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No. 115. Read the following Proceedings of the Board of Revenue, dated 11th May 1864,
No. 2,835.

Read the following letter from the Collector of Tinnevely, dated 16th April 1864, No. 151:—

1. I have the honor to report on the Tinnevely Exhibition of 1864 held in last month.
2. The Board are aware that the result of the last Exhibition held in 1859 was not so encouraging as to lead the then Acting Collector, Mr. Levinge, to recommend a repetition of the experiment, but at my request the Government were pleased to sanction another trial in this year.
3. Every means was tried by circulating notices throughout the District to acquaint the people with the objects of the Exhibition, and to interest the Zemindars and principal landholders in the same; but the people generally seemed apathetic, and the exhibitors who came forward this year, were fewer than formerly. The gentlemen who formed the Committee of Management gave me ready and willing aid, and I am greatly indebted to them.
4. The Exhibition was held in the compound of the Hoozoor Cutcherry, in which temporary buildings were erected, the Committee agreeing with a Contractor to put up and remove the same, with exception of the cadjan leaves required, as being more economical than purchasing the materials, and afterwards selling them. A hall forming part of the Cutcherry buildings, and in which my Sheristadar holds his Office, was also temporarily given up for the occasion.
5. The Exhibition was opened by the Committee on the morning of the 21st March, and four Juries with leave to choose Assessors to aid them, having been previously determined, and the members named, at a meeting held a few days before, they at once proceeded to their task of inspection, and carried it on during the whole of the 22nd, on the evening of which day, their awards were given in to the Secretary. On the evening of the 23rd, the prizes awarded were distributed before a large assemblage of the European and Native Community of the District. The Officer Commanding the 39th Regiment was good enough at the request of the Committee to allow the Band of the Regiment to attend, and the proceedings altogether seemed to give general satisfaction.
6. The names of the gentlemen who constituted the different Juries, and the classes of articles on which they reported, are exhibited in the accompanying Statement No. I. I am more particularly indebted to Messrs. King and Adderley, merchants of Tuticorin, who came up to Tinnevely to assist on the Juries, and who took much interest in the Exhibition; and to the resident Missionary, Mr. Sargent, who has always been associated with me in former Exhibitions, and who takes a warm interest in anything tending to promote the welfare of the people.
7. In Statement No. II is shown the amount of prizes awarded on articles specified in the printed Notification, a copy of which is enclosed amounting to Rupees 1,473, and the names of the successful exhibitors. In some instances the full amount was not awarded, the articles not being thought deserving of it, and in Statement No. III, the prizes awarded on extra articles exhibited and considered by the Committee deserving of encouragement, and amounting to Rupees 166, are shown. Statement No. IV shows the expenses incurred on account of the Exhibition, amounting to Rupees 629-13-10, making with the amount of prizes awarded, and which comes to Rupees 1,639, a total expenditure of Rupees 2,268-13-10, the saving on the sum of Rupees 4,000 sanctioned being thus Rupees 1,731-2-2. I beg to request sanction for the total expenditure of Rupees 2,268-13-10.
8. The Exhibition was chiefly deficient in the show of live stock and machines. Of Cotton also, only one specimen was shown that the Jury could pronounce to be of really superior quality. The Coffee and Senna exhibited were excellent, and Tobacco, Palmyrah

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Jaggery, and Sugar-candy, were good. Some good specimens of fibres were also shown. Spices were altogether wanting, only one specimen of Cinnamon was shown, and that was bad. The different grains exhibited were good. I send by banghy small specimens of the Cotton, Coffee, Senna, Jaggery, and Sugar-candy, for which prizes were given. I had directed specimens of fibres to be reserved also, but regret to say the exhibitors had removed them, before samples were got.

9. The American Saw Gin was exhibited at work to the people; it cleans the Cotton beautifully, but tears the fibre, and however well adapted to foreign kinds of Cotton, it will not do for the short staple indigenous Cotton of Tinnevely.

10. The number of exhibitors this year was one hundred and forty-three. The experiment has now again had a fair trial, but the want of competition has been such that I cannot recommend another Exhibition being held next year.

ENCLOSURE No. 1.

No. I.—STATEMENT showing the names of the gentlemen who constituted the different Juries, and the classes of articles on which they reported.

Description of Articles.	Names of Jurors.
<i>Class I.</i>	
Live Stock.	W. Hodgson, Esq. Captain Carnegry. Dr. Dempster. Reverend E. Sargent. Veerabudra Pillai.
<i>Class II.</i>	
Agricultural Raw Products.	F. Adderley, Esq. Captain Phipps. A. P. Shreenivasa. Ramiah. Nana Row.
<i>Class III.</i>	
Agricultural manufactured Products.	H. M. S. Grame, Esq. C. King, Esq. W. E. Underwood, Esq. Oothumalai, Zemindar. Meeranjeemiah Sahib.
<i>Classes IV and V.</i>	
Non-agricultural Products. Machines and Agricultural Implements.	Major Paxton. Captain Barber. J. E. Armstrong, Esq. W. H. Comyn, Esq. Balaram.

Tinnevely, 16th April 1864.

(Signed) J. SILVER, Collector.

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No. II.—List of Articles produced at the Exhibition held at Tinnevely on the 21st March 1864, with the names of the Exhibitors to whom prizes were awarded.

ENCLOSURE No. 2.

Number in the printed List.	Description of Articles.	Names of Exhibitors.	Amount of Prizes awarded.	Remarks.
	<i>First Class.</i>		Rupees.	
3	For the best pair of ploughing Bullocks...	Suddalayadumperumal Mukundan of Nangamoli in Tenkarai Talook ...	25	
8	For the second best he-Buffaloe ...	Nainar Tevan of Kockaraculam in Tinnevely Talook ...	10	
10	For the second best Cow in full milk with Calf at side.	Sundramien of Kulavaniapuram in Tinnevely Talook ...	20	
11	For the best she-Buffaloe in full milk with Calf at side.	Venguvaien of Tinnevely ...	20	
12	For the best Pony...	Maluneapillaimaracoir of Kayamoli in Tenkarai Talook ...	10	
A14	For six best milk Goats	Kothundarajah of Palamcottah ...	15	
B14	For second do. do.	Amoorthanayaganadan of Sundencottah in Tenkarai Talook ...	10	
A15	For the best game Fowls	Hyder Khan of Tinnevely ...	5	
B15	For the second do. do.	Muttusawmy Naick of Palamcottah ...	5	
16	For the best common Fowls	Innasimuthu of do. ...	6	
	<i>Second Class.</i>			
17	For the best Anaicomban ...	Muttusawmy Pillay of Elanji in Tenkasi Talook.	20	
18	For the best Sumba ...	Velayutha Moodelly of Kurichy in Tinnevely Talook ...	15	
19	For the best Velley...	Meeranjeemah Saib of Panagudi in Nanguneri Talook ...	12	
23	For the best Mackacholium	Aiyandiyandan of Valayadi in Tenkarai Talook	5	
24	For the best Cumbao	Muttusami Pillai of Pannicolum in Ottapidaram Talook ...	5	
26	For the best Varagoo or common Millet	Muttusami Pillai of Elanji in Tenkasi Talook ...	5	
27	For the best Thuvania or Red gram	Nellaiappan Chetty of Tinnevely ...	8	
28	For the best Oolundu or Black gram	Do. of do.	10	
29	For the best Horse gram	Do. of do.	5	
32	For the best Rape seed	Madasawmymuppen of Palamcottah ...	8	

List of Articles produced at the Exhibition held at Tinnevely on the 21st March 1864, &c.—(Continued.)

Number in the printed List.	Description of Articles.	Names of Exhibitors.	Amount of Prizes awarded.	Remarks.
			Rupees.	
33	For the best Castor-oil seed	Nellayappen Chetty of Tinnevely	10	
39	For the best Onions	Aiyandia Nadan of Valayadi in Tenkarai Talook	3	
42	For the best Yams	Gnanadesigam Pillai of Kockarakulam	10	
43	For the best Senakelangu	Velayutha Mudaliar of Kurichi in Tinnevely Talook	5	
43	For the best Pumpkins	Luchumana Pillay of Kockarakulam in Tinnevely Talook	5	
44	For the best large Cocoanuts, 100	Meeranimesh Sahib of Pangudi in Nanguneri Talook	20	
46	For the best Plantains	Butler Veerasawmi Naick of Palamcottah	5	
47	For the best Jack	Muttusawmi Pillai of Elanji in Tenkasi Talook	5	
48	For the best Coffee	Genthaboy Annal'sman Subba Naick of Tachanallur in Tinnevely Talook	75	
49	For the second best Coffee	Kripa Ram of Walajapettah in Tinnevely Talook	40	
50	For the best Senna	Irulappakudumban of Thalayuthu in Tinnevely Talook	70	
51	For the best Tobacco	Asana Rowten of Pettah in do.	40	
53	For the best Sarsaparilla root, one Maund	Muttusawmi Pillai of Elanji in Tenkasi Talook	15	
54	For the best Sugar-canes, 100	Veerabadra Pillai of Tinnevely	15	
55	For the best white do., 50	Do. of do.	8	
56	For the best Chayaroost	Arjanadia Nadan of Valayadi in Tenkarai Talook	100	
	Third Class.			
57	For the best Tinnevely indigenous Cotton	Uthandnadan of Marthandampatty	50	
60	For the best Indigo	Shaik Pillai Taragan of Melapalayem in Tinnevely Talook	20	
61	For the best specimen of Sugar made from canes.	Vairheyalingam Caverayer of Melagaram in Tenkasi Talook	10	
62	For the best Jaggery from cane	Nellayappen Chetty of Tinnevely	50	
63	For the best Sugar made from Palmirah	Vedamutunadan of Nazareth	30	
64	For the best Jaggery from Palmirah	Zeckariah of Nazareth in Tenkarai Talook	30	
65	For the best specimen of Palmirah Sugar candy	Vedamutunadan of Nazareth in Tenkarai Talook	30	
66	For the best Karuvaigum	Poonalingam Pillai of Tinnevely	30	

69	For the best Arrowroot Flour	Kesavarajah of Tenkasi	15	
70	For the best Cotton Carpets for flooring	Shaik Pillai Taragan of Melapalayem in Tinnevely Talook	30	
71	Fine Thread of different colours	Do. of do. and do.	10	
71	Fine Thread of do.	Sankaralingam Pillay of Kulavanigapuram in Tinnevely Talook	10	
72	For the best spun Cotton	Aiyandia Nadan of Valayadi in Tenkarai Talook	15	
73	For the best Carpets to sleep on	Shaik Pillai Taragan of Melapalayem in Tinnevely Talook	10	
74	For the second do. do.	Sangaralingum Pillay of Kulavanigapuram in Tinnevely Talook	7	
75	For the best specimens of Floor Matting	Thangameera Rowten of Pettah in do.	20	
76	For the best Coir Matting	Yesudian, Government Boat Indal, Tutcorin	15	
77	For the best Palmirah Baskets	Aroolanthadan of Sundancottah in Tenkarai Talook	5	
78	For 12 Cadian Baskets with many compartments	Aroolanthadan of Sundancottah in Tenkarai Talook	5	
79	For twelve best Bamboo do.	Muttusawmi Pillai of Elanji in Tenkasi Talook	5	
85	For six Women's cloths	Yellasetty of Palamcottah	10	
88	For six best coloured Handkerchiefs	Do. of do.	7	
89	Broad Tapes	Sangaralingum Pillay of Kulavanigapuram in Tinnevely Talook	7	
90	For ten pieces of Gunnies	Mahomed Rowten of Tinnevely	10	
92	For the best Cotton Rope	Sangaralingum Pillay of Kulavanigapuram in Tinnevely Talook	20	
93	For the best Coir Rope	Ananarayappa Pillai of do.	20	
94	For the best Hemp Rope	Sangaralingum Pillay of do.	20	
95	For the best Plantain Fibre Rope	Muttusawmi Pillai of Elanji in Tenkasi Talook	15	
96	For the best Pulichy Rope	Anthoni Savarimuthu Adappan of Pettah in Tinnevely Talook	15	
97	For the best Marul Rope	Muttusawmi Pillai of Elanji in Tenkasi Talook	15	
98	For the best Rope made from Aloes	Sangaralingum Pillay of Kulavanigapuram in Tinnevely Talook	15	
99	For the best Palmirah Rope	Muttusawmi Pillai of Elanji in Tenkasi Talook	12	
100	For the best Thaly Rope	Manakavala Perumal Pillai of Palamcottah	12	
101	For the best Rope of other descriptions	Muttusawmi Pillai of Elanji in Tenkasi Talook	12	
102	For the best description of Twine	Apparow Naidu of Kockarakulam in Tinnevely Talook	12	
103	For the best Castor-oil	Anjanadia Nadan of Valayadi in the Tenkarai Talook	15	
104	For the best Gingely-oil	Madasawmy Muppen of Pettah in Tinnevely Talook	15	
105	For the best Coconut-oil	Madasawmy Muppen of Palamcottah	15	

List of Articles produced at the Exhibition held at Tinnevely on the 21st March 1864, &c.—(Concluded.)

Number in the printed List.	Description of Articles.	Names of Exhibitors.	Amount of Prizes awarded.	Remarks.
106	For the best Wood-oil ...	Subramania Pillai for the Zemindar of Singam-putty ...	Rupees. 15	
107	For the best Iluppai-oil ...	Meeranjiniah Saib of Panagudy in Nanguneri Talook ...	15	
109	For the best Punga-oil ...	Ponnappa Pillai of Tinnevely ...	7	
110	For the best Pinnacoy-oil ...	Madasawmy Muppen of Palamcottah ...	7	
<i>Fourth and Fifth Classes.</i>				
116	For one hundred best Flat Tiles ...	Muttasawmy Pillai of Elanji in Tenkasi Talook ...	5	
117	For do. best Pan Tiles ...	Do. of do. in do. ...	10	
119	For the best Churnam manufactured from shells ...	Pakiyanadan of Nazareth in Tenkarai Talook ...	5	
121	For the best Steel 50 lbs. ...	Muttasawmy Asary of Tinnevely ...	20	
123	For the best Brass, Copper and Bell Metal utensils for cooking purposes. ...	Nellayappen Chetty of Tinnevely ...	5	
123	For do. ...	Murugalingam Pillay of do. ...	10	
124	For the best strong and improved specimens of Pottery, such as Goggles, Chemboos, &c., a dozen of each kind. ...	Meeranjiniah Saib of Panagudy in Nanguneri Talook ...	15	
124	For do. ...	Muttasawmy Pillai of Elanji in Tenkasi Talook ...	5	
125	For the best country paper 50 Quires ...	Chinna Peer Mahomed Rowten of Pettah in Tinnevely Talook ...	10	
125	For do. ...	Asana Rowten of do. in do. ...	10	
128	For the best description of Fishing net ...	Israel of Nazareth in Tenkarai Talook ...	10	
130	For six best Sheep Skins tanned ...	Shaik Pillai Taragan of Melapalayem in Tinnevely Talook ...	10	
131	For six do. Buffalo Hides ...	Do. of do. ...	10	
132	For six do. Bullock do. ...	Peer Mahomed Rowten of Pettah in Tinnevely Talook ...	10	
146	For six best Bill Hooks ...	Appavoo Asary of Tuticorin ...	10	
147	For six best Knives ...	Do. of do. ...	10	
		Total	1,473	

(Signed) J. SILVER, Collector.

Tinnevely, 16th April 1864.

ENCLOSURE No. 3.

No. III.—List of extra articles for which Prizes were awarded.

	Description of articles.	Names of Exhibitors.	Amount of Prizes awarded.	Remarks.
			Rs.	
1	Reaping Machine ...	Narainasawmi Asari of Palamcottah...	20	
2	Rifle loading rod ...	Ramasawmi Asari of do. ...	10	
3	Tamil printing Types ...	Jesudian and Gnanakunnoo of Murukancurechi near Palamcottah ...	15	
4	Surveying Instrument ...	Captain Barber ...	30	
5	Nets for catching birds ...	W. E. Underwood, Esq. ...	10	
6	Loom frames ...	Sundaram Chetty of Palamcottah ...	5	
7	Umbrella ...	Lolas Vaz ...	5	
8	Bantams ...	Mr. A. McGhee ...	7	
9	Turkeys, three pairs...	Kothandarajah of Palamcottah ...	7	
10	Geese do. do. ...	Do. of do. ...	6	
11	Coota Thuckali ...	Nainapillai of Kulvaniekapuram ...	3	
12	Cocoa Pods ...	Butler Veerasawmy ...	3	
13	Best Citrons ...	Muttasawmi Pillai of Elanji ...	3	
14	Lemons ...	Meeranjiniah Saib of Panagudi ...	5	
15	Green Saffrons ...	Viravanatha Kotten of Tinnevely ...	5	
16	Rape seed Punac ...	Madasawmy Muppen of Pettah ...	2	
17	Tapioca root ...	Subramania Pillay for Zemindar of Singampatti ...	5	
18	A Lathe ...	Suviseshaniuthu of Mengnanapuram. ...	10	
19	Best cold drawn Castor-oil ...	Velayutham Pillai, 2nd Dresser ...	15	
		Total ...	166	

Tinnevely, 16th April 1864.

(Signed) J. SILVER, Collector.

ENCLOSURE No. 4.

ABSTRACT.—Account particulars of sundry expenses incurred on account of the Exhibition held at Tinnevely on the 21st March 1864.

ENCLOSURE No. 5.

ABSTRACT.—Copy of printed Notification referred to in the above letter.

1. Ordered to be submitted for the information of Government with the request that the charge of Rupees 2,268-13-10 may be sanctioned, and that the samples of produce when no longer required may be sent to the Museum with copy of the report.

2. The Board regret that the result of the renewed experiment has not been more favourable than on former occasions, but the Government is equally indebted to the gentlemen who so readily lent their services to promote the undertaking, and the Board request permission to convey the thanks of Government to them.

No. 116.

ORDER THEREON, 10th June 1864, No. 990.

Miscellaneous.

1. The Government regret to learn that the result of the Exhibition held in Tinnevely on this, the second occasion, has not been very encouraging. They are not disposed, however, to regard success as hopeless, and think that after a little pause the experiment should be repeated. This will be done in 1866. The Board will instruct the Collector accordingly, and cause Notices and Prize Lists to be distributed at once and from time to time until the Exhibition takes place. The Board will submit a copy of the Prize List, and also ascertain from the Collector what implements or other articles it would be desirable for Government to exhibit.

2. The Government sanction the charge of Rupees 2,268-13-10.
3. The Board will convey the acknowledgment of Government to the gentlemen who lent their services on this occasion.

(True Extract.)

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

To the Board of Revenue.
„ the Accountant General.
„ the Civil Paymaster.
„ the Superintendent Government Central Museum.

Exd. S. T. Augustin.

NOTIFICATION. Exhibition of 1864.

The Collector of Tinnevely and the Gentlemen of the Committee associated with him do hereby make known to the Public, that.

The Government being desirous to encourage the Agricultural and Manufacturing industry of this District, as well as the rearing of good descriptions of Cattle, and to advance the prosperity of the people generally, have resolved again to award Prizes to the Exhibitors of Articles of superior quality the exhibition Hall of 1859 will therefore be reopened on Monday the 21st March 1864 and all persons are invited to come forward and by presenting fine articles, make the Exhibitions a general benefit fit to all. Exhibitors of the best articles will receive prizes as shown in the under mentioned Catalogue

It is to be clearly understood, that all live stock, agricultural produce, articles of general utility, and Machines, brought for Exhibition, be bona fide the production by culture or breeding, or the manufacture of Tinnevely, but without prejudice to residents of Tinnevely who by furnishing designs for any Machine or manufactured article, may fairly be considered entitled to the reward though the article be manufactured elsewhere.

To avoid inconvenience, persons wishing to become Exhibitors must before the 1st March 1864 apply at Tinnevely to T. Venkat Row the Secretary to the Committee, for a numbered Ticket signed by the Secretary and describing the article, the name of the Exhibitor, and if a manufacture that of the Manufacturer, the place whence produced, the quantity to be exhibited, and the value of the article. Without such Ticket no article will be admitted.

The money prizes will be commutable, at will for gold or silver ornaments equivalent in value. After the exhibition is closed, the Exhibitors may sell the articles presented by them without restriction, or they can take them back to their houses.

Should any parties make known to the Secretary before the date above noted, their desire of exhibiting articles that may not be mentioned in the Catalogue Tickets will be granted to them at discretion, provided that the articles are of a useful description.

No.	Description of Articles.	Amount of Prizes.	No.	Description of Articles.	Amount of Prizes.
I CLASS.			II CLASS.		
LIVE STOCK.			Agricultural raw Products.		
			CEREALS.		
			WET GRAIN EACH 175 lbs.		
1	For the best pair of draught Bullocks.....	35	17	For the best Anai Comban.....	20
2	For 2d Do.....	20	18	For the best Sumba.....	15
3	For the best pair of Ploughing Bullocks.....	25	19	For the best Velley.....	15
4	For the best pair of Ploughing Buffaloes.....	20	20	For the best Seeraka sumba or Sugadas.....	15
5	For the best Bull.....	35	Note		
6	For 2d Do.....	20	Half of each quantity to be in husk and the other half to be cleaned.		
7	For the best he Buffalo.....	25	DRY GRAIN EACH 175 lbs.		
8	For 2d Do.....	15	21	For the best Cholam.....	15
9	For the best cow in full milk with calf at side.....	35	22	For the best wheat.....	15
10	For 2d Do.....	20	23	For the best Mackacholam.....	10
11	For the best she Buffalo in full milk with calf at side.....	20	24	For the best Cumboo.....	10
12	For the best Pony.....	25	25	For the best Raggy.....	10
13	For the 6 best Sheep.....	25	26	For the best Varagoo or common millet.....	10
14	For 6 best Milk Goats.....	10			
15	For 6 best Fowls game in pairs.....	6			
16	For 6 best Fowles common in pairs.....	6			

No.	Description of Articles.	Amount of Prizes
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PULSES EACH 175 lbs.

27	For the best Thuvairi or Red gram.	10
28	For the best Oolundoo or Black gram	10
29	For the best Horse gram.....	10
30	For the best Green gram.....	10
31	For the best Bengal gram.....	10
32	For the best Rape seed.....	10
33	For the best Castor oil seed.....	10

SPICES AND CONDIMENTS.

34	For the best Cinnamon prepared } 10 lbs. }	25
35	For the best Nutmgs.....10 lbs..	25
36	For the best Cloves.....10 lbs..	25
37	For the best Cardamoms.....10 lbs..	20
38	For the best green ginger.....10 lbs..	5
39	For the best Onions.....50 lbs..	5
40	For the best Garlic.....20 lbs..	5

VEGETABLES.

41	For the best Potatoes..3 Maunds...	15
42	For the best Yams.....10 lbs..	10
43	For the best country Vegetables of different kinds 1 Basket each...	10

FRUITS.

44	For the best large Coconuts 100...	20
45	For the best Limes.....50.....	5
46	For the best Plantains.....	5
47	For the best Jack.....6.....	5

MISCELLANEOUS.

48	For the best Coffee...12 Maunds...	100
49	For 2d best.....	50
50	For the best Senna.....125 lbs	70
51	For the best Tobacco.....10 Maunds	50
52	For 2d best.....	30
53	For the best Sarsaparilla Root 1 Maund.....	20
54	For the best Sugarcanes Nos. 101...	20
55	For the best white Do.....50...	20
56	For the best Chayroot 1 Maund...	10

III CLASS.

Agricultural Manufactured

PRODUCTS.

57	For the best Tinnevelly indigenous Cotton 1 candy cleaned.....	100
58	For 2d Do.....	70
59	For the best Bourbon Cotton 1 Candy	50

Note

These Prizes to be given
with reference to cleaning as well
as quality.

60	For the best Indigo.....50 lbs..	50
61	For the best Specimen of Sugar made from canes.....2 Maunds..	50

No.	Description of Articles.	Amount of Prizes.
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62	For the best Jaggery from cane 5 do	20
63	For the best Sugar made from Pal- mirah.....5 do	50
64	For the best Jaggery from.....5 do	30
65	For the best Specimen of Palmirah Sugarcandy.....5 do	30
66	For the best gums of different des- cription.....4 lbs each	30
67	For the best salt petre..5 Maunds	20
68	For 2d Do.....	15
69	For the best Arrow root flour 20 lbs	15

MISCELLANEOUS.

70	For the best Cotton Carpets for flooring 10 feet by 20.....	30
71	Fine thread of different Colours not less than 5 lbs. each 1st sort.....	20
72	For the best Spun Cotton 10 lbs.....	15
73	For 6 best Carpets to sleep on.....	10
74	For 2d Do.....	7
75	For the best patterns of floor matting 1st Sort 100 Yards.....	20
76	For the best Coir matting 12' do.....	15
77	For 12 best Palmirah fibre Basket.....	5
78	For 12 Cadjan do with many Compart- ments.....	5
79	For 12 best Bamboo do.....	5
80	For 6 Ratnan do.....	25
81	For 6 Silk Cloths.....	20
82	For 6 Sallas.....	15
83	For 6 Cavanies.....	10
84	For 6 Handkerchiefs in Silk.....	10
85	For 6 Woman's Cloth.....	10
86	For 6 Comblies.....	10
87	For the best Cotton Canvas 20 Yards..	7
88	For 6 best coloured Handkerchiefs.....	7
89	For broad Tapes.....100 Yards	10
90	For Gunnies.....10 Pieces	10
91	For best country Umbrellas 12 in (Number.)	10

Ropes 20 Yards in length with Speci-
mens of the fibre from which they are
made 5 lbs each kind.

92	For the best Cotton Rope no cotton woun- ted.....	20
93	For the best coir Rope.....	20
94	For the best Hemp Rope.....	15
95	For the best Palantain fibre Rope.....	15
96	For the best Pulchey Rope.....	15
97	For the best Marul Rope.....	15
98	For the best Rope made from Aloes.....	12
99	For the best Palmirah Rope.....	12
100	For the best Thaly Rope.....	12
101	For the best Rope of any other descrip- tion of useful fibres.....	12
102	For the best description of Twine 100 Fathans.....	12

OILS EACH 3 MAUNDS

103	For the best Castor oil.....	15
104	For the best Gingly oil.....	15
105	For the best Coconut oil.....	15
106	For the best wood oil with specimen of wood from which the oil was Extract- ed.....	15

No.	Description of Articles.	Amount of Prizes
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107	For the best Eloopai oil.....	15
108	For the best Sengottai.....	7
109	For the best Punga.....	7
110	For the best Pinnacoy.....	7
111	For the best Margosa.....	7
112	For the best Fishoil.....	7

IV CLASS.

Non agricultural

PRODUCTS.

113	For 100 best Bricks.....	15
114	For 100 best Square Bricks 9 inches square.....	15
115	For 100 Pillar bricks.....	15
116	For 100 best flat tiles.....	15
117	For 100 best pan tiles.....	15
118	For the best Chunam manufactured from stone and used for building purposes 1 Cottah.....	10
119	For the best Chunnam manufactured from Shells.....	10
120	For best Iron in bars 100 lbs.....	20
121	For best Steel.....50 lbs.....	20
122	For best 12 Indian writing Pens or Styles Iron.....	10
123	For the best Brass Copper and Bell metal Utensils for cooking purposes	15
124	For the best strong and improved specimens of Pottery such as Goglers, Chelboos &c a dozen of each kind.....	20
125	For the best Country paper 50 Quires.	20
126	For the best papers corresponding to that known as Goa paper 50 Do }	20
127	For the best Specimen of Native Shoes 3 pairs.....	10
128	For the best description of fishing net.	10
129	For 6 best Cotton Umbrellas.....	10

HIDES.

130	For 6 best Sheep skins tanned.....	10
131	For 6 Do. Buffalo Do.....	10
132	For 6 Do. Bullock Do.....	10

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No.	Description of Articles	Amount of Prizes
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133	For the best Specimen of carpentry work by a Native Resident in the District.....	20
134	For the best specimen of carving in wood metal or Ivory by Do.....	20

V CLASS.

Machine Agricultural.

IMPLEMENTS.

135	For a Machine for drawing water from wells of 20 feet deep econo- mically and in large quantities other than the present Picottah and Camalays.....	100
136	For the best model of a wind mill working on the ground.....	70
137	Do. Cotton Gin of improved pattern working on the ground.....	50
138	For the best Machine for spinning Cotton Superior to the Common Ratnams.....	30
139	For a mill for grinding flour on im- proved principles.....	30
140	Do. winnowing Machine.....	30
141	For an improved muster of a cart.....	20
142	For the best Machine of improved pattern for manufacturing Pot- tery.....	20
143	For the best plough upon improved principles.....	20
144	For 6 best Mamuties.....	10
145	For 6 best Axes.....	10
146	For 6 best Billhooks.....	10
147	For 6 best Knives.....	10

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Reserve fund to be awarded at the
discretion of the Committee for articles
of general utility, which may be exhi-
bited and are not entered in the
above list.....

150

Total Rupees..... 3070

J. SILVER,

Collector and President.

Copy of the
Printed Notification
referred to in the
above letter.
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Account particulars
of sundry expenses
incurred on account of
the Exhibition held
at Sarniwellly on the
21st March 1864

No 2236 of 1864

No. IV.
 Account Particulars of sundry expenses incurred on account of the Exhibition held at
 Cincinnati on the 23rd March 1884.

Errecting Main Building		336	106
Do. Wall Sheet		103	10
Do. Square Canvas in front of the Ohio State Custom		23	"
Wholesale and Retail Buttery in which the exhibition was also held		26	"
Value of materials for Benches and fire of Cuts for conveying the same to the		7	3
Exhibition buildings		2	10
Office of Carpenter employed in fixing Benches		15	8
Value of Staircase trees and floors for decorating the Exhibition buildings		1	8
Office for conveying chairs and carpets to Do.		11	2
Office of Corder women employed in sweeping the Exhibition buildings		10	"
Office of Cloth for covering the Benches &c.		9	"
Value of a Weather belt for the Government Cotton Gin		10	"
Value of cotton furnished for showing the working of the above gin		"	12
Value of a bottle of account bill for cleaning Do.		3	"
Value of 2 Miscellaneous for oiling Do.		11	8
Value of 2 dozens of Boon for the Bandmen		38	"
Value of Stationery		53	66
Charges for printing Circulars and small Notifications and Tickets		66	89
Oil and Oil for lights in the Exhibition buildings		2	68
Exhibition		70	"
Charges incurred in landing the Americans saw fire at Cincinnati		4	4
Cost here for conveying 2 from Cincinnati to Cincinnati		8	6
Value of specimen of cotton sent to the Board for inspection		"	34
		802	12
Total			
Sale proceeds of sundry materials, baggage leaves &c.		172	142
Total Expenditure		629	130

Debit

Sincerely
 16 April 1884 }
 W. H. P.

W. H. P.
 Collector.

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ENCLOSURE No. 3.
No. III.—List of extra Articles for which Prizes were awarded.

	Description of Articles.	Name of Exhibitor.	Amount of Prize awarded.	Remarks.
			Rs.	
1	Reaping Machine ...	Narainasamy Asari of Palamcottah ...	20	
2	Rifle loading Rod ...	Ramasami Asari of do. ...	10	
3	Tamil printing Types ...	Jesudian and Gnanakunoo of Murukancurechi near Palamcottah ..	15	
4	Surveying Instrument ...	Captain Barber ...	30	
5	Nets for catching birds ...	W. E. Underwood, Esq. ...	10	
6	Loom frames ...	Sundaram Chetty of Palamcottah ...	5	
7	Umbrella ...	Lolas Vaz ...	5	
8	Bantams ...	Mr. A. McGhee ...	7	
9	Turkeys, three pairs ..	Kothandarajah of Palamcottah ...	7	
10	Geese do. do. ...	Do. of do. ...	6	
11	Cootta Thuckali ...	Nainapillai of Kulvaniekapuram ...	3	
12	Cocoa Pods ...	Butler Veersawmy ...	3	
13	Best Citrons ...	Muttusami Pillai of Elanjy ...	3	
14	Lemons ...	Meeranjimeah Saib of Panagudi ...	5	
15	Green Saffrons ...	Viravathia Kotten of Tinnevelly ...	5	
16	Rape seed Punac ...	Madammy Muppen of Pettah ...	2	
17	Tapioca root ...	Subramania Pillay for Zemindar of Singampatti ...	5	
18	A Lathe ...	Suviseshaniuthu of Mengnanapuram.	10	
19	Best cold drawn Castor oil ...	Velayutham Pillai, 2nd Dresser ...	15	
		Total ...	166	

TINNEVELLY, 16th April 1864.

(Signed) J. SILVER, Collector.

ENCLOSURE No. 4.

ABSTRACT.—Account Particulars of sundry expenses incurred on account of the Exhibition held at Tinnevelly on the 21st March 1864.

ENCLOSURE No. 5.

ABSTRACT.—Copy of printed Notification referred to in the above letter.

1. Ordered to be submitted for the information of Government with the request that the charge of Rupees 2,263-13-10 may be sanctioned, and that the samples of produce when no longer required may be sent to the Museum with copy of the Report.

2. The Board regret that the result of the renewed experiment has not been more favorable than on former occasions; but the Government is equally indebted to the gentlemen who so readily lent their services to promote the undertaking, and the Board request permission to convey the thanks of Government to them.

(True Copies and Extract.)

Secretary.

To J. D. Sim Esq., Secretary to Government, R. D., with two enclosures.

Copy to J. Silver, Esq., Collector of Tinnevelly.

Exd. J. Wright.

Proceedings of the Madras Government
under date the 10th June 1864.

Reads the following Proceed-
ings of the Board of Revenue.

Submitting for informa-
tion letter from the collector of
Tinnevely reporting on the
Exhibition of 1864 held in March.

(Here, inter 11th May 1864. N^o 2835.)

The Govt. regret to learn
that the result of the Exhibition
held in Tinnevely on this the
second occasion, has not been
very encouraging. They are not
disposed however to regard success
as hopeless and
permanence, the Govt. think that
after a little pause the experi-
ment should be again repeated.
and This ^{will} ~~may~~ be done in 1866.
The Board will instruct the
collector accordingly, and cause
notices and prize lists to be
distributed at once and from
time

[Signature]

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Pro: 1864. Department
No. of Govt. for June.

PROCEEDINGS OF THE BOARD OF REVENUE,
No. 1287.

Dated 11th May 1864.
22nd 1864.
22nd 1864.

No. 2835.
No. 2835.

Submitting for information letter from the Col-
lector of Tinnevely reporting on the Exhibition
of 1864, held in March.

For when we are in the
middle of the exhibition
the first - The result in the
the second occasion, the
it has been very encouraging
but in that the success
the result is the best
We may show a little pause
and have the next exhibition
in 1865 - The
the & we can send down some specimens
for exhibition *[Signature]*

[Signature]

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time to time until the Exhibition takes place. The Board will submit a copy of the prizes list and also ascertain from the collector what implements or other articles it would be desirable for Govt to exhibit.

2. The Govt sanction the charge of Rs 2,268.13.10 -

3. The Board will convey the acknowledgment of Govt to the gentlemen who lend their services on this occasion.

To
14 The Board of Revenue. Secy. to the
3 Accountants General.
3 Civil Paymaster.
1 Supt. Govt Central
Museum.
Secy Agri. Horticultural Garden.

With Compliments of the Secy

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Revenue 1864 Dept.
Pro: of Govt for Amer.

N: 990.

Pro: of the Madras Govt.
D: 10: June 1864.

Bas' Pro: requesting
sanction for the Charge
incurred during the exhi-
bition in Tinnerelly of 1864.
sanctioned.

N: 115 + 116.

24 June 1864 RB.