

MADRAS RECORD OFFICE.

Government of Madras.

Revenue DEPARTMENT.

G.O. No. 754	Press ~~Mis~~
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**Proceedings of the Madras Government, Revenue Department,
2nd May 1864.**

No. 9. Read the following letter from W. HUDLESTON, Esq., Secretary to the Board of Revenue, to J. D. SIM, Esq., Secretary to Government, Revenue Department, Fort Saint George, dated Madras, 21st April 1864 :—

Sir,
1. Referring to paragraph 14 of the Proceedings of the Madras Government, dated 15th December 1863, No. 2,295, I am directed by

DISTRICTS.	Sale proceeds of Waste lands.	Redemption of land Revenue.	Receipts from Inam enfranchisement commutation.	Redemption of Tax on Government lands subject to Quit-rent.	Redemption of Quit-rent on Inam lands other than Village Service Inams.
	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.
Ganjam ...	2,500	...	...	...	200
Godavery ...	1,500	...	...	200	...
Kistna ...	1,000	...	...	...	...
Cuddapah ...	50	...	150	...	...
South Arcot...	500	...	...	...	...
Coimbatore ...	6,000	1,000	...	...	...
South Canara.	5,000	...	...	...	...
Malabar ...	20,000	...	...	...	...
	59,050	1,000	150	200	200

the Board to give in the margin a Statement of the receipts estimated by the Collectors for the year 1864-65 from the sale of waste lands, &c., corresponding with the Estimates forwarded by them to the Accountant General. The Board have no means of testing these Estimates, but from the annexed Statement of the extent of waste applied for under the rules (derived from recent returns from the Districts) it will be observed that at an average of Rupees 3 per Acre (the approved prices being generally Rupees 5 per Acre for Forest land, and Rupees 2-8-0 for open land) the sale proceeds will be Rupees 2,74,869.

It may safely be assumed that out of this amount the proportion estimated by the Collectors will be brought to account within the year.

The Board regret the delay that has occurred in submitting this report. The information was not available in their Office and had to be collected elsewhere.

Districts.	Extent of Waste land applied for.	Value at Rupees 3.
	Acres.	RS.
1. Ganjam. ...	14,945	44,835
2. Vizagapatam. ...	428	1,284
3. Godavery. ...	48	144
4. Kistna... ..	84	252
5. Cuddapah ...	342	1,026
6. Kurnool. ...	4,100	12,300
7. South Arcot. ...	661	1,983
8. Madura. ...	165	495
9. Coimbatore ...	18,788	56,364
10. Salem. ...	21,890	65,670
11. South Canara. ...	5,172	15,516
12. Malabar. ...	25,000	75,000
Total.....	91,623	2,74,869

No. 10.

ORDER THEREON, 2nd May 1864, No. 754.

Ordered to be recorded.

(True Extract.)

(Signed) C. G. MASTER,
Deputy Secretary to Government.

To the Board of Revenue.
Exd. S. T. Augustin.

Rec. 15 Dec 63 No 262-263

Per: 1864 Departth
Pro: of Govt for May
V. 1825.
From

The Secretary to the
Board of Revenue
To The Secretary to
Government B. D.

Dated 21st
Disps. 21st April 1864
Recd. 22nd

[Handwritten signature]

Forwarding a statement
of the receipts estimated by
the Collrs for the years 1864/65
from the sale of Waste or
Lands &c corresponding
with the Estimates sent

By them to the Accountant
General

RECORDED.

[Handwritten signature]
7th May 1864

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