships.	Number of passengere embarked for Moulmein.								Remarks.			
		British subjects.				French subjects.							
		Men.	Women.	Children.	Total.	Men.	Women.	Children.	Total.	Previous year.	Present year.	Increase.	Decrease.
15th Sept. 1892	Barque Sri Venugopalaswamy.	12	1	1	14	..	..	..	..				
16th ,, ,,	Do. ..	15	1	1	17	6	..	1	7				
	Total ..	27	2	2	31	6	..	1	7	30	38	8	..

No. 19.—Statement showing the number of passengers returned from British Burma to Karikal during the year 1892.

Date.	Names of vessels.	Number of passengers returned from British Burma.				Remarks.			
		Men.	Women.	Children.	Total.	Previous year.	Present year.	Increase.	Decrease.
....	....	..	..	..	..				
	Total ..	..	..	..	..	28	*Nil.*	..	28

No. 20.—Statement showing the number of passengers embarked at Karikal for Ceylon during the year 1892.

Date.	Names of vessels.	Passengers embarked.								Remarks.			
		British subjects.				French subjects.							
		Men.	Women.	Children.	Total.	Men.	Women.	Children.	Total.	Previous year.	Present year.	Increase.	Decrease.
..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	46	..	..	46

No. 21.—Statement showing the number of passengers landed at Karikal from Ceylon during the year 1892.—*Nil.*

No. 22.—Abstract statement showing the number of passengers who went to British Burma, Straits Settlements and Mauritius during the year 1892.

Ports from which embarked.	Number of passengers embarked for Burma.							Number of passengers embarked for Straits Settlements.							Number of passengers embarked for Mauritius.						
	British subjects.			French subjects.			Total.	British subjects.			French subjects.			Total.	British subjects.			French subjects.			
	Men.	Women.	Children.	Men.	Women.	Children.		Men.	Women.	Children.	Men.	Women.	Children.		Men.	Women.	Children.	Men.	Women.	Children.	Total.
Pondicherry.	26	2	4	23	4	3	62	2	..	..	47	13	3	65	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Karikal ..	27	2	2	6	..	1	38	389	39	24	235	27	23	737	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Total ..	53	4	6	29	4	4	100	391	39	24	282	40	26	802	..	..	..	..	..	..	..

No. 23.—Abstract statement showing the number of passengers returned from Burma, Straits Settlements and Ceylon during the year 1892.

Ports to which returned.	Passengers returned from Burma.				Passengers returned from Straits Settlements.				Passengers returned from Ceylon.			
	Men.	Women.	Children.	Total.	Men.	Women.	Children.	Total.	Men.	Women.	Children.	Total.
Pondicherry	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Karikal	..	..	..	..	1,010	103	110	1,223	..	..	..	..
Total ..	..	..	..	..	1,010	103	110	1,223	..	..	..	..

No. 24.—Statement showing the names of British steamers that arrived at Pondicherry during the year 1892.

	Names.	Number of arrivals.		Names.	Number of arrivals.
1.	S.S. "Putiala"	21	30.	S.S. "Pentakota"	1
2.	,, "Pundwa"	3	31.	,, "Metapedia"	1
3.	,, "Culna"	5	32.	,, "Bhundara"	1
4.	,, "Khandalla"	7	33.	,, "Peveril"	1
5.	,, "Nawab"	9	34.	,, "Congo"	1
6.	,, "Palitana"	18	35.	,, "Abana"	1
7.	,, "Huzara"	3	36.	,, "Bancoora"	1
8.	,, "Purnea"	2	37.	,, "Asloun"	1
9.	,, "Tannadice"	2	38.	,, "Erato"	1
10.	,, "Oriental"	2	39.	,, "Loch Maree"	1
11.	,, "Kangra"	4	40.	,, "Orono"	1
12.	,, "Nadir"	10	41.	,, "Nowshera"	1
13.	,, "Katoria"	6	42.	,, "Chanda"	2
14.	,, "Rajpootana"	6	43.	,, "Patna"	2
15.	,, "Baghdad"	9	44.	,, "Calliope"	1
16.	,, "Goalpara"	5	45.	,, "Blackheath"	1
17.	,, "Kohinur"	2	46.	,, "Mortlake"	1
18.	,, "Chindwara"	2	47.	,, "Altonower"	1
19.	,, "Secundra"	11	48.	,, "Umballa"	1
20.	,, "Ellora"	6	49.	,, "Waverley"	3
21.	,, "Camorta"	5	50.	,, "Loodiana"	1
22.	,, "River Indus"	1	51.	,, "Sirdhana"	1
23.	,, "Amana"	1	52.	,, "Landaura"	1
24.	,, "Nizam"	11	53.	,, "Effel Tower"	1
25.	,, "Harrogate"	1	54.	,, "Warora"	1
26.	,, "Sirsa"	11			
27.	,, "Henzada"	3			
28.	,, "Sciendia"	1			
29.	,, "Chupra"	3		Total ..	199

No. 25.—Statement showing the names of British steamers that arrived at Karikal during the year 1892.

	Names.	Number of arrivals.		Names.	Number of arrivals.
1.	S.S. "Pundwa"	4	14.	S.S. "Baghdad"	2
2.	,, "Khandalla"	1	15.	,, "Aska"	7
3.	,, "Purnea"	4	16.	,, "Nadir"	5
4.	,, "Huzara"	1	17.	,, "Chupra"	2
5.	,, "Tannadice"	2	18.	,, "Bancoora"	1
6.	,, "Rajpootana"	1	19.	,, "Kohinur"	1
7.	,, "Goalpara"	1	20.	,, "Nizam"	2
8.	,, "Chindwara"	2	21.	,, "Vita"	9
9.	,, "Kulna"	2	22.	,, "Kangra"	1
10.	,, "Nawab"	5	23.	,, "Chanda"	1
11.	,, "Secundra"	22	24.	,, "Waverley"	1
12.	,, "Camorta"	2			
13.	,, "Sirsa"	22		Total ..	101

No. 26.—Statement showing the names of sailing vessels that arrived at Pondicherry during the year 1892.

	Names.	Number of times arrived.		Names.	Number of times arrived.
1.	3 M. Ch. "Curreem Bux"	1	21.	Dhony "Muhamed Bunder"	1
2.	Br. Ch. "Sri Venkatachalapati"	1	22.	,, "Ramasamy"	1
3.	,, "Sri Venkateswaraloo"	1	23.	,, "Sivasundarapuravy"	4
4.	,, "Boogarie Moidin Samadany"	1	24.	,, "Sainte Anualakshmy"	1
5.	,, "Parvatabakyalakshmy"	3	25.	,, "Nagalingapuravy"	1
6.	Colonel Fytene	1	26.	,, "Nagur Mira Sahib"	1
7.	Selvanayagy	1	27.	,, "Sebamalé Madavinpuravy"	4
8.	Br. Ch. "Candasami Kaliana Varada Lukshmy."	1	28.	,, "Saint Joseph Provendamaria"	1
			29.	,, "Kouripakyalakshmy"	4
9.	,, "Muhamed Suliman Bux"	1	30.	,, "Parvatabakyalakshmy"	3
10.	Bk. "Harrington"	1	31.	,, "Poornalakshmy"	2
11.	Br. Ch. "Mailvaganapuravy"	1	32.	,, "Nilayadatchy"	6
12.	,, "Katheria"	1	33.	,, "Tayalnayagy"	3
13.	,, "Veeralakshmy"	3	34.	,, "Moidin Bux"	1
14.	,, "Nithiyapakiam"	1	35.	,, "Annapurany"	1
15.	,, "Dhanalakshmy"	1	36.	,, "Saminaden"	1
16.	,, "Cader Moidin Bux"	1	37.	,, "Adinarayanapuravy"	1
17.	,, "Annalakshmy"	1	38.	,, "Marie Sintadri Antonipuravy"	2
18.	,, "Sree Venugopalasami"	1	39.	,, "Hydrose"	1
19.	,, "Nilayadatchy"	1			
20.	Dhony "Annalakshmy"	2		Total ..	64

No. 27.—Statement showing the names of sailing vessels that arrived at Karikal during the year 1892.

	Names.	Number of arrivals.		Names.	Number of arrivals.
1.	Bk. "Sri Venugopalasamy"	5	20.	Dhony "Tirusundra Puravy"	1
2.	Br. Ch. "Soobramaniapuravy"	1	21.	Bk. "Sundraraja Vijia Lakshmi"	2
3.	Schooner "Meanatchy Soondram"	4	22.	Dhony "Mohamed Bunder"	1
4.	Dhony "Sivagami Amman"	9	23.	,, "Mohamed Abdul Carim"	2
5.	,, "Sepamalai Madavinpuravy"	4	24.	,, "Poorva Lakshmi"	5
6.	Bk. "Soondra Lakshmi"	3	25.	,, "Thayel Nayagy"	1
7.	,, "Konesarpuravy"	5	26.	Bk. "John and Mary"	1
8.	,, "Vinayaga Pakia Lakshmi"	5	27.	,, "Tirunadaraja Puravy"	1
9.	Dhony "Haja Ameed Bux"	1	28.	Dhony "Mohidin Bux Lakshmi"	1
10.	,, "Fatasalam"	2	29.	Bk. "Sahool Hamed"	2
11.	,, "Adi Lakshmi"	4	30.	,, "Cader Mohidin Bux"	1
12.	,, "Swaminathan"	2	31.	,, "Mohidin Hydroze"	1
13.	,, "Mohidin Sahool Amid Bux"	4	32.	Dhony "Mohamed Ibram Ali"	3
14.	,, "Anna Lakshmi"	2	33.	,, "Rajool Mohamed Bux"	1
15.	,, "Harriet"	1	34.	,, "Joseph Prabanda Maria"	2
16.	,, "Cader Bux"	1	35.	,, "Abdul Ameed"	1
17.	,, "Mahilvahanapuravy"	5	36.	,, "Sepamalai Madavinpuravy"	1
18.	,, "Ramasamy"	1			
19.	,, "Nilayadatchy"	4		Total ..	90

No. 28.—Abstract statement of shipping particulars.

Particulars of vessels.	Number of vessels				Total number of arrivals.	
	Steamers.		Sailing vessels.			
	To Pondicherry.	To Karikal.	To Pondicherry.	To Karikal.	At Pondicherry.	At Karikal.
Vessels making 25 voyages	..	..	..	..	..	..
Do. 24 do.	..	..	..	..	..	..
Do. 23 do.	..	..	..	..	..	44
Do. 22 do.	..	2	..	..	21	..
Do. 21 do.	1	..	..	..	..	..
Do. 19 do.	..	..	..	..	18	..
Do. 18 do.	1	..	..	..	..	..
Do. 12 do.	..	..	..	..	33	..
Do. 11 do.	3	..	..	..	10	..
Do. 10 do.	1	..	..	..	18	18
Do. 9 do.	2	1	..	1	..	..
Do. 8 do.	..	..	..	..	7	7
Do. 7 do.	1	1	..	..	24	..
Do. 6 do.	3	..	1	..	15	35
Do. 5 do.	3	2	..	5	16	28
Do. 4 do.	1	2	3	5	27	6
Do. 3 do.	5	..	4	2	20	28
Do. 2 do.	7	7	3	7	54	25
Do. 1 do.	26	9	28	16		
Total ..	54	24	39	36	263	191

From the Accountant-General, dated 19th April 1893, No. B.B.P.-1.

Proceedings of the Board of Revenue (Separate Revenue), dated 24th April 1893, No. 169.

Read—again Proceedings of the Board of Revenue (Separate Revenue), dated 29th March 1893, Mis. No. 1172.

Abstract.—Forwarding to the Accountant-General, for verification, statement of emigration receipts and charges during the year 1892.

Read—also the following papers:—

From the Collector of	Ganjam,	dated 21st Mar. 1893,	No.	159-Eng.
„ „	of Vizagapatam,	„ 7th Feb. „	„	324.
„ „	of Gódávari,	„ 20th „ „	„	——.
„ „	of Nellore,	„ 5th „ „	„	181-Eng.
„ „	of Chingleput,	„ 17th „ „	Ref. „	32-S.R.
„ „	of North Arcot,	„ 18th „ „	„	859-R.G.
„ „	of South Arcot,	„ 13th „ „	„	209-I.
„ „	of „	„ 22nd „ „	„	283-I.
„ „	of Tanjore,	„ 18th „ „	„	130.
„ „	of Madura,	„ 21st „ „	„	22.
„ „	of Tinnevelly,	„ 2nd Mar. „	„	138.
„ „	of Coimbatore,	„ 4th Feb. „	„	119-M.
„ Protector of Emigrants,	Madras,	„ 18th Mar. „	„	123.
„ „	„ „	„ 19th April „	„	172.
„ British Consular Agent,	Pondicherry and Karikal,	„ 25th Mar. „	„	171.

Abstract.—Reports and Returns of Emigration and Immigration for 1892.

Read—also Nil returns of emigration and immigration from the Collectors of Kistna, Cuddapah, Anantapur, Bellary, Kurnool, Trichinopoly, Nilgiris, Salem, South Canara and Malabar.

Read—also letter from the Collector of Cuddapah, dated 19th February 1893, No. 631-Ver.

Abstract.—Requesting that a certain correction may be made in his *Nil* return of emigration for 1892.

Read—also letter from the Accountant-General, Madras, dated 19th April 1893, No. I.B.B.-16.

Abstract.—Returning after verification the statement of emigration receipts and charges for 1892, received with Board's Proceedings, dated 29th March 1893, Mis. No. 1172.

Resolution—dated 24th April 1893, No. 169.

The papers read above relate to the statistics of emigration and immigration for the year 1892. There was no emigration to the French colonies during the year under report. Emigration to Assam took place under Act V of 1866 from the Ganjam district, but the subject has been excluded from this report, as directed in G.O., dated 2nd February 1892, No. 80, Public.

2. The subjoined abstract compares the number of emigrants, including children, registered for Mauritius and Natal under Act XXI of 1883, and for the Straits Settlements, Burmah and Ceylon, with the corresponding figures for 1891:—

—	Regulated emigration.		Non-regulated or free emigration.	
	1891.	1892.	1891.	1892.
Mauritius	516	..	..	..
Natal	4,118	4,970	..	..
Straits Settlements	3,972	1,970	* 26,552	17,750
Burmah	..	..	43,717	45,881
Ceylon	..	..	† 74,643	86,415
Other parts of India	..	..	1,948	8,769
Total ..	8,606	6,940	146,860	158,815
Total emigration, regulated and non-regulated ..	1891. 155,466		1892. 165,755	

* This is the correct figure, as it includes the number of emigrants (22) from Pondicherry (*vide* second statement appended to paragraph 10 of Board's Proceedings, dated 11th May 1892, No. 255.)

† The difference between this and the figure given in Board's Proceedings, dated 11th May 1892, No. 255, is explained in the foot-note to the statement appended to paragraph 12 below.

Thus the total number of emigrants registered during the year under report shows an increase of 10,289 or 6·6 per cent. over the number for the previous year.

Regulated Emigration.

3. *Emigration to Mauritius.*—Owing to the absence of demand for labour, there was no emigration to Mauritius during the year under reference. The number of coolies registered for 1891 was 516.

4. *Emigration to Natal.*—The following statement shows the number of emigrants registered for Natal and the number that actually embarked for the colony during the past two years:—

Statement showing the number of emigrants registered for Natal in each district and the number embarked out of them during 1892, as compared with the figures of 1891.

Districts.	Number registered.				Number embarked.			
	Men.	Women.	Children.	Total.	Men.	Women.	Children.	Total.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
1. Ganjám .. 1892 ..	9	3	2	14	2	..	..	2
1891 ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
2. Vizagapatam. 1892 ..	8	2	1	11	3	1	2	6
1891 ..	18	3	2	23	9	2	1	12
3. Gódávari .. 1892 ..	92	15	7	114	68	17	7	92
1891 ..	42	6	..	48	5	..	..	5
4. Nellore .. 1892 ..	83	46	23	152	28	13	14	55
1891 ..	51	16	5	72	11	4	3	18
5. Madras .. 1892 ..	1,630	627	526	2,773	855	384	302	1,541
1891 ..	1,273	574	537	2,384	376	175	157	708
6. North Arcot. 1892 ..	842	298	304	1,444	343	138	131	612
1891 ..	488	153	108	749	114	59	43	216
7. Cuddapah .. 1892 ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
1891 ..	8	..	..	8	6	..	..	6
8. Chingleput .. 1892 ..	119	41	45	205	61	21	18	100
1891 ..	272	86	85	443	38	11	8	57
9. South Arcot.. 1892 ..	21	2	1	24	11	1	..	12
1891 ..	41	13	18	72	2	..	..	2
10. Tanjore .. 1892 ..	26	11	* 3	40	8	8	2	18
1891 ..	42	7	4	53	19	3	2	24
11. Madura .. 1892 ..	143	26	4	173	70	14	1	85
1891 ..	49	12	2	63	15	5	1	21
12. Salem .. 1892 ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
1891 ..	8	2	..	10	3	..	..	3
13. Coimbatore .. 1892 ..	13	4	3	20	13	2	1	16
1891 ..	143	33	17	193	49	13	3	65
Total .. 1892 ..	2,976	1,075	919	4,970	1,462	599	478	2,539
1891 ..	2,435	905	778	4,118	647	272	218	1,137

Note.—The figures in the above statement exclude the number of emigrants from Bangalore and the number embarked out of those remaining on hand on the 31st December 1891.

* The Collector of Tanjore says that this is the correct number and that the figure shown in the statement submitted to the Protector of Emigrants for April 1892 should have been 3 (2 males and 1 female) instead of 4.

5. There was thus an increase of 852 in the number of persons registered for Natal during 1892, as compared with 1891. The explanation given by the Emigration Agent for the colony is that the outbreak of cholera in the latter part of 1891 interfered very much with the recruiting of coolies, while there was no serious epidemic of any kind in 1892. North Arcot alone shows an increase of 695, for which explanation has been called for from the Collector.

6. The total number of children registered in the several districts was 919 against 778 in the previous year, the number that actually embarked being 478.

7. The emigration operations of the year are reported to have been on the whole satisfactory. Excepting measles of a mild type, which broke out about the end of July, but which happily did not interfere much with embarkation, nothing happened to disturb the usual routine of business in the depôt. Prompt and careful attention was paid to the comfort of the coolies, who appear to have expressed themselves highly satisfied with the treatment they had received at the depôt.

8. There was some delay in the shipments, which was mainly due to the wreck of the vessel that was to have carried some coolies in December last. This necessitated their detention for a further period of about a month, which it took to get another ship ready.

9. *Emigration to the Straits Settlements.*—Indentured emigrants proceeded only from Negapatam. The following statement shows the number of emigrants of this class registered during the year and the number of them that embarked :—

	1891.				1892.			
	Adults.	Children.	Dependents.	Total.	Adults.	Children.	Dependents.	Total.
Number of emigrants registered	3,578	244	150	3,972	1,666	185	119	1,970
Number embarked	3,440	244	150	3,834	1,629	185	119	1,933

The decrease in the emigration to the Straits is attributed to the decreased demand in the colony for labourers and to the higher standard of physical fitness now required by the Medical officer.

NON-REGULATD EMIGRATION.

10. The subjoined statement shows the number of free passengers that proceeded to the Straits Settlements during the year under report :—

Ports of embarkation.	1891.			1892.		
	Adults.	Children.	Total.	Adults.	Children.	Total.
Porto Novo	991	23	1,014	518	55	573
Karikal	1,240	48	1,288	428	24	452
Negapatam	21,800	2,428	24,228	15,417	1,306	16,723
Pondicherry	22	..	22	2	..	2
Total ..	24,053	2,499	26,552	16,365	1,385	17,750

The falling off in the number of passengers is reported to be due to the absence of the competition among the Steamer Agents which existed in 1891, the British India Steam Navigation Company now monopolising the whole traffic and to the consequent enhancement of the passage fares.

11. *Emigration to Burmah.*—The number of passengers that embarked for Burmah during 1892 is compared below with the figures of 1891 :—

Districts.	1891.			1892.		
	Adults.	Children.	Total.	Adults.	Children.	Total.
Ganjám	14,072	455	14,527	12,870	706	13,576
Vizagapatam	10,533	242	10,775	8,880	290	9,170
Tanjore	16,935	1,475	18,410	21,230	1,873	23,103
South Arcot (Pondicherry)	4	1	5	28	4	32
Total ..	41,544	2,173	43,717	43,008	2,873	45,881

Emigration to Burmah and Ceylon being free, it is not possible to distinguish real emigrants from ordinary passengers. The figures tabulated in this and the following paragraphs merely represent the number of all persons who actually embarked for those countries.

There was a slight decrease in the number of emigrants to Burmah from Ganjám and Vizagapatam. The variation in the first-named district is attributed to the greater inducements held out by the Assam Tea Planters, while that in Vizagapatam is ascribed to the favorable season. The Collector of Tanjore reports that the steady increase in his district is natural in view of the widely extended fields for labour opened out by the recent annexation.

12. *Emigration to Ceylon.*—The statistics of the last two years are compared below :—

Districts.	1891.				1892.			
	Men.	Women.	Children.	Total.	Men.	Women.	Children.	Total.
Madura	22,563	4,221	1,365	28,149	21,780	5,230	1,992	29,002
Tinnevelly	33,001	3,678	4,170	40,849	42,933	4,509	4,776	52,218
	43	3	..	46	..	..	..	..
Tanjore. Karikal				1,886	850	77	63	990
Tanjore. Negapatam	4,727	559	309	3,709	3,652	359	194	4,205
Tanjore. Minor ports	4	..	..	4	..	..	..	..
Vizagapatam								
Total ..	60,338	8,461	5,844	74,643	69,215	10,175	7,025	86,415

Note.—The figures in this statement include the passenger traffic to Ceylon from the minor ports of the Tanjore district. This was omitted in Board's Proceedings, dated 11th May 1892, No. 255, as the corresponding figures for 1890 were not available.

Emigration to Ceylon was, as usual, almost wholly confined to the Madura and Tinnevelly districts. The total number of emigrants shows an increase of 11,772 or nearly 16 per cent. when compared with the number for the previous year. The large increase in Tinnevelly is explained by the Collector to be due to the greater exertions of the Ceylon Planters to secure labour for coffee and other estates, to the general development of the tea industry, and to the improved facilities provided in the colony for the transport of coolies from the sea-ports. Madura shows a small increase which is attributed to the unfavorable character of the season. The Collector of Tanjore says that no plausible reason can be assigned for the slight decline in the number from his district.

13. The figures tabulated in paragraphs 9 to 12 above are those given in the annual Emigration reports read at the head of these Proceedings and differ from the figures furnished in the quarterly returns of passengers submitted by Collectors of Maritime districts, as shown in the following abstract :—

Districts.	Straits Settlements.		Burmah.		Ceylon.	
	As per annual emigration report.	As per quarterly returns of passengers.	As per annual emigration report.	As per quarterly returns of passengers.	As per annual emigration report.	As per quarterly returns of passengers.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
Ganjám	..	..	13,576	13,574	..	..
Vizagapatam	..	..	9,170	9,170	..	..
Gódávari	..	..	..	8,402	..	1
Kistna	..	..	..	367	..	..
Madras	..	222	..	6,803	..	101
South Arcot	575	592	32	210	..	5
Tanjore	19,108	17,259	23,103	23,072	5,195	5,195
Madura	..	..	..	..	29,002	57,431
Tinnevelly	..	..	..	..	52,216	53,407
South Canara	..	..	..	3	..	1
Malabar	..	..	..	6	..	36

The Collector of Ganjám reports that the number of passengers shown in his annual Emigration report as having sailed for Burmah, *i.e.*, 13,576, is correct. The difference between the figures entered in columns 4 and 5 against Tanjore apparently represents the number of emigrants that proceeded from Karikal. The Collector is requested to include the passenger traffic from that port in his future quarterly returns. There is no difference between the figures shown in columns 6 and 7 against the same district, and in columns 4 and 5 against Vizagapatam. The other discrepancies should be explained by the Collectors concerned, whose attention will again be drawn to the last sentence of paragraph 11, Board's Proceedings, dated 11th May 1892, No. 255. The number of emigrants to Ceylon from Madura, as shown in the Collector's quarterly returns, is nearly twice as large as the number given in his annual emigration report.

14. *Emigration to other parts of British India.*—During the year under report, there were 8,769 emigrants to other parts of British India (6,877 * from Ganjám, 1,890 from Vizagapatam and 2 from Tanjore) against 1948 in 1,891 (1923 from Vizagapatam and 25 from Tanjore). But it is hardly credible that emigration of this kind took place only from the three districts mentioned above. The Collectors of the other coast districts, who have not furnished returns in spite of the instruction in paragraph 11 of G.O., dated 11th June 1892, No. 392, Public, are requested to explain the omission and see that it does not recur. The figures now furnished by the Collectors of Ganjám, Vizagapatam and Tanjore, differ from those given in the quarterly returns, as shown in the margin. The discrepancies should be explained.

* This figure is reported by the Collector to include the number of emigrants registered and despatched to Assam, inasmuch as they embarked for Calcutta at the port of Gopalpur.

Districts.	As per annual emigration report.	As per quarterly returns under the headings "ports within the Presidency" and "ports beyond the Presidency but within British India."
Ganjám	6,877	6,901
Vizagapatam	1,890	1,901
Tanjore	2	64

15. *Immigration.*—The number of immigrants during the year under report is compared below with the figures for 1891 :—

Districts.	1891.			1892.		
	Adults.	Children.	Total.	Adults.	Children.	Total.
South Arcot .. Pondicherry ..	877	258	1,135	148	34	182
South Arcot .. Porto Novo ..	165	2	167	156	7	163
Ganjám	5,000	2	5,002	7,168	247	7,415
Madras	578	168	746	741	152	* 893
Madura	53,174	2,587	55,761	48,928	3,657	52,585
Tanjore .. Negapatam ..	37,000	2,079	39,079	29,467	1,532	30,999
Tanjore .. Karikal	1,932	93	2,025	1,113	110	1,223
Tanjore .. Minor ports ..	5,723	265	5,988	3,445	139	3,584
Tinnevelly	39,461	2,147	41,608	46,832	2,183	49,015
Vizagapatam	10,881	273	11,154	11,220	235	11,455
Total ..	154,791	7,874	162,665	149,218	8,296	157,514

* Of these, five persons died during the voyage.

Note.—The figures in this statement include the passenger traffic from Ceylon to the minor ports of the Tanjore district. This was omitted in Board's Proceedings, dated 11th May 1892, No. 255, as the corresponding figures for 1890 were not available.

16. The number of immigrants recorded during the year amounted to 157,514 against 162,665 in 1891, showing a slight decrease of 5,151 or about 3 per cent. The Collector of South Arcot states that he is unable to explain the decrease in the number of emigrants returned from the French colonies, but it is apparently due to the fact that while in the previous year emigrants returned from the three colonies of La Réunion, Martinique and Guadeloupe, there were no returns from the two latter colonies during 1892. The increase in Ganjám is reported to be due to the favorable character of the season and to the prospect of work on the East Coast Railway in progress in the district. The latter cause also explains the increase in Vizagapatam. The unfavorable season is the reason assigned by the Collector of Madura for the decrease in his district. In Tanjore the prevalence of famine prices and the drought that prevailed from September onwards probably discouraged the return of many emigrants. The raising of the passage fares by the British India Steam Navigation Company also partially accounts for the decrease. The Collector of Tinnevelly explains the increase in his district by saying that immigration follows the fluctuations of emigration and that the immigrants are mostly returned emigrants. There was an increase in the number of emigrants returned from Mauritius which is surmised by the Agent for that colony to be due to the terrible hurricane which swept over the colony during the year under report.

17. The various colonies from which the immigrants returned are specified below :—

From Burmah	27,040
„ Ceylon	106,866
„ Straits Settlements	18,234
„ Natal	214
„ Mauritius	679
„ La Réunion	182
„ Other parts of India	4,299
Total ...	157,514

18. The subjoined table compares the number of immigrants from the Straits Settlements, Burmah, Ceylon and other parts of India, as shown in the previous paragraph with the number given by Collectors of Maritime districts in their quarterly returns of passengers :—

Districts.	Passengers returning from						Other parts of British India.	
	Straits Settlements.		Burmah.		Ceylon.			
	As per annual emigration report.	As per quarterly returns of passengers.	As per annual emigration report.	As per quarterly returns of passengers.	As per annual emigration report.	As per quarterly returns of passengers.	As per annual emigration report.	As per quarterly returns of passengers (headings, "ports within the Presidency" and "ports beyond the Presidency but within British India)."
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
Ganjám	..	..	5,701	5,701	..	..	* 1,714	1,714
Vizagapatam ..	..	..	9,236	9,236	10	10	2,209	2,209
Godávari ..	..	..	..	10,163	..	1	..	1,885
Kistna	..	..	..	310	..	..	..	708
Madras	..	475	..	5,268	..	298	..	3,925
South Arcot ..	163	165	..	..	..	87	..	7
Tanjore ..	18,071	16,848	12,103	12,111	5,256	5,256	376	543
Madura	..	..	..	..	52,585	29,869	..	29,444
Tinnevelly ..	..	..	..	..	49,015	49,914	..	2,037
South Canara ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	15,523
Malabar	..	..	..	2	..	77	..	2,761

* The Collector says that this figure probably includes the number of emigrants returned from Assam.

There is no discrepancy in the figures furnished by the Collectors of Ganjám and Vizagapatam. The difference between the figures in columns 2 and 3 against Tanjore seems to represent the number of immigrants (1,223) who landed at Karikal, which should also be included in future quarterly returns. The other differences between the two sets of figures should be explained by the Collectors concerned.

19. The annexed statement compares the number of emigrants and immigrants from Burmah, Straits Settlements and Ceylon for the last five years :—

Years.	Burmah.		Straits Settlements.		Ceylon.	
	Emigrants to.	Immigrants from.	Emigrants to.	Immigrants from.	Emigrants to.	Immigrants from.
1888	38,014	19,929	22,299	12,015	78,302	61,080
1889	34,303	21,638	19,800	13,992	93,219	67,023
1890	33,048	25,446	19,351	14,103	74,481	55,221
1891	43,717	28,260	30,524	26,114	74,643	103,456
1892	45,881	27,040	19,720	18,234	86,415	106,866
Average ..	38,993	24,463	22,339	16,892	81,412	78,729

20. The subjoined statement shows at one glance the total number of emigrants from, and immigrants to, the Madras Presidency during the past ten years :—

	Emigrants.	Immigrants.
1883–84	54,347	57,537
1884–85	55,427	57,548
1885 (nine months)	47,075	39,673
1886	83,337	71,542
1887	129,650	89,844
1888	143,045	97,318
1889	155,685	106,924
1890	135,473	98,386
1891	155,466	162,665
1892	165,755	157,514
Average ...	112,526	93,895

The average of the last ten years shows that about 83 per cent. of the number of emigrants returned to their homes, while 17 per cent. settled, either temporarily or permanently, in the various colonies to which they proceeded. The number of immigrants has exceeded the number of emigrants only in the years 1883–84, 1884–85 and 1891.

21. The statement appended below, giving the details of receipts and charges on account of emigration during the year under report, has been verified by the Account-ant-General, as directed in Government Order, dated 18th September 1886, No. 1946, Public :—

STATEMENT of Receipts and Charges on account of Emigration during the year 1892.

Districts.	Receipts.	Districts.	Expenditure.	
	RS. A. P.	*Presidency.*	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.
Madras	7,338 0 0	Protector of Emigrants' allowance at Rs. 200 per month from 1st December 1891 to 30th November 1892, less annuity fund deductions	2,304 0 0	
		Medical Inspector of Emigrants' allowance at Rs. 150 per month from 1st December 1891 to 30th November 1892	1,800 0 0	
		Pay of clerks and servants from 1st December 1891 to 31st December 1892	1,755 0 0	
		Municipal assessment on sheds	54 14 4	
		Service postage and telegrams	11 8 0	
		Other contingencies	105 10 0	
			6,031 0 4	
		Add 25 per cent. on the third item on account of leave and pensionary allowances	438 12 0	6,469 12 4
		South Arcot.		
		Moiety of salary of the British Consular Agent at Karikal and Pondicherry including his pay of Military rank from 1st December 1891 to 30th November 1892..	9,391 14 0	
		Moiety of pay of clerks and servants at Pondicherry from 1st December 1891 to 31st December 1892 ..	468 9 0	
		Moiety of office rent	150 0 0	
		Do. of service postage and telegrams	21 14 6	
		Do. of travelling allowance of officer and establishment	42 7 6	
		Moiety of other contingencies	61 10 11	
			10,136 7 11	
		Add 25 per cent. on the second item on account of leave and pensionary allowances	117 2 3	10,253 10 2
		Tanjore.		
		Pay of clerks and peons of the Protector of Emigrants, Negapatam, and of those under the Deputy Magistrate, Tanjore, from 1st December 1891 to 31st December 1892	449 11 4	
		Travelling allowance	1 8 0	
		Service postage	2 0 0	
		Contingencies	4 2 0	
			457 5 4	
		Add 25 per cent. on the first item on account of leave and pensionary allowances	112 6 10	569 12 2
		Moiety of pay of clerks and servants of the Consular Agent's office at Karikal from 1st December 1891 to October 1892	400 14 3	
		Moiety of service postage	10 0 0	
		Do. of office rent and contingencies	75 5 4	
			486 3 7	
		Add 25 per cent. on the first item on account of leave and pensionary allowances	100 3 7	586 7 2
		Maisur.		
		Fees for copying the agreements of emigrants ..	3 12 0	3 12 0
Total, Receipts ..	7,338 0 0	Total, Charges ..	..	17,883 5 10

The receipts of the year, excluding those in Ganjám and Vizagapatam under Act V of 1866, amounted to Rs. 7,338 or nearly twice as much as the amount realized in 1891, viz., Rs. 3,721. The charges amounted to Rs. 17,883 against Rs. 13,053 in the previous year, showing an increase of Rs. 4,830 or 37 per cent. The charges exclude a moiety of the salaries of the British Consular Agent at Pondicherry and Karikal and of his establishments, which has been debited to "Political" under the orders of Government.

(A true Extract.)

(Signed) W. O. HORNE,
Acting Secretary.

(True Copy.)

(Signed) EDMUND MILLETT,
Assistant Secretary.

To the Chief Secretary to Government, Public Department.
„ all Collectors.
„ the Protector of Emigrants, Madras.

Proceedings of the Board of Revenue (Separate Revenue), dated 10th May 1893, Mis. No. 1675.

Resolution—dated 10th May 1893, Mis. No. 1675.

In continuation of paragraph 5 of Board's Proceedings, No. 169, dated 24th April 1893, the Board begs to state that the increase in the number of emigrants registered for Natal in the North Arcot district during 1892, as compared with the previous year, is explained by the Collector to be due to the continued unfavorable character of the season and the prevalence of distress.

(True Extract.)

(Signed) EDMUND MILLETT,
Assistant Secretary.

To the Chief Secretary to Government, Public Department.

ORDER—dated May 1893, No. , Public.

The papers read above relate to the operations connected with emigration in the Madras Presidency during the year 1892, with the exception of that from the Ganjam district to Assam on which a separate report has already been received and reviewed.

G.O., dated 25th April 1890, Nos. 330–331.

A.—REGULATED EMIGRATION.

I.—EMIGRATION UNDER ACT XXI OF 1883.

(*a*) *To British Colonies.*

2. The only two colonies which maintained agencies at Madras were those of Mauritius and Natal, Mr. J. G. Conran continuing to be in charge of the former agency and Messrs. Parry and Co. in charge of the latter. The Government is glad to learn from the reports of the Protector of Emigrants and the Medical Inspector that the depôts were kept in good condition throughout the year and that their management was satisfactory. There was a mild outbreak of measles in the Natal depôt at the end of July, but this did not interfere much with the embarkation of emigrants.

3. *Mauritius.*—Owing to the absence of any demand for labour there was no emigration to Mauritius during the year under review, but 679 coolies * returned from that colony in three batches with savings amounting to Rs. 13,744. There were altogether 5 deaths among the

* Men	424
Women	150
Children	105

The corresponding figures for 1891 were—coolies 366, savings Rs. 4,644, and deaths 5.

4. *Natal.*—Recruitment for Natal was carried on actively throughout the year, although towards the end of July it was slightly disturbed by a mild outbreak of measles in the depôt. At the end of 1891 there were 658 emigrants awaiting embarkation and 4,550 were admitted during the year, making a total of 5,208. The number re-admitted from hospital was 131, bringing the total up to 5,339. Of these, 278 renounced their engagements or deserted, 1,755 were rejected, 20 died, 131 were in hospital, and 3,030 were shipped in seven instalments, leaving the small number of 125 for future shipment. As compared with the previous year, there was an increase of 2,021 in the total number of admissions, which is the highest on record for the last six years, and of 1,848 in the number actually shipped, which was slightly exceeded only in 1890. There was, however, an undesirable advance of 775 in the number of rejections and 217 in that of deaths, which should have been explained. Of the number that embarked, North Arcot supplied no less than 1,331, owing, it is stated, to the continued unfavorable character of the season and the prevalence of distress in that district. The number from Chingleput, South Arcot and Nellore was also considerable, being 941, 198 and 150, respectively. The period of detention of the coolies in the depôt shows a creditable improvement.

Two hundred and fourteen * emigrants returned from Natal with savings amounting to Rs. 35,000, against 380 with Rs. 62,232 in 1891, and there were no deaths among them.

* Men	120
Women	47
Children	47

5. The following statement compares the average savings of an adult returned emigrant in the years 1891 and 1892:—

—	Mauritius.		Average.	Natal.		Average.
	Number of adults.	Total Savings.		Number of adults.	Total Savings.	
		Rs.			Rs.	
1891	314	4,644	15	264	62,232	236
1892	574	13,744	24	167	35,000	209

(*b*) *To French Colonies.*

6. There was no emigration to French colonies during the year under review and only one colony—Réunion—repatriated emigrants numbering 182, the savings brought by them being Rs. 8,000. There were no deaths on the return voyage. With reference to the concluding portion of paragraph 5 of the review of the operations † for 1891, it is observed that the French Government has recently promised to take steps for removing the difficulties hitherto placed in the way of emigrants wishing to return to India.

† G.O., dated 11th June 1892, No. 392.

II.—EMIGRATION TO STRAITS SETTLEMENTS.

7. As in the previous year, indentured emigrants to the Straits Settlements proceeded only from Negapatam. The following statements, however, show the total number of emigrants, indentured and free, during the last three years :—

A.—Labourers registered under Form A (with minor dependents.)

Ports of embarkation.	1890.		1891.		1892.	
	Adults.	Children.	Adults.	Children.	Adults.	Children.
Madras	7	..	..	..	..	..
Negapatam	2,913	139	3,590	244	1,748	185
Porto Novo	..	..	..	..	..	..
Total	3,059		3,834		1,933	

B.—Free Passengers.

Ports of embarkation.	1890.		1891.		1892.	
	Adults.	Children.	Adults.	Children.	Adults.	Children.
Negapatam	14,108	1,366	21,800	2,428	15,417	1,306
Karikal	279	22	1,240	48	428	24
Porto Novo	293	19	991	23	518	55
Pondicherry	8	..	22	..	2	..
Total ..	16,095		26,552		17,750	

The large falling off as compared with the previous year in the number of indentured emigrants is ascribed to decreased demand in the colony for labourers and to the higher standard of physical fitness now required by the medical officer, while that in the emigrants of the other class is explained to be due to the enhancement of the passage fares. It is, however, observed that the increase under this head in 1891 was abnormal. In addition to the number shown in the foregoing table, 348 French subjects embarked at Pondicherry and Karikal for the Straits Settlements. The number of emigrants from the Straits was 18,234 against 26,114 in 1891.

III.—Emigration to Assam.

8. As observed in paragraph 1 above, a separate report on this subject has already been received and reviewed in G.O., dated 25th April 1893, No. 330. According to this report, 6,449 emigrants were registered in Ganjám, of whom 3,369 were labourers.

B.—FREE EMIGRATION.

9. Free emigration takes place chiefly to Burmah and Ceylon, and owing to the fact that it is not regulated, it was as in previous years found impossible to distinguish real emigrants from ordinary passengers to those territories. The returns therefore include all persons who actually embarked for these countries, and the following is a comparative statement of them for the last three years :—

To Burmah.

Districts.	1890.		1891.		1892.	
	Adults.	Children.	Adults.	Children.	Adults.	Children.
Ganjam	11,166	226	14,072	456	12,870	706
Vizagapatam	6,006	237	10,533	242	8,880	290
Tanjore	14,299	1,103	16,935	1,475	21,230	1,873
South Arcot (Pondicherry)	6	..	4	1	28	4
Total ..	33,048		43,717		45,881	

To Ceylon.

Districts.	1890.		1891.		1892.	
	Adults.	Children.	Adults.	Children.	Adults.	Children.
Madura	52,661	3,793	26,784	1,365	27,010	1,992
Tinnevelly	15,717	1,886	36,679	4,170	47,442	4,776
Tanjore (Karikal)	396	28	46	..	..	..
Do. (Negapatam)	..	..	1,886	..	927	63
Do. Minor Ports	..	..	..	..	4,011	194
Vizagapatam	..	..	..	..	..	..
Total ..	74,481		70,934		86,415	

The bulk of the emigrants to Burmah belonged as usual to Ganjam, Vizagapatam and Tanjore. There was a steady increase in the number from Tanjore, which is ascribed by the Collector to the widely-extended fields for labour opened out by the

recent annexation. This explanation, however, does not seem to be altogether accurate since the emigrants from Ganjam and Vizagapatam were fewer than in 1891 although they had the same inducement as those from Tanjore and inland emigration to Assam affected only Ganjám if at all.

Emigration to Ceylon was chiefly confined to Madura and Tinnevelly. The number of emigrants from Madura remained almost the same as in 1891, while that from Tinnevelly shows a further considerable increase owing to the greater exertions of the Ceylon planters, the general development of the tea industry in that colony, and the improved facilities provided therein for the transport of coolies from the seaports.

Thirty-seven French subjects left Pondicherry and Karikal for Burmah.

10. The number of emigrants to other parts of British India is returned as 8,769 * including those who left Ganjam for Assam, but from paragraph 14 of the Board's Proceedings read above it does not appear that this number is altogether accurate.

* From Ganjám	6,877
„ Vizagapatam	1,890
„ Tanjore	2

GENERAL.

11. The total number of British subjects, including children, who left the Presidency for countries outside India in the year under review, was 155,009 against 146,554 in 1891 and 131,920 in 1890, as shown below :—

Countries to which emigration occurred.	Regulated Emigration.			Non-regulated or free Emigration.		
	1890.	1891.	1892.	1890.	1891.	1892.
Mauritius	1,929	335	..	..	..	..
Natal	3,308	1,182	3,030	..	..	..
Straits Settlements	3,069	3,834	1,933	16,095	26,552	17,750
Burmah	..	..	..	33,048	43,717	45,881
Ceylon	..	..	..	74,481	70,934	86,415
	8,296	5,351	4,963	1,23,624	1,41,203	1,50,046
Total emigration for 1892, regulated and non-regulated	..	..	..	..	..	1,55,009

In addition to the above there were 8,769 emigrants from the Presidency to Ganjam and other parts of India, against 7,151 in 1891.

12. *Financial.*—The total receipts and charges on account of emigration in 1892 amounted to Rs. 13,187 and Rs. 19,062, respectively, but Rs. 5,849 of the former and Rs. 1,179 of the latter appertain to the inland emigration from Ganjam to Assam, the corresponding figures for 1891 being as shown in the margin. The receipts and charges on account of emigration to countries outside India thus exceeded the previous year's figures by Rs. 3,617 and Rs. 4,830, respectively. The increase in the receipts is apparently due to the larger recruitment for Natal referred to in paragraph 4 above. That in the charges appears chiefly in the salary of the British Consular Agent at Pondicherry and Karikal.

Total		Inland Emigration.	
Receipts.	Charges.	Receipts.	Charges.
Rs. 13,125	Rs. 13,425	Rs. 9,404	Rs. 372

	Receipts.	Charges.
	Rs.	Rs.
1892	7,738	17,883
1891	3,721	13,053
Excess ..	3,617	4,830

No fees were levied from the emigrants from Madras to the French colonies, but charges to the extent of Rs. 10,840, representing a moiety of the salaries of the Consular Agent and his establishments, had to be incurred on their account (the other

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~~society was debited to Political under existing arrangements~~). The fees levied on emigrants to British colonies exceeded the charges by Rs. 295, the loss on account of emigration being thus reduced to Rs. 10,545 as compared with Rs. 9,332 in 1891.

4/ 15. The attention of the officers concerned will again be drawn to the discrepancies and omissions pointed out by the Board of Revenue in its Proceedings read above. It is hoped that these will be guarded against in future.

(True Extract.)

Chief Secretary.

To the Board of Revenue.
„ the Protector of Emigrants, Madras.
„ the British Consular Agent, Pondicherry and Karikal.
„ the Accountant-General.
„ all Collectors.
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Trichinopoly.	8
Vizagapatam.	8

GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.

PUBLIC DEPARTMENT.

READ—the following papers:—

From W. P. AUSTIN, Esq., Protector of Emigrants, Madras, to the Chief Secretary to Government, dated Madras, 18th March 1893, No. 122.

I have the honour to submit my administration report on the emigration operations at this port for 1892 and to enclose the usual statements and copy of the Medical Inspector's report.

2. There was no change in the administrative staff of both the agencies in the year under consideration.

3. There was absolutely no requisition for coolies for the Mauritius during the year and consequently no shipment for that colony.

4. The Natal emigration operations of the year were, on the whole, satisfactory. From the commencement of the year down to the end of July business went on quite as briskly as was desirable. It was then slightly disturbed by an outbreak of measles in the depôt, which, however, did not, I am glad to say, interfere much with embarkation. The disease was pronounced to be of a very mild form, and as there was cholera raging in the vicinity of the depôt, it was decided, in consultation with the Medical Inspector of Emigrants and the Surgeon-Superintendent of the *Umeinto*, Dr. Seaton, to embark the coolies in the depôt at once.

5. There was not a complaint of any kind made to me by the coolies, who, on the contrary, always expressed themselves fully satisfied with the treatment they had received at the depôt. Their food was invariably good, both in quality and quantity, and the depôt premises were always well kept.

6. Out of 3,030 coolies kept in the depôt from time to time, the number detained over 3 months was only 137, mostly due to the wreck of the *Umtata* in December of the previous year. The coolies who were to have gone by her had to wait till another ship was ready to take them, which was not till the 25th January next, thus involving a delay of one month.

7. Ninety-seven recruiters' licenses were granted during the year for the Natal agency.

	Natal.
Men	1,716
Women	730
Children	584
Total ..	3,030

8. Seven shipments were made for Natal during the year, the percentage of women to men being 42·5.

The number of men, women and children despatched is noted on the margin.

9. Two ships returned from Natal with 214 coolies, viz., the *Congella* and the *Pongola*. The savings of the coolies amounted to Rs. 35,000. Three ships returned from the Mauritius with 679 coolies, viz., the S.S. *Fultala*, *Lalpoora* and the *Wardha*. There were two deaths on board the *Lalpoora*, one from dysentery and the other from erysipelas.

There were three deaths on board the *Wardha*, one from dysentery and the other two from heart disease. The coolies brought savings amounting to Rs. 13,744.

10. The fees collected on emigrants embarked aggregated Rs. 7,338.

The disbursements in Madras were Rs. 6,031-0-4 and in the mofussil Rs. 457-5-4.

11. There was no emigration to French colonies.

12. The service registers of the office have been verified to date.

ENCLOSURES.

COPY of letter from the Medical Inspector of Emigrants, to the Protector of Emigrants, Madras, dated 11th March 1893.

As laid down in Rule 5 of the Emigration Rules under Act XXI of 1883, I have the honour to submit my annual report on the emigration depôts during 1892.

2. My report must necessarily be a short one, for emigration to Mauritius was at a standstill during the year and Natal operations went on without any hitch. I am very pleased to note that, unlike in some of the past years, there was nothing to disturb the usual run of business, except that measles broke out in the depôt about the end of July which, however, did not much interfere with embarkation. The disease was of a very mild type and there was cholera raging in the vicinity of the depôt. The *Umzinto* was ready here to take coolies. It was therefore decided by us, in consultation with Dr. Seaton, the Surgeon-Superintendent, to send away the coolies with measles rather than subject them to the risk of cholera.

3. My weekly depôt inspections, I am glad to say, were not marked by any complaint whatever from the coolies in regard to the rice, condiments, &c. The provisions were invariably good and the medicines supplied equally so. Cooking-sheds, hospital-sheds, latrines, &c., were always kept in a satisfactory condition. The rule of getting a cooly vaccinated on admission was strictly adhered to, and no cooly therefore embarked who had not either had small-pox or been vaccinated.

4. Seven steamers left for Natal with 3,030 coolies and two returned with 214 coolies.

5. Three steamers returned from Mauritius with 679 coolies.

6. Those that proceeded to the colony were examined by me in the presence of the respective Surgeon-Superintendents and the Protector in regard to their health and fitness to undertake the voyage, and the usual inspection of the returning people was also regularly made.

NATAL.

No. 1.—Statement showing the number of Emigrants admitted into the Depôt from 1st January to 31st December 1892 and how they were disposed of.

Month.	Number admitted into the depôt.				Number re-admitted from hospital.			Number of emigrants who renounced their engagements or deserted the depôt.			Rejected						Number emigrated.		
											By Medical Officer.			By Protector.					
	Male.	Female.	Total.		Male.	Female.	Total.	Male.	Female.	Total.	Male.	Female.	Total.	Male.	Female.	Total.	Male.	Female.	Total.
Balance on 31st Dec. 1891	413	245	658	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
January ..	135	53	188	5	9	14	24	3	27	72	37	109	..	..	..	..	367	203	570
February ..	503	254	757	2	6	8	12	1	13	102	52	154	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
March ..	107	62	169	3	6	9	19	3	22	93	47	140	2	1	3	..	360	182	542
April ..	275	124	399	1	6	7	15	2	17	27	9	36	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
May ..	130	79	202	4	5	9	13	1	14	86	52	132	..	..	..	..	267	116	383
June ..	535	275	810	1	..	1	35	12	47	132	47	179	..	..	..	..	247	146	393
July ..	438	201	639	2	4	6	44	5	49	152	66	218	..	..	..	..	332	175	507
August ..	430	191	621	10	9	19	27	6	33	137	48	185	2	3	5	..	..	..	..
September ..	105	24	129	17	13	30	10	4	14	46	14	60	1	..	1	..	247	108	355
October ..	214	83	297	10	14	24	13	3	16	92	32	124	..	..	..	..	192	88	280
November ..	108	43	151	2	1	3	11	4	15	86	46	132	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
December ..	164	34	198	1	..	1	11	..	11	19	2	21	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Total ..	3,547	1,721	5,268	58	73	131	234	44	278	1,033	452	1,490	5	4	9	..	2,012	1,018	3,030

Month.	By Emigration Agent.			Number detained for future shipment.			Number in hospital.			Number of emigrants died.			Balance.		
	Male.	Female.	Total.	Male.	Female.	Total.	Male.	Female.	Total.	Male.	Female.	Total.	Male.	Female.	Total.
Balance on 31st Dec. 1891	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
January ..	9	4	13	..	..	..	3	10	13	..	..	..	135	53	188
February ..	1	5	6	..	..	..	..	6	6	..	..	..	503	254	757
March ..	12	3	15	..	..	..	3	8	11	..	..	..	107	62	169
April ..	1	1	1	..	..	..	..	3	3	..	..	..	275	124	399
May ..	2	1	3	..	..	..	2	3	5	2	2	4	130	79	202
June ..	23	39	62	..	..	..	1	7	8	..	..	..	535	275	810
July ..	9	4	13	..	..	..	5	8	13	..	..	..	438	201	639
August ..	48	32	80	..	..	..	11	1	12	1	1	2	430	191	621
September ..	9	3	12	..	..	..	23	16	39	4	3	7	105	24	129
October ..	5	1	6	..	..	..	6	11	17	3	6	9	214	83	297
November ..	9	5	14	..	..	..	2	1	3	..	..	..	108	43	151
December ..	25	6	31	..	..	..	1	..	1	..	..	..	164	34	198
Total ..	152	104	256	99	26	125	57	74	131	8	12	20	3,547	1,721	5,268

No. 2.—Statement showing the period of detention of Emigrants in Depot from 1st January to 31st December 1892.

Number detained one month and under.	Number detained between one and two months.	Number detained between two and three months.	Number detained between three and four months.	Number detained more than four months.	Total.
1	2	3	4	5	6
1,095	1,420	378	128	9	3,030

REMARKS.—With regard to the detentions in depôt beyond the period of three months, as shown in columns 4 and 5, it is submitted :—

(1) That the *Umtata* which was to have taken coolies from here about the end of last year was wrecked, and a fresh steamer had to be chartered, which left here on the 25th January, thus involving a delay of one month.

(2) That owing to the prevalence of ophthalmia, measles and fever, several coolies had to be kept in the quarantine depôt until recovery and were then re-admitted into the main depôt.

No. 3.—Statement showing the number of Emigrants in Hospital from 1st January to 31st December 1892.

Month.	Number of emigrants in the depôt hospital.	Number of emigrants in outside hospital.	Number of deaths in the outside hospital.	Number of deaths in the depôt.	Remarks.
January	34	13	..	..	
February	33	6	..	..	
March	45	11	..	..	
April	22	3	..	..	
May	31	5	(*a*) 2	..	(*a*) One pneumonia, one fever.
June	41	8	..	..	
July	47	13	..	..	
August	68	12	(*b*) 2	..	(*b*) One diarrhœa, one measles.
September	82	39	(*c*) 6	(*d*) 1	(*c*) Three diarrhœa, one dysentery, two measles. (*d*) general debility.
October	32	17	(*e*) 8	(*f*) 1	(*e*) Six measles, two fever. (*f*) Dysentery.
November	16	3	..	..	
December	21	1	..	..	

No. 4.—Statement showing the number of Indians embarked from Madras from 1st January to 31st December 1892.

Month and date.	Name of vessels.	Destination.	Number of heads. Men.	Women.	Children.	Total souls.	Total adults.
25th January	"Chupra"	Natal	295	150	125	570	479
26th March	"Huzara"	Natal	302	120	120	542	458
4th June	"Congella"	Natal	219	83	81	383	329
8th July	"Pongola"	Natal	202	97	94	393	327
11th August	"Umzinto"	Natal	296	123	88	507	446½
10th October	"Pongola"	Natal	226	89	40	355	327
14th November	"Umzinto"	Natal	176	68	36	280	252½
		Total	1,716	730	584	3,030	2,619

Number of emigrants embarked—
Previous year 1,182
Year under report 3,030

No. 5.—Statement showing the number of Emigrants registered in each District and admitted into the Depôt and the number actually embarked out of them.

Districts.	Number admitted. Men.	Women.	Children.	Total souls.	Total adults.	Number registered. Men.	Women.	Children.	Total souls.	Total adults.	Coolies not brought to the depôt. Men.	Women.	Children.	Total souls.	Total adults.	Number embarked. Men.	Women.	Children.	Total souls.	Total adults.
Balances on 31st December 1891.																				
Madras ..	177	117	121	415	326	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	139	95	88	322	259½
Chingleput	40	17	14	71	61	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	30	14	9	53	46½
North Arcot	78	22	16	111	99	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	50	12	4	66	62
South Arcot	7	3	3	13	10½	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	7	3	3	13	10½
Coimbatore	4	3	1	8	7½	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	3	2	..	5	5
Tanjore	1	..	..	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	1	1
Madura ..	7	1	..	8	8	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	6	1	..	7	7
Bangalore	5	2	2	8	8	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	1	1	4	3½
Nellore ..	10	1	..	11	8	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	7	1	..	8	8
Godávari	8	1	..	9	8	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	..	..	2	2
Salem ..	2	..	..	2	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	..	..	2	2
Total ..	334	167	157	658	543	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	247	129	105	481	405
1892.																				
Madras ..	1,554	598	497	2,773	2,384	1,620	627	526	2,773	2,384	66	29	29	124	95	855	384	302	1,541	1,325½
Chingleput	109	40	37	206	177½	119	41	46	206	177½	10	1	8	19	14	61	21	18	100	88½
North Arcot	701	264	249	1,444	1,253	842	298	304	1,444	1,253	141	34	65	240	199	343	138	131	612	592
South Arcot	18	2	3	24	23½	21	2	1	24	23½	3	..	..	3	3	11	1	1	12	12
Coimbatore	13	4	3	20	18	13	4	3	20	18	..	..	..	..	..	13	2	2	16	16
Tanjore	127	25	4	41	38½	143	26	4	173	169½	8	1	1	10	8	8	8	2	18	16½
Madura	15	3	4	173	169½	17	3	1	21	20½	16	1	..	17	14	70	14	1	85	84½
Bangalore	44	26	22	21	20½	83	46	23	152	135½	2	..	1	3	2	7	2	1	10	9½
Nellore	*92	15	7	152	135½	92	15	7	114	110½	39	20	..	59	55	28	13	14	55	46
Godávari	† 5	2	1	114	110½	8	2	1	11	10½	..	..	..	..	..	3	1	2	6	5
Vizagapatam	9	3	2	11	10½	9	3	2	14	13	..	..	..	..	..	2	..	..	2	2
Ganjam ..																				
Grand Total ..	3,039	1,159	985	5,650	4,900	2,998	1,078	921	5,650	4,900	288	86	93	467	405	1,716	730	584	3,030	2,619

* This excludes 14 men and 3 women who were registered at the end of December 1891 and were admitted in January 1892.
† This excludes 5 men, 1 woman and 2 children who were registered at the end of December 1891 and were admitted in January 1892.

No. 6.—Statement showing the number of Indian Emigrants returned from Natal to Madras from 1st January to 31st December 1892.

Date of arrival.	By what steamer arrived.	From where.	Number returned. Men.	Women.	Children.	Total.	Number of emigrants that died during the voyage.	Savings	Remarks.
								Rs.	*Number returned.*
14th May ..	"Congella" ..	Natal ..	60	26	25	111	..	10,000	Previous year .. 380
16th September.	"Pongola" ..	Do. ..	60	21	22	103	..	25,000	Year under report .. 214
		Total ..	120	47	47	214	..	35,000	

No. 7.—Statement showing the Districts of Emigrants embarked.

Names of districts.	Men.	Women.	Children.	Total.
Madras	15	7	1	23
Chingleput	491	245	205	941
North Arcot	718	333	280	1,331
Salem	46	11	5	62
Bangalore	10	4	1	15
Mysore	5	..	..	5
Coimbatore	22	3	1	26
Malabar	1	..	..	1
Travancore	1	..	..	1
South Arcot	130	35	53	198
Pondicherry	11	1	..	12
Tanjore	6	7	..	13
Trichinopoly	10	5	4	19
Madura	58	14	2	74
Tinnevelly	10	1	..	11
Cuddapah	22	2	2	26
Bellary	1	1	..	2
Anantapur	1	..	..	1
Hyderabad	2	3	2	7
Nellore	78	34	38	150
Godávari	33	3	..	36
Kistna	3	1	..	4
Vizagapatam	38	17	8	63
Ganjam	2	..	..	2
Pudukóta Territory	1	1	1	3
Dharwar	1	1	1	3
Nagpur	..	1	..	1
Total ..	1,716	730	584	3,030

No. 8.—Statement showing the number of Emigrants despatched to and returned from Natal with the total amount of expenditure from 1st January to 31st December 1892.

Name of Agency.	Number of emigrants despatched. Souls.	Adults.	Number of emigrants returned. Souls.	Adults.	Expenditure on account of emigrants despatched.	Expenditure on account of emigrants returned.	Grand Total.	Rate of exchange.	Sterling money.
					Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.		£ s. d.
Natal ..	3,030	2,619	214	187	1,38,653 13 2	643 8 5	1,39,297 5 7	*	10,000 16 11¾

* 1st January to 31st March 1892 .. .. Rs. 38,270 6 7 at 1 6½ = £ 2,950 0 2½
1st April to 31st December 1892 .. .. 1,01,026 15 0 at 1 4¼ = 7,050 16 9½
Total .. 1,39,297 5 7 10,000 16 11¾

MAURITIUS.

No. 1.—Statement showing the number of Emigrants admitted in the Depôt during the year 1892 and how they were disposed of—*Nil.*

No. 2.—Statement showing the period of detention of Emigrants in Depôt during 1892—*Nil.*

No. 3.—Statement showing the number of Emigrants in Hospital during 1892—*Nil.*

No. 4.—Statement showing the number of Indian Emigrants embarked from Madras in the year 1892—*Nil.*

No. 5.—Statement showing the number of Emigrants registered in each District and the number actually embarked out of those registered—*Nil.*

No. 6.—Statement showing Districts of Emigrants embarked in 1892—*Nil.*

No. 7.—Statement showing the number of Indian Emigrants returned to Madras in the year 1892.

Date of arrival.	By what vessel arrived.	From where.	Number returned. Men.	Women	Children.	Total.	Number of emigrants died during the voyage.	Amount of savings.	Remarks.
								Rs.	
29th Feb. 1892.	S.S. "Fultala."	Mauritius.	147	48	33	228	..	5,839	*Number returned.* *No. died.*
18th June „	S.S. "Lalpoora"		110	31	27	168	2	1,895	Previous year 366 .. 1
10th Sept. „	S.S. "Wardha."		167	71	45	283	3	6,010	Year under report 679 .. 5
									Previous year savings. Rs. 4,644
									Year under report savings .. .. „ 13,744
		Total ..	424	150	105	679	5	13,744	

No. 8.—Statement of Advances paid to Emigrants at Madras in the year 1892.—*Nil.*

No. 9.—*Colonial Emigration Form No.* 19.—Form of Report of delayed despatches of Emigrants.—Return showing cause of lengthy detention of Emigrants in the Depot of the Mauritius Emigration Agency during the year 1892.—*Nil.*

No. 10.—Statement of Emigration Receipts during the year 1892 in the office of the Protector of Emigrants, Madras.

Months.	Number of emigrants registered. Men.	Women.	Children.	Amount of embarkation fees collected.	Amount of license fees collected.	Total receipts.
				Rs.		Rs.
January 1892	92	39	41	..	..	..
February „	237	118	97	1,335	..	1,335
March „	73	24	22	..	..	..
April „	152	48	54	1,266	..	1,266
May „	58	18	12	..	..	..
June „	302	130	120	906	..	906
July „	203	85	83	897	..	897
August „	188	72	57	1,257	..	1,257
September „	75	18	12	..	..	..
October „	110	38	17	945	..	945
November „	43	16	4	732	..	732
December „	87	21	7	..	..	..
Total ..	1,620	627	526	7,338	..	7,338

No. 11.—Statement of Emigration Charges during the year 1892 in the office of the Protector of Emigrants, Madras.

Establishment.	Cost.	Contingencies.	Refunds.	Total.	Remarks.
	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.	
Protector's allowance at Rs. 200 per mensem less fund deduction.	2,304 0 0	..	..	2,304 0 0	
Medical Inspector's allowance at Rs. 150 per mensem.	1,800 0 0	..	..	1,800 0 0	
Head Clerk	1,040 0 0	..	..	1,040 0 0	Mofussil disbursement amounted to Rs. 457-5-4.
Second Clerk	390 0 0	..	..	390 0 0	
Attender	130 0 0	..	..	130 0 0	
Two Peons	195 0 0	..	..	195 0 0	
Assessment	54 14 4	..	..	54 14 4	
Contingencies	..	117 2 0	..	117 2 0	
Total ..	5,913 14 4	117 2 0	..	6,031 0 4	

From Lieut.-General H. McLEOD, R.A., Her Britannic Majesty's Consular Agent, Pondicherry and Karikal, to the Chief Secretary to Government, dated Pondicherry, 25th March 1893, No. 170.

I have the honour to submit my report on emigration and free passenger traffic at Pondicherry and Karikal for the calender year 1892.

2. (*I*) *French Colonies.*—There was no emigration to French colonies, consequently Statements 1 to 10 are blank. From Statement No. 11 it will be seen that only one colony, viz., Réunion, bringing with them Rs. 8,000, declared savings, giving for 148 adults an average of Rs. 54-0-10 per head. In 1891, 235 adults who returned from the same colony averaged Rs. 34-6-9.

3. There was no death during the voyage. 38 per cent. of the emigrants landed were over the age of 50. The general appearance of the emigrants was on the whole not bad.

4. (*II*) *Straits Settlements.*—Seven hundred and thirty-seven passengers embarked from Karikal for the Straits against 2,131 in 1891. The decrease is owing to the competition between the Steamer Companies having ceased from the beginning of the year under review. Further, passengers, as a rule, prefer to embark at Negapatam, for the reason that Negapatam is the last port of call for steamers for the Straits. One thousand two hundred and twenty-three persons returned to Karikal from the Straits during 1892 against 1,997 in 1891. The reduced rate of passage-money allowed last year was not extended to the year under review consequent on the cessation of competition between the Steamer Companies. Sixty-five passengers embarked at Pondicherry for the Straits, of these only two were British subjects.

5. (*III*) *Burma, Mauritius, Ceylon.*—The embarkations from Pondicherry for Burma were 62 against 28 in 1891. Thirty-eight left Karikal for Burma in 1892 against 30 in the previous year. None returned from Burma to either port. No passengers embarked from Pondicherry for the Mauritius in 1892. In 1891 only 5 French subjects left Pondicherry for the Mauritius. There was no passenger traffic during the year between Karikal and Ceylon. The Consular clerk at Karikal states that the passengers from Ceylon landed at Negapatam, at which port the steamers arrived first.

6. *Receipts and Charges.*—There were no receipts during the year. The total expenditure at Pondicherry and Karikal was Rs. 21,245-7-0, of which Rs. 10,622-11-6 being debited to Political, leaves Rs. 10,622-11-6 as the emigration charges for the year. The total expenditure for 1891 was Rs. 13,509-11-3.

7. *Establishments.*—S. Kuppuswami Aiyar was made chief clerk on the death of T. Appasami Aiyar in October 1892 and posted to Pondicherry—*vide* G.O., Financial, dated 9th December 1892, No. 1338; and one P. Ganapati Aiyar, late clerk in the Revenue Department, was entertained as Consular clerk at Karikal. S. Kuppuswami Aiyar was placed in charge of the office on three occasions during the absence of the

Consular Agent on casual leave. Chief Clerk S. Kuppuswami Aiyar was, as usual, most efficient at Pondicherry, and Clerk P. Ganapati Aiyar has managed the Karikal office satisfactorily ever since his appointment in the Consulate. I visited Karikal in December 1892 and found the office records and everything in complete order.

8. The service registers of the establishments are properly kept up to date.

ENCLOSURES.

Nos. 1 and 2.—Statements showing the number of emigrants admitted into the Pondicherry and Karikal Depôts from January to 31st December 1892, and how they were disposed of —*Nil.*

No. 3.—Statement showing the period of detention of the emigrants in the Pondicherry and Karikal Depôts during the year 1892—*Nil.*

No. 4.—Statement showing the number of emigrants in Pondicherry and Karikal Hospitals from January to December 1892—*Nil.*

No. 5.—Statement showing the number of Indian emigrants embarked from Pondicherry and Karikal in 1892—*Nil.*

No. 6.—Statement of advances paid to emigrants at Pondicherry and Karikal in the year 1892—*Nil.*

Nos. 7 and 8.—Statements showing districts of emigrants embarked at Pondicherry and Karikal during the year 1892—*Nil.*

Nos. 9 and 10.—Statements showing the number of emigrants registered in each district and the number actually embarked at Pondicherry and Karikal—*Nil.*

No. 11.—Statement showing the number of Indian Emigrants returned to Pondicherry in the year 1892.

Date of arrival.	By what ship arrived.	From where.	Number embarked.				Number of emigrants died during the voyage.	Number of children born during the voyage.	Total number landed at Pondicherry.	Amount of savings.	Remarks.		
			Men.	Women.	Children.	Total.					Previous year.		
											Number returned.	Number died.	Savings.
										RS.			RS. A. P.
7th July 1892.	S.S. "Madagascar."	La Réunion.	115	33	34	182	..	..	182	8,000	*1,135	14	28,835 10 9

* From 3 colonies.

No. 12.—Statement showing the number of Indian Emigrants returned to Karikal in the year 1892—*Nil.*

No. 13.—Statement of Emigration Receipts at Pondicherry during the year 1892—*Nil.*

No. 14.—Statement of Emigration Charges at Pondicherry during the year 1892.

Establishment. Details.	Establishment. Cost.	Contingencies.		Refunds.	Total charges.	Remarks.	
	Rs. A. P.		Rs. A. P.		Rs. A. P.	*Previous year.*	Rs. A. P.
1 British Consular Agent.	(a)18,846 8 0	Office rent ..	300 0 0	..	..	Establishment ..	11,841 12 5
1 Clerk	(b) 585 9 9	Service postage and telegrams.	43 13 0	..	..	Contingencies ..	433 9 10
4 Peons ..	(c) 361 11 1	Hot weather charges ..	85 10 3	..	..	Refunds ..	..
1 Sweeper ..	12 0 0	Ordinary office contingencies.	37 11 9	..	..	Total ..	12,275 6 3
Total ..	19,805 12 10	Total ..	467 3 0	..	(d)20,272 15 10		

	Rs. A. P.
(a) Includes travelling allowance	62 12 0
(b) do. do. do.	17 14 0
(c) do. do. do.	4 5 0

(d) Half of this amount, i.e., Rs. 10,136-7-11 debited to Political and the other half to emigration.

No. 15.—Statement of Emigration Charges at Karikal during the year 1892.

Establishment. Details.	Establishment. Cost.	Contingencies.		Refunds.	Total expenditure.	Remarks.	
	Rs. A. P.		Rs. A. P.		Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	
1 Chief Clerk ..	636 12 5	Office rent ..	120 0 0	..	..	486 3 7	were debited to emigration.
2 Peons ..	154 0 0	Service labels ..	20 0 0	..	..		
1 Sweeper ..	11 0 0	Hot weather charges. ..	29 14 9	..	..	486 3 7	were debited to Political.
		Other expenses.	0 12 0	..	..	972 7 2	Total.
Total ..	801 12 5	Total ..	170 10 9	..	972 7 2		

Previous year Rs. 1,234-5-0. Last year charge allowance was drawn by the chief clerk in addition to his salary. Hence the decrease this year.

No. 16.—Statement showing the number of coolies under advances and passengers who embarked at Karikal for the Straits Settlements during the year 1892.

Dates.	Names of vessels.	British subjects. Coolies under advances. Men.	Women.	Children.	B. Form passengers. Men.	Women.	Children.	French subjects. Other passengers. Men.	Women.	Children.	French subjects. Men.	Women.	Children.	Grand Total. Men.	Women.	Children.	Remarks. Previous year.	Present year.	Increase.	Decrease.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21
7th January 1892	S.S. "Pundva."							51	1	1	5	1	..	56	2	1	Previous year.			
18th "	" "Purnea."							10	1	..	16	..	..	26	1	2	2,131			
5th February "	" "Pundva."							11	2	2	1	..	..	12	2	3				
16th " "	" "Purnea."							6	..	..	9	..	..	15	2	..				
29th " "	" "Secundra."							5	2	2	4	3	..	9	3	2				
14th March "	" "Sirsa."							12	4	1	1	..	..	13	2	1				
28th " "	" "Secundra."							7	2	2	81	7	5	98	11	7				
4th April "	" "Chupra."							..	..	..	7	1	1	15	2	2				
25th " "	" "Secundra."							4	4	2	10	2	2	26	6	4				
9th May "	" "Sirsa."							3	4	1	4	6	2	40	4	4				
23rd " "	" "Secundra."							..	..	..	19	2	..	80	9	4				
6th June "	" "Sirsa."							6	1	1	14	1	..	24	2	2				
18th " "	" "Secundra."							5	2	2	15	..	..	26	6	4				
3rd July "	" "Sirsa."							1	..	..	9	..	..	10	..	1				
16th " "	" "Secundra."							11	3	1	9	3	3	20	6	4				
31st " "	" "Sirsa."							23	3	2	6	..	..	29	3	2				
14th August "	" "Secundra."							39	3	3	..	..	..	39	3	3				
28th " "	" "Sirsa."							..	..	..	7	2	2	31	1	4				
11th September "	" "Secundra."							24	1	..	4	1	..	11	1	2				
27th " "	" "Sirsa."							7	..	..	4	..	..	10	1	2				
9th October "	" "Secundra."							2	..	..	8	1	..	24	1	3				
22nd " "	" "Sirsa."							..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..				
6th November "	" "Secundra."							3	..	..	2	..	..	5	..	..				
21st " "	" "Sirsa."							18	..	..	6	1	2	24	1	3				
5th December "	" "Secundra."							1	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..				
19th " "	" "Sirsa."							389	39	24	235	27	23	624	66	47	2,131	737	..	1,394
	Total																			

No. 17.—Statement showing number of passengers who returned to Karikal from the Straits Settlements during the year 1892.

Date.	Names of Ships.	Number of passengers landed.				Remarks.			
		Men.	Women.	Children.	Total.	Previous year.	Present year.	Increase.	Decrease.
2nd Jan. 1892 ..	S S. "Pundwa"	35	3	2	40	1,997	1,223	..	774
13th ,, ,, ..	,, "Purnea"	97	6	4	107				
12th Feb. ,, ..	,, "Do."	61	5	4	70				
27th ,, ,, ..	,, "Pundwa"	15	2	1	18				
6th March ,, ..	,, "Sirsa"	33	4	..	37				
10th ,, ,, ..	,, "Do."	21	3	..	24				
24th ,, ,, ..	,, "Secundra"	46	7	8	61				
21st April ,, ..	,, "Do."	19	2	..	21				
5th May ,, ..	,, "Sirsa"	82	6	9	97				
19th ,, ,, ..	,, "Secundra"	56	5	9	70				
1st June ,, ..	,, "Sirsa"	53	6	..	59				
14th ,, ,, ..	,, "Secundra"	47	6	2	55				
29th ,, ,, ..	,, "Sirsa"	55	2	5	62				
12th July ,, ..	,, "Secundra"	28	3	1	32				
9th Aug. ,, ..	,, "Do."	41	6	5	52				
24th ,, ,, ..	,, "Sirsa"	40	3	4	47				
27th ,, ,, ..	,, "Do."	30	2	1	33				
6th Sept. ,, ..	,, "Secundra"	31	6	29	66				
22nd ,, ,, ..	,, "Sirsa"	37	5	5	47				
4th Oct. ,, ..	,, "Secundra"	30	3	6	39				
18th ,, ,, ..	,, "Sirsa"	25	4	1	30				
3rd Nov. ,, ..	,, "Secundra"	20	..	2	22				
16th ,, ,, ..	,, "Sirsa"	20	4	2	26				
30th ,, ,, ..	,, "Secundra"	38	5	1	44				
14th Dec. ,, ..	,, "Sirsa"	34	4	7	45				
28th ,, ,, ..	,, "Secundra"	16	1	2	19				
	Total ..	1,010	103	110	1,223				

No. 18.—Statement showing the number of passengers who embarked from the port of Karikal for British Burma during the year 1892.

Date.	Names of Ships.	Number of passengers embarked for Moulmein.								Remarks.			
		British subjects.				French subjects.							
		Men.	Women.	Children.	Total.	Men.	Women.	Children.	Total.	Previous year.	Present year.	Increase.	Decrease.
15th Sept. 1892	Barque Sri Venugopalaswamy.	12	1	1	14	..	..	..	..	30	38	8	..
16th ,, ,,	Do. ..	15	1	1	17	6	..	1	7				
	Total ..	27	2	2	31	6	..	1	7				

No. 19.—Statement showing the number of passengers returned from British Burma to Karikal during the year 1892.

Date.	Names of vessels.	Number of passengers returned from British Burma.				Remarks.			
		Men.	Women.	Children.	Total.	Previous year.	Present year.	Increase.	Decrease.
....	....	..	..	..	..	28	*Nil.*	..	28
	Total ..	..	..	..	..				

No. 20.—Statement showing the number of passengers embarked at Karikal for Ceylon during the year 1892.

Date.	Names of vessels.	Passengers embarked.								Remarks.			
		British subjects.				French subjects.							
		Men.	Women.	Children.	Total.	Men.	Women.	Children.	Total.	Previous year.	Present year.	Increase.	Decrease.
..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	46	..	..	46

No. 21.—Statement showing the number of passengers landed at Karikal from Ceylon during the year 1892—*Nil.*

No. 22.—Abstract statement showing the number of passengers who went to British Burma, Straits Settlements and Mauritius during the year 1892.

Ports from which embarked.	Number of passengers embarked for Burma.							Number of passengers embarked for Straits Settlements.							Number of passengers embarked for Mauritius.						
	British subjects.			French subjects.			Total.	British subjects.			French subjects.			Total.	British subjects.			French subjects.			
	Men.	Women.	Children.	Men.	Women.	Children.		Men.	Women.	Children.	Men.	Women.	Children.		Men.	Women.	Children.	Men.	Women.	Children.	Total.
Pondicherry.	26	2	4	23	4	3	62	2	..	..	47	13	3	65	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Karikal ..	27	2	2	6	..	1	38	389	39	24	235	27	23	737	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Total ..	53	4	6	29	4	4	100	391	39	24	282	40	26	802	..	..	..	..	..	..	..

No. 23.—Abstract statement showing the number of passengers returned from Burma, Straits Settlements and Ceylon during the year 1892.

Ports to which returned.	Passengers returned from Burma.				Passengers returned from Straits Settlements.				Passengers returned from Ceylon.			
	Men.	Women.	Children.	Total.	Men.	Women.	Children.	Total.	Men.	Women.	Children.	Total.
Pondicherry	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Karikal	..	..	..	..	1,010	103	110	1,223	..	..	..	..
Total ..	..	..	..	..	1,010	103	110	1,223	..	..	..	..

No. 24.—Statement showing the names of British steamers that arrived at Pondicherry during the year 1892.

Names.	Number of arrivals.	Names.	Number of arrivals.
1. S.S. "Putiala"	21	30. S.S. "Pentaketa"	1
2. ,, "Pundwa"	3	31. ,, "Metapedia"	1
3. ,, "Culna"	5	32. ,, "Bhundara"	1
4. ,, "Khandalla"	7	33. ,, "Peveril"	1
5. ,, "Nawab"	9	34. ,, "Congo"	1
6. ,, "Palitana"	18	35. ,, "Abana"	1
7. ,, "Huzara"	3	36. ,, "Bancoora"	1
8. ,, "Purnea"	2	37. ,, "Asloun"	1
9. ,, "Tannadice"	2	38. ,, "Erato"	1
10. ,, "Oriental"	2	39. ,, "Loch Maree"	1
11. ,, "Kangra"	4	40. ,, "Orono"	1
12. ,, "Nadir"	10	41. ,, "Nowshera"	1
13. ,, "Katoria"	6	42. ,, "Chanda"	2
14. ,, "Rajpootana"	6	43. ,, "Patna"	2
15. ,, "Baghdad"	9	44. ,, "Calliope"	1
16. ,, "Goalpara"	5	45. ,, "Blackheath"	1
17. ,, "Kohinur"	2	46. ,, "Mortlake"	1
18. ,, "Chindwara"	2	47. ,, "Altonower"	1
19. ,, "Secundra"	11	48. ,, "Umballa"	1
20. ,, "Ellora"	6	49. ,, "Waverley"	1
21. ,, "Camorta"	5	50. ,, "Loodiana"	1
22. ,, "River Indus"	1	51. ,, "Sirdhana"	1
23. ,, "Amana"	1	52. ,, "Landaura"	1
24. ,, "Nizam"	11	53. ,, "Effel Tower"	1
25. ,, "Harrogate"	1	54. ,, "Warora"	1
26. ,, "Sirsa"	11		
27. ,, "Henzada"	3		
28. ,, "Sciendia"	1		
29. ,, "Chupra"	3	Total ..	199

No. 25.—Statement showing the names of British steamers that arrived at Karikal during the year 1892.

Names.	Number of arrivals.	Names.	Number of arrivals.
1. S.S. "Pundwa"	4	14. S.S. "Baghdad"	2
2. ,, "Khandalla"	1	15. ,, "Aska"	7
3. ,, "Purnea"	4	16. ,, "Nadir"	5
4. ,, "Huzara"	1	17. ,, "Chupra"	2
5. ,, "Tannadice"	2	18. ,, "Bancoora"	1
6. ,, "Rajpootana"	1	19. ,, "Kohinur"	1
7. ,, "Goalpara"	1	20. ,, "Nizam"	2
8. ,, "Chindwara"	2	21. ,, "Vita"	9
9. ,, "Kulna"	2	22. ,, "Kangra"	1
10. ,, "Nawab"	5	23. ,, "Chanda"	1
11. ,, "Secundra"	22	24. ,, "Waverley"	1
12. ,, "Camorta"	2		
13. ,, "Sirsa"	22	Total ..	101

No. 26.—Statement showing the names of sailing vessels that arrived at Pondicherry during the year 1892.

Names.	Number of times arrived.	Names.	Number of times arrived.
1. 3 M. Ch. "Curreem Bux"	1	21. Dhony "Muhamed Bunder"	1
2. Br. Ch. "Sri Venkatachalapati"	1	22. ,, "Ramasamy"	1
3. ,, "Sri Venkateswaraloo"	1	23. ,, "Sivasundarapuravy"	4
4. ,, "Bougarie Moidin Samadany"	1	24. ,, "Sainte Annalakshmy"	1
5. ,, "Parvatabakyalakshmy"	3	25. ,, "Nagalingapuravy"	1
6. Colonel Fytche	1	26. ,, "Nagur Mira Sahib"	1
7. Selvanayagy	1	27. ,, "Sebamalé Madavinpuravy"	4
8. Br. Ch. "Candassami Kaliana Varada Lukshmy."	1	28. ,, "Saint Joseph Provendamaria"	1
		29. ,, "Kouripakyalakshmy"	4
9. ,, "Muhamed Sulimán Bux"	1	30. ,, "Parvatabakyalakshmy"	3
10. Bk. "Harrington"	1	31. ,, "Poornalakshmy"	2
11. Br. Ch. "Mailvaganapuravy"	1	32. ,, "Nilayadatchy"	6
12. ,, "Katheria"	1	33. ,, "Tayalnayagy"	3
13. ,, "Veeralakshmy"	3	34. ,, "Moidin Bux"	1
14. ,, "Nithiyapakiam"	1	35. ,, "Annapurany"	1
15. ,, "Dhanalakshmy"	1	36. ,, "Saminaden"	1
16. ,, "Cader Moidin Bux"	1	37. ,, "Adinarayanapuravy"	1
17. ,, "Annalakshmy"	1	38. ,, "Marie Sintadri Antonipuravy"	2
18. ,, "Sree Venugopalasami"	1	39. ,, "Hydrose"	1
19. ,, "Nilayadatchy"	1		
20. Dhony "Annalakshmy"	2	Total ..	64

No. 27.—Statement showing the names of sailing vessels that arrived at Karikal during the year 1892.

Names.	Number of arrivals.	Names.	Number of arrivals.
1. Bk. "Sri Venugopalasamy"	5	20. Dhony "Tirusundra Puravy"	1
2. Br. Ch. "Soobramaniapuravy"	1	21. Bk. "Sundraraja Vijia Lakshmi"	2
3. Schooner "Meanatchy Soondram"	4	22. Dhony "Mohamed Bundor"	1
4. Dhony "Sivagami Amman"	9	23. ,, "Mohamed Abdul Carim"	2
5. ,, "Sepamalai Madavinpuravy"	4	24. ,, "Poorva Lakshmi"	5
6. Bk. "Soondra Lakshmi"	3	25. ,, "Thayel Nayagy"	1
7. ,, "Konesarpuravy"	5	26. Bk. "John and Mary"	1
8. ,, "Vinayaga Pakia Lakshmi"	5	27. ,, "Tirunadaraja Puravy"	1
9. Dhony "Haja Ameed Bux"	1	28. Dhony "Mohidin Bux Lakshmi"	1
10. ,, "Fatasalam"	2	29. Bk. "Sahool Hamed"	2
11. ,, "Adi Lakshmi"	4	30. ,, "Cader Mohidin Bux"	1
12. ,, "Swaminathan"	2	31. ,, "Mohidin Hydroze"	1
13. ,, "Mohidin Sahool Amid Bux"	4	32. Dhony "Mohamed Ibram Ali"	3
14. ,, "Anna Lakshmi"	2	33. ,, "Rajool Mohamed Bux"	1
15. ,, "Harriet"	1	34. ,, "Joseph Prabanda Maria"	2
16. ,, "Cader Bux"	1	35. ,, "Abdul Ameed"	1
17. ,, "Mahilvahanapuravy"	5	36. ,, "Sepamalai Madavinpuravy"	1
18. ,, "Ramasamy"	1		
19. ,, "Nilayadatchy"	4	Total ..	90

No. 28.—Abstract statement of shipping particulars.

Particulars of vessels.	Number of vessels				Total number of arrivals.	
	Steamers.		Sailing vessels.			
	To Pondicherry.	To Karikal.	To Pondicherry.	To Karikal.	At Pondicherry.	At Karikal.
Vessels making 25 voyages	..	..	..	..	..	..
Do. 24 do.	..	..	..	..	..	..
Do. 23 do.	..	..	..	..	..	..
Do. 22 do.	..	2	..	..	..	44
Do. 21 do.	1	..	..	..	21	..
Do. 19 do.	..	..	..	..	..	..
Do. 18 do.	1	..	..	..	18	..
Do. 12 do.	..	..	..	..	..	..
Do. 11 do.	3	..	..	..	33	..
Do. 10 do.	1	..	..	..	10	..
Do. 9 do.	2	1	..	1	18	18
Do. 8 do.	..	..	..	..	..	..
Do. 7 do.	1	1	..	..	7	7
Do. 6 do.	3	..	1	..	24	..
Do. 5 do.	3	2	..	5	15	35
Do. 4 do.	1	2	3	5	16	28
Do. 3 do.	5	..	4	2	27	6
Do. 2 do.	7	7	3	7	20	28
Do. 1 do.	26	9	28	16	54	25
Total ..	54	24	39	36	263	191

From the Accountant-General, dated 19th April 1893, No. B.B.P.-1.

Proceedings of the Board of Revenue (Separate Revenue), dated 24th April 1893, No. 169.

Read—again Proceedings of the Board of Revenue (Separate Revenue), dated 29th March 1893, Mis. No. 1172.

ABSTRACT.—Forwarding to the Accountant-General, for verification, statement of emigration receipts and charges during the year 1892.

Read—also the following papers :—

From the Collector of Ganjam,	dated 21st Mar. 1893,	No. 159-Eng.
,, ,, of Vizagapatam,	,, 7th Feb. ,,	,, 324.
,, ,, of Gódávari,	,, 20th ,, ,,	,, ——.
,, ,, of Nellore,	,, 5th ,, ,,	,, 181-Eng.
,, ,, of Chingleput,	,, 17th ,, ,, Ref.	,, 32-S.R.
,, ,, of North Arcot,	,, 18th ,, ,,	,, 859-R.G.
,, ,, of South Arcot,	,, 13th ,, ,,	,, 209-I.
,, ,, of ,,	,, 22nd ,, ,,	,, 283-I.
,, ,, of Tanjore,	,, 18th ,, ,,	,, 130.
,, ,, of Madura,	,, 21st ,, ,,	,, 22.
,, ,, of Tinnevelly,	,, 2nd Mar. ,,	,, 138.
,, ,, of Coimbatore,	,, 4th Feb. ,,	,, 119-M.
,, Protector of Emigrants, Madras,	,, 18th Mar. ,,	,, 123.
,, ,, ,, ,,	,, 19th April ,,	,, 172.
,, British Consular Agent, Pondicherry and Karikal,	,, 25th Mar. ,,	,, 171.

ABSTRACT.—Reports and Returns of Emigration and Immigration for 1892.

Read—also Nil returns of emigration and immigration from the Collectors of Kistna, Cuddapah, Anantapur, Bellary, Kurnool, Trichinopoly, Nilgiris, Salem, South Canara and Malabar.

Read—also letter from the Collector of Cuddapah, dated 19th February 1893, No. 631-Ver.

ABSTRACT.—Requesting that a certain correction may be made in his *Nil* return of emigration for 1892.

Read—also letter from the Accountant-General, Madras, dated 19th April 1893, No. I.B.B.-16.

ABSTRACT.—Returning after verification the statement of emigration receipts and charges for 1892, received with Board's Proceedings, dated 29th March 1893, Mis. No. 1172.

Resolution—dated 24th April 1893, No. 169.

The papers read above relate to the statistics of emigration and immigration for the year 1892. There was no emigration to the French colonies during the year under report. Emigration to Assam took place under Act V of 1866 from the Ganjam district, but the subject has been excluded from this report, as directed in G.O., dated 2nd February 1892, No. 80, Public.

2. The subjoined abstract compares the number of emigrants, including children, registered for Mauritius and Natal under Act XXI of 1883, and for the Straits Settlements, Burmah and Ceylon, with the corresponding figures for 1891 :—

—	Regulated emigration.		Non-regulated or free emigration.	
	1891.	1892.	1891.	1892.
Mauritius	516	..	..	..
Natal	4,118	4,970	..	..
Straits Settlements	3,972	1,970	* 26,552	17,750
Burmah	..	..	43,717	45,881
Ceylon	..	..	† 74,643	86,415
Other parts of India	..	..	1,948	8,779
Total ..	8,606	6,940	146,860	158,825
Total emigration, regulated and non-regulated ..	1891. 155,466		1892. 165,765	

* This is the correct figure, as it includes the number of emigrants (22) from Pondicherry (*vide* second statement appended to paragraph 10 of Board's Proceedings, dated 11th May 1892, No. 255).

† The difference between this and the figure given in Board's Proceedings, dated 11th May 1892, No. 255, is explained in the foot-note to the statement appended to paragraph 12 below.

Thus the total number of emigrants registered during the year under report shows an increase of 10,289 or 6·6 per cent. over the number for the previous year.

REGULATED EMIGRATION.

3. *Emigration to Mauritius.*—Owing to the absence of demand for labour, there was no emigration to Mauritius during the year under reference. The number of coolies registered for 1891 was 516.

4. *Emigration to Natal.*—The following statement shows the number of emigrants registered for Natal and the number that actually embarked for the colony during the past two years :—

Statement showing the number of emigrants registered for Natal in each district and the number embarked out of them during 1892, as compared with the figures of 1891.

Districts.		Number registered.				Number embarked.			
		Men.	Women.	Children.	Total.	Men.	Women.	Children.	Total.
1		2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
1. Ganjám ..	1892 ..	9	3	2	14	2	..	..	2
	1891 ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
2. Vizagapatam.	1892 ..	8	2	1	11	3	1	2	6
	1891 ..	18	3	2	23	9	2	1	12
3. Gódávari ..	1892 ..	92	15	7	114	68	17	7	92
	1891 ..	42	6	..	48	5	..	..	5
4. Nellore ..	1892 ..	83	46	23	152	28	13	14	55
	1891 ..	51	16	5	72	11	4	3	18
5. Madras ..	1892 ..	1,620	627	526	2,773	855	384	302	1,541
	1891 ..	1,273	574	537	2,384	376	175	157	708
6. North Arcot.	1892 ..	842	298	304	1,444	343	138	131	612
	1891 ..	488	153	108	749	114	59	43	216
7. Cuddapah ..	1892 ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
	1891 ..	8	..	..	8	6	..	..	6
8. Chingleput ..	1892 ..	119	41	45	205	61	21	18	100
	1891 ..	272	86	85	443	38	11	8	57
9. South Arcot..	1892 ..	21	2	1	24	11	1	..	12
	1891 ..	41	13	18	72	2	..	..	2
10. Tanjore ..	1892 ..	26	11	* 3	40	8	8	2	18
	1891 ..	42	7	4	53	19	3	2	24
11. Madura ..	1892 ..	143	26	4	173	70	14	1	85
	1891 ..	49	12	2	63	15	5	1	21
12. Salem ..	1892 ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
	1891 ..	8	2	..	10	3	..	..	3
13. Coimbatore ..	1892 ..	13	4	3	20	13	2	1	16
	1891 ..	143	33	17	193	49	13	3	65
Total ..	1892 ..	2,976	1,075	919	4,970	1,462	599	478	2,539
	1891 ..	2,435	905	778	4,118	647	272	218	1,137

Note.—The figures in the above statement exclude the number of emigrants from Bangalore and the number embarked out of those remaining on hand on the 31st December 1891.

* The Collector of Tanjore says that this is the correct number and that the figure shown in the statement submitted to the Protector of Emigrants for April 1892 should have been 3 (2 males and 1 female) instead of 4.

5. There was thus an increase of 852 in the number of persons registered for Natal during 1892, as compared with 1891. The explanation given by the Emigration Agent for the colony is that the outbreak of cholera in the latter part of 1891 interfered very much with the recruiting of coolies, while there was no serious epidemic of any kind in 1892. North Arcot alone shows an increase of 695, for which explanation has been called for from the Collector.

6. The total number of children registered in the several districts was 919 against 778 in the previous year, the number that actually embarked being 478.

7. The emigration operations of the year are reported to have been on the whole satisfactory. Excepting measles of a mild type, which broke out about the end of July, but which happily did not interfere much with embarkation, nothing happened to disturb the usual routine of business in the depôt. Prompt and careful attention was paid to the comfort of the coolies, who appear to have expressed themselves highly satisfied with the treatment they had received at the depôt.

8. There was some delay in the shipments, which was mainly due to the wreck of the vessel that was to have carried some coolies in December last. This necessitated their detention for a further period of about a month, which it took to get another ship ready.

9. *Emigration to the Straits Settlements.*—Indentured emigrants proceeded only from Negapatam. The following statement shows the number of emigrants of this class registered during the year and the number of them that embarked :—

——	1891.				1892.			
	Adults.	Children.	Dependents.	Total.	Adults.	Children.	Dependents.	Total.
Number of emigrants registered	3,578	244	150	3,972	1,666	185	119	1,970
Number embarked	3,440	244	150	3,834	1,629	185	119	1,933

The decrease in the emigration to the Straits is attributed to the decreased demand in the colony for labourers and to the higher standard of physical fitness now required by the Medical officer.

NON-REGULATD EMIGRATION.

10. The subjoined statement shows the number of free passengers that proceeded to the Straits Settlements during the year under report :—

Ports of embarkation.	1891.			1892.		
	Adults.	Children.	Total.	Adults.	Children.	Total.
Porto Novo	991	23	1,014	518	55	573
Karikal	1,240	48	1,288	428	24	452
Negapatam	21,800	2,428	24,228	15,417	1,306	16,723
Pondicherry	22	..	22	2	..	2
Total ..	24,053	2,499	26,552	16,365	1,385	17,750

The falling off in the number of passengers is reported to be due to the absence of the competition among the Steamer Agents which existed in 1891, the British India Steam Navigation Company now monopolising the whole traffic and to the consequent enhancement of the passage fares.

11. *Emigration to Burmah.*—The number of passengers that embarked for Burmah during 1892 is compared below with the figures of 1891 :—

Districts.	1891.			1892.		
	Adults.	Children.	Total.	Adults.	Children.	Total.
Ganjám	14,072	455	14,527	12,870	706	13,576
Vizagapatam	10,533	242	10,775	8,880	290	9,170
Tanjore	16,935	1,475	18,410	21,230	1,873	23,103
South Arcot (Pondicherry)	4	1	5	28	4	32
Total ..	41,544	2,173	43,717	43,008	2,873	45,881

Emigration to Burmah and Ceylon being free, it is not possible to distinguish real emigrants from ordinary passengers. The figures tabulated in this and the following paragraphs merely represent the number of all persons who actually embarked for those countries.

There was a slight decrease in the number of emigrants to Burmah from Ganjám and Vizagapatam. The variation in the first-named district is attributed to the greater inducements held out by the Assam Tea Planters, while that in Vizagapatam is ascribed to the favorable season. The Collector of Tanjore reports that the steady increase in his district is natural in view of the widely extended fields for labour opened out by the recent annexation.

12. *Emigration to Ceylon.*—The statistics of the last two years are compared below :—

Districts.	1891.				1892.			
	Men.	Women.	Children.	Total.	Men.	Women.	Children.	Total.
Madura	22,563	4,221	1,365	28,149	21,780	5,230	1,992	29,002
Tinnevelly	33,001	3,678	4,170	40,849	42,933	4,509	4,776	52,218
Tanjore. Karikal	..	..	..	46	..	..	..	..
Tanjore. Negapatam	4,727	559	309	1,886	850	77	63	990
Tanjore. Minor ports				3,709	3,652	369	194	4,205
Vizagapatam	4	..	..	4	..	..	..	..
Total ..	60,338	8,461	5,844	74,643	69,215	10,175	7,025	86,415

Note.—The figures in this statement include the passenger traffic to Ceylon from the minor ports of the Tanjore district. This was omitted in Board's Proceedings, dated 11th May 1892, No. 255, as the corresponding figures for 1890 were not available.

Emigration to Ceylon was, as usual, almost wholly confined to the Madura and Tinnevelly districts. The total number of emigrants shows an increase of 11,772 or nearly 16 per cent. when compared with the number for the previous year. The large increase in Tinnevelly is explained by the Collector to be due to the greater exertions of the Ceylon Planters to secure labour for coffee and other estates, to the general development of the tea industry, and to the improved facilities provided in the colony for the transport of coolies from the sea-ports. Madura shows a small increase which is attributed to the unfavorable character of the season. The Collector of Tanjore says that no plausible reason can be assigned for the slight decline in the number from his district.

13. The figures tabulated in paragraphs 9 to 12 above are those given in the annual Emigration reports read at the head of these Proceedings and differ from the figures furnished in the quarterly returns of passengers submitted by Collectors of Maritime districts, as shown in the following abstract :—

Districts.	Straits Settlements.		Burmah.		Ceylon.	
	As per annual emigration report.	As per quarterly returns of passengers.	As per annual emigration report.	As per quarterly returns of passengers.	As per annual emigration report.	As per quarterly returns of passengers.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
Ganjám	..	..	13,576	13,574	..	..
Vizagapatam	..	..	9,170	9,170	..	..
Gódávari	..	..	..	8,402	..	1
Kistna	..	..	..	307	..	..
Madras	..	222	..	6,803	..	101
South Arcot	575	592	32	215	..	6
Tanjore	19,108	17,259	23,103	23,072	5,195	5,195
Madura	..	..	..	..	29,002	57,431
Tinnevelly	..	..	..	..	52,218	53,407
South Canara	..	..	..	3	..	1
Malabar	..	..	..	6	..	36

The Collector of Ganjám reports that the number of passengers shown in his annual Emigration report as having sailed for Burmah, *i.e.*, 13,576, is correct. The difference between the figures entered in columns 4 and 5 against Tanjore apparently represents the number of emigrants that proceeded from Karikal. The Collector is requested to include the passenger traffic from that port in his future quarterly returns. There is no difference between the figures shown in columns 6 and 7 against the same district, and in columns 4 and 5 against Vizagapatam. The other discrepancies should be explained by the Collectors concerned, whose attention will again be drawn to the last sentence of paragraph 11, Board's Proceedings, dated 11th May 1892, No. 255. The number of emigrants to Ceylon from Madura, as shown in the Collector's quarterly returns, is nearly twice as large as the number given in his annual emigration report.

14. *Emigration to other parts of British India.*—During the year under report, there were 8,779 emigrants to other parts of British India (6,887 * from Ganjám, 1,890 from Vizagapatam and 2 from Tanjore) against 1948 in 1,891 (1923 from Vizagapatam and 25 from Tanjore). But it is hardly credible that emigration of this kind took place only from the three districts mentioned above. The Collectors of the other coast districts, who have not furnished returns in spite of the instruction in paragraph 11 of G.O., dated 11th June 1892, No. 392, Public, are requested to explain the omission and see that it does not recur. The figures now furnished by the Collectors of Ganjám, Vizagapatam and Tanjore, differ from those given in the quarterly returns, as shown in the margin. The discrepancies should be explained.

* This figure is reported by the Collector to include the number of emigrants registered and despatched to Assam, inasmuch as they embarked for Calcutta at the port of Gopalpur.

Districts.	As per annual emigration report.	As per quarterly returns under the headings "ports within the Presidency" and "ports beyond the Presidency but within British India."
Ganjám	6,887	6,901
Vizagapatam	1,890	1,901
Tanjore	2	64

15. *Immigration.*—The number of immigrants during the year under report is compared below with the figures for 1891 :—

Districts.	1891.			1892.		
	Adults.	Children.	Total.	Adults.	Children.	Total.
South Arcot .. Pondicherry ..	877	258	1,135	148	34	182
South Arcot .. Porto Novo ..	165	2	167	156	7	163
Ganjám	5,000	2	5,002	7,168	247	7,415
Madras	578	168	746	741	152	* 893
Madura	53,174	2,587	55,761	48,928	3,657	52,585
Tanjore .. Negapatam ..	37,000	2,079	39,079	29,467	1,532	30,999
Tanjore .. Karikal	1,932	93	2,025	1,113	110	1,223
Tanjore .. Minor ports ..	5,723	265	5,988	3,445	139	3,584
Tinnevelly	39,461	2,147	41,608	46,832	2,183	49,015
Vizagapatam	10,881	273	11,154	11,220	235	11,455
Total ..	154,791	7,874	162,665	149,218	8,296	157,514

* Of these, five persons died during the voyage.

Note.—The figures in this statement include the passenger traffic from Ceylon to the minor ports of the Tanjore district. This was omitted in Board's Proceedings, dated 11th May 1892, No. 255, as the corresponding figures for 1890 were not available.

16. The number of immigrants recorded during the year amounted to 157,514 against 162,665 in 1891, showing a slight decrease of 5,151 or about 3 per cent. The Collector of South Arcot states that he is unable to explain the decrease in the number of emigrants returned from the French colonies, but it is apparently due to the fact that while in the previous year emigrants returned from the three colonies of La Réunion, Martinique and Guadeloupe, there were no returns from the two latter colonies during 1892. The increase in Ganjám is reported to be due to the favorable character of the season and to the prospect of work on the East Coast Railway in progress in the district. The latter cause also explains the increase in Vizagapatam. The unfavorable season is the reason assigned by the Collector of Madura for the decrease in his district. In Tanjore the prevalence of famine prices and the drought that prevailed from September onwards probably discouraged the return of many emigrants. The raising of the passage fares by the British India Steam Navigation Company also partially accounts for the decrease. The Collector of Tinnevelly explains the increase in his district by saying that immigration follows the fluctuations of emigration and that the immigrants are mostly returned emigrants. There was an increase in the number of emigrants returned from Mauritius which is surmised by the Agent for that colony to be due to the terrible hurricane which swept over the colony during the year under report.

17. The various colonies from which the immigrants returned are specified below :—

From Burmah	27,040
„ Ceylon	106,866
„ Straits Settlements	18,234
„ Natal	214
„ Mauritius	679
„ La Réunion	182
„ Other parts of India	4,299
Total ...	157,514

18. The subjoined table compares the number of immigrants from the Straits Settlements, Burmah, Ceylon and other parts of India, as shown in the previous paragraph with the number given by Collectors of Maritime districts in their quarterly returns of passengers :—

Districts.	Passengers returning from Straits Settlements. As per annual emigration report.	Straits Settlements. As per quarterly returns of passengers.	Burmah. As per annual emigration report.	Burmah. As per quarterly returns of passengers.	Ceylon. As per annual emigration report.	Ceylon. As per quarterly returns of passengers.	Other parts of British India. As per annual emigration report.	Other parts of British India. As per quarterly returns of passengers (headings, "ports within the Presidency" and "ports beyond the Presidency but within British India)."
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
Ganjám	..	..	5,701	5,701	..	..	* 1,714	1,714
Vizagapatam ..	..	..	9,236	9,236	10	10	2,209	2,209
Godávari ..	..	..	..	10,163	..	1	..	1,825
Kistna	..	..	..	310	..	..	..	708
Madras	..	475	..	5,268	..	298	..	3,925
South Arcot ..	163	165	..	..	..	87	..	7
Tanjore ..	18,071	16,848	12,103	12,111	5,256	5,256	376	543
Madura	..	..	..	..	52,585	29,869	..	29,444
Tinnevelly ..	..	..	..	..	49,015	49,914	..	2,037
South Canara ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	15,523
Malabar	..	..	..	2	..	77	..	2,761

* The Collector says that this figure probably includes the number of emigrants returned from Assam.

There is no discrepancy in the figures furnished by the Collectors of Ganjám and Vizagapatam. The difference between the figures in columns 2 and 3 against Tanjore seems to represent the number of immigrants (1,223) who landed at Karikal, which should also be included in future quarterly returns. The other differences between the two sets of figures should be explained by the Collectors concerned.

19. The annexed statement compares the number of emigrants and immigrants from Burmah, Straits Settlements and Ceylon for the last five years :—

Years.	Burmah. Emigrants to.	Burmah. Immigrants from.	Straits Settlements. Emigrants to.	Straits Settlements. Immigrants from.	Ceylon. Emigrants to.	Ceylon. Immigrants from.
1888	38,014	19,929	22,299	12,015	78,302	61,080
1889	34,303	21,638	19,800	13,992	93,219	67,023
1890	33,048	25,446	19,351	14,103	74,481	55,221
1891	43,717	28,260	30,524	26,114	74,643	103,456
1892	45,881	27,040	19,720	18,234	86,415	106,866
Average ..	38,993	24,463	22,339	16,892	81,412	78,729

20. The subjoined statement shows at one glance the total number of emigrants from, and immigrants to, the Madras Presidency during the past ten years :—

	Emigrants.	Immigrants.
1883–84	54,347	57,537
1884–85	55,427	57,548
1885 (nine months)	47,075	39,673
1886	83,337	71,542
1887	129,650	89,844
1888	143,045	97,318
1889	155,685	106,924
1890	135,473	98,386
1891	155,466	162,665
1892	165,765	157,514
Average ...	112,526	93,895

The average of the last ten years shows that about 83 per cent. of the number of emigrants returned to their homes, while 17 per cent. settled, either temporarily or permanently, in the various colonies to which they proceeded. The number of immigrants has exceeded the number of emigrants only in the years 1883–84, 1884–85 and 1891.

21. The statement appended below, giving the details of receipts and charges on account of emigration during the year under report, has been verified by the Accountant-General, as directed in Government Order, dated 18th September 1886, No. 1946, Public :—

STATEMENT of Receipts and Charges on account of Emigration during the year 1892.

Districts.	Receipts. Rs. A. P.	Districts.	Expenditure. Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
		Presidency.		
Madras	7,338 0 0	Protector of Emigrants' allowance at Rs. 200 per month from 1st December 1891 to 30th November 1892, less annuity fund deductions	2,304 0 0	
		Medical Inspector of Emigrants' allowance at Rs. 150 per month from 1st December 1891 to 30th November 1892	1,800 0 0	
		Pay of clerks and servants from 1st December 1891 to 31st December 1892	1,755 0 0	
		Municipal assessment on sheds	54 14 4	
		Service postage and telegrams	11 8 0	
		Other contingencies	105 10 0	
			6,031 0 4	
		Add 25 per cent. on the third item on account of leave and pensionary allowances	438 12 0	
				6,469 12 4
		South Arcot.		
		Moiety of salary of the British Consular Agent at Karikal and Pondicherry including his pay of Military rank from 1st December 1891 to 30th November 1892..	9,891 14 0	
		Moiety of pay of clerks and servants at Pondicherry from 1st December 1891 to 31st December 1892 ..	468 9 0	
		Moiety of office rent	150 0 0	
		Do. of service postage and telegrams	21 14 6	
		Do. of travelling allowance of officer and establishment	42 7 6	
		Moiety of other contingencies	61 10 11	
			10,136 7 11	
		Add 25 per cent. on the second item on account of leave and pensionary allowances	117 2 3	
				10,253 10 2
		Tanjore.		
		Pay of clerks and peons of the Protector of Emigrants, Negapatam, and of those under the Deputy Magistrate, Tanjore, from 1st December 1891 to 31st December 1892	449 11 4	
		Travelling allowance	1 8 0	
		Service postage	2 0 0	
		Contingencies	4 2 0	
			457 5 4	
		Add 25 per cent. on the first item on account of leave and pensionary allowances	112 6 10	
				569 12 2
		Moiety of pay of clerks and servants of the Consular Agent's office at Karikal from 1st December 1891 to October 1892	400 14 3	
		Moiety of service postage	10 0 0	
		Do. of office rent and contingencies	75 5 4	
			486 3 7	
		Add 25 per cent. on the first item on account of leave and pensionary allowances	100 3 7	
				586 7 2
		Maisur.		
		Fees for copying the agreements of emigrants ..	3 12 0	
				3 12 0
Total, Receipts ..	7,338 0 0	Total, Charges ..	..	17,883 5 10

The receipts of the year, excluding those in Ganjám and Vizagapatam under Act V of 1866, amounted to Rs. 7,338 or nearly twice as much as the amount realized in 1891, viz., Rs. 3,721. The charges amounted to Rs. 17,883 against Rs. 13,053 in the previous year, showing an increase of Rs. 4,830 or 37 per cent. The charges exclude a moiety of the salaries of the British Consular Agent at Pondicherry and Karikal and of his establishments, which has been debited to "Political" under the orders of Government.

(A true Extract.)

(Signed) W. O. HORNE,
Acting Secretary.

(True Copy.)

(Signed) EDMUND MILLETT,
Assistant Secretary.

To the Chief Secretary to Government, Public Department.
" all Collectors.
" the Protector of Emigrants, Madras.

Proceedings of the Board of Revenue (Separate Revenue), dated 10th May 1893, Mis. No. 1675.

Resolution—dated 10th May 1893, Mis. No. 1675.

In continuation of paragraph 5 of Board's Proceedings, No. 169, dated 24th April 1893, the Board begs to state that the increase in the number of emigrants registered for Natal in the North Arcot district during 1892, as compared with the previous year, is explained by the Collector to be due to the continued unfavorable character of the season and the prevalence of distress.

(True Extract.)

(Signed) EDMUND MILLETT,
Assistant Secretary.

To the Chief Secretary to Government, Public Department.

Proceedings of the Board of Revenue (Separate Revenue), dated 1st June 1893, Mis. No. 1966.

ORDER—dated 7th June 1893, No. 445, Public.

The papers read above relate to the operations connected with emigration in the Madras Presidency during the year 1892, with the exception of that from the Ganjam district to Assam on which a separate report has already been received and reviewed.

G.O., dated 25th April 1890, Nos. 330–331.

A.—REGULATED EMIGRATION.

I.—EMIGRATION UNDER ACT XXI OF 1883.

(a) To British Colonies.

2. The only two colonies which maintained agencies at Madras were those of Mauritius and Natal. The Government is glad to learn that the depôts were kept in good condition throughout the year and that their management was satisfactory.

3. *Mauritius.*—Owing to the absence of any demand for labour there was no emigration to Mauritius during the year under review, but 679 coolies * returned from that colony in three batches with savings amounting to Rs. 13,744. There were altogether 5 deaths among them.

*Men	424
Women	150
Children	105

The corresponding figures for 1891 were—coolies 366, savings Rs. 4,644, and death 1.

4. *Natal.*—Recruitment for Natal was carried on actively throughout the year, although towards the end of July it was slightly disturbed by a mild outbreak of measles in the depôt. At the end of 1891 there were 658 emigrants awaiting embarkation and 4,550 were admitted during the year, making a total of 5,208. The number re-admitted from hospital was 131, bringing the total up to 5,339. Of these, 278 renounced their engagements or deserted, 1,755 were rejected, 20 died, 131 were in hospital, and 3,030 were shipped in seven instalments, leaving the small number of 125 for future shipment. As compared with the previous year, there was an increase of 849 in the number of admissions, which is the highest on record for the last six years, and of 1,848 in the number actually shipped, which was slightly exceeded only in 1890. Of the number that embarked, North Arcot supplied no less than 1,331, owing, it is stated, to the continued unfavorable character of the season and the prevalence of distress in that district. The figures for Chingleput, South Arcot and Nellore was also considerable, being 941, 198 and 150, respectively. The period of detention of the coolies in the depôt showed improvement.

Two hundred and fourteen * emigrants returned from Natal with savings amounting to Rs. 35,000, against 380 with Rs. 62,232 in 1891, and there were no deaths among them.

*Men	120
Women	47
Children	47

5. The following statement compares the average savings of an adult returned emigrant in 1892 with those in 1891 :—

	Mauritius.			Natal.		
	Number of adults.	Total Savings.	Average.	Number of adults.	Total Savings.	Average.
		Rs.			Rs.	
1891	314	4,644	15	264	62,232	236
1892	574	13,744	24	167	35,000	209

(b) To French Colonies.

6. There was no emigration to French colonies during the year under review and only one colony—Réunion—repatriated emigrants numbering 182, the savings brought by them being Rs. 8,000. There were no deaths on the return voyage. With reference to the concluding portion of paragraph 5 of the review of the operations † for 1891, it is observed that the French Government has recently expressed its readiness to take steps for removing the difficulties hitherto placed in the way of emigrants wishing to return to India.

† G.O., dated 11th June 1892, No. 392.

II.—EMIGRATION TO STRAITS SETTLEMENTS.

7. As in the previous year, indentured emigrants to the Straits Settlements proceeded only from Negapatam. The following statements show the total number of emigrants, indentured and free, during the last three years :—

A.—Labourers registered under Form A (with minor dependents).

Ports of embarkation.	1890.		1891.		1892.	
	Adults.	Children.	Adults.	Children.	Adults.	Children.
Madras	7	..	..	..	..	..
Negapatam	2,913	139	3,590	244	1,748	185
Total	3,059		3,834		1,933	

B.—Free Passengers.

Ports of embarkation.	1890.		1891.		1892.	
	Adults.	Children.	Adults.	Children.	Adults.	Children.
Negapatam	14,108	1,366	21,800	2,428	15,417	1,306
Karikal	279	22	1,240	48	428	24
Porto Novo	293	19	991	23	518	55
Pondicherry	8	..	22	..	2	..
Total ..	16,095		26,552		17,750	

The large falling off as compared with the previous year in the number of indentured emigrants is ascribed to decreased demand in the colony for labourers and to the higher standard of physical fitness now required by the medical officer, while that in the emigrants of the other class is explained to be due to the enhancement of the passage fares. It is, however, observed that the increase under the latter head in 1891 was abnormal. In addition to the number shown in the foregoing table, 348 French subjects embarked at Pondicherry and Karikal for the Straits Settlements. The number of immigrants from the Straits was 18,234 against 26,114 in 1891.

III.—EMIGRATION TO ASSAM.

8. As observed in paragraph 1 above, a separate report on this subject has already been received and reviewed in G.O., dated 25th April 1893, No. 330. According to this report, 6,449 emigrants were registered in Ganjám, of whom 3,369 were labourers.

B.—FREE EMIGRATION.

9. Free emigration takes place chiefly to Burmah and Ceylon, and owing to the fact that it is not regulated, it was, as in previous years, found impossible to distinguish real emigrants from ordinary passengers to those territories. The returns therefore include all persons who actually embarked for those countries, and the following is a comparative statement of them for the last three years :—

To Burmah.

Districts.	1890.		1891.		1892.	
	Adults.	Children.	Adults.	Children.	Adults.	Children.
Ganjám	11,166	226	14,072	455	12,870	706
Vizagapatam	6,006	237	10,533	242	8,880	290
Tanjore	14,299	1,108	16,935	1,475	21,230	1,873
South Arcot (Pondicherry)	6	..	4	1	28	4
Total ..	33,048		43,717		45,881	

To Ceylon.

Districts.	1890.		1891.		1892.	
	Adults.	Children.	Adults.	Children.	Adults.	Children.
Madura	52,661	3,793	26,784	1,365	27,010	1,992
Tinnevelly	15,717	1,886	36,679	4,170	47,442	4,776
Tanjore (Karikal)	396	28	46	..	..	..
Do. (Negapatam)	..	..	1,886	..	927	63
Do. Minor Ports	..	..	..	..	4,011	194
Vizagapatam	..	..	4	..	..	..
Total ..	74,481		70,934		86,415	

The bulk of the emigrants [illegible] belonged as usual to Ganjám, Vizagapatam and Tanjore. There was a [illegible] ase in the number from Tanjore, which is ascribed by the Collector to the [illegible] extended fields for labour opened out by the recent annexation. This explanation, however, does not seem to be altogether accurate since the emigrants from Ganjám and Vizagapatam were fewer than in 1891 although they had the same inducement as those from Tanjore and inland emigration to Assam affected only Ganjám.

Emigration to Ceylon was chiefly confined to Madura and Tinnevelly. The number of emigrants from Madura remained almost the same as in 1891, while that from Tinnevelly showed a further considerable increase owing, so it is stated, to the greater exertions of the Ceylon planters, the general development of the tea industry in that colony, and the improved facilities provided therein for the transport of coolies from the seaports.

Thirty-seven French subjects left Pondicherry and Karikal for Burmah.

The immigrants from Burmah and Ceylon numbered 27,040 and 106,866, respectively, against 28,260 and 103,456 in 1891.

10. The number of emigrants to other parts of British India is returned as 8,779 * including those who left Ganjam for Assam, but from paragraph 14 of the first of the Board's Proceedings read above it would seem that this number is not altogether accurate.

* From Ganjám 6,887
„ Vizagapatam 1,890
„ Tanjore 2

The number of immigrants from other ports of India was 4,299 against 2,954 in 1891.

GENERAL.

11. The total number of British subjects, including children, who left the Presidency for countries outside India in the year under review, was 155,009 against 146,554 in 1891 and 131,920 in 1890, as shown below :—

Countries to which emigration occurred.	Regulated Emigration.			Non-regulated or free Emigration.		
	1890.	1891.	1892.	1890.	1891.	1892.
Mauritius	1,929	335	..	..	..	..
Natal	3,308	1,182	3,030	..	..	..
Straits Settlements	3,059	3,834	1,933	16,095	26,552	17,750
Burmah	..	..	..	33,048	43,717	45,881
Ceylon	..	..	..	74,481	70,934	86,415
	8,296	5,351	4,963	1,23,624	1,41,203	1,50,046
Total emigration for 1892, regulated and non-regulated	..	..	..	..	..	1,55,009

In addition to the above there were 8,779 emigrants from the Presidency to Ganjam and other parts of India, against 7,151 in 1891.

12. The total number of immigrants during the last three years was as shown below :—

	1890.	1891.	1892.
Mauritius	307	366	679
Natal	925	380	214
French Colonies	391	1,135	182
Straits Settlements	14,103	26,114	18,234
Burmah	25,446	28,260	27,040
Ceylon	55,221	103,456	106,866
Other parts of India	1,993	2,954	4,299
Total ..	98,386	162,665	157,514

Total		Inland Emigration.	
Receipts.	Charges.	Receipts.	Charges.
RS. 13,125	RS. 13,425	RS. 9,404	RS. 372

Financial.—The total receipts and charges on account of emigration in [illegible] amounted to Rs. 13,187 and Rs. 19,062, respectively, but Rs. 5,849 of the former and Rs. 1,179 of the latter appertained to the inland emigration from Ganjám to Assam, the corresponding figures for 1891 being as shown in the margin. The receipts and charges on account of emigration to countries outside India were thus Rs. 7,338 and Rs. 17,883, exceeding the previous year's figures by Rs. 3,617 and Rs. 4,830, respectively. The increase in the receipts is apparently due to the larger recruitment for Natal referred to in paragraph 4 above. That in the charges appears chiefly in the salary of the British Consular Agent at Pondicherry and Karikal.

No fees were levied from the emigrants to the French colonies, but charges to the extent of Rs. 10,840, representing a moiety of the salaries of the Consular Agent and his establishments, had to be incurred on their account. The fees levied on emigrants to British colonies exceeded the charges by Rs. 295, the loss on account of emigration being thus reduced to Rs. 10,545 as compared with Rs. 9,332 in 1891.

14. The attention of the officers concerned will again be drawn to the discrepancies and omissions pointed out by the Board of Revenue in its Proceedings read above. It is hoped that these will be guarded against in future.

(True Extract.)

J. F. PRICE,
Chief Secretary.

To the Board of Revenue (Land Revenue).
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