

MADRAS RECORD OFFICE.

Government of Madras.

Revenue DEPARTMENT.

G.O. No. 2904

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2. So far as the Tanjore District is concerned, the Government have already* approved of the proposals which the Board submitted after communication with the Collector. The ferries in Nellore have also been under consideration, and authority granted† for farming them out. The question of renting the ferries over the Godavery at Rajahmundry and other places has also been discussed, and the Government have recently‡ determined to exercise its right to a monopoly where such may seem the most fitting course, and to define, by a Legislative enactment, the precise extent of right inherent in them in this particular.

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4. The Board propose, however, to obtain, from each District, detailed information on the present condition of the ferries, and in the meantime they append a statement shewing the receipts and charges for 1864-65, so far as they can be gathered from the last Local Fund Report:—

Districts.	Collections.			Charges.		
	RS.	A.	P.	RS.	A.	P.
1. Ganjam	730	3	0	132	0	0
2. Vizagapatam	89	0	0	...	...	...
3. Godavery	1,806	3	9	210	4	1
4. Kistna	4,754	5	1	767	3	4
5. Nellore	1,608	7	6	477	2	8
6. Cuddapah	...	...	...	...	...	...
7. Bellary	7,092	14	3	...	...	...
8. Kurnool	33	0	0	...	...	...
9. Madras	42	12	0	75	0	0
10. North Arcot	...	...	...	...	...	...
11. South Arcot	1,262	1	4	386	15	3
12. Tanjore	5,921	11	0	13	13	0
13. Trichinopoly	...	...	...	...	...	...
14. Madura	...	...	...	...	...	...
15. Tinnevely	3,508	11	0	3,499	1	8
16. Coimbatore	1,335	3	1	...	...	...
17. Salem	8,925	5	5	2,313	2	5
18. South Canara	70,389	14	3	1,975	3	9
19. Malabar	...	...	...	...	...	...
Total...	1,07,502	14	8	9,849	14	2

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2. Vizagapatam	89	0	0	...	...	...
3. Godavery	1,806	3	9	210	4	1
4. Kistna	4,754	5	1	767	3	4
5. Nellore	1,608	7	6	477	2	8
6. Cuddapah	...	...	...	...	...	...
7. Bellary	7,092	14	3	...	...	...
8. Kurnool	33	0	0	...	...	...
9. Madras	42	12	0	75	0	0
10. North Arcot	...	...	...	...	...	...
11. South Arcot	1,262	1	4	386	15	3
12. Tanjore	5,924	11	0	13	13	0
13. Trichinopoly	...	...	...	...	...	...
14. Madura	...	...	...	...	...	...
15. Tinnevely	...	...	...	...	...	...
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Exd. S. T. Anagnostin.

From R. A. DALYELL, Esq., Acting Secretary to the Board of Revenue,
To Colonel C. A. ORR, R. E., Secretary to Government, P. W. D.

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2. Vizagapatam ...	1,806	3	9	210	4	1
3. Godavery ...	4,754	5	1	767	3	4
4. Kistna ...	1,608	7	6	477	2	8
5. Nellore ...	7,092	14	3	...	...	...
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I have the honor to be,

Sir,

Your most obedient servant,

R. A. Dalyell

Acting Secretary.

REVENUE BOARD OFFICE,
Madras,
20th November 1865.

Copy to W. Hudleston, Esq., Acting Secretary to Government, R. D.

Rev: 1865. Department.
W. D. Gaulton 1865

No. 3367.
From the Acg Secy to the Board of Revenue,
To Secretary to Government, P. W. D. 24.
Rev: 24/11/65

Dated 20th November 1865.
Rev: 22/11/65
Rev: 23/11/65

No. 7419.

Requesting permission to exclude from the Board's list of unanswered references G. O. of 20th March 1861 No. 561 D. P. W. calling for proposals for making Ferris self supporting, and submitting a statement of the receipts and charges under that head for 1864-65.

Rev: 29/10/65.
On after meeting the S. & C. Board
from the Revenue Office.

25th Nov 1865.

14th Feb 1866 by Order of Board

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