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Fort Saint George, Revenue Consultation of 15th December 1857.

No. 24.

Read the following No. 4158. *Comparative Statement of the Collections of Revenue in the several Districts of the Madras Presidency, for the Month of October 1857, in Fusly 1267.*

Names of Districts.	Land Revenue Current.				Land Re-	
	Fusly 1266.	Fusly 1267.	Increase.	Decrease.	Fusly 1266.	Fusly 1267.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
1 Ganjam	53,537	78,063	24,526	...	3,100	6,110
2 Vizagapatam	1,37,290	1,42,572	5,282	...	31,489	30,858
3 Rajahmundry	36,908	34,728	.....	2,180	27,776	29,000
4 Masulipatam	18,705	7,430	.....	11,275	46,050	26,910
5 Guntoor	2,215	1,938	.....	277	9,605	3,662
6 Nellore	11,557	11,567	10	.....	2,42,622	1,89,779
7 Cuddapah	205	109	.....	96	1,04,206	1,24,678
8 Bellary	32	58	26	.....	54,965	70,342
9 Kurnool	.....	8	8	.....	2,130	792
10 Chingleput	40,094	26,270	.....	13,824	1,33,941	1,24,199
11 North Arcot	2,519	3,226	707	.....	5,72,581	5,56,483
12 South Arcot	1,328	3,964	2,636	.....	1,25,895	1,28,665
13 Tanjore	12,157	12,006	.....	151	7,14,420	8,99,561
14 Trichinopoly	73,988	70,646	.....	3,342	90,135	71,945
15 Madura	.....	.....	.....	.....	2,55,380	2,32,467
16 Tinnevelly	2,457	3,108	651	.....	4,59,917	4,19,864
17 Coimbatore	.....	47	47	.....	58,284	1,09,988
18 Salem	833	681	.....	152	1,68,380	1,66,222
19 Canara	.....	14	14	.....	2,38,193	2,45,762
20 Malabar	1,73,217	1,56,233	.....	16,984	6,952	3,835
21 Madras	13,823	13,399	.....	424	4,382	3,766
22 Do. Sea Customs.	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Total...	5,80,865	5,66,667	33,907	48,705	33,50,403	34,44,888
Net inc. or dec.....	.....	.....	.....	14,798	.....	.....

Comparative Statement of the Collections of Revenue in the several Districts

VENUE ARREARS.		LAND REVENUE CURRENT AND ARREARS.				EXTRA SOURCES CUR-	
Increase.	Decrease.	Fusly 1266.	Fusly 1267.	Increase.	Decrease.	Fusly 1266.	Fusly 1267.
8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15
Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
3,010	.....	56,637	84,173	27,536	.....	1,08,385	1,18,196
....	631	1,68,779	1,73,430	4,651	.....	1,23,673	1,31,454
1,224	.....	64,684	63,728	.....	956	1,52,496	1,69,050
.....	19,140	64,755	34,340	.....	30,415	35,113	30,065
.....	5,943	11,820	5,600	.....	6,220	75,205	52,905
.....	52,843	2,54,179	2,01,346	.....	52,833	1,49,941	1,21,092
20,472	.....	1,04,411	1,21,787	20,376	.....	52,859	54,403
15,377	.....	54,997	70,400	15,403	.....	91,422	1,09,176
.....	1,338	2,130	800	.....	1,330	20,882	25,637
.....	9,742	1,74,035	1,50,469	.....	23,566	1,28,686	1,27,108
.....	16,098	5,75,100	5,59,709	.....	15,391	60,414	81,939
2,770	.....	1,27,223	1,32,629	5,406	.....	2,36,337	1,82,850
1,85,141	.....	7,26,577	9,11,567	1,84,990	.....	3,42,935	,77,628
.....	18,190	1,64,123	1,42,591	.....	21,532	19,036	20,719
.....	22,913	2,55,380	2,32,467	.....	22,913	1,93,102	1,96,424
.....	40,053	4,62,374	4,22,972	.....	39,402	1,68,994	1,64,456
51,704	.....	58,284	1,10,035	51,751	.....	46,671	52,955
.....	2,158	1,69,213	1,66,903	.....	2,310	48,381	49,656
7,569	.....	2,38,193	2,45,776	7,583	.....	1,21,978	1,26,607
.....	3,117	1,80,169	1,60,068	.....	20,101	1,93,786	2,23,684
.....	616	18,205	17,165	.....	1,040	3,99,282	4,96,191
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	2,62,819	2,04,601
2,87,267	1,92,782	39,31,268	40,10,955	3,17,696	2,38,009	30,32,397	31,16,790
94,485	.....	....	.....	79,687	.....	.....	.....
					Current....	26,60,785	27,00,483
					Arrears.....	3,71,612	4,16,307

Remarks.

A. Owing to the smaller amount of arrears outstanding at the end of Fusly 1266 and to the Salt
B. The failure of rain in the interior occasioned a falling off in the Salt Trade and the sales of last
C. Occurs chiefly in Land Revenue but the cause is not explained.
D. Owing to the large amount of balances outstanding at the commencement of this Fusly.
E. The increase is in the Abkarry and Salt Departments ; the former is owing to favorable sales in arises from the collections on sales by heaps being brought to account and from the other sales
F. Unexplained.

REVENUE BOARD OFFICE,
Fort Saint George,
25th November 1857.

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Fort Saint George, Revenue Consultation of 15th December 1857.

of the Madras Presidency, for the Month of October 1857, in Fusly 1267.

RENT AND ARREARS.		TOTAL LAND AND EXTRA SOURCES CURRENT AND ARREARS.				NAMES OF DISTRICTS.
Increase.	Decrease.	Fusly 1266.	Fusly 1267.	Increase.	Decrease.	
16	17	18	19	20	21	22
Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	
9,811	.....	1,65,022	2,02,369	37,347	.....	Ganjam.
7,781	....	2,92,452	3,04,884	12,432	.....	Vizagapatam.
16,554	.....	2,17,180	2,32,778	15,598	....	Rajahmundry.
.....	5,048	99,868	64,405	.....	35,463	Masulipatam.
.....	22,300	87,025	58,505	.....	28,520	Guntoor.
.....	28,849	4,04,120	3,22,438	.....	81,682	Nellore. A.
1,544	.....	1,57,270	1,79,190	21,920	.....	Cuddapah.
17,748	.....	1,46,419	1,79,570	33,151	.....	Bellary.
4,755	.....	23,012	26,437	3,425	.....	Kurnool.
.....	1,578	3,02,721	2,77,577	.....	25,144	Chingleput.
21,525	.....	6,35,514	6,41,648	6,134	....	North Arcot.
.....	53,487	3,63,560	3,15,479	.....	48,081	South Arcot. B.
34,693	.....	10,69,512	12,89,195	2,19,683	.....	Tanjore. C.
1,683	.....	1,83,159	1,63,310	....	19,849	Trichinopoly.
3,322	.....	4,48,482	4,28,891	.....	19,591	Madura.
.....	4,538	6,31,368	5,87,428	.....	43,940	Tinnevelly.
6,284	.....	1,04,955	1,62,990	58,035	.....	Coimbatore. D.
1,275	....	2,17,594	2,16,559	.....	1,035	Salem.
4,629	.....	3,60,171	3,72,383	12,212	.....	Canara.
29,898	....	3,73,955	3,83,752	9,797	.....	Malabar.
96,909	.....	4,17,487	5,13,356	95,869	.....	Madras. E.
.....	58,218	2,62,819	2,04,601	.....	58,218	Do. Sea Customs. F.
2,58,411	1,74,018	69,63,665	71,27,745	5,25,603	3,61,523	Total.
84,393	....	.....	.....	1,64,080	.....	Net inc. or decrease.
39,698	.....	32,41,650	32,66,550	24,900	.....	
44,695	.....	37,22,015	38,61,195	1,39,180	.....	

Trade having been affected by the unfavorable character of the season.
year with which the comparison is made were unusually large.

consequence of the suppression of smuggling and the collections of last year's arrears ; the latter also being larger.

(Signed) J. D. SIM,
Acting Secretary.

Fort Saint George, Revenue Consultation of 15th December 1857.

General Comparative Abstract of the Collections in the various items.

	Fusly 1266.	Fusly 1267.	Increase.	Decrease.
	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
Land Revenue	39,31,268	40,10,955	79,687	.....
Extra Sources.				
Abkarry	7,11,881	8,67,036	1,55,155	.....
Sundry Small Farms, &c.	.....	....	.....	.....
Salt	14,90,754	14,47,686	.....	43,068
Sea Customs	3,95,136	3,45,272	.....	49,864
Moturpha	1,43,455	1,52,398	8,943	.....
Stamps	2,41,696	2,49,750	8,054	.....
Sayer	49,475	54,648	5,173	.....
Total Extra Sources	30,32,397	31,16,790	84,393	.....
Grand Total	69,63,665	71,27,745	1,64,080	.....
Particulars.				
Collections to the end of September 1857	53,79,172	56,21,221	2,42,049	.....
Do. in October 1857	15,84,493	15,06,524	.....	77,969
Total	69,63,665	71,27,745	1,64,080	.....

Revenue Board Office,
Fort Saint George,
25th November 1857.

(Signed) J. D. SIM,
Acting Secretary.

Ordered in consequence that the following letter be despatched.

No. 25. From H. FORBES, Esq., Acting Secretary to the Government of Fort Saint George; to Sir JAMES C. MELVILL, K. C. B., Secretary at the India House; dated 10th December 1857, No. 1287.

SIR,

With reference to my letter of the 12th Ultimo, No. 50, and to the orders of the Honorable Court of Directors, contained in their Despatch dated 12th February 1834, No. 2, para. 88, I am directed by the Right Honorable the Governor in Council to transmit to you for the purpose of being laid before the Honorable Court, the accompanying Statement of the Collections of Revenue in the several Districts of the Madras Presidency for the month of October 1857, in Fusly 1267, in comparison with the corresponding period of the preceding Fusly.

2. The Statement for the month of October 1857 shews a net Increase of Rupees 1,64,080, viz.

		Fusly 1267.	Increase.	Decrease.
Land Revenue.	Current Revenue	5,66,067	.....	14,798
	Arrears	34,44,888	94,485	.....
	Total Land Revenue	40,10,955	9,687	.....
Extra Revenue.	Current	27,00,483	39,698	.....
	Arrears	4,16,307	44,695	.....
	Total Extra Revenue	31,16,790	84,393	.....
Total Land and Extra Revenue.	Current	32,66,550	24,900	.....
	Arrears	38,61,195	1,39,180	.....
	Grand Total	71,27,745	1,64,080	.....

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Comparative Statement of the Collections of

	Names of Districts.	Land Revenue Current.			
		Fusly 1266.	Fusly 1267.	Increase.	Decrease.
	1	2	3	4	5
1	Ganjam	Rs. 53537	70013	16476	Rs.
2	Vizagapatam	107202	112572	5282	"
3	Rajahmundry	30903	34723	"	2180
4	Masulipatam	18705	7430	"	11275
5	Guntoor	2215	1938	"	277
6	Nellore	11557	11567	10	"
7	Cuddapah	205	109	"	96
8	Bellary	32	53	21	"
9	Kurnool	"	9	9	"
10	Chingleput	40094	26270	"	13824
11	North Arcot	2519	3226	707	"
12	South Arcot	1523	3454	2031	"
13	Tanjore	12157	12000	"	157
14	Trichinopoly	29998	30626	"	372
15	Madura				
16	Tinnevelly	2267	3103	836	"
17	Coimbatore	"	47	47	"
18	Salem	933	681	"	252
19	Canara	"	12	12	"
20	Malabar	173217	158133	"	15084
21	Madras	13823	13399	"	424
22	Do. Sea Customs	"	"	"	"
	Total	580856	506267	33907	74589
	Net increase or decrease				40682

Remarks.

Owing to the smaller amount of arrears outstanding at the end of Fusly 1266 and to the full Land Assessment of the Ryotwar Districts having been realized in the course of the year, the collections of the present year fall off from those of the corresponding period of last year, to which the comparison is made more unfavorable.

Details shewing in Land Revenue that the cause is not explained.

Owing to the large amount of balances outstanding at the commencement of the year in the Abkary and Sea Customs, the former owing to the sales in consequence of the suppression of smuggling and the latter to the increase of the duties, the collections in those heads during the first year exceed those of the latter year by the amount outstanding at the close of the former year, and from the latter sales also being larger.

Land Revenue.

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Revenue in the several Districts of the Madras Presidency, for the Month of October 1857, in Fusly 1267.

Land Revenue Arrears.				Land Revenue Current and Arrears.				Extra Sources Current and Arrears.				Total Land and Extra Sources Current and Arrears.				Names of Districts.	
Fusly 1266.	Fusly 1267.	Increase.	Decrease.	Fusly 1266.	Fusly 1267.	Increase.	Decrease.	Fusly 1266.	Fusly 1267.	Increase.	Decrease.	Fusly 1266.	Fusly 1267.	Increase.	Decrease.		
6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	
Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.		
3140	6150	3010	"	50637	82173	27536	"	[illegible]	118195	9811	"	135022	202369	37347	"	Ganjam.	
31429	30853	"	621	169779	173436	4657	"	[illegible]	131454	7781	"	292452	304384	12232	"	Vizagapatam.	
25770	29000	1224	"	62684	63728	"	950	1539	109950	16584	"	217180	232778	16598	"	Rajahmundry.	
46050	26910	"	19140	62755	34320	"	31115	3517	30765	"	5043	99868	64405	"	35463	Masulipatam.	
9595	3082	"	5943	11320	5650	"	6220	7620	57485	"	22320	87025	58505	"	28520	Guntoor.	
242622	190779	"	52843	254179	201326	"	52833	14994	124092	"	28849	404120	322133	"	81682	Nellore.	A
104220	124098	20472	"	104431	124787	20376	"	5295	54450	1844	"	157270	179190	21920	"	Cuddapah.	
54965	70342	15377	"	54947	70350	15403	"	9022	109172	17748	"	146119	179570	33151	"	Bellary.	
2130	792	"	1338	2130	800	"	1330	2033	25307	4755	"	23012	26237	3225	"	Kurnool.	
133941	124199	"	9742	174035	159209	"	23506	12303	127105	"	1573	302721	277577	"	25144	Chingleput.	
572581	550233	"	16098	575100	559709	"	15391	6041	81039	21625	"	635514	641648	6134	"	North Arcot.	
125895	128065	2770	"	127923	132620	5406	"	2353	152957	"	53487	363360	315479	"	47881	South Arcot.	B
714420	899561	185141	"	720577	911807	134490	"	3429	97628	34093	"	1089512	1284185	214583	"	Tanjore.	C
90135	71925	"	18190	104123	142591	"	21532	1903	20719	1683	"	183159	163310	"	19849	Trichinopoly.	
255380	232467	"	22913	256380	232467	"	22913	4316	140224	3322	"	418482	428891	"	19541	Madura.	
459917	419862	"	40055	462374	422972	"	39202	1594	104456	"	4538	631368	587478	"	43940	Tinnivelly.	
58284	109988	51704	"	58284	110035	51751	"	4000	52955	6284	"	104955	162990	58035	"	Coimbatore.	D
168382	166292	"	2158	168213	166903	"	2310	1811	39680	1275	"	217594	216859	"	1935	Salem.	
238193	245762	7569	"	238193	245776	7583	"	1937	120607	4029	"	360171	372383	12212	"	Canara.	
6952	3835	"	3117	180159	160068	"	20101	3092	123624	26898	"	573955	583752	9797	"	Malabar.	
4392	3708	"	686	18205	17165	"	1040	2028	95191	96909	"	417487	513350	95863	"	Madras.	E.
"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	2028	224321	"	67218	282819	204601	"	78218	Ditto Sea Customs.	F
3350403	3444883	287267	192732	3931268	4010955	317690	238004	348230	3110790	28941	174018	6903665	7127746	525503	301523	Total.	
		94185				79687				34393				102080		Net increase or decrease.	
									3140483	39693		3241630	3268550	24902			
									4307	44695		3722015	3867195	139180			

Current..... 2932928
Arrears..... 3716022

Revenue Board's Office
Fort St. George
25th November 1857

A. G. Secretary.

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REVENUE DEPARTMENT.

No. 53 OF 1857.

No. 1287 1857

To

SIR JAMES C. MELVILL, K. C. B.

Secretary at the India House.

SIR,

With reference to my letter of the 12th ultimo No. 250 and to the orders of the Honorable Court of Directors, contained in their Despatch dated 12th February 1834, No. 2 Para. 88, I am directed by the Right Honorable the Governor in Council to transmit to you for the purpose of being laid before the Honorable Court, the accompanying statement of the collections of revenue in the several Districts of the Madras Presidency for the month of October 1857, in Fusly 1267 in comparison with the corresponding period of the preceding Fusly.

2. The statement for the month of October 1857 shews a net Increase of Rs. 1,64,080. viz.

		Fusly 1267.	Increase.	Decrease.
Land Revenue	Current Revenue...	5,66,067	"	14,798
	Arrears.....	3,44,888	94,485	"
Total Land Revenue...		4,10,955	9,687	"
Extra Revenue	Current...	2,70,483	39,698	"
	Arrears...	4,16,307	44,695	"
Total Extra Revenue...		3,16,790	84,393	"
Total Land and Extra Revenue	Current...	3,66,550	24,900	"
	Arrears...	3,61,195	1,39,180	"
Grand Total...		7,27,746	1,64,080	"

FORT SAINT GEORGE,
10th December 1857.

H. Stracey
Secretary.

General Comparative Abstract of the Collections in the several Items.

	Fusly 1266.	Fusly 1267.	Increase.	Decrease.
	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
Land Revenue	5,66,067	5,66,067		14,798
Extra Sources.				
Abkarry	2,11,891	2,11,891		
Sundry Small Farms, &c.	1,57,572	1,57,572		
Salt	4,00,000	4,00,000		
Sea Customs	3,60,000	3,60,000		
Moturpha	1,82,398	1,82,398		43,398
Stamps	2,00,000	2,00,000		
Sayer	1,55,000	1,55,000		
Total Extra Sources	3,16,790	3,16,790		
Grand Total	8,82,857	8,82,857		

PARTICULARS.

Collections to the end of October 1857

do in October 1857	1,64,080	1,64,080	
Total	7,27,746	7,27,746	

Comparative Statement of the Collections of Revenue in the several Districts of the Madras Presidency for Fusly 1267.

H. Stracey
Secretary.

Revenue 1857 Dispatch
of 16 Canc 15th Dec.

No. 1287

To
The Secretary of the
India House.
Dated 10th December 1857.

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Transmitting Statements
of the Collections of Revenue
in the several Districts of
the Madras Presidency
for October 1857 in Fasly
1267.

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