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Government of Madras.

Revenue **DEPARTMENT.**

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No. 3. Read the following letter from C. PELLY, Esq., Member of the Board of Revenue, to J. D. SIM, Esq., Secretary to Government, Revenue Department, Fort Saint George, dated Chepauk, 12th July 1861, No. 992 :—

SIR,

1. With reference to the Orders of Government dated 16th June 1860, No. 1,000, I have now the honor to submit a matured scheme for the Sea Custom Establishments for all the Ports, with the exception of the Port of Madras. Having consulted with the several Collectors on the subject, the opinions of the local authorities have been carefully considered and their views adopted as far as seemed expedient, and the observations of Government have been duly attended to in this revision.

2. From the Returns of the Collectors there appear to be now 151 Ports. The Port at Guddalapad in Ganjam at which the Collector says there is no trade, is proposed to be closed. Other Collectors propose the combination of many small Ports or merely watching of others, at which there is very little if any trade, and the Collectors of South Arcot and Madura recommend that some Ports used almost exclusively for the occasional export of salt be placed under the superintendence of the Salt Department.

South Arcot	1
Madura	17
Ports	18

3. The local authorities being the best judges on this point, I have adopted the arrangement of the Ports, as recommended by the Collectors, and fixed 73 as the number (including minor Ports grouped together) at which establishments of some kind or other must necessarily be entertained. There are several Ports indeed, which return no Custom dues, but unless they are closed (which it is not right they should be, as it would interfere with trade), there must be a Clerk to take an account of the Imports and Exports, and to collect any duties that may at any time be payable, and which are perhaps now evaded; one Clerk, or Assistant Superintendent, and a Peon, may suffice (as in Nellore District) for several Ports, but their expense small as it is, will not even be repaid by the receipts of customs. These Clerks will not have much work to perform, and may be employed by the Collectors on other duties in the neighbourhood of their respective Ports. But unless these Ports are made free Ports, I do not see any way of escaping the charge, which must be debited to the general charge for Customs.

Enclosure No. 1.

4. Each of the 73 Ports has been provided with an Establishment suited to its wants. The Ports may be divided into seven classes as follows :—

			RS.
8	1st	Class Ports	1,746
3	2nd	do.	471
7	3rd	do.	1,119
9	4th	do.	1,005
11	5th	do.	885
15	6th	do.	460
20	7th	do.	410
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73			6,096
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The cost of the new Establishments will amount to Rupees 6,096 per month, which is in excess of the present charge in the sum of Rupees 1,415.

Enclosure No. 2.

Order of Government, 16th June 1860, No. 1,000, paragraph 5.

5. The Government are fully aware "that the present "Establishments are both insufficient in strength and "underpaid," and in my first report on the subject I roughly estimated the probable increase at 29,000 Rupees a year over present charges. I have been able greatly to reduce the anticipated increase.

Do.

6. The cost of the present Establishments as at first reported by me amounted to 4,438 Rupees per month, but though this sum was taken from the Civil Auditor's printed

Monthly Establishment.

	Districts.	Present.	Proposed.
1	Ganjam	455	586
2	Vizagapatam	175	424
3	Godavery	291	494
4	Kistna	154	217
5	Nellore	96	257
6	South Arcot	300	247
7	Tanjore	581	727
8	Madura	175	260
9	Tinnevelly	99	327
10	North Canara	556	582
11	South Canara	583	397
12	Malabar	1,216	1,578
	Total...	4,681	6,096

Returns, it seems to have been incorrect. The cost of present Establishments as entered in the Statements sent by the Collectors is Rupees..... 4,681
The Establishment now proposed is... 6,096

Increase... 1,415
Or annual Increase... 16,980

7. The principal points of difference between the imperfect scheme formerly sent up, and the more matured scheme of Establishments now submitted for the consideration of Government, are—

(1.) The number of Ports at which Establishments are wanted is 73 instead of 62 only.

(2.) The Múchí provided for in the first scheme has been excluded in the present, as unnecessary.

1 Bimlipatam.
1 Cocanada.
1 Negapatam.
1 Tandi.
1 Kilakarai.
1 Cochin.
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(3.) So also has the Shroffs except at six Ports.

(4.) A Sweeper and Massaljee has been allowed at some of the principal Ports.

(5.) Two extra grades of Superintendents on 50 Rupees and 15 Rupees, have been introduced. There are now seven grades, viz.:—

Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
100	85	70
50	30	20 and 15 Rupees,

the three last to be denominated "Assistant Superintendents."

(6.) Lastly, the estimated cost, which in the first scheme was 6,520 Rupees, is now only Rupees 6,096.

	Rs.
Imports	177,66,454
Exports	332,50,102
Total...	510,16,556

8. The value of the trade in these 73 Ports, as taken from the Returns of 1858-59 was Rupees 510,16,556. But the Custom receipts amounted to only Rupees 4,29,374, three-fourths of which is collected in 15 Ports, the remaining 58 Ports together contributing the other fourth.

9. The cost of the proposed Establishment is therefore 17 per cent. on the Revenue.

10. Of the Revenue collected, the Ports contributed in the following proportions, viz.:—

		Rs.
13	Ports which paid more than 10,000 Rupees	3,18,559
9	Do. do. 5,000	67,303
15	Do. do. 1,000	34,857
9	Do. do. 500	5,253
17	Do. do. less than 500	3,402
10	Do. which paid nothing at all	.....
Total...73		
	Revenue...	4,29,374

11. With reference to the subject of investing Sea Custom Superintendents with magisterial functions, the Collectors differ in opinion. I would not recommend at present any general rule on the subject. The wants of each District in this respect will be better ascertained after more experience, and if at any seaport it is found desirable to give the Superintendent the powers of a Sub-Magistrate, it can be done on the recommendation of the Collector and the Inspector General of Police.

Government Order above, paragraph 11.

12. I will make a few brief observations now on the Establishment proposed for each District separately.

13. Ganjam.—Mr. Forbes thinks the scale of allowance of the Superintendents is too low, and the Subordinate Establishment needlessly expensive. Another Collector takes exactly the

opposite view. Mr. Fisher of North Canara thinks the Superintendent's pay too high and the Establishment on too low a scale, I have allowed what on consideration, I deem to be necessary for the proper performance of the duties and with due regard to financial results. I had made Munsurcottah a first and Ganjam a second Class Port, but I have now reversed this order and given Ganjam a first and Munsurcottah a second Class Establishment in consequence of the Order of Government in the Marine Department just received, dated 11th June 1861, No. 197. It is there proposed that Ganjam should be brought under the operation of Act XXII of 1855, and that Port dues should be levied. In this case the Superintendent of Ganjam also will receive an additional allowance of 30 Rupees for his being a Conservator, as recommended in my report on the Marine Establishment.

14. Godavery.—Mr. Purvis notices the importance of the Ports of Cocanada and Coringa, which though in the same roads are nine miles apart; the former is frequented by English and foreign shipping; Coringa is the anchorage for native craft. Bearing in mind the Order of Government (paragraph 6), I have given Cocanada a first class Establishment, and Coringa a second, coinciding as I do in the Collector's opinion that each Port should have a separate Establishment in these important sea towns.

15. Kistna.—Mr. Thornhill thinks that when the salt pans at Nizampatam are opened, the Salt Peshkar may be also Sea Custom Superintendent and a Sub-Magistrate. But I have provided this Port with an Assistant Superintendent of Customs.

16. Nellore.—The coast in this District is 115 miles in length, there are 17 Ports, and at one only has any duty been collected; and the sum for the year was only 680 Rupees. The trade is chiefly in grain in these Ports. The Collector has recommended the grouping of the Ports, as now proposed by me, in six compartments, with a small Establishment to look after each of five of them, and a larger Establishment for the Kottapatam and Itumakala combined Port, at which there is a large trade of, as Mr. Dykes says, about 13* lacs of Rupees, though mostly in grain and articles not liable to duty. Mr. Dykes thinks that the Salt Peshkars may be availed of to exercise an occasional superintendence over the Agents at the minor Ports. But this is of questionable expediency. The Salt Peshkars have their own proper duties to attend to; and it will probably be better to place the Sea Custom Assistant Superintendents under the direct orders of the Tahsíldár, to whom they can afford assistance in other revenue matters and under the supervision of the Deputy Collector of Salt Department.

* The trade Returns show a trade of only 6,22,000 Rupees.

17. Mr. Dykes takes the opportunity of strongly recommending that the Port of Nizampatam be professionally examined to ascertain its capabilities, as he believes that when the Pennar Anicut comes into operation there will be a great increase in exports, and that this will be the Port of lading. This matter can, if the Government please, be referred to the Chief Engineer.

18. South Arcot.—Mr. Wood has specially recommended a second class salary, 85 Rupees for the Superintendent of Cuddalore Port, in consideration of his heavy duties in the Marine Department. But as he will, on the recommendation in that Department, receive 30 Rupees for those duties, his Sea Custom pay may remain as I have proposed at 70 Rupees. He wishes also to retain the present salary of the Superintendent of Porto Novo at 70 Rupees. This Officer is a Sub-Magistrate also. For importance the Port is of the fourth class and the Superintendent's pay on that class is Rupees 50, as I have allowed. There is no special reason for increasing this rate at Porto Novo, where the work is by no means of so arduous a nature as at Cuddalore.

19. Tanjore.—Mr. Cadell has represented the necessity of an intermediate class of Superintendents on 50 Rupees a month, not provided in the original scheme. This and a few minor modifications at the suggestion of the Collector have been adapted.

20. Mr. Cadell also recommended the employment of Sampraties, who are of the same class as the Curnums and not Curnums of Tanjore. There is no objection to their employment as Clerks on suitable salaries. They need not pass the Uncovenanted Service Examination for the appointments below 25 Rupees for which they are peculiarly adapted.

21. MADURA.—There are 33 Ports in Madura, but Establishments are required for 13 places grouped into four Ports, for which suitable Establishments have been now provided for by me. The trade is of a miscellaneous nature chiefly with Ceylon, in grain and other agricultural produce, cattle and emigrants; and though not extensive or valuable, yet it entails a considerable degree of trouble and requires constant supervision.

22. I have allowed a Shroff at the two Treasuries of Tondi and Kilakari, because at these places will be collected not only the Sea Customs, but the Salt Revenue also, as recommended by the Collector in his letter of 16th August 1860, No. 946, and referred to in enclosure A of my report on the Salt Establishments, dated 22nd December 1860, No. 669. There is not at present a separate Sea Customs Establishment for the Paumben Port. The duties are performed by and charged to the Marine Establishment, but I have entered it in my list under the Sea Customs. The Port is represented as one of importance, and there should be a Sea Custom Establishment distinct from the Marine; and the Superintendent, who is now also a Police Officer, should transact magisterial duties, and may be accordingly allowed his present salary of 50 Rupees.

23. The salaries for the Superintendents at the three other Ports, viz., 20 and 30 Rupees is that recommended by Mr. Levinge who explains, that in Madura there is an immense number of men of good family ready to serve on low pay, whose religious and caste prejudices stand in the way of their seeking more profitable employments.

1. Kotupatnum.
1. Arsanagari
1. Sundarapandrapatam.

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24. Mr. Levinge recommends that three Ports, far removed from the supervision of Madura officials, and situated more immediately in the precincts of the neighbouring District of Tanjore, be transferred to that District, and that the Police of these villages be also transferred to Tanjore. The villages belong to the Zamíndári of Ramnad. The proposition has been agreed to by the Collector of Tanjore, and the Inspector General of Mufassal Police, and I request the sanction of Government for the transfer.

25. TINNEVELLY.—Tuticorin is an important Port, and a first class Establishment has been allowed.

26. NORTH CANARA.—Mr. Fisher proposes an Establishment differing considerably from mine. He thinks the salaries proposed by me for the Superintendents (as before observed, paragraph 13) unnecessarily high, and the number of Clerks too small. I have made such modifications as seemed called for, and I think the Establishment now recommended will meet the requirements of the Ports in this District. Kumpta is an important Port for export of Cotton chiefly, but the Customs are small. It need not, therefore, be a first class. I have given it a third class Superintendent on 70 Rupees.

27. SOUTH CANARA.—The Collector proposes to place the Superintendent at Honore in charge also of the Salt Depôt at that place. I have given consideration to some alterations proposed by Mr. Fraser, and modified my scheme accordingly where I found it expedient to do so.

28. The superintendence of the Customs at the Ports of Casergode and Mulki, Mr. Fraser proposes to give to the Salt Peshkars at those places, and to place the Port of Mungashiwar under the supervision of the Sub-Magistrate at that station. This arrangement is unobjectionable.

29. MALABAR.—The thirty-four Ports in this District are clubbed into ten principal ports having Establishments. To the subordinate Ports no separate Establishment is allotted, because as proposed by Mr. Grant, where a ship arrives occasionally, a Clerk can be despatched from the chief stations.

30. There is one point which requires the consideration of Government. The Collector of Malabar proposes for one of the Ports, Kalai, no less than forty Peons; the present number is thirty; he states that the Sea Custom Superintendent at that port has the supervision of the whole Land Custom Department at Mondole, and other places in the immediate vicinity of the French Settlement of Mahe and its dependencies. He observes that the number of Land Custom Chowkies or watch sheds under the Superintendent's control is no less than nineteen,

and that a sufficient number of Peons must be kept at each of them to check smuggling, and also at the Kalai Custom House, to attend to the duties of the Port, and he considers that 40 Peons are under such circumstances, the least number that will suffice for the requirements of both Departments land and Sea Custom. The Collector being very particular on this point I have inserted the same number in my list of revised Establishments. These Peons should perhaps rather be debited to Sayer or Land Custom, than to the Sea Customs' Department, though they are indirectly necessary to secure the duties payable by Sea traffic at the Ports in the neighbourhood of the French Settlement. I have, therefore, retained them in the Sea Customs' Establishment. But should the new Police prevent land smuggling the number may be reduced.

31. In paragraph 1 of their Order dated 16th November 1860, No. 2,161, Government directed that the Sea Custom Establishment at Cochin should be under the orders of the Cochin Tahsíldár, but I think this is inexpedient. Cochin is an important Port, and on this account a Superintendent on 100 Rupees pay has necessarily been provided for it. This officer can attend to all the duties connected with the Port, and I am afraid that the interference of the Tahsíldár will only cause inconvenience. I therefore beg to suggest that the Superintendent may be left, as in other Ports, under the direct order of the Collector.

32. This concludes my report on the new Sea Customs Establishment. In another letter of this date (No. 993), I have reported on the Marine Establishment the cost of the two establishments is

		Monthly.		Yearly.
Customs Establishment.....	Rupees	6,096	Rupees	73,152
Marine do.....	,,	3,785	,,	45,420
Total...	,,	9,881	,,	1,18,572

33. In that report it will be seen that I have recommended an extra allowance of 30 Rupees for the Superintendents of Customs, who are also invested with the duties of Conservators the ten Ports mentioned in the margin* besides Paumben, where the Head Pilot is to be a Conservator, receiving the additional allowance of 30 Rupees.

* 1. Ganjam. 2. Munsoorcottah. 3. Calingapatam. 4. Bimlipatam. 5. Coringa. 6. Cuddalore. 7. Tranquebar. 8 Mangalore. 9. Cannanore. 10. Tellicherry.

34. I have carefully prepared the statements of proposed charges, and I fear they cannot be reduced in any respects materially, with a due regard to proper efficiency. The increase over the present charges in the two Departments is 30,813 Rupees, viz.:—

In Sea Custom.....	Rupees	16,980
Marine.....	,,	13,833
Total...	,,	30,813

This increase of expense in improving the establishments might probably be met by subjecting the shipping at the several out-ports, at which the Conservation Rules are not introduced, and at which Port dues are not now levied, to a small charge of an Anna per ton on all vessels, either entering or departing. In either case I calculate the sum to be thus valued would amount to about 40,000 Rupees.

35. I beg to annex the following Memorandums of percentage of cost of the Establishments to the Revenue.

(1)

Percentage of the proposed cost of the Sea Custom Establishment at the out-ports to the revenue at those Ports... ... 17 per cent.

(2)

Percentage of the total cost of both Sea Custom and Marine Establishments upon the Sea Custom revenue at same Ports... ... ... 27 per cent.

(3)

Proposed cost of the Sea Custom Establishment at the out-ports	Rupees	73,152
Present cost of Madras Customs House, not revised	,,	55,452
Total cost...	,,	1,28,604

Sea Custom Revenue in the out-port...	Rupees	4,29,374
Do. in Madras	,,	9,54,300
Total...	,,	13,83,674
Percentage of total cost of Customs on total Revenue at Madras and the out-ports also		9·3.

No. 4.

ORDER THEREON, 1st November 1861, No. 2,087.

1. In this letter Mr. Pelly submits his final recommendations for the revision of the Sea Customs Establishments at the outports.

2. There are altogether 151 Ports at present exclusive of Madras. Many of these are close together, and a considerable number have no foreign trade. By uniting the Ports in convenient groups the number for which Establishments are required is reduced to 73.

3. Mr. Pelly has ranged the Ports in seven classes, according to their Trade and Revenue.

4. The Establishments proposed consist of Superintendents and Assistant Superintendents, Clerks, Weighers, Peons and Sweepers.

5. There are four grades of Superintendents with salaries of Rupees 100, 85, 70 and 50, and three of Assistants with salaries of Rupees 30, 20 and 15.

6. The rates of pay of the Clerks, who are 76 in number, are 25, 20 and 15. No Port has more than three Clerks, and some none at all.

7. Only six Shroffs are proposed at an uniform rate of 10 Rupees each.

8. Weighers are attached only to the 18 large Ports and receive uniformly 7 Rupees each.

9. The Peons vary in number at each Port and all receive Rupees 5 monthly. Their number is 295, but of these about 40 are employed as a preventive cordon round Máhe in Malabar, and are properly chargeable to the Land Customs.

10. The Sweepers 28 in number are to get Rupees 5 each.

11. The total Establishment proposed will cost Rupees 6,096 per mensem, or 17 per cent. on the Customs Revenue of 1858-59, and about $\frac{1}{8}$ per cent. on the value of the entire trade of the Ports.

12. Mr. Pelly's proposals appear as moderate as they can well be consistently with efficiency, and are generally concurred in by the Collectors. The high ratio to Revenue is owing to the number of small Ports which cannot conveniently be closed and which must, therefore, have Establishments of some kind attached to them. If, however, Madras with its revenue and charges be included in the calculation, the expenditure will be 9·3 per cent.

13. The only alteration which Government deem necessary is in the number of Shroffs, they would only have an Officer of this class at Ports where the Customs Revenue exceeds Rupees 30,000.

14. There are several points in Mr. Pelly's letter which need separate notice.

I. (Paragraph 3.) The large number of small Ports, having no Foreign trade. Under Section XXX of Act VI of 1844, Government declare what places shall be "Ports," and once a place is so declared foreign as well as coasting trade can there be carried on. The Board of Revenue will consider whether it is desirable that Government should have the power of declaring a place to be a port for coasting trade only, and such power if advantageous might be given in the new Customs Code. Meanwhile, some of the so called Ports of Nellore might be closed; for they seem to have no trade at all, but being Ports must still be watched. The Board of Revenue will consider this, after calling for statements of the trade for three years.

II. (Paragraph 17.) The improvement of the Port of Nizampatam as recommended by Mr. Dykes, will be referred to the Chief Engineer for consideration.

III. (Paragraph 22.) The Custom Establishment at Paumben is to be transferred to the Revenue Department (G. O., 2nd ultimo, No. 1,904), and must be included in the Customs.

The "Superintendent" is said to be also a Police Officer, it should be stated who the Superintendent is, and how he is connected with the Police.

IV. (Paragraph 24.) The transfer of the Madura villages, mentioned in this paragraph seems desirable, and is approved. A notification will be published in the Gazette as soon as the necessary arrangements are complete.

V. (Paragraph 30.) The number of Peons required solely for guarding the approaches to Máhe should be specified.

VI. (Paragraph 31. The Sea Customs Establishment at Cochin will not be placed under the Tahsíldár.

VII. (Paragraph 34.) The proposal to charge a light Tonnage due on vessels frequenting outports at which the Conservancy Rules are not introduced, and at which Port dues are not now levied, will be considered in the Marine Department.

15. The total result of Mr. Pelly's plans is a net monthly increase of Rupees 1,415. There are no means of meeting this at present, the arrangement must, therefore, lie over until next year, when provision can be made for it in the Budget. Meanwhile, Mr. Pelly is requested to submit a Tabular Statement in the usual form.

16. The Madras Sea Customs Establishment has not yet been revised. The Board of Revenue will be requested at once to undertake this duty, in order that the entire Department of Sea Customs may be re-organized before the next Budget is prepared.

(Signed) J. D. SIM,
Secretary to Government.

Abstract Shewing the present & proposed Sea Customs Establishments in the several coast Districts of the Madras Presidency

	Districts	Annual avg. of Trade	Annual avg. of Duty	Present establishment	Proposed establishment	Remarks
	1	2	3	4	5	6
1	Ganjam	2776967	23300	455	586	
2	Vizagapatam	3470143	43637	175	424	
3	Godavari	4570879	50523	291	494	
4	Kistnah	1826186	1509	154	217	
5	Nellore	739479	680	96	257	
6	South Arcot	1333489	18226	300	247	
7	Tanjore	4699218	126842	581	727	
8	Madura	782537	28954	175	260	
9	Tinnevelly	3606469	19939	99	327	
10	North Canara	7011567	7775	556	582	
11	South Canara	5664641	24109	583	397	
12	Malabar	14335081	54380	1216	1578	
	Total	51016556	429374	4681	6096-4681 1415	

Revenue Bd. Office
Chepauk Palace
12th July 1861

Member

Statement Shewing the Establishment proposed for the Sea-

Custom Department in the Provinces.

Districts	Names of the Ports	Amount of Trade	Amount of Duty	Amount of the Present Establishment	Proposed Establishment													
					Superintendant		Assistant Superintendant		Clerks		Sheroffs		Moochies		Weighers		Peons		Masalchis and sweepers		Total	
					No.	Amount	No.	Amount	No.	Amount	No.	Amount	No.	Amount	No.	Amount	No.	Amount	No.	Amount	No.	Amount
Ganjam.	1 Ganjam	6,13,728	9850	44	1	100	"	"	2 1	20 15	"	"	"	"	1	7	8	40	1	5	13	187
	2 Munsoorcottah	12,01,140	7138	152	1	85	"	"	2 1	20 15	"	"	"	"	1	7	5	25	1	5	10	157
	3 Soonnapore	1,88,238	384	32	"	"	1	20	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	2	10	"	"	3	30
	4 Barwah	75,669	34	23	"	"	1	15	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	1	5	"	"	2	20
	5 Pondy	3,21,006	687	37	"	"	1	20	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	2	10	"	"	3	30
	6 Bapanapadu			23	"	"	1	15	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	1	5	"	"	2	20
	7 Calingapatam	3,77,136	5207	144	1	70	"	"	2 1	20 15	"	"	"	"	1	7	5	25	1	5	10	142
	Total	27,76,967	23,300	455	3	255	4	70	6	105	"	"	"	"	3	21	24	120	3	15	43	586
Vizagapatam	1 Conada / Bimlipatam	11,525	"	3	1	100	"	"	1 1 1	25 20 15	1	10	"	"	1	7	8	40	1	5	15	222
	2 Vizagapatam	29,02,443	37,055	98																		
		8,87,253	2005	68	1	85	"	"	1 1	20 15	1	10	"	"	1	7	5	25	1	5	10	157
	3 Pudimadaka / Watada / Palavarum / Kottapatnum	21,444	4	9																		
		"	"	"																		
		"	"	"																		
		"	"	"	"	"	"	"	1	15	"	"	"	"	"	"	1	5	"	"	2	25
	4 Pentakotta	1,66,378	4577	7	"	"	"	"	1	20	"	"	"	"	"	"	2	10	"	"	2	30
	Total	39,70,043	43,637	175	2	185	2	35	5	95	1	10	"	"	2	14	15	75	2	10	29	424
Godavery	1 Cocanada	22,44,195	33,146	88	1	100	"	"	1 1	20 15	1	10	"	"	1	7	10	50	1	5	17	222
	2 Coringa	16,50,579	16,807	145	1	70	"	"	1 1	20 15	1	10	"	"	1	7	10	50	1	5	15	167
	3 Narasapur	6,76,105	570	58	1	50	"	"	1	20 15	"	"	"	"	"	"	3	15	1	5	7	105
	Total	45,70,879	50,523	291	3	220	"	"	3	120	1	10	"	"	2	14	23	115	3	15	39	494
Kistna	1 Masulipatam	11,09,842	251	113	1	85	"	"	1 1	20 15	"	"	"	"	1	7	5	25	1	5	10	157
	2 Kotapalem	23,747	"	4																		
	Nizampatam	2,66,280	547	11	"	"	"	"	1	20	"	"	"	"	"	"	2	10	"	"	3	30
	3 Ipurpalem	3,74,907	211	15																		
	Motupally	57,410	"	11	"	"	"	"	1	20	"	"	"	"	"	"	2	10	"	"	3	30
	Total	18,26,186	1009	154	1	85	2	40	2	85	1	10	"	"	1	7	9	45	1	5	16	217

District	Names of the Ports	Amount of Trade.	Amount of Duty	Proposed Establishment: Amount of the present Establishment	Superintendent No.	Superintendent Amount	Asst. Superintendent No.	Asst. Superintendent Amount	Clerks No.	Clerks Amount
	No.									
Nellore	1 Hathapatnam	4,34,721	680	17	1	70	"	"	1	20
	1 Ittamakala	1,92,034	"	17					1	15
	2 Pakala	20,486	"	5	"	"	1	15	"	"
	3 Ramyapatam	30,820	"	17	"	"	1	15	"	"
	3 Chinnapollum	2,576	"	"						
	4 Itakapalli	20,334	"	5	"	"	1	20	"	"
	4 Tumalapenta	500	"	"						
	4 Juvaladinna	454	"	5						
	4 Pennapudi or Gogulpally	525	"	"						
	4 Varanv	9,682	"	"						
	5 Kistnapatam	2,385	"	5	"	"	1	15	"	"
	5 Manpundu	"	"	5						
	6 Tupully	4,244	"	"	"	"	1	15	"	"
	6 Dugarazapatam	"	"	"						
	6 Paumanjee	22,748	"	15						
	6 Pudi	"	"	5						
	Total	7,39,479	680	96	1	70	5	80	2	35
South Arcot	1 Cuddalore	578,471	10,115	162	1	70	"	"	1	20
	2 Porto Nove	455,018	8,111	138	1	60	"	"	1	15
	Total	10,33,489	18,226	300	2	130	"	"	4	70
Tanjore	1 Kodiampolium	39,881	7	7	1	50	"	"	1	20
	1 Jeromalvasel	456,006	9,136	53						15
	2 Tranquebar	549,607	13,870	90	1	50	"	"	1	20
	3 Nagore	364,063	15,845	90	"	"	1	30	1	15
	4 Nagapatam	2526,272	69,057	139	1	100	"	"	1	25
	5 Velungaman	88,264	2,229	17	"	"	1	15	"	"
	6 Tepataria	87,086	3,430	46	"	"	1	15	"	"
	7 Muttupetai	2,62,513	5983	65	1	50	"	"	1	20
	7 Cattumavadi	9,018	199	16						15
	7 Gopalapatam	7,950	242	7						
	8 Adirampatam	226,649	5,776	25	"	"	1	30	1	15
	9 Ammapatanum	30,850	818	26	"	"	1	15	"	"
	Total	46,99,215	126,812	581	4	250	5	105	11	195

Establishment: Sheroffs No.	Sheroffs Amount	Moochies No.	Moochies Amount	Weighers No.	Weighers Amount	Peons No.	Peons Amount	Masalchies and Sweepers No.	Masalchies and Sweepers Amount	Total No.	Total Amount
				1	7	6	30	1	5	11	147
"	"	"	"	"	"	1	5	"	"	2	20
"	"	"	"	"	"	1	5	"	"	2	20
"	"	"	"	"	"	2	10	"	"	3	30
"	"	"	"	"	"	1	5	"	"	2	20
"	"	"	"	1	7	12	60	1	5	22	257
"	"	"	"	1	7	5	25	1	5	10	142
"	"	"	"	"	"	3	15	1	5	7	105
"	"	"	"	1	7	8	40	2	10	17	247
						3	15	1	5	7	105
"	"	"	"	"	"	4	20	1	5	8	110
"	"	"	"	"	"	3	15	"	"	5	60
"	"	"	"	"	"	3	15	"	"	5	60
"	"	"	"	1	7	8	40	1	5	15	222
1	10	"	"	"	"	1	5	"	"	2	20
"	"	"	"	"	"	1	5	"	"	2	20
"	"	"	"	"	"	4	5	"	"	5	115
"	"	"	"	"	"	2	10	"	"	4	55
"	"	"	"	"	"	1	5	"	"	2	20
1	10	"	"	1	7	28	140	4	20	54	727

Proposed Establishment

Districts	Names of the Parts	Amount of Trade	Amount of duty	Amount of the present Establishment	Superintendent No.	Superintendent Amount	Assistant Superintendent No.	Assistant Superintendent Amount	Clerks No.	Clerks Amount	Shroffs No.	Shroffs Amount	Moochies No.	Moochies Amount	Weighers No.	Weighers Amount	Peons No.	Peons Amount	Masalchees and Sweepers No.	Masalchees and Sweepers Amount	Total No.	Total Amount
Madura	1 Tondi	100576	5969	28																		
	1 Pasapatanam	487	"	"																		
	1 Karungudi	618	11	"																		
	1 Total	101681	5980	28	"	"	1	20	"	"	1	10	"	"	2	"	3	15	"	"	5	45
	2 Devipatam	76326	2181	33																		
	2 Terupaluguli	5630	160	"																		
	2 Attinkarai	2093	"	"																		
	2 Total	83949	2341	33	"	"	1	20	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	3	15	"	"	4	35
	3 Pamban	85974	733	72																		
	3 Ramaiswaram	20793	124	"																		
	3 Mandapam	113682	255	"																		
	3 Vittalai	1544	3	"																		
	3 Total	222093	1115	72	1	50	"	"	1	20	"	"	"	"	"	"	4	20	1	5	8	110
	4 Kilakarai	374790	19518	42																		
	4 Mutupetai	"	"	"																		
	4 Eravadi	"	"	"																		
	4 Total	374790	19518	42	"	"	1	30	1	15	1	10	"	"	"	"	3	15	2	"	6	70
	Total	782537	28954	175	1	50	3	70	3	50	2	20	"	"	"	"	13	65	1	5	23	260
Tinnevelly	1 Vypaur	34719	85	7	"	"	1	20	"	"							2	10	"	"	3	30
	2 Tuticarien	245392	14386	42	1	100	"	"									8	40	1	5	14	212
	3 Koilpatam	155873	2687	25	"	"	1	20	"	"					1	7	2	10	"	"	3	30
	4 Kulasagarapatam	675185	2781	25	"	"	1	30	1	15							2	10	"		4	55
	Total	1111169	19939	99	1	100	3	70	4	75							2	10	"		3	30
	1 Sadashigar	121285	576	52	"	"	1	20	"	"							2	10	"	"	2	20
	2 Chundye	5100	"	22	"	"	1	15	"	"							1	5	"	"	2	20
	3 Ankola	44884	196	18	"	"	1	15	"	"							1	5	"	"	2	30
	4 Gangavalli	59612	584	23	"	"	1	15	"	"							2	10	"	"	4	55
	5 Taddree	366259	1231	116	"	"	1	30	1	15							2	10	"	"	4	55
	6 Kumpta	523793	1336	122	1	70	"	"							1	7	6	30	1	5	12	172
	7 Honare	367059	151	36	"	"	1	30	1	15							2	10	"	"	4	55
	8 Mauki	6861	"																			
	8 Marderhwar	14974	36	9	"	"	1	15	"	"							1	5	"	"	2	20
	9 Sirally	12374	"	8	"	"	1	15	"	"							1	5	"	"	2	20
	10 Butkal	90559	"	35	"	"	1	20	"	"							1	5	"	"	2	20
	11 Sirsur	7209	"																			
	11 Baindur	57418	99	15	"	"	1	15	"	"							1	5	"	"	2	20
	12 Naukankotta	10198	"	10	"	"	1	15	"	"							1	5	"	"	2	25
	13 Hundapur	619829	3566	90	1	50	"	"									3	15	1	5	7	105
	Total	7041567	7775	556	2	120	11	205	7	125					1	7	23	115	2	10	46	582

Proposed Establishment

District	No.	Names of the Parts	Amount of Grade	Amount of Duty	Amount of the present Establishment	Superintendent No.	Superintendent Amount	Asst. Superintendent No.	Asst. Superintendent Amount	Clerks No.	Clerks Amount	Sheriffs No.	Sheriffs Amount	Moochies No.	Moochies Amount	Weighers No.	Weighers Amount	Peons No.	Peons Amount	Mapalchies and Sweepers No.	Mapalchies and Sweepers Amount	Total No.	Total Amount
South Canara	1	Barcur or Hanjakotta	6,32,096	2126	88	"	"	1	30	1	15	"	"	"	"	"	"	2	10	"	"	4	55
	2	Molpe or Udipi	2,94,310	302	27	"	"	1	20	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	2	10	"	"	3	30
		Pudbedry	27,394	"	25																		
	3	Mulki	173,518?	791	25	"	"	1	15	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	2	10	"	"	3	25
	4	Mangalore	42,39,696	17,468?	252	1	100	"	"	1/1	25/20/15	"	"	"	"	1	7	8	40	1	5	14	212
	5	Munjaishwar	43,990	387	45	"	"	1	15	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	1	5	"	"	2	20
	6	Kumbla	125,559	1035	42	"	"	1	20	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	2	10	"	"	3	30
	7	Cafergode	105,611	2000	57	"	"	1	15	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	2	10	"	"	3	25
		Bekal	3437	1	11																		
		Kautcutcherry	"	"	11																		
		Total	56,64,611	24,109	583	1	100	6	115	4	75	"	"	"	"	1	7	19	95	1	5	32	397
Malabar	1	Kavai	11191	"																			
		Baliapatam	79,610	215	143	1	70	"	"	1/1	25/20/15	"	"	"	"	1	7	8	40	1	5	14	182
		Cannanore	19,91,188	2183																			
	2	Egar	1578	"																			
		Dharmapatam	2,637	"	124	1	70	"	"	1/1	25/20/15	"	"	"	"	1	7	8	40	1	5	13	167
		Tellichery	18,72,039	9374																			
	3	Kalai	212,918	143																			
		Chombai	25,736	"	192	"	"	1	30	1/1	20/15	"	"	"	"	"	"	43 x	215	"	"	46	280
	4	Muttungal	2094	"																			
		Vadakari	8,31,445	2411	58	1	50	"	"	1/1	20/15	"	"	"	"	"	"	6	30	1	5	10	120
		Kotakel	15,758	26																			
	5	Trikodi	20,272	20																			
		Katalur	915	"																			
		Dulandi	2,45,692	150	57	"	"	1	30	1	15	"	"	"	"	"	"	5	25	1	5	8	75
		Koput	1322	"																			

x This number includes 30 Moors.

Proposed Establishment.

Districts	Names of the Ports	Amount of Trade	Amount of Duty	Amount of the present Establishment	Superintendent No.	Superintendent Amount	Asst. Superintendent No.	Asst. Superintendent Amount	Clerks No.	Clerks Amount	Shroffs No.	Shroffs Amount	Moochies No.	Moochies Amount	Weighers No.	Weighers Amount	Peons No.	Peons Amount	Masalchis & Sweepers No.	Masalchis & Sweepers Amount	Total No.	Total Amount
Malabar	6 Calicut	31.41.065	7.953	221	1	100	"	"	1	25	"	"	"	"	1	7	10	50	1	5	16	222
	7 Beypur	4.51.772	12.153	15	"	"	1	30	1	15	"	"	"	"	"	"	3	15	"	"	5	60
	8 Tanur	1.82.903	22	56	"	"	1	30	1	15	"	"	"	"	"	"	4	20	"	"	6	65
	9 Veliangode	30.677	"	85	1	50	"	"	1	20	"	"	"	"	"	"	8	40	1	5	12	130
	10 Chavakad	1.28.063	14	48	"	"	1	20	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	2	10	"	"	3	30
	11 Kurikode	1.210	"	223	1	100	"	"	1	25	1	10	"	"	1	7	10	50	1	"	18	247
	Cochin	37.39.677	4863																			
73	Total	113.35.081	84.380	1216	6	440	5	140	21	390	1	10	"	"	4	28	107	535	7	35	151	1578

Revenue Board Office
Chepauk Palace...
12th July 1861..

Pelly
Member

Copy in a Letter to England
of 1st April 1862 No 21

In a letter from
the Members of the Bd
Rec. to the Secretary &c
Govt of 12th July 1861
No 992

Enclosure 1.

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Statement Shewing
the Establishment proposed
for the Sea Customs Depart-
ment in the Provinces.

Statement shewing the number and cost of the present and proposed Sea Customs Establishments in the several Districts of the Madras Presidency.

Districts	Ports.	Present Establishment. Establishments.		Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Ports.	Proposed Establishment. Establishments.		Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	
1 Ganjam	1 Ganjam	1 Sumastah		20 ..		1 Ganjam	1 Superintendent	✓	100 ..		
		6 Peons		24 ..	44 ..		2 Clerks	✓	35 ..		20+15
2 Munsoorah	1 Munsoorah	1 Superintendent		100 ..			1 Weigher	✓	7 ..		
		1 Sumastah		20 ..			8 Peons	✓	40 ..		
		8 Peons		32 ..	152 ..		1 Mapalgee	✓	5 ..	187 ..	✓
3 Calingapatam	2 Calingapatam	1 Superintendent		100 ..		2 Munsoorah	1 Superintendent	✓	85 ..		
		1 Sumastah		20 ..			2 Clerks	✓	35 ..		20+15
		6 Peons		24 ..	144 ..		1 Weigher	✓	7 ..		
4 Sonapoor	3 Sonapoor	1 Sumastah		20 ..			5 Peons	✓	25 ..		
		3 Peons		12 ..	32 ..		1 Mapalgee	✓	5 ..	157 ..	✓
5 Haraiwah	4 Haraiwah	1 Sumastah		15 ..		3 Sonapoor	1 Apptt Superintendent	✓	20 ..		
		2 Peons		8 ..	23 ..		2 Peons	✓	10 ..	30 ..	✓
6 Poondy	5 Poondy	1 Sumastah		25 ..		4 Haraiwah	1 Apptt Superintendt	✓	15 ..		
		3 Peons		12 ..	37 ..		1 Peon	✓	5 ..	20 ..	✓
7 Nagapatam	6 Nagapatam	1 Sumastah		15 ..		5 Poondy	1 Apptt Superintendt	✓	20 ..		
		2 Peons		8 ..	23 ..		2 Peons	✓	10 ..	30 ..	✓
		39			435 ..		1 Apptt Superintendt	✓	15 ..		
							1 Peon	✓	5 ..	20 ..	✓
						6 Nagapatam	1 Superintendent	✓	70 ..		
							2 Clerks	✓	35 ..		20+15
							1 Weigher	✓	7 ..		
							5 Peons	✓	25 ..		
							1 Mapalgee	✓	5 ..	142 ..	✓
							43	✓		586 ..	✓
Vizagapatam	1 Vizagapatam	1 Superintendent		25 ..		1 Vizagapatam	1 Superintendent	✓	100 ..		
		1 Sumastah		15 ..			3 Clerks	✓	60 ..		25+20+15
		1 Weigher		4 ..			1 Shroff	✓	10 ..		
		6 Peons		24 ..	68 ..		1 Weigher	✓	7 ..		
Coringa	2 Coringa	1 Superintendent		40 ..			8 Peons	✓	40 ..		
		1 Sumastah		20 ..			1 Mapalgee	✓	5 ..		
		1 Weigher		4 ..			15	✓		222 ..	✓
		6 Peons		24 ..	88 ..						
		18			156 ..						

Coringa Pondicherry

Present Establishment

Proposed Establishment

Vizagapatam (country Service)

Parts	Establishments.		Parts.
	18 Weighbower	156 " "	
3 Conadaw	1 Peon	3 " "	
4 Poodimadaca	2 Peons	9 " "	
5 Pentaeeda	2 Peons	7 " "	
	23	175 " "	2 Vizagapatam
			3 Pudimadaka
			4 Pentaeeda

	Establishments.			Parts.
	15 Weaver		222 " "	
1 Vizagapatam	1 Superintendent	85 " "		
	2 Clerks	35 " "		20+15
	1 Weigher	7 " "		
	5 Peons	25 " "		
	1 Makaljee	5 " "	157 " "	
3 Pudimadaka	1 Asst. Superintendt	15 " "		
	1 Peon	5 " "	20 " "	
4 Pentaeeda	1 Asst Superintendt	20 " "		
	1 Peon	5 " "	25 " "	
	29		424 " "	

Ganjam

1 Coconada	1 Superintendent	25 " "	
	2 Sunnastahs	20 " "	
	1 Shroff	5 " "	
	1 Weigher	5 " "	
	8 Peons	33 " "	88 " "
2 Coringa	1 Superintendt	60 " "	
	2 Sunnastahs	20 " "	
	1 Shroff	6 " "	
	1 Weigher	6 " "	
	13 Peons	53 " "	145 " "
3 Narsapoor	1 Superintendent	25 " "	
	1 Asst Do	12 " "	
	1 Weigher	5 " "	
	4 Peons	16 " "	58 " "
	38		291 " "

1 Coconada	1 Superintendent	100 " "	
	3 Clerks	50 " "	20+15+15
	1 Shroff	10 " "	
	1 Weigher	7 " "	
	10 Peons	50 " "	
	1 Mapaljee	5 " "	222 " "
2 Coringa	1 Superintendent	70 " "	
	2 Clerks	35 " "	20+15
	1 Weigher	7 " "	
	10 Peons	50 " "	
	1 Mapaljee	5 " "	167 " "
3 Narsapoor	1 Superintendent	50 " "	
	2 Clerks	35 " "	20+15
	3 Peons	15 " "	
	1 Mapaljee	5 " "	105 " "
	39		194 " "

Masulipatam

1 Masulipatam	1 Superintendent	50 " "	
	2 Asst Do		
	9 Peons	24 " "	
2 Motapatam	1 Peon	39 " "	113 " "
3 Nizampatam	1 Sunnastah	4 " "	
	1 Peon	7 " "	
	15	11 " "	2 Motapatam
	Dower	128 " "	

1 Masulipatam	1 Superintendent	85 " "	
	2 Clerks	35 " "	20+15
	1 Weigher	7 " "	
	5 Peons	25 " "	
	1 Mapaljee	5 " "	157 " "
2 Motapatam	1 Asst Superintendt	20 " "	
	2 Peons	10 " "	30 " "
	13	Dower	187 " "

Present Establishment

Parts.	Establishments.			Parts.
15	Weaver		187 ..	
1 Apothecary	1 Superintendt		20 ..	
	2 Peons		10 .. 30 ..	
16			217 ..	

Kistna (Conolly's District)

Parts.	Establishments.			Parts.
4 Upurpollium	1 Gumastah		128 ..	3 Upurpollium
	2 Peons	7 ..		
5 Mottapolly	1 Gumastah	8 ..	15 ..	
	1 Peon	7 ..		
20		4 ..	11 ..	
			154 ..	

1 Kotapatam	1 Gumastah	12 ..		1 Kotapatam
	1 Peon	5 ..	17 ..	
2 Hamsalla	1 Gumastah	12 ..		
	1 Peon	5 ..	17 ..	
3 Pakala	1 Peon		5 ..	2 Pakala
4 Nanapatam	1 Gumastah	12 ..		
	1 Peon	5 ..	17 ..	
5 Innaldinna	1 Peon		5 ..	
6 Eskapally	1 do		5 ..	3 Nanapatam
7 Mypaud	1 do		5 ..	
8 Hristnapatam	1 do		5 ..	4 Eskapally
9 Pannuje	1 Gumastah	10 ..		
	1 Peon	5 ..	15 ..	5 Hristnapatam
10 Poody	1 Peon		5 ..	6 Bugnapatam
44			96 ..	

Cuddalore

1 Cuddalore	1 Superintendent	70 ..		1 Cuddalore
	3 Gumastahs	53 ..		
	1 Weigher	7 ..		
	7 Peons	7 ..		
12		37 ..	162 ..	
2 Portonovo	1 Superintendent	70 ..		2 Portonovo
	3 Gumastahs	36 ..		
	1 Weigher	7 ..		
	5 Peons	5 ..		
	1 Sweeper	1 ..		
11 23			138 ..	
			300 ..	

Proposed Establishment

Establishments.			
1 Superintendent	70 ..		
2 Clerks	35 ..		20 + 15
1 Weigher	7 ..		
6 Peons	30 ..		
1 Mapalgee	5 ..	147 ..	
1 Apth Superintt	15 ..		
1 Peon	5 ..	20 ..	
1 Apth Superintt	15 ..		
2 Peons	10 ..	30 ..	
1 Apth Superintt	15 ..		
1 Peon	5 ..	20 ..	
1 Apth Superintt	15 ..		
1 Peon	5 ..	20 ..	
22		259 ..	

1 Superintendent	70 ..		20 + 15
2 Clerks	35 ..		
1 Weigher	7 ..		
5 Peons	25 ..		
1 Mapalgee	5 ..	142 ..	
1 Superintendt	50		20 + 15
2 Clerks	35 ..		
3 Peons	15 ..		
1 Mapalgee	5 ..	105 ..	
17		247 ..	

Dist. Trichy

Tanjore

Present Establishment

Parts.	Establishments.			Parts.
1 Kodiemptollum	2 Peons		7	
2 Serimalvaud	1 Apptt. Superintt	20		1 Kodiemptollum
	2 Gumastahs	13		
	1 Shroff	6		
	4 Peons	14	53	
3 Tranquebar	1 Superintendent	30		2 Tranquebar
	2 Gumastahs	26		
	1 Shroff	5		
	8 Peons	28		
	1 Sweeper	1	90	
4 Nagore	1 Apptt. Superintt	30		3 Nagore
	3 Gumastahs	27 8		
	1 Shroff	6		
	10 Peons	30		
	1 Sweeper	1 8	90	
5 Nagapatam	1 Superintendent	60		4 Nagapatam
	4 Gumastahs	42		
	10 Peons	35		
	1 Sweeper	2	139	
6 Velungaman	1 Gumastah	10		5 Velangaman
	2 Peons	7	17	
7 Topatoray	1 Apptt. Superintt	20		6 Topatoray
	1 Gumastah	7		
	1 Shroff	5		
	2 Peons	14	46	
8 Mootupettay	1 Apptt. Superintt	24		7 Mootupettah
	2 Gumastahs	16 8		
	1 Shroff	5		
	6 Peons	18		
	1 Sweeper	1 8	65	
9 Veerampatam	2 Gumastahs	18		8 Veerampatam
	1 Peon	7	25	
10 Cottamavady	1 Gumastah	9		9 Cottamavady
	2 Peons	7	16	
11 Ammapatam	2 Gumastahs	16		10 Ammapatam
	3 Peons	10	26	
12 Sopalapatam	2 Peons	7		11 Sopalapatam
87			581	

Proposed Establishment

Establishments.			Parts.
1 Superintendent	50		1 Kodiemptollum
2 Clerks	35		20+15
3 Peons	15		
1 Mapalgee	5	105	
1 Superintendent	50		2 Tranquebar
2 Clerks	35		20+15
4 Peons	20		
1 Mapalgee	5	110	
1 Apptt Superintt	30		3 Nagore
1 Clerk	15		
3 Peons	15	60	
1 Superintendt	100		4 Nagapatam
3 Clerks	60		25+20+15
1 Shroff	10		
1 Weigher	7		
8 Peons	40		
1 Mapalgee	5	222	
1 Apptt Superintt	15		5 Velangaman
1 Peon	5	20	
1 Apptt Superintt	15		6 Topatoray
1 Peon	5	20	
1 Superintendant	50		7 Mootupettah
2 Clerks	35		20+15
5 Peons	25		
1 Mapalgee	5	115	
1 Apptt Superintt	30		8 Veerampatam
1 Clerk	15		
2 Peons	10	55	
1 Apptt Superentt	15		9 Ammapatam
1 Peon	5	20	
54		727	

Present Establishment

Proposed Establishment

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Madura

Divisions	Ports.	Establishments.			Ports.	Establishments.		
	1 Sondy	1 Apptt superintt	10		1 Sondy	1 Apptt superintt	20	
		1 Sunnastah	4			1 Shroff	10	
		4 Peons	14	28		3 Peons	15	45
	2 Devipatam	1 Apptt superintt	10 8		2 Devipatam	1 Apptt superintt	20	
		1 Sunnastah	5			3 Peons	15	35
		5 Peons	17 8	33				
	3 Pamben	1 Apptt superintt	35		3 Pamben	1 superintendent	50	
		1 Sunnastah	7			2 Clerks	35	
		8 Peons	28			4 Peons	20	
		1 Sweeper	2	72		1 Masalgie	5	110
	4 Keelkarai	1 Apptt superintt	10 8		4 Keelkarai	1 Apptt superintt	30	
		1 Sunnastah	7			1 Clerk	15	
		7 Peons	24 8	42		1 Shroff	10	
		33		175 4		3 Peons	15	70
						23		160
Tinnevelly	1 Vyapoor	1 Sunnastah		7	1 Vyapoor	1 Apptt superintt	20	
						2 Peons	10	30
	2 Tuticorin	1 superintendent	24		2 Tuticorin	1 superintendent	100	
		1 Sunnastah	7			3 Clerks	60	
		1 Shroff	4			1 Weigher	7	
		2 Peons	7	42		8 Peons	40	
	3 Koilpatam	1 superintendent	7			1 Masalgie	5	212
		1 Sunnastah	7		3 Koilpatam	1 Apptt superintt	20	
		1 Shroff	4			2 Peons	10	30
		2 Peons	7	25				
	4 Kulasagara patam	1 superintendent	7		4 Kulasagara patam	1 Apptt superintendt	30	
		1 Sunnastah	7			1 Clerk	15	
		1 Shroff	4			2 Peons	10	55
		2 Peons	7	25		24		327
		16		99				
North Canara	1 Sedasheer	1 Apptt superintendt	14		1 Sedasheer	1 Apptt superintt	20	
		1 Sunnastah	5			2 Peons	10	30
		1 Shroff	5					
		7 Peons	28	52				
	2 Chindye	1 Apptt superintt	6		2 Chindye	1 Apptt superintt	15	
		4 Peons	16	22		1 Peon	5	20
	3 Ankola	1 Apptt superintt	6		3 Ankola	1 Apptt superintt	15	
		3 Peons	12	18		1 Peon	5	20
		19		92	4 Gungavelly	1 Apptt superintt	15	
						1 Peon	5	20
						9		90

District

Present Establishment

Ports.	Establishments.			Ports.
	19	Weaver	92	
4 Gungavelly	1	Apptt Superintt	7	
	4	Peons	16	23
5 Taddry	2	Apptt superintts	52	
	2	Sunnastahs	17	
	1	Shroff	7	
	1	Weigher	8	
	8	Peons	32	116
6 Kumpta	1	Superintendent	35	
	4	Sunnastahs	51	
	1	Weigher	7	
	7	Peons	29	122
7 Honore	1	Apptt Superintt	14	
	1	Sunnastah	6	
	1	Weigher	4	
	2	Peons	12	36
8 Manki	1	Apptt Superintt	5	
	1	Peon	4	9
9 Siralley	2	Peons	8	
10 Kalkal	1	Apptt Superintt	12	
	1	Sunnastahs	6	
	1	Weigher	5	
	4	Peons	12	35
11 Sherur	1	Apptt Superintt	7	
	2	Peons	8	15
12 Naikenerka	1	Apptt Superintt	6	
	1	Sunnastah	4	10
13 Hundapúr	1	Superintendent	25	
	3	Sunnastahs	34	
	1	Shroff	7	
	6	Peons	24	90
	83			556

5 Taddry				
6 Kumpta				
7 Honore				
8 Mankí				
9 Siralley				
10 Kutcall				
11 Sherur				
12 Naikenerka				
13 Hundapúr				

Assistt Collector's

1 Mangalore	1	Superintendent	30	
	1	Apptt do	30	
	4	Sunnastahs	55	
	1	Shroff	8	
	1	Weigher	8	
	17	Peons	71	252
	25		Quarter	

1 Karkúr
2 Mallpe
3 Purbeer

Proposed Establishment

Establishments.				
9	Weaver		90	
1	Apptt Superintt	30		
1	Clerk	15		
2	Peons	10	55	
1	Superintendent	70		
3	Clerks	60		
1	Weigher	7		
6	Peons	30		
4	Mapalgies	5	172	
1	Apptt Superintt	30		
1	Clerk	15		
2	Peons	10	65	
1	Apptt Superintt	15		
1	Peon	5	20	
1	Apptt Superintt	15		
1	Peon	5	20	
1	Apptt Superintt	20		
1	Peon	5	25	
1	Apptt Superintt	15		
1	Peon	5	20	
1	Apptt Superintt	15		
1	Peon	5	20	
1	Superintendent	50		
2	Clerks	35		
3	Peons	15		
1	Mapalgies	5	105	
46			582	

1	Apptt Superintt	30		
1	Clerk	15		
2	Peons	10	55	
1	Apptt Superintt	20		
2	Peons	10	30	
1	Apptt Superintt	15		
2	Peons	10	25	
10		Quarter	110	

Present Establishment

Proposed Establishment

Coimbatore District

Ports.	Establishments.		Ports.	Establishments.		
	25 Weavers	252 " "		10 Weavers	110 " "	
2 Mungeshum	1 Asstt Superintt	14 " "		1 Superintt	100 " "	
	1 Sunnastah	10 " "		3 Clerks	60 " "	25+20+15
	1 Weigher	5 " "		1 Weigher	7 " "	
	4 Peons	16 " " 45 " "	4 Mangalore	8 Peons	10 " "	
3 Mulkey	1 Asstt Superintt	3 " "		1 Mapalgar	5 " " 212 " "	
	1 Sunnastah	5 " "		1 Asstt Superintt	15 " "	
	3 Peons	12 " " 25 " "	5 Mungeshwar	1 Peon	5 " " 20 " "	
4 Hubla	1 Asstt Superintt	15 " "		1 Asstt Supt	20 " "	
	1 Sunnastah	10 " "	6 Hubla	2 Peons	10 " " 30 " "	
	1 Weigher	5 " "		1 Asstt Supt	15 " "	
	3 Peons	12 " " 42 " "	7 Caspergode	2 Peons	10 " " 25 " "	
5 Caspergode	1 Superintendt	25 " "		32		377 " "
	1 Asstt do	10 " "				
	1 Shroff	5 " "				
	1 Weigher	5 " "				
	3 Peons	12 " " 57 " "				
6 Hekul	1 Asstt Superintt	7 " "				
	1 Peon	4 " " 11 " "				
7 Kantambully	1 Asstt Superintt	7 " "				
	1 Peon	4 " " 11 " "				
8 Molpe	1 Asstt Supt	12 " "				
	1 Sunnastah	7 " "				
	2 Peons	8 " " 27 " "				
9 Pudhoor	1 Asstt Supt	8 " "				
	1 Sunnastah	5 " "				
	3 Peons	12 " " 25 " "				
10 Karkin	1 Superintendt	25 " "				
	3 Sunnastahs	34 " "				
	1 Shroff	5 " "				
	6 Peons	24 " " 88 " "				
	74	583 " "				
1 Kavay	1 Sunnastah	7 " "				
	2 Peons	10 " " 17 " "				
2 Cannanore	1 Superintt	55 " "	1 Kavay	1 Superintt	70 " "	25+20+15
	3 Sunnastahs	25 " "		3 Clerks	60 " "	
	1 Weigher	5 " "		1 Weigher	7 " "	
	7 Peons	35 " "		8 Peons	40 " "	
	1 Sweeper	1 " " 121 " "		1 Mapalgar	5 " " 182 " "	
	16 Coimbatore	138 " "		14 Coimbatore		

Present Establishment

Parts.	Establishments.			Parts.
	16	Hd Quarters		
3	Valiapadam	1 Peon	5 " "	
4	Kalay	1 Asst. Supt	21 " "	
		1 Gumastah	10 " "	2 Egar
		3/4 Peons	181 " " 197 " "	
5	Egar	1 Peon	5 " "	
6	Gumastahs	1 Peon	5 " "	
7	Tellicherry	1 Superintt	50 " "	
		3 Gumastahs	18 " "	3 Kalay
		1 Weigher	5 " "	
		5 Peons	10 " "	
		1 Sweeper	1 " " 114 " "	
8	Mut Hungal	1 Peon	5 " "	1 Mut Hungal
9	Vadakan	1 Superintt	20 " "	
		1 Gumastah	8 " "	
		4 Peons	25 " " 53 " "	
10	Irikoor	1 Peon	4 " "	5 Irikoor
11	Kodalore	1 do	4 8 "	
12	Kapur	1 do	4 8 "	
13	Quilandy	1 Superintt	21 " "	
		1 Gumastah	7 " "	6 Elatoor
		2 Peons	9 " "	
		1 Sweeper	1 " " 38 " "	
14	Elatoor	1 Peon	6 " "	
15	Pudiengady	1 do	6 " "	7 Keypoor
16	Calicut	1 Superintt	80 " "	
		6 Gumastahs	63 " "	
		1 Weigher	5 " "	8 Parpanangy
		15 Peons	60 " "	
		1 Sweeper	1 " " 209 " "	
17	Keypoor	1 Superintt	15 " "	
18	Perpanangy	1 Gumastah	7 " "	9 Kudaay
		1 Peon	4 " " 11 " "	
19	Parmoanna	1 Peon	4 " "	10 Calawakad
20	Tanur	1 Superintt	21 " "	
		1 Gumastah	8 " "	
		3 Peons	12 " " 41 " "	
21	Kudaay	1 Peon	4 " "	
22	Velingady	1 do	4 " "	
		121	Adonr 868 " "	

Proposed Establishment

Establishments.			
14	Hd Quarters	182 " "	
1	Superintt	✓ 70 " "	
2	Clerks	✓ 45 " "	25+20
1	Weigher	✓ 7 " "	
8	Peons	✓ 40 " "	
1	Mapalgee	✓ 5 " " 167 " " ✓	
1	Asst Superintt	✓ 30 " "	
2	Clerks	✓ 35 " "	20+15
4+3	Peons	✓ 215 " " 280 " " ✓	25 × 5 = 125
1	Superintt	✓ 50 " "	
2	Clerks	✓ 35 " "	20+15
6	Peons	✓ 30 " "	
1	Mapalgee	✓ 5 " " 120 " " ✓	
1	Asst Superintt	✓ 30 " "	
1	Clerk	✓ 15 " "	
5	Peons	✓ 25 " "	
1	Mapalgee	✓ 5 " " 75 " " ✓	
1	Superintt	✓ 100 " "	
3	Clerks	✓ 60 " "	25+20+15
1	Weigher	✓ 7 " "	
10	Peons	✓ 50 " "	
1	Mapalgee	✓ 5 " " 222 " " ✓	
1	Asst Superintt	✓ 30 " "	
1	Clerk	✓ 15 " "	
3	Peons	✓ 15 " " 60 " " ✓	
1	Asst Superintt	✓ 30 " "	
1	Clerk	✓ 15 " "	
4	Peons	✓ 20 " " 65 " " ✓	
1	Superintt	✓ 50 " "	20+15
2	Clerks	✓ 35 " "	
8	Peons	✓ 40 " "	
1	Mapalgee	✓ 5 " " 130 " " ✓	
1	Asst Superintt	✓ 20 " "	
2	Peons	✓ 10 " " 30 " " ✓	
133		Adonr 1331 " "	

Present Establishment

Nos.	Establishments.	Pays.	
	121 Weavers	868 "	
Malabar Coast 23	Ponany: 1 Superintt 35 " · 2 Gumastahs 17 " · 6 Peons 24 " · 1 Sweeper 1 "	77 "	Nettapuram
14	Chanakan: 1 Superintt 15 " · 2 Gumastahs 17 " · 4 Peons 16 "	48 "	
25	Coelim: 1 Superintt 70 " · 1 Asstt do 25 " · 4 Gumastahs 47 " · 2 Weighers 22 " · 10 Peons 50 " · 1 Sweeper 1 "	205 "	
26	Nettapuram: 1 Gumastah 8 " · 2 Peons 10 "	18 "	
160		1216 "	

Grand Total ~~4681~~ " 4125

Proposed Establishment

Establishments.			
133	Weavers	1331 "	
1	Superintt	100 "	
4	Clerks	75 "	
1	Shroff	10 "	
1	Weigher	7 "	
10	Peons	50 "	
1	Mapaljee	5 "	
151		1578 "	

25+20+15+15

Grand Total 6096 " — 5514

Deduct ~~4681~~ — 4125

Increase — ~~1415~~ — 1389

Kelly

Member

Abstract Statement shewing the number and cost of the present and proposed new Custom Establishments.

Districts	Present Establishment Number	Present Establishment Peons	Present Establishment Cost	Proposed Establishment Number	Proposed Establishment Peons	Proposed Establishment Cost
1	2	3	4 Rs A P	5	6	Rs A P
1 Ganjam	7	39	455 " "	7	43	586 " "
2 Vizagapatam	5	23	175 " "	4	29	424 " "
3 Godavery	3	38	291 " "	3	39	494 " "
4 Kistna	5	20	154 " "	3	16	217 " "
5 Nellore	10	14	96 " "	6	22	257 " "
6 Southwest	2	23	305 " "	2	17	247 " "
7 Tanjore	12	87	581 " "	9	54	727 " "
8 Madura	4	33	175 " "	4	23	260 " "
9 Tinnevelly	4	16	99 " "	4	24	327 " "
~~10 North Canara~~	~~13~~	~~83~~	~~556 " "~~	~~13~~	~~46~~	~~582 " "~~
11 South Canara	10	74	583 " "	7	32	397 " "
12 Malabar	26	160	1216 " "	11	151	1578 " "
	101	610	4681 " "	73	496	6096 " "
	13		536 Deduct	13		4681 " "
	88			60		1415 " "
	4125					1389

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38 × 5 = 190
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In a letter from the
Honorable C. P. M. Esq. M.
of the Board of Revenue to
G. D. Sim Esq. Secretary to
Government Revenue Depar

Dated 31st January 1862
No. 1159

Rev: 288/62.

Statement shewing the
number and cost of the presen
and proposed Sea Customs E
-stablishments on the several
Districts of the Madras
Presidency.

Revenue Depart.

No. 2087.

Proceedings of the Madras Government under date the 10th Novr. 1861.

Read the following letter from C. Pelly Esqr. Member of the Board of Revenue.

Submitting a Scheme for the Sea custom Esta = blishments for all the ports, excepting the Port of Madras.

(Here enter 12th July 1861. No. 992.)

In this letter Mr. Pelly submits his final recom = mendations for the revision of the Sea customs Establish = ments at the out ports.

There are altogether 157 Ports at present exclusive of Madras. Many of these are close together and a con = siderable number have no foreign trade. By uniting the Ports in convenient groups the number for which Esta = blishments are required is reduced

reduced to 73.

Mr. Kelly has ranged the Ports in 7 classes, according to their Trade & Revenue.

The Establishments proposed consist of Superintendents and Assistant Superintendents, Clerks, Weighers, Peons, & Sweepers.

There are four grades of Superintendents with Salaries of Rs. 100-85-70- and 50- and 3 of Assistants with Salaries of Rs. 30-20- and 15.

The "rates of pay of the Clerks, who are 7 in number are 25-20- and 15- Rs. Port has more than three Clerks and some none at all.

Only six Sheroffs are proposed at an uniform rate of 10 Rupees each.

Weighers are attached only to the 18 large ports & receive uniformly 7 Rs. each.

The Peons vary in number at each port and all receive Rs. 5 monthly. Their number is 295 but of these about 40 are employed as a preventive Cordon round Malé in Malabár and are properly chargeable to the Land Customs.

The Sweepers 28 in number are to get Rs. 5 each.

The total Establishment proposed will cost Rs. 6,096 per mensem - or 1/7 per cent on the Customs Revenue of 1858/9 and about 1/8 per cent on the value of the entire trade of the Ports.

Mr. Kelly's proposals appear as moderate as they can well be consistently with efficiency and are generally concurred in by the Collectors. The high rates to Revenue is owing to the number of small ports which cannot conveniently be closed and which must therefore have Establishments of some kind attached to them - If however Madras with its revenue & charges be included in the calculation the expenditure will be 9 1/3 per cent.

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The only alteration which Govt deem necessary is in the number of the officers they would only have an officer of this class at ports where the customs Revenue exceeds Rs 30,000.-

There are several points in Mr Kelly's letter which need separate notice.-

I. (Para 3.) The large number of small ports - having no foreign trade - under Section XXII of Act XI of 1844. Govt declare what places shall be "Ports" and once a place is so declared foreign as well as coasting trade can there be carried on.- The Board will consider whether it is desirable that Govt should have the power of declaring a place to be a port for coasting trade only - and such power if advantageous might be given in the new customs code - meanwhile some of the so called Ports of Bellore might be closed for they seem to have no trade at all - but being Ports must still be watched - The Board of Revenue will consider this, after calling for statements of the trade for 3 years.-

II. (Para 17.) The improvement of the Port of Nizapatam as recommended by Mr Sykes will be referred to the Chief Engineer for consideration.-

III. (Para 22.) The customs establishment at Coonimem is to be transferred to the Revenue Department (G.O. 2d instant No 1904) and so must be included in the contemplated "superintendent" is said to be also a Police officer it should be stated who the Superintendent is, and how he is connected with the Police.-

IV. (Para 24.) The transfer of the Madura villages mentioned in this para seems desirable, and if approved a Notification will be published

published in the Gazette as soon as the necessary arrangements are complete.

V. (Para 30.) The number of peons required solely for guarding the approaches to Máhé should be specified.

VI. (Para 31.) The Sea Customs Establishment at Cochin will not be placed under the Sub-collector.

VII. (Para 34.) The proposal to charge a light Tonnage due on vessels frequenting outports at which the Conservancy Rules are not introduced and at which Port dues are not now levied will be considered in the Marine Department.

The total result of Mr. Pelly's Plan is a net monthly increase of Rupees 1416. There are no means of meeting this at present & the arrangement must therefore lie over until next year when provision can be made for it in the Budget. Meanwhile Mr. Pelly is requested to submit a Tabular statement in the usual form.

The Maravar Sea Customs Establishment has not yet been revised. The Board of Revenue will be requested at once to undertake this duty in order that the entire Department of Sea Customs may be reorganized before the next Budget is prepared.

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4 Copies
Copy to Mr. Pelly Para 5
14 " Bd of Revenue
1 " Maritime Collr
1 " Collr of Sea Customs
13 " Chief Engineer
4 " Marine Department

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Copy in a Letter to Engt
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Relating to the
Revision of Sea Customs
Establt. at the outports.

Revenue 1861 Departt.
Pro: of Govt for November

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Pro: of the Madras Govt.
Dy 1st Novr 1861

From Bd of Revn D/5th Novr /61
C No. 2622 in Sec.

From the Marine Depth D/18th Novr /61
C No. 2724

Mr Pelly's final report
on the revision of the Sea Cus:
toms establishments at the
out ports, reviewed.

No 344.

on Mr Pelly C No. 288 of 1862
Board of R C No. 576 of 1862
From the Offg Chief Engr D/26th of Oct /62