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Government of Madras.

Revenue DEPARTMENT.

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*Proceedings of the Madras Government, Revenue Department,
for the month of April 1860.*

No. 70. Read the following No. 1,604:—

*Comparative Statement of the Collections of Revenue in the several Districts of the Madras
Presidency, for the Month of February 1860, in Fasli 1269.*

NAMES OF DISTRICTS.	LAND REVENUE CURRENT.				LAND REVENUE ARREARS.	
	Fasli 1268.	Fasli 1269.	Increase.	Decrease.	Fasli 1268.	Fasli 1269.
	1	2	3	4	5	6
	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
1 Ganjam	6,29,829	6,77,970	A 48,141	.....	15,412	6,046
2 Vizagapatam.....	6,96,865	6,97,802	937	.....	34,625	30,597
3 Godavery District.	15,48,071	16,38,091	A 90,020	.....	68,654	61,298
4 Krishna District...	16,51,690	15,81,883	.....	D 69,807	42,935	11,871
5 Nellore.....	6,72,822	7,58,195	B 85,373	.....	2,12,561	1,58,564
6 Cuddapah.....	12,64,219	11,53,261	.....	E 1,10,958	71,557	93,048
7 Bellary.....	11,45,187	11,43,352	.....	1,835	15,368	24,793
8 Kurnool.....	11,45,789	11,45,016	.....	773	28,862	30,947
9 Chingleput.....	4,26,860	4,19,173	.....	7,687	1,05,542	93,697
10 North Arcot.	8,67,413	8,84,126	16,713	.....	5,29,108	2,50,955
11 South Arcot.....	13,30,282	14,36,553	A 1,06,271	.....	2,19,067	1,34,654
12 Tanjore....	11,68,180	11,85,024	16,844	.....	9,79,845	7,20,284
13 Trichinopoly.....	6,04,269	7,53,555	C 1,49,286	.....	73,995	65,599
14 Madura.....	5,15,297	6,45,634	C 1,30,337	.....	3,96,700	2,63,449
15 Tinnevely.....	12,77,105	8,76,944	.....	F 4,00,161	2,22,716	2,37,392
16 Coimbatore.....	9,88,137	10,44,852	C 56,715	.....	81,891	77,864
17 Salem.....	7,24,663	8,25,709	A 1,01,046	.....	2,54,652	2,32,100
18 Canara { N. Canara } { S. Canara }	6,76,326	{ 4,96,475 } { 4,62,006 }	{ 2,76,155 }	.....	2,02,129	{ 92,438 } { 50,328 }
19 Malabar.....	9,79,978	9,79,966	.....	12	12,046	9,400
20 Madras.....	36,405	52,237	15,832	.....	4,331	5,016
21 Do. Sea Customs.	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Total...	183,49,387	188,51,824	10,93,670	5,91,233	35,71,995	26,50,340
Net inc. or dec....	.....	.....	5,02,437	.....	.....	.....

Remarks.

Causes of Increase and Decrease in the Collections for February 1860, Fasli 1269. Land Revenue Current.

- Increase.*
- A. Attributed to a more punctual payment of Kists.
 B. Do. to the favorable character of the season.
 C. Do. chiefly to the extension of cultivation.
- Decrease.*
- D. Do. to the transfer of certain Taluqs to the Godavery District.
 E. Do. to the collections having been made in this month according to regulated Kists which was not the case in January 1859.
 F. Do. partly to dry Kists having been ordered to be collected from January of each year, and partly to the Ulungu standard price having been fixed as the commutation rate agreeably to the Board's letter of 28th November 1859.

Comparative Statement of the Collections of Revenue in the several Districts

LAND REVENUE ARREARS.		LAND REVENUE CURRENT AND ARREARS.				EXTRA SOURCES CURRENT AND ARREARS.	
Increase.	Decrease.	Fasli 1268.	Fasli 1269.	Increase.	Decrease.	Fasli 1268.	Fasli 1269.
8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15
Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
.....	9,366	6,45,241	6,84,016	38,775	.....	4,64,699	5,43,208
.....	4,028	7,31,490	7,28,399	.....	3,091	2,24,976	2,38,705
.....	7,356	16,16,725	16,99,389	82,664	.....	3,46,086	4,19,568
.....	G 31,064	16,94,625	15,93,754	.....	1,00,871	4,46,762	6,40,483
.....	G 53,997	8,85,383	9,16,759	31,376	.....	4,86,609	4,69,737
21,491	.....	13,35,775	12,46,309	.....	89,466	1,76,805	1,77,712
9,425	.....	11,60,555	11,68,145	7,590	.....	3,21,664	3,19,255
2,085	.....	11,74,651	11,75,963	1,312	.....	1,63,933	1,68,183
.....	11,845	5,32,402	5,12,870	.....	19,532	2,15,823	2,73,189
.....	G 2,78,153	13,96,521	11,35,081	.....	2,61,440	1,47,594	1,38,560
.....	G 84,413	15,49,349	15,71,207	21,858	.....	5,10,024	2,96,470
.....	H 2,59,561	21,48,025	19,05,308	.....	2,42,717	8,22,828	8,75,410
.....	8,396	6,78,264	8,19,154	1,40,890	.....	41,007	46,534
.....	G 1,33,251	9,11,997	9,09,083	.....	2,914	4,00,844	4,03,194
14,676	.....	14,99,821	11,14,336	.....	3,85,485	3,99,407	4,60,005
.....	4,027	10,70,028	11,22,716	52,688	.....	1,30,612	1,26,956
.....	G 22,552	9,79,315	10,57,809	78,494	.....	1,68,772	1,71,160
.....	59,363	8,78,455	{ 5,82,913 } { 5,12,334 }	{ 2,16,792 } { 2,53,318 }	.....	4,74,603	{ 2,96,654 } { 2,53,318 }
.....	2,646	9,92,024	9,89,366	.....	2,658	5,84,238	6,53,426
685	.....	40,736	57,253	16,517	.....	9,40,029	11,57,946
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	5,92,942	11,29,347
48,362	9,70,017	219,21,332	215,02,164	6,88,956	11,08,174	80,59,657	92,59,020
.....	9,21,655	.....	.....	.....	4,19,218	.....	.....
						Current..	76,42,924
						Arrears..	4,16,733
							89,93,565
							2,65,455

LAND REVENUE DE-

G. Attributed to the outstanding balance having been small at the beginning of Fasli 1269.

H. Do. to the change in the system of bringing collections to account.

EXTRA SOURCES OF REVENUE IN-

I. Large portions of these increases are in Salt, the remainder being in Sea Customs. The former increased rates of duty under Act VII of 1859.

J. The greater portion of these increases is in Salt. They are partly attributed to a more

K. Not explained.

L. Attributed to the increased rates of duty under Act VII of 1859.

M. This increase is chiefly in salt owing to the rise in price.

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N. Attributed to diminished sales of Salt.

O. This large decrease is in Salt and Sayer, the former amounting to Rupees 2,14,768 and the consequent necessity of restricting sales and that under Sayer to a smaller quantity of

REVENUE BOARD OFFICE,
Fort Saint George,
29th March 1860.

of the Madras Presidency, for the month of February 1860, in Fasli 1269.

RENT AND ARREARS.		TOTAL LAND AND EXTRA SOURCES CURRENT AND ARREARS.				NAMES OF DISTRICTS.
Increase.	Decrease.	Fasli 1268.	Fasli 1269.	Increase.	Decrease.	
16	17	18	19	20	21	22
Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	
1 78,509	.....	11,09,940	12,27,224	1,17,284	.....	Ganjam.
J 14,329	.....	9,55,866	9,67,104	11,238	.....	Vizagapatam.
I 73,482	.....	19,62,811	21,18,957	1,56,146	.....	Godavery District.
K 1,93,721	.....	21,41,387	22,34,237	92,850	.....	Krishna District.
.....	N 16,872	13,71,992	13,86,496	14,304	.....	Nellore.
907	.....	15,12,580	14,24,021	.....	88,559	Cuddapah.
.....	2,409	14,82,219	14,87,400	5,181	.....	Ballary.
4,250	.....	13,38,584	13,44,146	5,562	.....	Kurnool.
J 57,366	.....	7,48,225	7,86,059	37,834	.....	Chingleput.
.....	9,034	15,44,115	12,73,641	.....	2,70,474	North Arcot.
.....	O 2,13,554	20,59,373	18,67,677	.....	1,91,696	South Arcot.
L 52,582	.....	29,70,853	27,80,718	.....	1,90,135	Tanjore.
5,527	.....	7,19,271	8,65,688	1,46,417	.....	Trichinopoly.
2,350	.....	13,12,841	13,12,277	.....	564	Madura.
M 60,598	.....	18,99,328	15,74,341	.....	3,24,887	Tinnevely.
.....	3,656	12,00,640	12,49,672	49,032	.....	Coimbatore.
2,388	.....	11,48,087	12,28,969	80,882	.....	Salem.
75,369	.....	13,53,058	{ 8,79,567 } { 7,65,652 }	2,92,161	.....	Canara.
J 69,188	.....	15,76,262	16,42,792	66,530	.....	Malabar.
J 2,17,917	.....	9,80,765	12,15,199	2,34,434	.....	Madras.
L 5,36,405	.....	5,92,942	11,29,347	5,36,405	.....	Ditto Sea Customs.
14,44,888	2,45,525	299,81,039	307,61,184	18,46,460	10,66,315	Total.
11,99,363				7,80,145		Net inc. or dec.
13,50,641		259,92,311	278,45,389	18,53,078		
.....	1,51,278	39,88,728	29,15,795		10,72,933	

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NUE CURRENT AND ARREARS.
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is owing to a more increased demand for Home and Inland consumption, and the latter to the extensive demand for Home and Inland consumption, and partly to the rise in price.

crease.

latter to Rupees 10,685. The decrease in Salt is owing to diminished stock on hand and the certain articles being conveyed to Pondicherry for exportation to European markets.

(Signed) J. D. SIM, Secretary.

General Comparative Abstract of the Collections in the various items.

	Fasli 1268.	Fasli 1269.	Increase.	Decrease.
	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
Land Revenue.....	219,21,382	215,02,164	.....	4,19,218
EXTRA SOURCES.				
Abkarry.....	18,85,366	19,54,482	69,116	.....
Sundry Small Farms, &c.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Salt.....	39,52,858	42,59,209	3,06,351	.....
Sea Customs.....	8,26,161	15,89,825	7,63,664	.....
Moturpha.....	6,98,648	6,90,533	.....	8,115
Stamps.....	5,67,463	6,13,131	45,668	.....
Sayer.....	1,29,161	1,51,840	22,679	.....
Total Extra Sources...	80,59,657	92,59,020	12,07,478	8,115
Grand Total..	299,81,039	307,61,184	12,07,478	4,27,333
PARTICULARS.				
Collections to the end of January 1860.....	241,78,693	240,31,416	.....	1,47,277
Do. in February 1860... ..	58,02,346	67,29,768	9,27,422	.....
Total.....	299,81,039	307,61,184	7,80,145	.....

REVENUE BOARD OFFICE,
Fort St. George,
29th March 1860.

(Signed) J. D. SIM,

Secretary.

No. 71. ORDER THEREON, 5th April 1860, No. 536A.

Ordered to be forwarded to the Home Government.

2. The submission of this Statement is very late; the Government trust that the promised degree of punctuality will be attained and kept up.

(Signed) J. D. BOURDILLON,

Secretary to Government.

Ordered in consequence that the following letter be despatched.

No. 72. From J. D. BOURDILLON, Esq., Secretary to the Government of Fort Saint George, to the Under Secretary of State for India, dated 5th April 1860, No. 537.

I am directed by the Honorable the Governor in Council to transmit for the information of the Secretary of State the accompanying Statement of the collections of 29th March 1860. Revenue in this Presidency for the first eight months of the Fasli year 1269, being up to the close of February 1860, in comparison with the corresponding period of the preceding Fasli.

2. The Statement shows a net increase of Rupees 7,80,145, as follows :—

	Fasli 1269.	Increase.	Decrease.
	Rupees.	Rupees.	Rupees.
Land Revenue..... { Current revenue	188,51,824	5,02,437	.....
Arrears.....	26,50,340	.....	9,21,655
Total land revenue...	215,02,164	.....	4,19,218
Extra Revenue..... { Current.....	89,93,565	13,50,641	.....
Arrears	2,65,455	.....	1,51,278
Total extra revenue...	92,59,020	11,99,363	.....
Total Land and Extra Rev.. { Current.....	278,45,389	18,53,078	.....
Arrears.....	29,15,795	.....	10,72,933
Grand Total...	307,61,184	18,53,078	10,72,933
Deduct decrease...	10,72,933		
Net Increase.	7,80,145		

3. It will be observed that in the Revenue from land, there has been an increase of Rupees 5,02,437 in the current collections,* and a decrease of Rupees 9,21,655 in arrears.† The latter is owing to the more punctual collection of the current demand during the last year than in the previous year, which left in consequence a much smaller arrear to be collected after the close of the year, as noticed in the Despatch of this Government, dated 24th December 1859, No. 1,772.

4. In revenue other than land, there has been an increase amounting in the aggregate to twelve lakhs of Rupees;‡ of which the greater part was in Salt, Rupees 3,06,351, and in Sea Customs, Rupees 7,63,664. || See the Comparative Abstract.

2 Month of February 1860, in Fussy 1269

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The Under Secretary of State
for India

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I am directed by
the Honorable the Govern-
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of State the accompany-
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in this Presidency for
the first eight months
of the last year -
1869, being up to the
close of February
1869, in comparison
with the corresponding

29 March 1860



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N^o. 549. 536 A.

Ordered to be forwarded to the Home Government.

2 The submission of this statement is very late; the Govt trust that the promised degree of punctuality will be attained in and kept up.

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From the Secretary to the Board of
Revenue.

Revenue

To the Secretary to Government *2.2.*
Fort St. George

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Dated — 29

Dispatched 29 March 1880

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Comparative Statement of the Collections

of Revenue in the several Districts of the
Madras Presidency for *February, 1863*, in
July 1859.

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July.

2. The statement
shows a net increase of
Rupees 4,80,145, as fol-
lows.

	July 1859 Rs.	Increase Rs.	Decrease Rs.
Land Revenue { Current Rev.	88,51,824	502,437	.
{ Arrears.	26,50,340	.	92,655
Total Land Revenue	115,02,164	.	419,28.
Extra Rev. { Current	89,93,565	12,50,44.	.
{ Arrears	2,65,455	.	157,278
Total Extra Rev.	92,59,020	11,99,563	.
Total Land & Extra Revenue { Current	278,45,329	12,53,078	.
{ Arrears	29,15,795	.	10,72,933
Grand Total	307,61,124	18,53,078	10,72,933

3. It will be 10,72,933 Actual decrease
7,80,145 Net decrease
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Revenue from land,
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to twelve lakhs of Rupees,
of which the greater part
was in Salt Rs 30,35,14th
See the Comparative abstract in Sea Customs Papers
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For F. St. George
5th April 1860

[Signature]

Revenue 1560-29/11/75
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To the Under Secy
of State for India
29th April 1860.

Revenue 1560-29/11/75
Completion of the amount
of the 15th April 1860
with the amount of the
of the 15th April 1860
for the 15th April 1860.

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