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14th May 1870.

No. 181. Read the following Proceedings of the Board of Revenue :—

Submitting Report on Settlement and Collection of Revenues of Madras Presidency for Fusly 1278. } (Here enter 28th February 1870, No. 1,407.)

No. 182. ORDER THEREON, 14th May 1870, No. 710.

Land Revenue.

THIS Report of the Board of Revenue on the settlement and collection of the revenues of the Presidency for Fusly 1278, or the revenue-year ending 30th June 1869, is submitted at a comparatively early period, although two months later than the time prescribed in the Order of Government, dated 11th May 1869, No. 1,313. The Board explain that the latest District Report did not reach their office until November last, and that the unusual pressure of work in connection with the preparation of the Budgets prevented the earlier preparation of the General Report. They promise, however, to submit the Report of the present year at a much earlier date, should no extraordinary delay occur in the arrival of the District Reports. The Board will, however, be requested to enforce punctuality on the part of the Collectors in the transmission of their Reports, and the Government will be prepared to support them in any notice they may deem it necessary to take of delay on the part of the officers in the provinces.

2. The only territorial alteration of importance made during the year was the formation of the Neilgherry District under Act I. of 1868. The number of districts in the Presidency was thus raised from nineteen to twenty.

3. The gross revenue of the year amounted to Rupees 661,54,137 against Rupees 626,19,420 (inclusive of the License-tax collected in the Town of Madras) in 1867-68. The amount collected was thus in excess of that brought to account in any previous year.* The increase of Rupees 35,34,717 was the result of the more favourable character of the season and of the enhanced revenue derived from Salt, Sea Customs, and Stamps. The charges amounted to Rupees 62,61,759, or Rupees 3,73,006, above the expenditure of Fusly 1277, in consequence of the increased number of Assistants and the introduction of a higher rate of deputation allowance for officiating officers. The ratio of total charges to receipts, viz., 9·4, was nearly the same as in the previous year. The net revenue was Rupees 598,92,378 against Rupees 566,59,213 in Fusly 1277.

		Rs.
* Fusly 1273	... ...	626,72,913
,, 1276	... ...	655,37,502
,, 1277	... ...	626,19,420

4. *Season.*—The season was on the whole much better than the preceding one. The North-East Monsoon was a failure in most of the northern and southern districts, but the freshes in the large rivers, in some of them husbanded as they were by the anicuts, saved the paddy cultivation from destruction. Wet cultivation under rain-fed tanks, and dependent on uncertain rain-supplies, failed. The season in the inland and west coast districts, as also in Tinnevelly and in the greater part of Madura, was very good.

5. *Sanitary Condition.*—The Board remark that "public health was remarkably good." This remark is, strictly speaking, correct only as regards cholera and small-pox. There has been an increase in the deaths from fever and other diseases.

and the death-rate of the year (15·06 per mille) is slightly higher than that of Fusly 1277, which was 13·95. This result is probably owing to greater accuracy in the Mortuary Returns.

6. The Government are concerned to learn that cattle suffered severely from murrain in several districts.

7. *Prices.*—The comparatively low prices of Fusly 1277 have fallen still, though slightly lower in the case of all dry grains which constitute the staple-articles of food of the poorer classes of the population, and the increase in the price of paddy (second sort) could not have been much felt. In Ganjam, Vizagapatam and Godavery, where the North-East Monsoon failed most, there was a considerable rise in the price of *all* grains; elsewhere the variations were too slight to have any material effect, the general tendency being downwards.

8. *Ryots' Holdings.*—The extent of land occupied on ryotwary tenure in all the districts, South Canara excepted, was Acres 192,12,865, assessed at Rupees 341,65,672, against Acres 190,05,610, assessed at Rupees 340,70,855, in Fusly 1277. The increase under dry and wet, making allowance for the Amani lands in Tanjore, brought under ryotwar settlement, alluded to in paragraph 10 of the Board's Report, is shown in the margin. The Board have included in the comparison the revenue or assessment of South Canara which vitiates the comparison, as there is no corresponding entry of area. Omitting this amount the result is an increase of upwards of two lacs of Acres, bearing an assessment of nearly a lac and half of Rupees.

	Extent. Acres.	Assessment. Rs.
Dry	+2,02,768+	1,45,013
Wet	+ 4,469—	50,312
Total ...	+2,07,237+	94,701

9. Under "wet" there was an increase of more than 4,400 Acres in the extent of the holdings, but a decrease of half-a-lac of Rupees in the assessment. In the Kistna District alone there was a marked relinquishment of 21,838 Acres, assessed at Rupees 1,19,620. Among other causes for the abandonment of this large extent of land, the Board allude to the deterioration of the soil by Chavudu, or the efflorescence of salt caused by the action of fresh-water on regar soil, and the enhancement of the wet assessment by the introduction of the new settlement-rates. These points have been fully entered into by Mr. C. G. Master in his Report on the falling off of cultivation in the Kistna District, and will receive consideration when the Board's remarks on Mr. Master's Report reach the Government.

—	Fusly 1277. Rs.	Fusly 1278. Rs.
Assessment on actual buildings	340,70,971	341,65,672
Deduct waste—		
Remitted	15,18,913	11,99,635
Remainder	325,52,058	329,66,037
Add—		
Second crop assessment.	4,76,724	5,32,297
Additional assessment ...	3,91,451	4,08,998
Water-tax	9,40,378	9,40,792
Revenue of South Canara	13,83,138	13,85,104
	357,43,759	362,33,228
Deduct—		
Remissions	30,17,981	24,70,601
	327,25,778	337,62,627

10. *Ryotwar Settlement.*—The actual ryotwar settlement of the Presidency amounted to Rupees 337,62,627 against Rupees 327,25,778.

The extent of land actually cultivated shows an increase of Acres 2,25,465, bearing the assessment of

Rupees 1,92,305. Under the head "Lands left waste" there was a decrease of 18,210 Acres, assessed at Rupees 95,522. These figures and the variations in almost all the other subordinate items of the settlement given in the margin bear unmistakeable evidence of improvement.

11. *Remissions.*—The "occasional and waste" remissions, which vary with the character of the season, show a decrease indicating the generally successful issue of the ryot's labour. The remissions would have been still less but for the scantiness of the monsoon in six of the twenty districts.

	Fusly 1277. Rs.	Fusly 1278. Rs.
Waste remissions ...	15,18,912	11,99,635.
Occasional remissions	22,31,759	15,07,027.

12. The remissions of a fixed character and deductions from the collections on account of the remuneration of village-servants, etc., need no particular notice. The large increase under the latter head is owing to the pay of village-servants having been for the first time deducted from the assessment in the districts of Tanjore, Godavery, and Tinnevelly.

	Remissions of a fixed character. Rs.	Deductions from beriz. Rs.
Fusly 1277	97,801	6,88,421
,, 1278	1,12,678	8,50,896
Increase	14,877	1,62,475

13. *Peishcush or Zemindary Revenue.*—The permanently settled revenue of the year from Zemindaries and Mootahs amounted to Rupees 51,46,522 against Rupees 51,32,859 in Fusly 1277. The increase of Rupees 13,663 was the result mainly of the collection of water-rate in the Goodoor Purganah, and the restoration of two estates in the Kistna District to the persons who claimed them.

14. *Shrotriem and Inam Quit-rent.*—The increase of Rupees 2,611 under the head of Shrotriem and Inam Quit-rent is a nominal one, consisting merely of a transfer to this item from Land-revenue Miscellaneous to which the sum was formerly erroneously credited.

	Rs.
Fusly 1277	6,68,117
,, 1278	6,70,728
Increase	2,611

15. *Miscellaneous.*—The revenue from the various minor items classed under this head amounted to Rupees 34,95,113 against Rupees 34,55,311 in Fusly 1277. The increase is the combined result of the sum of Rupees 89,425, the sale-proceeds of escheated lands in Malabar having been credited for the first time to Land-revenue, and to the decrease of Rupees 1,36,877 in the rent of islands in the Godavery District. The decrease was due partly to the introduction of the new settlement-rates and partly to certain lunkahs or islands in the river having been left unoccupied in consequence of the bad outturn of the Tobacco-crop on them in the previous season.

16. The total Land-revenue Demand of the year under all heads amounted to Rupees 430,74,990 against Rupees 419,81,948 in Fusly 1277. The increase was Rupees 10,93,042.

17. *Special Products.*—There was a decrease in the cultivation of Sugar-cane and Cotton which the Board attribute, in the case of the former, to want of water in several districts, and, in that of the latter, partly to the season and partly to the ever-varying state of the market.

	Fusly 1277. Rs.	Fusly 1278. Rs.
Sugar-cane	41,733	39,771
Cotton	14,86,861	13,41,365
Indigo	1,16,880	1,62,015

The prospect of a good Jonna-crop in the Ceded Districts appears to have also checked the cultivation of Cotton. The cultivation of Indigo in Cuddapah, Bellary, and Kurnool, was also largely influenced by an increased demand in the market for that article.

18. The demand on account of sundry sources of revenue is shown in the subjoined table:—

Items.	Fusly 1277.	Fusly 1278.	Difference.
	RS.	RS.	RS.
Abkarry	53,27,863	49,05,543	— 4,22,320
Income-tax	.....	73,900	+ 73,900
License-tax	5,48,941	5,07,511	— 41,430
Salt	105,62,247	111,98,249	+ 6,36,002
Sea Customs	24,11,354	25,88,750	+ 1,77,396
Land Customs	1,51,606	1,89,756	+ 38,150
Stamps	35,89,001	39,49,938	+ 3,60,937
Total...	225,91,012	234,13,647	+ 4,63,750

19. *Abkarry.*—The decrease of nearly 4¼ lacs under Abkarry was the combined result of an increase of Rupees 1,33,260 in ten districts, and a decrease of Rupees 5,55,580 in as many; but this falling off in this branch of revenue in the year under report has been fully recovered in the present year.

20. *Income and License Taxes.*—The Income-tax which was in operation during the last three months of the Fusly superseded the License-tax which was collected up to that time, and the revenue entered under the former head consists only of deductions made from the salaries of Government officials. No fair comparison can therefore be instituted under these heads.

21. *Salt.*—The demand under "Salt" shows the large addition of Rupees 6,36,000 to the revenue of Fusly 1277, which has occurred chiefly in the districts noted in the margin. The sales in the first two districts, respectively, were chiefly influenced by the demand from Hyderabad, in consequence of the stores there having been exhausted, and by the further extension of the north-west line of Railway towards Bellary. Compared with the collections of the last five years, the revenue under this head (Rupees 111,98,247) is more than that realized in any year, except Fusly 1276, and exceeds the average of those years by more than 8¼ lacs.

	RS.
Kistna	3,68,941
Madras	1,32,317
South Arcot...	53,003
Malabar	75,695

	RS.
Fusly 1273	94,78,845
,, 1274	99,17,221
,, 1275	102,85,487
,, 1276	115,87,979
,, 1277	105,62,247
Total...	518,31,779
Average...	103,66,356

22. The quantity of Salt sold in the year was 71,87,473 Indian Maunds against 66,69,562 in Fusly 1277. The balance in store at the close of the former year was not only less than the balance of Fusly 1277, but was also below the average of the previous five

	RS.
Fusly 1277	96,10,067
,, 1278	86,80,636
Decrease...	9,29,431

years by more than 9¾ lacs. This decrease is owing chiefly to the quantity manufactured having on the whole fallen short by nearly 4¼ lacs of Maunds. The falling off in the Madras District alone amounted to no less than 6¼ lacs of Maunds, in consequence of the manufacture in the northern pans having been suspended till April 1869, from the fact of the Ennore Bar not having been opened until that time. The Board will be requested to take early steps in the present year to guard against a similar contingency, reducing the quantity in store below the usual standard.

23. The charges of the Salt Department amounted to Rupees 13,86,060 against Rupees 12,80,916, notwithstanding the smaller quantity manufactured. An examination of the figures in the latter part of paragraph 44 of the Board's Report shows, that while there was a large decrease under all items, more or less affected by the quantity manufactured, there was an increase of Rupees 61,348 under "Purchase of manufacturer's share," owing, as the Board remark, to the payment of the kudiwaram of the previous year in Fusly 1278. The entire expenditure of Rupees 46,957 under "Petty Construction and Repairs" also appears nominally under the increase from the absence of a similar item of charge in the Returns of 1277.

	RS.
Demand	111,98,249
Deduct Balance ...	994
Actual Collection...	111,97,255
Deduct Charges ...	13,86,060
Net Revenue ...	98,11,195

	RS.
Fusly 1273	84,74,958
,, 1274	85,19,7289
,, 11275	86,77,53
,, 1276	101,70,053
,, 277	92,78,221
Total ...	451,20,499
Average ...	90,24,099

24. The net Salt-revenue of the year amounted to Rupees 98,11,195 showing an increase of Rupees 5,32,974, over the net revenue of Fusly 1277, and of 7,87,000 over the average* net revenue of the last five years.

25. The total wastage of Salt in the year was Indian Maunds 1,93,527, and, under the explanation given by the Board in paragraph 43, sanction is granted for writing off this quantity.

26. *Sea and Land Customs.*—The aggregate increase of Rupees 2,15,546 under these heads is the result of the general improvement in trade throughout the Presidency, except in South Arcot in which district there was a falling off of Rupees 21,331 in the collections.

	RS.
Sea Customs	1,77,396
Land ,, ...	38,150
Total,	2,15,546

27. *Stamps.*—The Stamp-revenue shows an increase of Rupees 3,60,937, which is attributed to the number of Stamps required for the renewal of the Abkarry leases, as also to the gradual progress of trade and the increase of the wealth of the country.

28. *Demand, Collection, and Balance of Current Revenue.*—The total demand on account of all sources of revenue amounted to Rupees 664,88,637, of which Rupees 614,57,261, or a little more than ninety-two per cent., was collected within the Fusly. The subsequent collections up to October 1869 amounted to Rupees 37,57,738, leaving a balance of only Rupees 12,73,638, or less than two per cent.

29. This punctuality in the collection of the public revenues is highly creditable to the revenue-officers. The explanation given by the Board of the

outstanding balances requires notice. The balance of peishcush against the Ramnad Zemindary amounted to Rupees 2,05,759. The Board state that the collection from this estate is allowed to remain in abeyance, pending the disposal of the proposition to place it under Government management, and the arrear may continue to lie over. The balance due from the late Abkarry Renter of the Madras District, too, should not be allowed to stand over. The Government in their Order, dated 11th February 1870, requested the Board to ascertain the grounds on which the additional lease of one year was conceded to him, and to obtain the original or copy of the petition presented by him on the subject. This Order should receive immediate attention, and the Board will consider whether the arrears cannot be recovered from the Renter, leaving any compensation claimed by him for future settlement.

30. *Demand, Collection, and Balance of Arrears.*—The total demand on account of arrears amounted to Rupees 64,83,683 at the commencement of the Fusly. Deducting the collections and remissions both within and subsequent to the Fusly up to 31st October 1869, the balance left was Rupees 11,13,701, and of this, the sum of Rupees 3,28,580-14-5 is stated to be irrecoverable.

31. Under the explanation given in paragraphs 56 to 60 of the Board's report sanction is granted for writing off the entire amount of Rs. 3,28,580-14-5.

32. The recoverable and doubtful balances should be determined as soon as possible. The Fuslywar Statement, appended to paragraph 62 of the Board's Report, does not give the particulars necessary to enable the Government to ascertain the districts in which old items remain unadjusted "at the close of the Fusly," for which the Report is submitted as required in paragraph 29 of the Order, dated 11th May 1869, No. 1,313. As remarked by the Board the Collectors should take steps to adjust these balances at the earliest possible date.

33. The resort to the coercive process during the year was rare, considering the increased revenue realized in Fusly 1278. The comparison of the number of ryots against whom Processes were issued, and of the revenue collected by actual sales, with the figures of Fusly 1277 under the same heads as shown in the margin, is very satisfactory.

	Fusly 1277.	Fusly 1278.
	Rs.	Rs.
Number of persons against whom Processes were issued	58,344	48,742
Revenue realized by actual sales	1,33,631	1,05,490

(True Extract.)

(Signed) R. A. DALYELL,

Acting Secretary to Government.

To the Board of Revenue.
„ the Accountant-General.

Exd. F. R. Bantleman.

Govt. of 1870 Madras.

REVENUE.

To

THE BOARD OF REVENUE,

&c., &c., &c.

Dated May 14th.

Recd.

G. O. 14th May 1870, No. 710.

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Nos. 181-182.

Revenue collections of the Madras Presidency.—Report of the Board of Revenue for Fusly 1278, reviewed.

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No. 1,407.

PROCEEDINGS OF THE BOARD OF REVENUE, dated 28th February 1870.

PREFATORY.—The Board resolve to submit to Government their report on the Settlement and Collection of the Revenues of the Madras Presidency for Fusly 1278, (A. D. 1868-69,) together with the prescribed Statements illustrative of the results. A file of the printed reports of Collectors accompanies it.

2. TERRITORIAL CHANGES. DISTRICT.—*In the number of Districts*—During the year under report the Neilgherries were constituted into a separate district and placed under a Commissioner by Act I. of 1868 from the 1st August 1868. Thus the number of districts in the Presidency was raised from 19 to 20.

3. TALOOKS.—*In the number of Talooks*—The total number of Talooks under Ryotwar Settlement was the same as in Fusly 1277, viz., 156, but in the District of Coimbatore the Neilgherry Talook was taken away to form the new district of that name.

Fuslies.	Talooks.	Villages.	Puttahs.
1277	156	27,847	23,59,325
1278	156	27,816	23,58,051
		Decrease... 31	Decrease... 1,274

4. VILLAGES.—*In the number of Ryotwar villages.* There have been variations in several districts, as noted in the margin.

Districts.	Increase.	Decrease.
Ganjam	...	10
Vizagapatam	...	1
Kistna	...	15
Nellore	...	1
Cuddapah	1	...
Bellary	...	2
South Arcot	...	3
Madura	...	1
Tinnevelly	1	...
Coimbatore	...	16
Neilgherries	17	...
Malabar	...	1
Total...	19	50
Net...	...	31

In Ganjam, 15 Khond Hamlets were struck off the account, having been deserted. Three villages were brought under Ryotwar from rents for more than one year, and two, the revenue of which had appeared hitherto under Land Revenue Miscellaneous, were added to the list of Ryotwar villages.

In Vizagapatam, a small Ryotwary village, with an assessment of 2 rupees, was deserted, being over-grown with jungle.

In the Kistna District, 14 villages comprising the Vissennapett Mootah, and another named Chanubanda, were made over to Zemindars under Orders* of Government.

In Nellore a village in the Kavali Talook was restored† to the Shrotriemdars.

In South Arcot, 3 villages passed from Ryotwar to Amani.

In Madura, the village of Nallapollem, in the Pulney Talook, was transferred to the Talook of Dharapurum, in the Coimbatore District.

The District of Coimbatore had an access of one village from Madura as stated above, and parted with 17 to the Neilgherry District.

* Government Order, dated 3rd February 1868, No. 297.
" " dated 23rd August 1869, No. 1,011.

† Government Order, dated 12th Septemer 1867, No. 2,152.

Notification *Fort Saint George Gazette*, dated 17th July 1868.

A Shrotriem village was resumed and added to the number of Ryotwar villages in the Tinnevelly District.

The decrease of one village in Malabar was caused by the incorporation of a very small village with a larger one in the Ponany Talook.

Board's Proceedings, 6th May 1868, No. 3,312.

The increase of 17 villages marked against the Neilgherry Talook is nominal.

5. Number of Puttahs.—The number of Puttahs issued during Fusly 1278 was nearly the same as that in the preceding year, as will be seen from the following abstract. The extraordinarily large variations in the numbers of "fresh puttahs," and of "old puttahs modified by additional entries" are due to the issue for the first time of puttahs in book-form in several districts, and are consequently of a nominal character. Strictly speaking, the puttahs recopied and issued in book-form are not fresh puttahs, and the Collectors would have done well not to have exhibited them under that head in the accounts. The fallacious results now presented by the accounts would have been avoided and the real transactions of the year would have appeared in their true comparison with the previous year:—

Fuslies.	Number of fresh puttahs.	Old puttahs modified by additional entries.	Old puttahs not altered.	Total.
	No.	No.	No.	No.
1277.....	5,26,978	6,69,903	11,62,444	23,59,325
1278.....	11,18,214	2,05,175	10,34,662	23,58,051
	Increase. 5,91,236	Decrease. 4,64,728	Decrease. 1,27,782	Decrease. 1,274

6. Season.—The season of Fusly 1278 opened very propitiously, but ended in great disappointment over the greater part of the Presidency. The south-west monsoon was both timely and abundant, but the north-east monsoon was light in some and utterly insufficient in many districts. A Comparative Table of rain-fall is given below:—

Districts.	April to September 1868.	October 1868 to March 1869.	Total from April 1868 to March 1869.	Total from April 1867 to March 1868.
	Inches.	Inches.	Inches.	Inches.
1. Ganjam.....	20·40	2·14	22·54	48·26
2. Vizagapatam.....	32·64	1·43	34·07	49·89
3. Godavery.....	17·37	1·73	19·10	30·57
4. Kistna.....	24·26	2·69	26·95	29·21
5. Nellore.....	14·40	10·66	25·06	21·61
6. Cuddapah.....	12·93	4·15	17·08	17·12
7. Bellary.....	18·35	2·40	20·75	13·87
8. Kurnool.....	21·99	2·34	24·33	22·00
9. Madras.....	10·23	7·79	18·02	15·15
10. North Arcot.....	13·90	10·10	24·00	17·06
11. South Arcot.....	10·91	9·65	20·56	25·08
12. Tanjore.....	13·34	14·13	27·47	22·58
13. Trichinopoly.....	19·40	9·96	29·36	28·92
14. Madura.....	15·49	12·77	28·26	25·59
15. Tinnevelly.....	9·91	19·48	29·39	30·24
16. Coimbatore.....	3·59	6·16	19·75	22·33
17. Neilgherries.....	9·87	23·57	33·44	.....
18. Salem.....	19·53	6·82	26·35	26·41
19. South Canara.....	134·52	4·30	138·82	127·19
20. Malabar.....	98·98	8·66	107·64	97·33

The Godavery and Kistna received very high freshes, but the Cauvery only a moderate supply. The system of anicut irrigation under these great rivers saved the extensive paddy crops under them in the Districts of Godavery, Kistna, Tanjore, Trichinopoly, and part of South Arcot, from the destruction which would otherwise have been inevitable from the failure of the north-east monsoon; Disaster however overtook all the wet cultivation dependant on rain-fed tanks and uncertain river supplies in the less favoured districts of Ganjam, Vizagapatam, Nellore, Madras, and North Arcot. In the inland Districts of Kurnool, Bellary, Cuddapah, Salem, and Coimbatore, the season was more or less propitious both for wet and dry crops; in South Canara, Malabar and Tinnevelly it was decidedly good, and in Madura it was fairly so. A portion of the district however suffered severely from the absence of the later rains. The out-turn of the dry crops may be said to have been generally fair in all the districts, and that of the wet crops under permanent sources of irrigation was very good. Such wet crops as were entirely dependent for their maturity on the north-east monsoon yielded a very scanty return or withered altogether.

7. Sanitary Condition.—Public health was remarkably good in the season of Fusly 1278. Cholera was altogether unknown in three,* and nearly so in nine districts. It prevailed, however, in four districts, and caused greater mortality than in the year before. Fever was very prevalent in many districts, and in Ganjam and in the Ceded Districts assumed a malignant character. Small-pox of a virulent type visited nearly all the districts. The usual abstract statement compiled from the Mortuary Returns is annexed. There is a slight increase in the death rate of the year under report. Cattle suffered much from murrain in several districts.

* Kistna.
Godavery.
Neilgherries.

Districts.	Population.	Deaths.					Ratio per mille.
		Cholera.	Small-pox.	Fever.	Other diseases.	Total.	
Ganjam	12,35,790	429	338	8,222	7,290	16,279	13·17
Vizagapatam ...	15,05,045	109	556	7,250	11,171	19,086	12·68
Godavery... ...	14,27,472	.....	1,165	6,955	12,757	20,877	14·62
Kistna	12,96,652	.....	1,719	2,205	15,824	19,748	15·23
Nellore	11,68,664	6	2,003	2,089	14,980	19,078	16·34
Cuddapah... ...	11,44,759	155	1,606	9,115	9,591	20,467	17·87
Bellary	13,04,998	1,488	2,102	8,845	12,955	25,390	19·45
Kurnool	7,70,857	1,357	1,623	8,523	6,355	17,858	23·16
Madras	* 8,04,283	3	1,097	2,198	10,934	14,232	17·69
North Arcot ...	17,87,134	113	2,082	7,820	21,014	31,029	17·36
South Arcot ...	12,61,846	54	1,064	2,504	10,372	13,994	11·09
Tanjore	16,70,233	261	2,684	6,670	24,072	33,687	20·16
Trichinopoly ...	10,06,826	77	514	2,470	10,701	13,762	13·66
Madura	19,46,389	67	1,197	3,999	10,613	15,876	8·15
Tinnevelly ...	15,26,698	80	1,878	2,544	15,708	20,210	13·23
Coimbatore ...	13,93,582	15	664	3,381	11,724	15,784	11·33
Neilgherries ...	38,142	.....	98	425	286	809	21·21
Salem	16,19,233	60	852	7,085	12,168	20,165	12·45
South Canara...	8,36,019	137	113	5,536	10,780	16,566	19·81
Malabar	18,49,671	79	715	11,269	18,636	30,699	16·60
Total...	2,55,94,293	4,490	24,070	1,09,105	2,47,931	3,85,596	15·06

* Exclusive of the Town of Madras.

8. Prices of Agricultural Produce.—The price of paddy, both first and second sort, was slightly higher, and that of cholum, cumboo, and raggy, slightly lower than in the previous year. In Nellore, Cuddapah, Kurnool, and Bellary, the fall in the price of cholum was very considerable, in consequence of the good harvest.

Grains.	Average price per Madras garce for ten years Fuslies 1268 to 1277.	Fusly 1277.	Fusly 1278.	Increase or decrease in Fusly 1278, as compared with the average.	Per centage of columns 2 and 5.	Increase or decrease in Fusly 1278, as compared with Fusly 1277.	Per centage of columns 3 and 7.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.		Rs.	
1st sort Paddy, per garce.	179	183	191	+ 12	+ 7	+ 8	+ 4
2nd do. do. ...	163	164	170	+ 7	+ 4	+ 6	+ 3
Cholum	206	209	201	— 5	— 2	— 8	— 4
Cumboo	191	191	185	— 6	— 3	— 6	— 3
Raggy	193	202	198	+ 5	+ 2	— 4	— 2
Horse-gram	234	233	234	.....	.....	+ 1	.....

The price of second sort paddy was on the increase, chiefly in the northern districts affected by the north-east monsoon.

Districts.	Price per Garce. Average of five years from Fuslies 1262 to 1266.	Average of five years from Fuslies 1267 to 1271.	Average of five years from Fuslies 1272 to 1276.	Fusly 1277.	Fusly 1278.	Increase as compared with column 2.	Increase as compared with column 3.	Increase or decrease as compared with column 4.	Increase or decrease on column 5.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
1. Ganjam	63	84	127	84	107	44	23	— 20	+ 23
2. Vizagapatam ...	74	101	144	77	136	62	35	— 8	+ 59
3. Godavery	81	94	137	88	114	33	20	— 23	+ 26
4. Kistna...	103	116	178	142	146	43	30	— 32	+ 4
5. Nellore	104	127	178	176	167	63	40	— 11	— 9
6. Cuddapah	109	154	228	227	202	93	48	— 26	— 25
7. Bellary	92	135	233	193	162	70	27	— 71	— 31
8. Kurnool	113	141	225	197	177	64	36	— 48	— 20
9. Madras	106	140	176	192	206	100	66	+ 30	+ 14
10. North Arcot ...	92	134	171	176	180	88	46	+ 9	+ 4
11. South Arcot ...	92	136	163	154	170	78	34	+ 7	+ 16
12. Tanjore	83	131	160	157	154	71	23	— 6	— 3
13. Trichinopoly ...	108	153	190	194	180	72	27	— 10	— 14
14. Madura	100	163	221	231	202	102	39	— 19	— 29
15. Tinnevelly	119	161	223	200	196	77	35	— 27	— 4
16. Coimbatore ...	115	181	226	222	227	112	46	+ 1	+ 5
17. Salem...	93	157	185	189	178	85	21	— 7	— 11
18. South Canara ...	96	137	176	144	148	52	11	— 28	+ 4
19. Malabar	98	164	210	178	189	91	25	— 21	+ 11

9. Ryotwar Holdings or Land occupied—*Statement No.* 3.—The following is the abstract of Return No. 3, illustrating Ryots' Holdings. As usual the particulars regarding South Canara are omitted, the extent of land under occupancy being unknown; but the total assessment of the district is added at foot of the Statement:—

Items.	Dry. Extent.	Dry. Assessment.	Wet. Extent.	Wet. Assessment.	Total. Extent.	Total. Assessment.
	Acres.	Rs.	Acres.	Rs.	Acres.	Rs.
Holdings at the beginning of Fusly 1278	154,37,352	167,84,431	35,68,276	172,86,540	190,05,628	340,70,971
Deduct lands given up...	7,21,797	7,71,704	1,14,602	5,53,790	8,36,399	13,25,494
Remainder... ...	147,15,555	160,12,727	34,53,674	167,32,750	181,69 229	327,45,477
Add lands newly taken up	9,24,565	9,16,717	1,19,071	5,03,478	10,43,636	14,20,195
Total... ...	156,40,120	169,29,444	35,72,745	172,36,228	192,12,865	341,65,672
Deduct waste remitted...	1,62,528	2,18,614	2,21,013	9,81,021	3 83,541	11,99,635
Waste charged	15,57,640	13,08,486	1,11,159	4,46,741	16,68 799	17,55,227
Actual cultivation...	139,19,952	154,02,344	32,40,573	158,08,466	171,60,525	312,10,810
Total... ...	154,77,592	167,10,830	33,51,732	162,55,207	188,29,324	329,66,037
Add the Beriz of South Canara, for which no particulars can be had ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	13,85,104
Total... ...	154,77,592	167,10,830	33,51,732	162,55,207	188,29,324	343,51,141

10. The total of holdings brought forward at the beginning of the year will be found to differ by acres 18, with an assessment of Rupees 116, from that given in the report of Fusly 1277. This is in consequence of certain Amani lands in Tanjore having been brought under Ryotwar Settlement.

	Acres.	Assessment. Rs.
Fusly 1277	190,05,628	354,54,109
„ 1278	192,12,865	355,50,776
Increase...	2,07,237	96,667

Note.—This includes *assessment* of South Canara but without extent.

* Acres.	Assessment. Rs.
2,02,763	1,45,013

† Acres.	Assessment. Rs.
19,675	17,967

‡ Acres.	Assessment. Rs.
41,176	44,711

§ Board's Proceedings, 24th February 1865, No. 1,129

Dry.

	Acres. Increase.	Assessment. Decrease. Rs
Cuddapah.....	15,576	12,009
Bellary	31,486	3,455

‖ Board's Proceedings, 4th September 1868, No. 6,301.

11. The result of the year is a net increase in Holdings (Dry and Wet) of acres 2,07,237, assessed at Rupees 96,667, chiefly under dry* lands in nearly all the districts. The large decrease however under Dry†, in the Godavery district, is attributed to the circumstance of certain lands of that description being permanently classed as wet after three years successive cultivation with wet crops. The very large increase‡ under Dry in Madura is explained to be mainly due to the 'enclosed waste' having been included in Ryots' Puttahs in the Dindigul Division under the orders§ of the Board. In Cuddapah and Bellary, there is an increase in the area and a decrease in assessment In the former district, the increase in the area is due to lands newly taken up on Durkhast and the decrease in assessment to the reduction‖ of Rupees 16,635-7-8 in the assessment on dry lands irrigated by private wells. In the latter district, the cause of this result is stated to be that the lands newly taken up bore a lighter assessment than those relinquished.

12. In the wet holdings, the net result shows an increase of Acres 4,469, but a decrease in assessment of Rupees 50,312. The most marked relinquishment occurred in the Kistna District,

amounting in extent to Acres 21,838 and in assessment to Rupees 1,19,620, and occurred mostly in one talook, Gudiwada, lying immediately under the Kistna anicut. This result is attributed by the Collector to various causes: one is the deterioration of the soil by Chavudu or the efflorescence of salt caused by the action of fresh water on regur soil, another is the insufficient capacity of the channel to supply irrigation to a constantly increasing breadth of cultivation, and another, which is stated to be a most potent one, is the enhancement of the wet assessment by the introduction of the new settlement rates. The variations under wet land in several districts were small and require no notice.

13. RYOTWARY—*Lands brought under Cultivation.*—Out of the holdings noted in the beginning of paragraph 11, the actual cultivation was as shown by the marginal figures. Compared with the previous year, the result was a net increase of Acres 2,25,465, and assessment Rupees 1,92,305. There was an increase in twelve and a decrease in seven districts in the *extent* brought under cultivation. The chief among the former are those noted in the margin.* Among the latter, South Arcot is conspicuous, the decrease in cultivation being Acres 26,180.

	Acres.	Assessment. Rs.
Fusly 1277	1,69,35,060	3,24,03,609
„ 1278	1,71,60,525	3,25,95,914
Increase..	2,25,465	1,92,305

NOTE.—Includes South Canara without extent.

	Acres.
* Bellary	75,738
Madura	32,784
Cuddapah	28,018
Tanjore	22,432
Malabar	16,221
Nellore	17,632

14. RYOTWAR—*Land left waste.*—Out of the lands occupied as noticed in paragraph 11, Acres 20,52,340, assessed at Rupees 29,54,862 were left waste; of this the ryots were made to pay for Acres 16,68,799, assessed at Rupees 17,55,227, and the Government relinquished their dues upon Acres 3,83,541, assessed at Rupees 11,99,635.

	Acres.	Assessment. Rs.
Fusly 1277	20,70,550	30,50,384
„ 1278	20,52,340	29,54,862
Decrease...	18,210	95,522

15. RYOTWAR—*Waste charged.*—The comparison with the preceding Fusly shows a net increase of Rupees 2,23,755, resulting from a gross increase of Rupees 2,79,346 in 14, and a gross decrease of Rupees 55,591 in 5 districts. Of the waste thus charged, Rupees 13,08,486 were on dry and Rupees 4,46,741 were on wet land. The districts in which this sum was chiefly charged were those noted in the margin. Much dry waste is retained for pasturage in several of the districts. The increase over last year, in the item of waste charged, which is observed to occur chiefly in the districts noted in the margin,* does not require particular explanation, because, as a rule, no remission is granted on dry waste in ordinarily good years.

	Acres.	Assessment Rs.
Fusly 1277	14,96,476	15,31,479
„ 1278	16,68,799	17,55,227
Increase...	1,72,323	2,23,755

	Dry.	Wet.	Total.
	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
Coimbatore	2,51,995	31,296	2,83,291
Kistna	1,96,739	25,861	2,22,600
Godavery	1,89,909	28,798	2,18,707
Tinnevelly	1,17,230	83,300	2,00,530
Tanjore	54,923	1,26,835	1,81,758
South Arcot	1,43,121	24,873	1,67,994
Nellore	1,15,840	17,441	1,33,281

	Rs.
* Nellore	33,307
Bellary	29,273
North Arcot	35,200
South Arcot	55,823
Tinnevelly	28,960
Coimbatore	56,886

16. RYOTWARY SETTLEMENT.—The actual Ryotwary settlement is formed by deducting from the total holdings the waste remitted as alluded to in paragraph 14 and adding to the actual cultivation (1) the portion of the waste, charged (2) the assessment on account of second crop cultivation, (3) additional assessment water-tax, and (5) miscellaneous items, all of which will be briefly alluded to hereafter, and deducting therefrom on account of (1) Occasional Remission (2), Fixed Remission, and (3) on account of Village Establishments and sundry other objects.

17. The settlements of Ryotwar Revenue thus made for the fusly under report amounted to Rupees 3,72,57,740, against Rupees 3,61,81,088 in the preceding year, resulting in an increase of Rupees 10,76,652, as will be seen from the following comparative abstract.

	Fusly 1277.		Fusly 1278.		Increase.		Decrease.	
	Extent.	Assessment.	Extent.	Assessment.	Extent.	Assessment.	Extent.	Assessment.
	Acres.	Rs.	Acres.	Rs.	Acres.	Rs.	Acres.	Rs.
Dry	1,54,37,352	1,67,84,431	1,56,40,120	1,69,29,444	2,02,768	1,45,013	.....	.....
Wet	35,68,276	1,72,86,540	35,72,745	1,72,36,228	4,469	.....	.....	50,312
Total	1,90,05,628	3,40,70,971	1,92,12,865	3,41,65,672	2,07,237	94,701	.....	.....
Add South Canara	.....	13,83,138	.....	13,85,104	.....	1,966	.....	.....
Total	1,90,05,628	3,54,54,109	1,92,12,865	3,55,50,776	2,07,237	96,667	.....	.....
Second Crop Assessment	.....	4,76,734	.....	5,32,297	.....	55,563	.....	.....
Additional Assessment	.....	3,91,451	.....	4,08,998	.....	17,547	.....	.....
Water Tax	.....	9,40,373	.....	9,40,792	.....	414	.....	.....
Total	.....	3,72,62,672	.....	3,74,32,863	.....	1,70,191	.....	.....
Deduct.								
Waste remissions	.....	15,18,913	.....	11,99,635	.....	.....	.....	3,19,278
Other remissions	.....	30,17,981	.....	24,70,601	.....	.....	.....	5 47,380
Total	.....	45,36,894	.....	36,70,236	.....	.....	.....	8,66,658
Remainder	.....	3,27,25,778	.....	3,37,62,627	.....	10,36,849	.....	.....
Add Miscellaneous items	.....	34,55,310	.....	34,95,113	.....	39,803	.....	.....
Total	.....	3,61,81,088	.....	3,72,57,740	.....	10,76,652	.....	.....

18. RYOTWARY SETTLEMENT—*2nd Crop Cultivation.*—The revenue derived from the cultivation of two crops upon land assessed for a single crop was for the year under review Rupees 5,32,297, against Rupees 4,76,734 in Fusly 1277. The districts from which this item of revenue is chiefly derived are named in the margin. The increase obtained in Fusly 1278 was chiefly in Bellary and Cuddapah owing to the favourable season.

	Rs.
Fusly 1277	4,76,734
„ 1278	5,32,297
Increase.....	55,563

	Rs.
Bellary	1,01,488
Trichinopoly	85,772
Madras	67,477
Cuddapah	63,871
Tanjore	63,323
Madura	48,689

19. RYOTWAR SETTLEMENT—*Additional Assessment (or Teerwahjasty).*—The revenue from Additional Assessment was Rs. 4,08,998 against Rupees 3,91,451 in the previous year, and was derived mostly from the districts noted in the margin. It is levied chiefly on dry lands cultivated with wet crops and on lands under private wells but irrigated by water from a Government tank or channel.

	Rs.
Fusly 1277	3,91,451
„ 1278	4,08,998
Increase.....	17,547

	Rs.
South Arcot	1,23,968
Tanjore	82,093
Cuddapah	45,834
Salem	36,493
Bellary	35,448

20. RYOTWAR SETTLEMENT—*Water Tax on Government land*—The revenue from water-tax was Rupees 9,40,792, against Rs. 9,40,378, and was derived chiefly from the districts named in the margin. It is levied for the most parts in the Delta Talooks dependent upon the irrigation of the Godavery and Kistna anicuts. In the Godavery District, however, there was a large decrease as compared with the previous year, namely, Rupees 34,095, which is attributed by the Collector to the ryots having irrigated their dry lands to a much less extent than last year. In the Kistna District, however, there was an increase amounting to Rs. 17,552.

	Rs.
Fusly 1277	9,40,378
,, 1278.....	9,40,792
Increase.....	414

	Rs.
Godavery.....	8,17,005
Kistna.....	* 2,60,659
Bellary.....	3,513
Kurnool.....	11,384
Madras	6,297
Tanjore	38,364
Trichinopoly.....	21,269
Coimbatore.....	9,029

* Of which 2,26,628 is included in the Wet Assessment.

21. RYOTWAR SETTLEMENT—*Remissions.*—The remissions from the Land Assessment Gross Demand next call for notice. They have been briefly alluded to in paragraph 17, and their amount is exhibited in the following abstract in comparison with the previous fusly:—

Items.	Fusly 1277.	Fusly 1278.	Increase.	Decrease.
	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
Waste remissions as per Statement No. 3...	15,18,912	11,99,635	.....	3,19,277
As per Statement, No. 4. Occasional Remissions... ...	22,31,759	15,07,027	.....	7,24,732
As per Statement, No. 4. Fixed do....	97,801	1,12,678	14,877	.....
As per Statement, No. 4. Items allowed on the collection or from demand of villages	6,88,421	8,50,896	1,62,475	... ..
Total...	45,36,893	36,70,236	1,77,352	10,44,009
			Net...	8,66,657

It will be observed from this abstract that the total remissions for the year amounted to Rupees 36,70,236, or less than the preceding year by Rupees 8,66,658.

	Rs.
Fusly 1277..	45,36,894
,, 1278'.....	36,70,236
Decrease.....	8,66,658

22. RYOTWAR SETTLEMENT—*Remissions on land left waste.*—The remissions on account of entire fields left waste amounted to Rupees 11,99,635, and were less than last year by Rupees 3,19,277. This result is due to the more favourable character of the season of Fusly 1278. The remissions of the year were chiefly distributed over the districts named in the margin. It will be observed that the remissions were for the most part on wet lands, and occasioned by the failure of water. In fact, out of Rupees 12,00,000, nearly Rupees 10,00,000 were remitted on wet.

	Rs.
Fusly 1277...	15,18,912
,, 1278...	11,99,635
Decrease... ...	3,19,277

	Rs.	Of which for wet lands. Rs.
Madras	2,88,869	1,96,732
North Arcot	2,19,717	1,72,907
South Arcot	1,52,472	1,33,651
Nellore	1,50,039	1,50,081
Madura	1,12,623	53,228
Cuddapah	99,620	99,587

	Rs.
Fusly 1277	22,31,759
,, 1278...	15,07,027
Decrease... ...	7,24,732

	Rs.
For withered crop (Shavi)...	6,59,003
Loss of produce (Palanastam)	4,96,065
Reduction of assessment (Teerwa Cummee) ...	92,415
Portions of fields left waste (Shamilat Banjer)	85,934

	Rs.
* South Arcot	4,59,345
Madras	3,20,055
North Arcot	1,61,356
Madura...	1,47,614
Coimbatore	1,19,597
Vizagapatam	59,710

† Board's Proceedings, 1st March 1869, No. 1,341.

23. RYOTWAR SETTLEMENT—*Remissions, Occasional.*—The Occasional Remissions which are granted on cultivated fields amounted in Fusly 1278 to Rupees 15,07,027, and consisted mainly of the items noted in the margin. They were granted chiefly in the six* districts which were most injuriously affected by the scantiness of the monsoons. It is superfluous to remark that the remissions were mostly on account of wet crops. The only exception of any consequence was in the sub-division of Madura, where, under the special† authority of the Board, remissions to the amount of Rupees 79,000 were granted for loss of dry crops.

24. RYOTWAR SETTLEMENT—*Remissions of a fixed character.*—The fixed remissions consist of a variety of petty deductions which are made out of the Ryotwar Demand from year to year, irrespective of the season. The chief of them are noted in the margin, and occur in the districts of (1) Madras; (2) Cuddapah; (3) Salem; (4) Malabar; and (5) South Arcot. The increase compared with Fusly 1277 was chiefly in the districts of Madras and Malabar, namely, Rupees 6,428 and Rupees 6,840. In the former district it was owing partly to the relaxation‡ of the Tope Rules in favour of some casuarina and firewood plantations, and partly in the item 2nd Crop assessment on wet land irrigated by private wells, on which larger§ remissions than usual had to be given in consequence of the scarcity of water in the Government tanks. In the latter district, Malabar, the increase was in the remissions granted on coffee land in the Wynaad abandoned by the owners.

	Rs.
Fusly 1277	97,801
,, 1278	1,12,678
Increase... ..	14,877

	Rs.
Remissions under Tope Rules	18,636
Do. on 2nd Crop Cultivation under private wells	20,613
Do. on pasture lands	15,783
Do. on Kuttugutta lands	10,552
Do. on Gaddatiru	9,377
Do. on Pymash Kummee	8,732

	Rs.
(1)	40,766
(2)	20,894
(3)	16,015
(4)	19,963
(5)	9,881

‡ Government Order. 16th December 1867.

‡ Rupees 1,466.

§ Rupees 4,918.

25. RYOTWAR SETTLEMENT—*Deductions from Beriz on account of the remuneration of Village Servants, Road Cess, and sundry other purposes.*—These deductions are made in satisfaction of established claims on the Beriz. They amounted in the fusly under review to Rupees 8,50,896, and were in excess of the previous year by Rupees 1,62,475. The chief items composing them are noted in the margin. The first item occurs in several districts, chiefly South Arcot, Salem, Tanjore, and North Arcot. The second item is principally in Tinnevelly, being Rupees 80,561. The third item occurs chiefly in Trichinopoly and Godavery, being Rupees 27,793, and Rupees 26,667 respectively. The increase over last year is almost entirely under Merah to Village Servants, and arises from the fact of the pay of Village servants having been for the first time deducted from the Beriz in the districts of Tanjore, Godavery, and Tinnevelly.

	Rs.
Fusly 1277	6,88,421
,, 1278	8,50,896
Increase... ...	1,62,475

	Rs.
(1) Merah to village servants	6,70,311
(2) Share of revenue due to Shrotriemdars ...	98,137
(3) Road cess included in the land assessment.	78,321

26. Entire Land Revenue Settlement, including Permanently Settled Revenue, Jodi, and Miscellaneous.—Having elucidated in the foregoing paragraphs the main features of that portion of the Land Revenue which is under Ryotwar Settlement, the Board will now proceed to notice briefly those portions (1), which are Permanently Settled; (2), those which are derived in the shape of Jodi and Quit-rents from Inam villages held on favourable assessments; and (3) those derived from Sundry Miscellaneous Sources.

Annexed is an abstract of the revenues derived from those sources in Fusly 1278 compared with Fusly 1277. Stated in round numbers, the revenues under each head were—

	Lacs.
Permanently Settled (Peishcush)	51½
Jodi and Quit-rent	6¾
Ryotwar	337½
Miscellaneous	35
Total... ...	430¾

Items.	Fusly 1277.	Fusly 1278.	Increase.
	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
Peishcush on permanently settled estates	51,32,859	51,46,522	13,663
Jodi and quit-rent on Shrotriem and Inam villages	6,68,117	6,70,728	2,611
Ryotwar...	3,27,25,661	3,37,62,627	10,36,966
Miscellaneous	34,55,311	34,95,113	39,802
Total...	4,19,81,948	4,30,74,990	10,93,042

	Rs.
Fusly 1277.....	51,32,859
,, 1278.....	51,46,522
Increase.....	13,663

Estates paying annual Peishcush below.	Rs.	No.
Do. do. ...	10,000	575
Do. do. ...	20,000	38
Do. do. ...	30,000	13
Do. do. ...	40,000	7
Do. do. ...	60,000	1
Do. do. ...	70,000	1
Do. do. ...	80,000	1
Do. do. ...	90,000	4
Do. do. ...	1,00,000	1
Do. do. ...	2,00,000	3
Do. do. ...	3,00,000	2
Do. do. ...	3,50,000	1
Do. do. ...	4,50,000	1
Do. do. ...	5,00,000	1
Total.....		648

27. Land Revenue—*Permanently Settled Revenue.*—The Permanently Settled Revenue is derived from 648 estates situated in 15 districts. It will be seen from the marginal table that estates paying below Rupees 10,000, are 575—those above Rupees 10,000,—57 those above Rupees 50,000, 8; and those above Rupees 1,00,000, are only 8.

28. *Variations therein.*—There have been slight variations in the Permanently Settled Revenue in six districts, the causes of which are explained below:—

Increase.

	Rs.
Kistna—In the Peishcush of the Goodoor Purganah on account of water-rate—*vide* Government Order, 23rd October 1868, No. 2,492,...	5,556
In the Peishcush fixed on the Chanubunda village—*vide* Government Order, 3rd February 1868, No. 297.	1,357
Do. do. do. Vissennapett Estate...	4,581
Total...	11,494

	Rs. A. P.	
Malabar.....In the collection of Peishcush payable by Sultan Ali Rajah of Cannanore—*vide* Board's Proceedings, 8th February 1868, No. 967	5,000 0 0	
		16,494

Decrease.

Ganjam... ...Reduction in the Peishcush of Paloor Estate on account of lands taken up for the Chilka Canal—*vide* Government Order, 11th August 1868, No. 2,134	621	0	0
Vizagapatam. Do. do. of Waltair Estate on account of lands occupied by Government—*vide* Government Order, 26th August 1868, No. 2,263.	134	12	11
Do. do. of Vizianagaram Zemindary. ...	75	1	7
Nellore... ... Do. do. of Venkatagiri Zemindary, on account of compensation for losses sustained by him by the introduction of Cattle Trespass Act—*vide* Government Order, 11th December 1868, No. 3,082...	1,964	6	0
Salem..... ... Do. do. of Alagapuram Mootah, on account of lands taken up for public purpose—*vide* Government Order, 29th September 1868, No. 2,506...	7	14	5
Do. do. of Yellaghery Mootah, on account of lands taken up for a Railway Feeder—*vide* Government Order, 1st June 1869, No. 1,538..	24	14	7
Do. do. of Thathavully Mootah, on account of resumed Inam—*vide* Government Order, 4th March 1869, No. 562...	2	7	0
			2,831
Net increase...			13,663

29. Land Revenue—*Shrotriem Jodi, etc., and variations therein.*—Compared with the preceding Fusly, there appears an increase of Rupees 2,611, the whole of which occurred in the district of Vizagapatam in consequence of certain items erroneously credited to Land Revenue Miscellaneous being this year transferred to the proper head. The number of favourably assessed villages which contribute this revenue is 4,305 in the Presidency.

	Rs.
Fusly 1277.....	6,68,117
,, 1278.....	6,70,728
Increase.....	2,611

30. Land Revenue—*Ryotwar, and variations therein*—In the Ryotwar Revenue there was an increase compared with last year of Rupees 10,36,966, resulting from a gross increase of Rupees 12,93,714 in twelve, and a gross decrease of Rupees 2,56,748 in eight districts. These contrary results are both directly due to the character of the season. Where it was favourable, there was not only extension of cultivation, but less necessity for remissions. Where it was unfavourable, the cultivation was contracted, and large remissions had to be given for loss of crops. A portion of the decrease in the Godavery District and the entire decrease in Tanjore and South Canara, are in consequence of the deduction for the first time from the Land Revenue Beriz, of the salaries of village establishments.

	Rs.
Fusly 1277.....	3,27,25,661
,, 1278.....	3,37,62,627
Increase.....	10,36,966

31. Land Revenue—*Miscellaneous—Variations therein.*—The Miscellaneous Land Revenue is derived from a variety of sources, the more important of which are detailed in the margin. Compared with last year, there is increase observed in some items and a decrease in others. Among the former, is the sum of Rupees 89,425 appertaining to the district of Malabar, being the collections on account of the sale of escheated lands for the first time credited to Land Revenue. Among the latter, there is a sum of Rupees 1,36,877, being a falling off in the rent of Islands in the Godavery, due partly to the introduction of the new Survey and Settlement rates, and partly to certain lunkas having been left unoccupied in consequence of the bad outturn of the Tobacco crop on them in the preceding season. In the district of Madura, the revenue from enclosed waste hitherto exhibited among the Miscellaceous items, was transferred to Ryotwar proper, and thus caused an apparent decrease of Rupees 15,095 under the head "Revenue from lands assessed at favourable rates."

	Rs.
Fusly 1277	34,55,311
„ 1278	34,95,113
Increase...	39,802

	Rs.
Quit-rent on minor Inams	11,75,391
Tax on Trees on unassessed lands	1,04,102
Revenue from rented villages	1,35,090
Cultivation not included in the Settlement	2,28,384
Grass Rent	93,654
Rent from Palmira Trees	1,42,041
Rent of Islands in Rivers	90,451
Water Tax on Zemindary and Inam lands	7,84,030
Quit-rent and Ground Rent in Madras	79,056
Sale of escheated lands in Malabar	89,425

32. Land Revenue—*Special Items, Land held on Cowle*—The usual abstract exhibiting the lands held on Cowle in Fusly 1278, is subjoined:—

	Acres.	Rs.
Cowle as per last year	67,655	55,328
Deduct—Land brought up to full assessment (Acres 12,258, Rs. 16,417)		
„ —Land abandoned do. do. (Acres 1,223, Rs. 1,195)	13,481	17,612
Remainder...	54,174	37,716
Add new Cowle	3,293	4,257
Total...	57,467	41,973
Add second crop, additional assessment and water-tax		231
		42,204
Deduct remission on account of waste... Rs. 658		
Do. do. do. cowle ... Rs. 27,102		27,760
Net Beriz ..		14,444
Note—Remission on account of cowle... Rs. 27,102		
Deduct—Amount omitted in the Statements of Remissions from Malabar on which the Board's Return No. 4 was prepared... Rs. 10,806		
Remainder... Rs. 16,296		

Rs.	
*.	2,979
†.	8,925
‡.	3,065
§.	1,033

The extent is Acres 57,467 with a standard assessment of Rupees 41,973, but paying under the terms of the Cowle tenure only Rupees 14,444. It is found chiefly in Ganjam,* Salem† Malabar‡, and Coimbatore§.

33. Land Revenue—*Special Items, Villages Settled on Amani Tenure.*—There are 10¼ villages altogether in the districts of South Arcot, Tanjore, and Madura, in which the revenue is settled chiefly on a division of the produce. The money-rents collected in these villages amounted in the Fusly under review to Rupees 5,370, and the commuted value of the Government share of the produce, after deductions, to Rupees 3,745, making together a total of Rupees 9,115 as the revenue under Amani settlement.

34. Land Revenue, Special Items—*Cultivation of special crops.*—The extent of cultivation under Sugar-cane, Cotton and Indigo, is shown in the subjoined abstract statement. Compared with the previous year, there was a falling off under the first two and an increase under the third. The decrease in the sugar-cane cultivation was general throughout all districts but six, and was owing to the want of water. The decrease* in cotton cultivation was chiefly in the Ceded districts and Kistna, and is attributed partly to the season, and partly to the ever varying state of the cotton market. The prospect of a good Jonna crop in those districts was not improbably another active cause of the neglect of cotton. In the districts of Godavery and Tinnevelly, a large increase under cotton is observed, and is no doubt due to the active demand at the ports of Cocanada and Tuticorin. The large increase* in the acreage under Indigo accrued chiefly in Cuddapah, Bellary, and Kurnool, and was owing to the favourable season and a greater demand in the market. There was considerable falling off in North Arcot† and South Arcot‡, in consequence of the failure of rains.

	Acres.
* Cuddapah	16,046
Bellary	79,162
Kurnool	23,132
Kistna	31,773

	Acres.
Godavery	7,118
Tinnevelly	8,895

	Acres.
*	45,135

	Acres.
†	6,384
‡	6,847

Districts.	Sugar Cane.		Cotton.		Indigo.	
	Fusly 1277.	Fusly 1278.	Fusly 1277.	Fusly 1278.	Fusly 1277.	Fusly 1278.
	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.
1. Ganjam	3,573	4,275	9,318	7,778	54	43
2. Vizagapatam	5,625	5,401	19,518	17,351	3,252	5,282
3. Godavery	6,983	6,694	17,445	24,563	357	1,080
4. Kistna	.....	.....	2,23,567	1,91,795	10,285	13,521
5. Nellore	32	22	33,385	28,201	13,541	18,531
6. Cuddapah	2,468	2,187	71,967	55,921	16,209	41,348
7. Bellary	7,798	6,354	4,10,297	3,31,135	1,132	5,395
8. Kurnool	502	459	2,19,404	1,96,272	6,847	22,684
9. Madras	76	69	29	18	5,150	7,619
10. North Arcot	5,116	4,370	5,633	5,062	15,552	9,168
11. South Arcot	2,044	1,939	40,842	40,151	41,539	34,692
12. Tanjore	417	331	3,067	3,712	898	1,159
13. Trichinopoly	2,460	2,950	5,328	5,497	146	144
14. Madura	162	188	86,919	90,180	434	40
15. Tinnevelly	130	159	2,05,065	2,13,960	407	377
16. Coimbatore	1,864	2,119	1,19,247	1,17,680	.....	.....
17. Neilgherries	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
18. Salem	1,543	1,308	15,830	12,089	1,077	932
19. South Canara	940	946	.....	.....	.....	.....
Total...	41,733	39,771	14,86,861	13,41,365	1,16,880	1,62,015
Government lands	22,987	22,614	10,09,977	9,01,309	92,693	1,30,216
Inam lands	5,474	4,602	3,35,909	3,02,449	14,079	24,908
Zemindary lands	13,272	12,555	1,40,975	1,37,607	10,108	6,891

35. Land Revenue, Special Items—*Average rates of Assessment per Acre.*—As usual, an abstract statement showing the average assessment per acre in each district on the extent of actual cultivation is subjoined—

Districts.	Dry.			Wet.		
	Extent.	Assessment.	Average.	Extent.	Assessment.	Average.
	Acres.	Rs.	Rs. A. P.	Acres.	Rs.	Rs. A. P.
1. Ganjam..	1,05,627	1,35,808	1 4 6	1,77,484	5,07,864	2 13 9
2. Vizagapatam... ...	47,961	52,411	1 1 5	23,788	1,22,800	5 2 7
3. Godavery.....	2,49,701	5,36,634	2 2 4	2,10,213	6,10,107	2 14 5
4. Kistna	13,32,813	20,55,337	1 8 8	1,24,288	7,03,420	5 10 6
5. Nellore.....	5,78,059	7,50,826	1 4 9	1,62,797	7,36,189	4 8 4
6. Cuddapah.....	11,21,096	8,03,441	0 11 5	1,24,508	8,65,665	6 15 2
7. Bellary.....	21,67,134	13,91,820	0 10 3	1,40,600	5,52,592	3 14 10
8. Kurnool	11,31,243	10,92,892	0 15 5	25,948	1,68,338	6 7 9
9. Madras.....	1,75,093	2,71,856	1 8 10	2,13,093	8,43,034	3 15 3
10. North Arcot.....	3,90,835	5,54,405	1 6 8	1,71,209	10,09,866	5 14 3
11. South Arcot.....	8,26,304	14,48,423	1 12 0	2,44,532	13,21,395	5 6 5
12. Tanjore...	2,34,275	2,98,544	1 4 4	6,83,989	34,29,419	5 0 2
13. Trichinopoly	7,41,360	7,21,032	0 15 6	1,21,573	5,18,105	4 2 10
14. Madura.....	6,45,118	8,53,349	1 5 1	1,31,941	5,63,115	4 4 3
15. Tinnevelly	8,61,128	7,22,979	0 13 5	1,60,042	16,63,891	10 6 4
16. Coimbatore	18,15,469	17,13,810	0 15 1	79,031	6,09,864	7 11 5
17. Neilgherries.....	44,936	24,214	0 8 7	40	90	2 4 0
18. Salem	10,55,724	13,62,824	1 4 7	63,310	4,22,407	6 4 5
19. Malabar	3,96,076	6,11,739	1 8 8	3,82,187	11,60,305	3 0 8
Total...	139,19,952	154,02,344	1 1 8	32,40,573	158,08,466	4 14 0

Note.—Waste charged, second crop and additional assessment and water-tax are not taken into account in the average.

36. Extra Sources of Revenue.—The Board now proceed to notice the revenue derived from other sources than land, namely, 1 Abkarry, 2 License-tax and Income-tax, 3 Salt, 4 Sea-Customs, 5 Land-Customs, and 6 Stamps. The subjoined abstract exhibits the revenue derived from each in comparison with Fusly 1277, the result being a net increase of Rupees 8,22,635:—

Sources of Revenue.	Fusly 1277.	Fusly 1278.	Increase.	Decrease.
	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
1. Abkarry	53,27,863	49,05,543	.....	4,22,320
2. Income-tax.....	.....	73,900	73,900	.....
3. License-tax	5,48,941	5,07,511	.....	41,430
4. Salt	105,62,247	111,98,249	6,36,002	.....
5. Sea Customs	24,11,354	25,88,750	1,77,396	.....
6. Land Customs	1,51,606	1,89,756	38,150	.....
7. Stamps	35,89,001	39,49,938	3,60,937	.....
Total...	225,9[illegible],012	234,13,647	12,86,385	4,63,750
		Net...	8,22,635	

37. Abkarry.—The variations in each will now be noticed. In the Abkarry Revenue there was an increase in ten districts and a decrease in as many, amounting, respectively, to Rupees 1,33,260 and Rupees 5,55,580. The districts in which these variations chiefly occurred are named in the margin. The increase in the Madras District is ascribed to the increased sale of Arrack in the Town, owing to the extensive Public Works under execution in its vicinity. The increase against the Neilgherry District is nominal. In the Godavery District, the increase is attributed to the Abkarry having been let out by Government officers to sub-renters at enhanced rates. The large decrease in Bellary is more nominal than real, as the rental of the previous years was never realized and the farms had to be re-sold at great loss to Government. The biddings for Fusly 1278 were consequently marked by greater caution, and resulted in the revenue reverting to its former state. Nearly half the falling off in the Coimbatore District was nominal, being merely a transfer to the newly formed Neilgherry District, and the rest was owing to the reduction made in the amount of rent under Board's sanction, in consequence of losses sustained by the contractor. The decrease in South Arcot was chiefly owing to the reduction of the rent under sanction of the Board in consequence of a want of competition at the sale of the Farm.

	Rs.
Fusly 1277	53,27,863
„ 1278	49,05,543
Decrease...	4,22,320

Increase.	Rs.	Decrease.	Rs.
Madras.....	50,627	Bellary.....	3,68,244
Neilgherries.....	40,575	Coimbatore	1,06,990
Godavery.	22,942	South Arcot.....	53,814

38. License-Tax.—The law under which the License-tax was administered was in force only for nine months of Fusly 1278 when it was superseded by Act IX. of 1869. The comparison, therefore, with the full year of the previous Fusly, shows a falling off.

	Rs.
Fusly 1277.....	5,48,941
„ 1278.....	5,07,511
Decrease...	41,430

39. Income-tax.—This tax came into operation from the (1st April 1869) last quarter of the Fusly, and the revenue* exhibited under it consists only of deductions made from the salary of Government officials.

* Rupees 73,900.

40. Salt Revenues.—In the revenue from salt there was an increase of Rupees 6,36,002, of which more than 5 lacs were contributed by the Kistna (*a*) and Madras (*b*) Districts. The increase in the former district was due to a large demand from Hyderabad, where the large stores of salt of Fusly 1277 were exhausted. The increased sales in Madras are ascribed to the further extension of the North-West Line of railway, to the improved condition of the approaches of the Salt Depôt, and to a large demand for exports. There was also a considerable increase in South Arcot (c) and Malabar (*d*). In the former it is stated to have been due to larger home consumption and to the absence of any reduction in the prices, such as was exceptionally permitted in Fusly 1277. The increase in Malabar is ascribed to larger sales having been effected on discount to merchants carrying salt to Coimbatore and other places. The only districts in which there was any considerable falling off were Tanjore and Madura. In the former it is ascribed to several causes, such as the sales in the Southern and Northern extreme Salt Pans having been exceptionally large in the preceding year, and

	Rs.
Fusly 1277.....	105,62,247
„ 1278.....	111,98,249
Increase...	6,36,002

Particulars.	Rs.
Home consumption	57,37,003
Inland do.	53,79,149
Exports by sea	57,944
Sold to French Government	7,021

(*a*) Rupees 3,68,941.
(*b*) do. 1,32,317.

(*c*) Rupees 53,003
(*d*) do. 75,695

Decrease.	Rs.
Tanjore.....	42,848
Madura.....	21,852

the Great Southern India Railway having to compete with the Madras Line at a disadvantage with regard to cost of carriage of salt to western districts. The decrease in Madura is attributed to the closing of two salt stations, and also to the insufficiency of the supply at Vattanum to meet the increased demand.

41. SALT—*Quantity received into store.*—Compared with the preceding season, the quantity in store at the beginning of the year was more by Maunds 76,632, but that manufactured and received into store fell short by nearly 4¼ lacs of maunds. This falling off occurred chiefly in the Madras* District, and is attributed to the fact that the Ennore bar was not opened until April 1869, up to which time the manufacture in the Northern Pans was suspended. To compensate for this there was considerable increase in some districts as noted in the margin, owing, no doubt, to the more favourable character of the season for manufacture in those districts.

	In store at beginning of year. In. Mds.	Manufactured and received into stores. In. Mds.	Total.
Fusly 1277.....	95,33,430	69,10,693	164,44,123
„ 1278.....	96,10,062	64,84,494	160,94,556
	+ 76,632	— 4,26,199	— 3,49,567

* Decrease..... Maunds. 6¼ lacs

Increase.

	Mds.
Ganjam.....	4,60,773
Vizagapatam.....	1,20,909
South Arcot.....	97,356
South Canara....	1,85,176

Items.	Fusly 1277.	Fusly 1278.	Increase.	Decrease.
Receipts.	IN. MDS.	IN. MDS.	IN. MDS.	IN. MDS.
Salt in store at the beginning of the year	95,33,430	96,10,062	76,632	.....
Salt manufactured and purchased and received into store	69,10,693	64,84,494	.....	4,26,199
Total...	164,44,123	160,94,556	.....	3,49,567
Sales.				
Home consumption	33,09,328	34,56,572	1,47,244	.....
Inland consumption	31,18,541	33,05,403	1,86,862	.....
Exportation...	1,85,828	3,70,470	1,84,642	.....
Sold to French Government	55,865	55,028	.....	837
Total...	66,69,562	71,87,473	5,17,911	.....
Remainder...	97,74,561	89,07,083	.....	8,67,478
Deduct wastage written off...	1,64,494	2,26,447	61,953	.....
Remaining balance...	96,10,067	86,80,636	.....	9,29,431

42. SALT—*Quantity sold.*—The sales of Fusly 1278 exhibit, in quantity, an increase of Indian Maunds 5,17,911 in about equal proportions under each head of Home Consumption, Inland Consumption, and Exports, as shown below:—

Fuslies.	Home Consumption.	Inland Consumption.	Exports.	Sold to French Government.	Total.
	IN. MDS.	IN. MDS.	IN. MDS.	IN. MDS.	IN. MDS.
1277	33,09,328	31,18,541	1,85,828	55,865	66,69,562
1278	34,56,572	33,05,403	3,70,470	55,028	71,87,473
Increase or Decrease...	+1,47,244	+1,86,862	+1,84,642	—837	+5,17,911

The causes of the increase under each head have been already stated in paragraph 40. The large increase in the "Exports" which occurs almost entirely in the Madras District, was due to larger exportation to Calcutta. The Collector states that the whole of the salt at Covelong was purchased by a single merchant and shipped to that port.

43. SALT—*Wastage.*—The quantity of salt wastage written off the accounts within the Fusly under report was Indian Maunds 2,26,447 which included Indian Maunds 1,71,053, the wastage of Fusly 1276, and Indian Maunds 55,394 on account of Fusly 1277. The whole wastage on account of Fusly 1277, viz., 1,63,566, was not fully adjusted within the Fusly under report, in consequence of the late dates on which the final sanction of Government was communicated to some districts. The particulars of wastage in the several districts are shown in the annexed abstract. In eight districts the per-centage of wastage is below 5, and calls for no remark. In the four districts named in the margin it exceeded 5. The large wastage of Tinnevelly is stated to have resulted from the practice of over-storing having been strictly put a stop to, and from the fact of Superintendents, from fear of punishment, storing the salt with scrupulous accuracy. In Godavery it is ascribed to the circumstances of the salt of Fusly 1276 having been received into store weighed by inaccurate machines and disposed of by more accurate machines in Fusly 1278. It is also stated as a reason that some of the salt was in store for upwards of two years. In Tanjore also the comparatively high wastage is ascribed to the wear in bulk, wrought by time, and to the carriage of it by canal from Vedarniem and re-storing at Negapatam. The slightly higher wastage in the Kistna District does not seem to call for special explanation. The Board consider the reasons assigned by the Collectors for the large wastage in certain districts on the whole valid and therefore recommend that sanction be accorded for writing off the wastage of salt in all the districts, amounting to Indian Maunds 1,93,527-13.

	I Mds.
Fusly 1277.....	1,63,566
„ 1278.....	1,93,527
Increase...	29,966

Districts.	Contents of the heaps when received.	Out-turn of the heaps when sold.	Wastage.	Per-centage of the wastage on column 2.	Value of the wastage of salt at the prime cost.	Value of the wastage of salt at the monopoly cost.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
	IN. MDS. SRS.	IN. MDS. SRS.	IN. MDS. SRS.		RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.
1. Ganjam ...	3,70,150 0	3,55,828 15	14,321 25	3·87	1,789 5 0	24,167 12 0
2. Vizagapatam	1,16,697 1	1,14,599 0	2,098 1	1·80	157 5 7	3,540 6 2
3. Godavery ...	2,86,742 0	2,63,982 0	22,760 0	7·93	1,896 10 0	38,407 8 0
4. Kistna ...	5,51,652 0	5,19,619 0	32,033 0	5·81	2,565 15 5	54,055 11 0
5. Nellore ...	3,67,903 0	3,54,631 0	13,272 0	3·61	1,765 7 4	22,251 3 6
6. Madras ...	4,39,952 0	4,19,445 0	20,507 0	4·66	2,994 14 0	34,605 9 0
7. South Arcot.	4,18,276 0	3,98,770 11	19,505 29	4·65	3,821 14 0	32,913 7 0
Do. supplied to French Govt..	43,200 0	41,170 19	2,029 21	4·69	224 10 0	224 10 0
8. Tanjore ...	2,93,755 0	2,75,686 20	18,068 20	6·15	1,417 10 0	30,025 15 0
9. Madura ...	2,44,816 0	2,32,873 15	11,942 25	4·34	1,119 9 10	20,153 2 11
10. Tinnevelly...	3,54,740 10	3,23,056 0	31,684 10	8·93	2,805 6 0	53,467 3 0
11 South Canara.	1,93,072 32	1,88,310 30	4,762 2	2·46	1,748 7 5	8,035 15 7
12. Malabar ...	41,305 0	40,762 0	543 0	1·31	254 1 6	916 5 0
Total...	37,22,261 3	35,28,733 30	1,93,527 13	5·19	22,561 4 1	3,22,764 12 2
On sales of salt			4,519 2			
On salt cleared for transportation...			243 0			
			4,762 2			

44. SALT.—*Proportion of Salt charges to Salt Revenue and Net Revenue from Salt.*—The figures annexed in the margin show the Gross Revenue, Gross Charges, and Net Revenue from Salt, in comparison with the preceding Fusly. It will be observed that there was an increase in the Net Revenue to the amount of Rupees 5,32,974, and that the ratio of charges to Gross Revenue remained the same as in the preceding, year viz., 12 per cent. The proportion of each item of charge to the whole was as indicated by the following figures:—

Fusly.	Revenue.	Charges.	Ratio of charge.	Net Revenue.
1277	105,59,137	12,80,916	12	92,78,221
1278	111,97,255	13,86,060	12	98,11,195
Increase	6,38,118	1,05,144	...	5,32,974

	Amount.	Per-centage.
Fixed Establishment...	2,30,635	2·05
Manufacturers' share and purchase of salt	8,81,273	7·86
Charges for conveying and storing salt	55,411	0·49
Contingencies and other items...	2,18,741	1·60

The cost of salt in each district, in comparison with the preceding year, is exhibited in the following statement:—

Districts.	Fusly 1277. Charges	Fusly 1277. Per-centage on the gross revenue.	Fusly 1278. Charges.	Fusly 1278. Per-centage on the gross revenue.	Increase.	Decrease.
	RS.		RS.		RS.	RS.
Ganjam	63,949	5	1,77,690	13	1,13,741	.....
Vizagapatam	32,606	11	62,198	21	29,592	.....
Godavery	29,771	7	31,400	6	1,629	.....
Kistna...	91,986	12	85,396	7	.....	6,590
Nellore	85,557	8	84,988	7	.....	569
Madras	2,75,235	12	2,30,211	9	.....	45,024
South Arcot	63,515	14	72,781	10	9,266	.....
Tanjore	1,09,074	10	1,10,692	10	1,618	.....
Madura	50,819	8	47,234	7	.....	3,585
Tinnevelly	75,822	11	46,729	6	.....	29,093
South Canara	1,21,210	11	1,88,937	33	67,727	.....
Malabar	2,81,372	33	2,47,804	26	.....	33,568
Total...	12,80,916	12	13,86,060	12	2,23,573	1,18,429
				Net...	1,05,144	

The considerable variations observable in some of the districts are ascribed to the payment of the Kudiwaram of the previous year in Fusly 1278, and to larger quantities manufactured during the year. In South Canara it was due to larger purchases of salt. The total charges of the year under each head on account of salt are exhibited in the subjoined statement, in comparison with the preceding year.

ITEMS.	Fusly 1277.	Fusly 1278.	Increase.	Decrease.
	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.
Charges of Collections.				
Fixed Establishment...	2,26,623	2,20,261	...	6,362
Country Stationery or Saderwarid	2,449	2,401	...	48
Travelling allowance to officers, etc.	8,138	7,973	...	165
Total...	2,37,210	2,30,635	...	6,575
Charges for the provision of Salt.				
Purchase and Manufacturer's share	8,19,925	8,81,273	61,348	...
Charges for conveying and storing Salt	89,365	55,411	...	33,954
Do. for exporting Salt	20,340	6,195	...	14,145
Salt compensation	11,109	284	...	10,825
Petty Construction and Repairs	...	46,957	46,957	...
Contingencies	1,02,966	1,65,305	62,339	...
Total ...	10,43,705	11,55,425	1,70,644	58,924
Net...	...	...	1,11,720	...
Grand Total...	12,80,915	13,86,060	1,70,644	65,499
Net...	...	...	1,05,145	...

45. SEA CUSTOMS.—The Revenue from Sea Customs amounted to the nearly 26 lacs of Rupees or 1¼ lacs more than in the preceding year, and the increase of the Revenue occurred in every district except South Arcot. In the five districts named in the margin, the increase was considerable, especially at the Port of Madras. The Import Duty contributed Rupees 15,54,501 and the Export Duty Rupees 10,08,995. The collections at the Port of Madras alone were, under the former head, Rupees 12,86,409, and, under the latter, 2,08,954. The chief articles of trade yielding these duties are noted in the margin. The increase of Customs collections was, as already observed, chiefly at the Port of Madras, and was due to the increased importation of cotton twist and yarn, cotton piece-goods, etc., and also to the increased exportation of hides and skins, indigo, and seeds of sorts. The increase in Malabar was in consequence of large shipments of cocoanut oil from Cochin to English Ports. The falling off * in South Arcot was caused by a less exportation of paddy, rice, and indigo, and less importation of nuts.

	RS.
Fusly 1277	24,11,354
„ 1278	25,88,750
Increase...	1,77,396

	Increase. RS.
Madras	75,813
Malabar	48,411
Tanjore	32,182
South Canara	14,490
Godavery	13,962

Imports.	Lacs.	Exports.	Lacs
Cotton Piece Goods...	4¼	Rice	4½
Cotton Twist	2	Paddy	½
Spirits	2½	Indigo	½
Wines and Liquors ...	1¼	Hides and Skins ...	¾
Metals	1¼	Oils Vegetables. ...	¾
Spices	½	Seeds...	1½
Apparel	¾	Cotton Piece Goods...	¼
	12½	Spices	¼
			9½

* Decrease 21,331.

46. LAND CUSTOMS.—The Revenue from Land Customs accrues in four districts, and amounted during the year under report to Rupees 1,89,756, being an increase of Rupees 38,150 over the preceding year, occurring in the two districts first named in the margin, in consequence of the increased exportation of indigo and rice into Pondicherry and Karikal respectively.

	RS.
Fusly 1277...	1,51,606
„ 1278...	1,89,756
Increase...	38,150

	RS.
South Arcot...	92,808
Tanjore	86,427
Godavery	935
Malabar...	9,586

47. Revenue from Stamps.—The Stamp Revenue of the year under report amounted to Rupees 39,49,938, being Rupees 3,60,937 above that of the preceding year. A portion of the increase is ascribed by all Collectors to the renewal of Abkarry leases, but by far the larger portion is attributed to the steady progress in the trade and wealth of the country.

	Rs.
Fusly 1277	35,89,001
„ 1278	39,49,938
Increase...	3,60,937

48. Entire Current Demand, Collection and Balance under all Sources of Revenue.—The entire Demand, Collection, and Balance under all sources of Revenue on account of the Fusly under report are exhibited in the annexed abstract, from which it will be observed that the total Demand was Rupees 664,88,637, the Collection within the Fusly Rs. 614,57,261, and the Balance at the end of the Fusly Rupees 50,31,376. This balance was reduced by subsequent collections up to October 1869 to Rupees 12,73,638, which bears a ratio of 1·9 per cent. to the Demand.

Demand	Rs.
Fusly 1277	645,01,506
„ 1278	664,88,637
Increase...	19,87,131
Collection.	
Fusly 1277	590,15,677
„ 1278	614,57,261
Increase...	24,41,584
Balance	
Fusly 1277	54,85,829
„ 1278	50,31,376
Decrease...	4,54,453

Items.	Current demand.	Collections.	Balance.	Subsequent Collections and Remissions up to 31st October 1869.	Balance.
	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
Permanently Settled...	51,46,522	41,64,808	9,81,714	6,95,181	2,86,533
Jody on Shrotriem, etc.	6,70,728	5,48,072	1,22,656	93,005	29,651
Ryotwar	3,37,62,627	3,09,64,495	27,98,132	21,81,916	6,16,216
Miscellaneous	34,95,113	26,96,162	7,98,951	4,93,911	3,05,040
Total...	4,30,74,990	3,83,73,537	47,01,453	34,64,013	12,37,440
Abkarry	49,65,543	45,77,726	3,27,817	2,92,226	35,591
Income-Tax	73,900	73,556	344	325	19
License-Tax	5,07,511	5,06,743	768	352	416
Sea-Customs	25,88,750	25,88,750	.....	.....	.....
Land-Customs	1,89,756	1,89,756	.....	.....	.....
Salt	111,98,249	111,97,255	994	822	172
Stamps	39,49,938	39,49,938	.....	.....	.....
Total...	2,34,13,647	2,30,83,724	3,29,923	2,93,725	36,198
Grand Total...	6,64,88,637	6,14,57,261	50,31,376	37,57,738	12,73,638

49.—Current Balances.—*Permanently Settled Revenue.*—The balance of Permanently Settled Revenue at the end of October 1869 was Rupees 2,86,533, and was distributed over the districts noted in the margin. The greater part of this was against two districts, viz; Madura and Salem. In the former the balance was against the Ramnad Zemindar and is allowed to remain in abeyance, pending the disposal of the proposition now before Government, to place that Estate under Government management. In Salem it was outstanding against certain Mocttahs, and measures had been adopted for its realization.

	Rs.
Canjam	1,612
Vizagapatam	2,367
Godavery	4,768
Kistna	1,331
Madras...	11,814
North Arcot	16,420
South Arcot	37
Madura	205,759
Salem	42,395
Total...	2,86,533

50.—Current Balances.—*Shrotriem Jodi.*—The balance of Shrotriem Jodi was Rupees 29,671, and chiefly against the three districts noted in the margin. The ratio to Demand was about one-third in the first and one-ninth in the other two districts. The Board, however, observe that in North Arcot there remained only Rupees 2,901 at the end of January 1870, and that in the other districts the balances were also very much reduced.

	Rs.	Ratio to Demand.
North Arcot	8,490	⅓
Madras	8,104	⅑
Salem	4,740	⅑

51.—Current Balances.—*Ryotwar.*—The balance under the head Ryotwar was Rupees 6,16,216, and was due chiefly in the districts noted in the margin. The balance against North Arcot was very large being 14 per cent. of the Demand, and is explained by the Collector to be due to the indulgent policy which has been forced on the Tahsildars by a long series of unfavourable seasons.

	Rs.
North Arcot	2,30,654
Nellore	69,590
South Arcot	65,433
Madras	53,576

52. Current Balances.—*Land Revenue Miscellaneous.*—The balance of Rupees 3,05,040 under the head Land Revenue Miscellaneous was spread over all the districts, except Malabar, and was large in the four districts noted in the margin. No particular causes are shown by Collectors for these balances, but it is stated that due measures have been adopted for their prompt realization.

	Rs.
Godavery...	83,094
Kistna	61,564
North Arcot	53,387
Madras	33,648

53. Current Balances.—*Abkarry.*—The balance of Abkarry Revenue was Rupees 35,591, of which Rupees 25,589 was against the Madras District, due by the late Abkarry Contractor and withheld by him pending the disposal of certain claims to compensation now before Government. The balance in other districts was small and needs no remark.

54. Current Balances.—The balance under License, *Cum* Income-tax and Salt is too small to call for notice.

	Rs.
Income tax	19
License tax	416
Salt...	172

55. Arrears.—*Entire Demand, Collection, and Balance under all sources of Revenue.*—The subjoined table exhibits the Demand, Collection and Balance of arrears of Land and other sources of Revenue up to the end of October 1869.

Items.	Demand.	Collection.	Remissions.	Subsequent Collections and Remissions.	Balance. Recoverable and doubtful.	Balance. Irrecoverable.	A.	P.	Balance. Total.
	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.			Rs.
Permanently Settled... ...	10,25,016	8,50,778	2,108	14,370	1,56,757	1,003	2	1	1,57,760
Shrotriem Jody.	1,52,425	1,28,750	5,072	2,989	14,661	953	5	11	15,614
Ryotwar.....	32,79,791	25,89,120	1,95,303	53,824	1,85,590	2,55,954	3	11	4,41,544
Miscellaneous..	13,93,358	7,96,328	1,16,699	25,698	4,05,505	49,127	5	5	4,54,633
Abkarry.....	6,27,619	3,28,363	2,46,509	9,629	22,124	20,994	6	5	43,118
Income-tax ...	38	.....	38	.....	.....	.....	...	...	.....
Salt...	5,436	3,537	346	521	484	548	6	8	1,032
Total ...	64,83,683	46,96,876	5,66,075	1,07,031	7,85,121	3,28,580	14	5	11,13,701

It will be seen from the above that the amount outstanding at the beginning of the Fusly was Rupees 64,83,683, whereof Rupees 52,62,951 were recovered within the Fusly, and that there remained at the end of the Fusly Rupees 12,20,732, which was further reduced, by subsequent collections up to October 1869, to Rupees 11,13,701. Of this last balance, Rs. 7,85,121 are stated by Collectors to be recoverable or doubtful, and Rupees 3,28,581 irrecoverable. The recoverable portion is due chiefly in the districts noted in the margin.

	Rs.
Godavery	2,28,152
North Arcot	1,68,988
Madura	1,22,952
Madras	69,508
Kistna...	41,242
Salem...	35,821
South Arcot	31,603

56. Arrears Irrecoverable on Permanently Settled.—The irrecoverable arrears under each head will now be noticed briefly. That due by Permanently Settled Estates amounted to Rupees 1,003-2-1, and was outstanding against the same districts as in last year. The balance in the Godavery District was withheld, as has been the case every year, by the proprietor of Billumielli and Bynagudem, in consequence of the non-completion of certain repairs to the Bynakalingula. The balances in Madras and South Arcot recur every year, being balances withheld on account of lands taken possession of by Government. A separate report will be made to Government, with a view to extinguish these balances by corresponding reductions in the Peshcush of the Moottahs.

	Rs.	A.	P.
Godavery	948	12	1
Madras	16	14	7
South Arcot	37	7	5
Total... ...	1,003	2	1

57. Arrears Irrecoverable.—*Shrotriem Jodi.*—The irrecoverable Shrotriem Jodi amounted to Rupees 953-5-11, and was due from seven districts named in the margin. It consisted of quit-rent once charged but afterwards reduced by the Inam Commissioner. In the district of South Arcot, however, the collection of the balance was suspended in compensation for certain Shrotriem land taken up for irrigation channels. In this case also a permanent reduction of Shrotriem Jodi will be separately proposed for the sanction of Government.

	Rs.	A.	P.
Ganjam...	155	0	8
Vizagapatam	168	3	9
Godavery	224	15	0
Cuddapah	305	0	11
Kurnool...	3	15	2
Madras...	83	10	10
South Arcot...	12	7	7

58. Arrears Irrecoverable.—*Ryotwar and Miscellaneous.*—The arrears reported by Collectors, after careful scrutiny to be irrecoverable amount to Rupees 3,05,081-9-4, and include Rupees 1,38,143-5-2, being remissions for loss of crops for Fuslies 1276 and 1277, granted after the dates of the settlement, in the districts named in the margin*. Deducting these special remissions, the remainder is only Rupees 1,66,938-4-2 spread over all the district sexcept South Canara.

	Rs.	A.	P.
Ryotwar ...	2,55,954	3	11
Miscellaneous ...	49,127	5	5
Total ...	3,05,081	9	4

* Nellore ...	62,981	5	8
Cuddapah ...	22,760	10	10
Madras ...	15,400	7	4
Madura ...	7,812	13	4
Salem ...	29,188	0	0
Total ...	1,38,143	5	2

† Nellore ...	8,184	4	3
Madura ...	12,810	2	2

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59. Arrears Irrecoverable—*Abkarry.*—The irrecoverable arrears of Abkarry Revenue are confined to two districts†, viz., Nellore and Madura, and amount to Rupees 20,994-6-5. The defaulting renter in Nellore has been in prison for two years, and is possessed of no property. Of the balance in the Madura District the greater portion has been already remitted; and the rest is due by the renter of the Dindigul Talook, and is deemed hopeless of recovery.

60. Arrears Irrecoverable.—*Salt.*—The small balance of Rupees 548-6-8 under Salt appertains to earth-salt in Bellary and is due on account of several Fuslies.

61. Entire Arrears Irrecoverable recommended for remission.—The aggregate of the irrecoverable arrears, discussed in the foregoing paragraphs, is Rupees 3,28,580-14-5. As recapitulated in the subjoined Abstract, and the Board request the sanction of Government for its being written off the accounts.

Irrecoverable Balance.

Districts.	Permanently settled.	Shrotriem Jodi.	Land Revenue. Ryotwar.	Land Revenue. Miscellaneous.	Land Revenue. Total.	Abkarry.	Salt.	Grand Total.
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
1. Ganjam	... ...	155 0 8	2,950 5 0	2,418 6 8	5,523 12 4	... ...	... ...	5,523 12 4
2. Vizagapatam	... ...	168 3 9	57 0 5	246 2 7	471 6 9	... ...	... ...	471 6 9
3. Godavery	... ...	224 15 0	3,340 15 6	6,156 12 5	10,671 7 0	... ...	... ...	10,671 7 0
4. Kistna...	... ...	... ...	8,015 2 7	8,669 15 10	16,685 2 5	... ...	... ...	16,685 2 5
5. Nellore	... ...	... ...	65,564 15 2	3,799 14 4	69,364 13 6	8,184 4 3	... ...	77,549 1 9
6. Cuddapah	... ...	305 0 11	25,924 1 5	3,204 4 5	29,433 6 9	... ...	... ...	29,433 6 9
7. Bellary	... ...	... ...	11,138 4 4	8,338 9 4	19,476 13 8	... ...	548 6 8	20,025 4 4
8. Kurnool	... ...	3 15 2	992 6 4	803 0 11	1,799 6 5	... ...	... ...	1,799 6 5
9. Madras	18 14 7	83 10 10	21,671 9 2	5,996 12 7	27,768 15 2	... ...	... ...	27,768 15 2
10. North Arcot	... ...	... ...	52,667 0 9	5,282 13 8	57,949 13 5	... ...	... ...	57,949 13 5
11. South Arcot	87 7 5	12 7 7	4,017 15 0	1,415 15 0	5,483 13 0	... ...	... ...	5,483 13 0
12. Tanjore	... ...	... ...	157 11 11	222 0 1	379 12 0	... ...	... ...	379 12 0
13. Trichinopoly	... ...	... ...	671 3 0	35 11 0	706 14 0	... ...	... ...	706 14 0
14. Madura	... ...	... ...	8,693 3 7	19 8 0	8,712 11 7	12,810 2 2	... ...	21,522 13 9
15. Tinnevelly...	... ...	... ...	13,068 14 5	108 3 6	13,177 1 11	... ...	... ...	13,177 1 11
16. Coimbatore	... ...	... ...	230 14 3	996 9 6	1,227 7 9	... ...	... ...	1,227 7 9
17. Neilgherries	... ...	... ...	50 10 9	2 2 9	52 13 6	... ...	... ...	52 13 6
18. Salem	... ...	... ...	34,679 7 0	1,408 7 10	36,087 14 10	... ...	... ...	36,087 14 10
19. South Canara	... ...	... ...	... ...	... ...	... ...	... ...	... ...	... ...
20. Malabar	... ...	... ...	2,064 7 4	... ...	2,064 7 4	... ...	... ...	2,064 7 4
Total...	1,003 2 1	953 5 11	2,55,954 3 11	49,127 5 5	3,05,081 9 4	20,994 6 5	548 6 8	3,26,580 14 5

62. ARREARS RECOVERABLE AND DOUBTFUL UNDER RYOTWAR, SHROTRIEM JODI, AND MISCELLANEOUS.—Some allusion has been already made in paragraph 55, to the recoverable portion of the old balances. The districts to which they appertain and the Fuslies for which they are due will be found in detail in the subjoined Statement, as required in paragraph 29 of the Governmen Order, on the last Settlement Report.

Districts.	Fusly 1261.	Fusly 1262.	Fusly 1263.	Fusly 1264.	Fusly 1265.	Fusly 1266.	Fusly 1267.	Fusly 1268.	Fusly 1269.	Fusly 1270.	Fusly 1271.	Fusly 1272.	Fusly 1273.	Fusly 1274.	Fusly 1275.	Fusly 1276.	Fusly 1277.	Total.	Subsequent collections & remissions up to Oct. 1869.	Balance.	Deduct amount now recommended for writing off the accounts.	Remaining Recoverable or Doubtful.
	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
1. Ganjam	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	35	303	156	1,547	2,043	7,122	11,206	1,714	9,494	5,524	3,970
2. Vizagapatam	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	41	551	592	...	592	471	121
3. Godavery	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	104	173	1,408	10,767	1,925	9,903	41,799	42,344	56,409	76,758	2,41,589	6,373	2,35,216	9,723	2,25,493
4. Kistna	...	...	...	369	5	5	5	4	114	632	1,814	2,470	2,876	2,914	7,366	13,419	29,530	61,527	3,597	57,930	16,685	41,245
5. Nellore	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	19	194	393	75,912	76,518	901	75,627	69,365	6,162
6. Cuddapah	...	...	...	70	8	...	16	16	9	47	94	64	104	872	964	2,532	40,837	45,132	6,701	39,481	29,433	9,048
7. Bellary	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	114	4	11	...	34	1,610	10,946	13,603	31,125	58,523	11,932	46,591	19,477	27,114
8. Kurnool	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	83	223	68	1,941	2,670	130	2,540	1,799	741
9. Madras	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	601	466	32	25	56	11,365	13,757	18,294	50,856	1,03,247	6,007	97,150	27,752	69,398
10. North Arcot	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	312	657	...	...	...	6,274	23,616	35,033	1,50,669	2,23,641	27,259	1,96,382	57,950	1,38,432
11. South Arcot	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2,716	5,883	6,560	19,890	40,769	3,725	37,044	5,446	31,598
12. Tanjore	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	78	2,949	3,299	2,416	8,861	1,768	7,093	380	6,713
13. Trichinopoly	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	335	155	1,432	3,458	5,482	627	4,855	707	4,148
14. Madura	...	...	...	...	...	67	93	185	183	190	182	184	164	179	210	572	10,580	12,793	1,154	11,639	8,713	2,926
15. Tinnevelly	...	342	15	16	9	48	847	379	440	359	543	2,342	1,941	828	3,206	4,479	22,629	37,067	4,982	32,085	13,177	18,908
16. Coimbatore	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	29	30	880	3,082	3,521	157	3,364	1,228	2,136
17. Neilgherries	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	8	22	11	28	64	76	580	870	2,686	4,268	1,053	3,215	53	980
18. Salem	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	133	50	359	393	2,703	3,901	41,329	48,568	2,363	46,505	36,088	10,417
19. South Canara	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	33	33	...	33	...	33
20. Malabar	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	16	2	153	324	2,856	6,174	9,525	1,258	8,237	2,064	6,173
Total	342	15	15	455	26	120	461	697	2,007	3,835	14,321	14,116	27,496	69,335	1,17,449	1,67,219	5,75,762	9,94,303	62,511	9,11,791	3,06,035	6,05,756

It will be observed that the total amount at the close of Fusly 1278, was Rupees 9,94,302, and that it was reduced by subsequent collections up to October 1869, to Rupees 9,11,791. The greater‡ portion of the old balances, it will be observed, appertained to the last three fuslies, and to the 6 districts named in the margin. Out of the large balance against the Godavery District, by far the greater portion is stated to be held in abeyance under the Order of the Board quoted in the margin, pending inquiry into a settlement of the question, whether certain Inam and Zemindary lands charged with water-rate were *mamool* wet or not. The large balance against North Arcot is no doubt due to the series of adverse seasons it has been subject to. Deducting the irrecoverable old balances now recommended for remission under the three heads, viz., Rupees 3,06,034-15-3 from Rs. 9,11,791, the balance still left, amounts to Rs. 6,05,756, outstanding chiefly against the districts named in the margin. The Collectors concerned should take steps with a view to adjust these balances at the earliest possible date.

‡ 8,60,460.

	Rs.
North Arcot	2,10,223
Godavery	1,75,511
Madras	82,897
Bellary	55,734
Salem	47,933
Cuddapah	44,333
Total	6,16,631

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Godavery.
Madras
North Arcot.
South Arcot.

63. COMPARATIVE VIEW OF THE COLLECTIONS FROM ALL SOURCES.—*Current and Arrears, within the Fusly.*—The following Statement exhibits the Collections, Current and Arrears under all heads of Revenue, in comparison with the previous year, the result being a net increase of nearly 35½ lacs of Rupees in the revenue actually brought into the Treasury.

	Rs.
Fusly 1277	6,26,19,420
„ 1278	6,61,54,137
Increase	35,34,717

Items.	Fusly 1277. Current.	Fusly 1277. Arrears.	Fusly 1277. Total	Fusly 1278. Current.	Fusly 1278. Arrears.	Fusly 1278. Total.	Increase.	Decrease
	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
Permanently Settled	41,17,876	6,85,504	48,03,380	41,64,808	8,50,778	50,15,586	2,12,206	
Jodi on Shrotriem villages	5,35,628	90,042	6,25,670	5,48,072	1,28,750	6,76,822	51,152	
Ryotwar	298,66,017	18,32,273	316,98,290	309,64,495	25,89,120	335 53,615	18,55,325	
Miscellaneous	25,18,026	6,03,387	31,21,413	26,96,162	7,96,328	34,92,490	3,71,077	
Total	370,37,547	32,11,206	402,48,753	383,73,537	43,64,976	427,38,513	24,89,760	
								2,01,547
Abkarry	44,59,914	6,47,722	51,07,636	45,77,726	3,28,363	49,06,089	73,556	
Income-tax	...	...	...	73,556	...	73,556	...	42,198
License-tax	5,48,941	...	5,48,941	5,06,743	...	5,06,743	6,38,663	
Salt	105,59,135	2,994	105,62,129	111,97,255	3,537	112,00,792	1,77,396	
Sea-Customs	24,11,354	...	24,11,354	25,88,750	...	25,88,750	38,150	
Land do.	1,51,606	...	1,51,606	1,89,756	...	1,89,756	3,60,937	
Stamps	35,89,001	...	35,89,001	39,49,938	...	39,49,938		
Total	217,19,951	6,50,716	223,70,667	230,83,724	3,31,900	234,15,624	10,44,957	
Grand Total	587,57,498	38,61,922	626,19,420	614,57,261	46,96,876	661,54,137	35,34,717	

64. GROSS REVENUE AND CHARGES OF COLLECTION COMPARED.—The Receipts of the year having been shown in the preceding paragraph, the marginal figures exhibit the total charges, which amounted to Rupees 62,61,759 or an increase of Rupees 3,73,006 over the preceding year. The increase in the charges of Management was due to the Collectors of several districts having drawn their full pay during the Fusly under report, while in the previous Fusly only deputation allowance had been drawn; and to the increased number of Assistants. The increase on extra charges was chiefly in Salt. The proportion of Charges to Receipts under each head of Revenue was, as shown by the figures in the margin, the ratio of the total Charges to Receipts being 9·4, or nearly the same as last year.

	Management.	Extra charges.	Total.
	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
Fusly 1277	42,15,827	16,73,926	58,88,753
„ 1278	43,59,517	19,02,242	62,61,759
Increase	.....	.....	3,73,006

	Total Charges. Rs	Percentage.
Land Revenue	40,55,699	9·5
Abkarry	2,60,025	5·3
Assessed taxes	59,138	10·1
Sea-Customs	2,08,654	8·0
Land-Customs	7,925	4·1
Salt	13,86,060	12·0
Stamps	2,84,258	7·2
Total	62,61,759	9·4

65. Extent of Coercive Process used in the realization of the Revenue.—The usual Abstract Statement showing the extent to which the Law was put into force for the recovery of the Revenue is subjoined—

Districts.	Process issued.			Estimated value of property attached.										Property sold.									
	No. of Villages.	No. of Ryots.	Amount of arrears.	Land.		Personal property.		Total.		Land.		Personal property.		Total.									
				Estimated value.	Value for which actually sold.	Estimated value	Value for which actually sold.	Estimated value.	Value for which actually sold.	Estimated value.	Value for which actually sold.	Estimated value	Value for which actually sold.	Estimated value.	Value for which actually sold.									
1	2	3	4	5		6		7		8		10		12									
			Rs.	Rs.		Rs.		Rs.		Rs.		Rs.		Rs.									
1. Ganjam	264	772	7,513	2,364		4,392		6,656		704		432		1,136									
2. Vizagapatam	55	89	917	220		517		737		125		65		190									
3. Godavery	361	1,603	65,785	13,820		34,661		48,481		5,482		8,779		14,261									
4. Kistna	236	608	20,337	1,736		7,993		9,729		1,320		1,972		3,292									
5. Nellore	353	2,970	39,671	8,763		15,359		24,122		2,402		1,295		3,697									
6. Cuddapah	211	730	10,916	4,266		3,946		8,212		1,618		666		2,284									
7. Bellary	628	3,399	80,260	23,442		52,507		75,949		8,848		12,321		21,169									
8. Kurnool	177	400	5,459	3,813		1,269		5,082		2,464		209		2,673									
9. Madras	1,172	377	1,49,655	84,422		82,937		1,67,359		19,529		1,579		21,108									
10. North Arcot	1,742	21,017	1,63,846	9,234		13,884		23,118		368		1,468		1,836									
11. South Arcot	555	1,856	20,755	6,352		13,326		19,678		2,199		434		2,633									
12. Tanjore	453	1,289	35,709	13,497		18,792		32,289		6,373		2,569		8,942									
13. Trichinopoly	216	1,533	18,472	8,504		2,612		11,116		2,905		239		3,144									
14. Madura	35	41	6,169	101		185		376		191		185		376									
15. Tinnevelly...	54	172	8,403	4,391		2,128		6,519		4,391		2,128		6,519									
16. Coimbatore	107	388	2,285	396		78		474		396		78		474									
17. Neilgherries	3	26	1,237	469		63		532		452		63		515									
18. Salem	913	2,425	27,093	2,118		10,801		12,919		1,456		909		1,365									
19. South Canara	13	15	372	145		84		229		145		84		229									
20. Malabar	11	32	6,127	3,220		2,200		5,420		2,632		378		3,010									
Total ...	7,559	48,742	6,70,981	1,91,363		2,67,734		4,58,997		63,000	72,656	35,853	32,834	98,853	1,05,490								

Processes were issued in 7,559 villages against 48,742 ryots for the recovery of Rupees 6,70,981, and property attached to the estimated value of Rupees 4,58,997. But property actually sold was only of the value of Rupees 1,05,490, of which *land* represented Rupees 72,656 and personal property Rupees 32,834.

66. Miscellaneous Subjects—*Hoonjiram and Palconda Estates.*—It has been usual to notice specially the Hoonjiram and Palconda Estates, in the Vizagapatam District, which are rented out to Messrs. Arbuthnot and Co. for a sum of Rupees 1,56,941. The whole rent was collected with the exception of Rupees 1,538. The marginal figures show the extent of land under each crop in comparison with the preceding year. The cultivation of sugar-cane has been steadily on the increase.

	Fusly 1277. Acres.	Fusly 1278. Acres.
Sugarcane	381	390
Paddy.....	9,085	8,825
Indigo.....	1,271	1,473
Other grains.....	2,306	2,453

Sugar-cane.	Acres.
1275	343
1276	263
1277	381
1278	390

67. Miscellaneous Subjects—*Revenue from sale of waste and escheated land.*—As usual the revenue from the redemption of assessment and quit-rents from the sale of unassessed waste lands under the Rules and from the sale of escheated lands in Malabar are exhibited in the subjoined abstract. The chief item is of course the last. Hitherto the revenue from these sources has been kept out of the Land Revenue and credited to Deposits. From April 1869, however, they have been transferred to the Land Revenue Miscellaneous under the instructions of the Accountant-General, dated 31st May 1869, No. 1,391, and consequently the collections shown in foot-note in Statement No. 6, column 167, do not include the collections of the months of April, May, and June 1869.

	Rs.
Fusly 1277.....	2,63,025
,, 1278.....	2,87,386
Increase...	24,361

Items.	Fusly 1277.	Fusly 1278.	Increase.	Decrease.
	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
Sale of lands in freehold for building purposes at an upset price equal to twenty-five times the land-tax	922	1,257	335	.....
Redemption of assessment on assessed Government lands converted into freehold	276	1,399	1,123	.....
Redemption of Inam lands other than Village Service Inams enfranchised on payment of quit-rent...	283	480	197	.....
Sale of waste lands under new Rules of 5th March 1863	11,374	21,101	9,727	.....
Sale of proprietary Right in the escheats of Malabar	2,50,170	2,63,149	12,979	.....
Total. ...	2,63,025	2,87,386	24,361	.....

68. Miscellaneous Subjects—*State of the Village and Talook Accounts.*—The Village and Talook Accounts are reported by all Collectors to have been examined by themselves and their subordinates during the settlement, and found on the whole in a satisfactory condition. In the Madras District the Kurnums of many villages are still said to use Tamil figures. The Collectors should insist on the observance of the rule that English only should be used.

69. Delay in the submission of this report.—The Board regret that they have not been able to submit this report before the close of the calendar year, as prescribed by Government in their order on the last year's Settlement Report. The last report from the districts was not received until November 1869, and the pressure of work, in connection with the Revenue and Local Fund

Budgets and matters relating to the deficit which required constant watching and checking the progress of expenditure in the various branches, prevented the examination and compilation of the District Jammahbundy Returns at as early a date as could be wished. The present Report leaves the Board's Office at an earlier date than any of its predecessors within the last five years, and the Board hope to be able to submit the next one at a date considerably earlier, should no extraordinary delay occur in the arrival of the District Reports.

(A true Extract.)

Acting Secretary.

To the Acting Secretary to Government, Revenue Department,
with nine Statements and a file of Collectors' Reports.

Copy to all Collectors,
with eight Statements to each.

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No. 1.—*Statement showing the number of Villages settled and Puttahs issued by Covenanted and Uncovenanted Officers for Fusly* 1278.

DISTRICTS.	Settled by Collectors.			Settled by Sub-Collectors.			Settled by Head Assistants.			Settled by Deputy Collectors.			Total.						Last Fusly.		
															Distribution of Puttahs.						
	Number of Talooks.	Number of Villages.	Number of Puttahs.	Number of Talooks.	Number of Villages.	Number of Puttahs.	Number of Talooks.	Number of Villages.	Number of Puttahs.	Number of Talooks.	Number of Villages.	Number of Puttahs.	Number of Talooks.	Number of Villages.	Number of fresh Puttahs.	Old Puttahs modified by additional entries.	Old Puttahs not altered.	Total.	Number of Talooks.	Number of Villages.	Number of Puttahs.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22
1. Ganjam ...	1	897	7,102	1	146	9,194	1	360	18,960	...	...	.....	3	1,403	629	1,612	33,015	35,256	3	1,413	35,120
2. Vizagapatam	...	...	.....	2	157	4,131	...	...	.....	...	...	.....	2	157	95	3,136	900	4,131	2	158	4,036
3. Godavery...	2	247	19,548	3	343	10,138	2	179	12,435	2	208	12,577	9	977	48,865	2,782	3,051	54,698	9	977	54,652
4. Kistna ...	3	419	31,474	5	588	65,318	3	329	33,150	...	...	.....	11	1,336	22,000	13,144	94,798	1,29,942	11	1,351	1,31,708
5. Nellore ...	3	304	30,380	3	311	26,804	1	62	4,603	2	192	18,838	9	869	80,625	.....	.....	80,625	9	870	79,151
6. Cuddapah...	3	318	53,668	3	303	41,995	3	275	35,643	2	173	20,446	11	1,069	3,894	37,699	1,10,159	1,51,752	11	1,068	1,50,890
7. Bellary ...	2	474	17,800	5	606	38,602	6	839	60,532	2	380	19,686	15	2,299	92,698	8,482	35,440	1,36,620	15	2,301	1,36,501
8. Kurnool ...	2	169	19,255	...	...	.....	3	233	33,759	3	295	35,501	8	697	41,406	567	46,542	88,515	8	697	87,257
9. Madras ...	3	428	14,842	3	1,058	24,451	1	247	10,690	...	...	.....	7	1,733	49,983	.....	.....	49,983	7	1,733	48.598
10. North Arcot	3	1,254	69,062	2	767	49,355	4	902	62,447	...	...	.....	9	2,923	1,80,864	.....	.....	1,80.864	9	2,923	1,84,871
11. South Arcot	2	693	57,768	2	785	65,361	2	896	81,773	2	629	67,938	8	3,003	2,72,840	.....	.....	2,72,840	8	3,006	2,70,681
12. Tanjore ...	1	178	9,283	2	627	25,146	3	912	37,399	3	694	51,261	9	2,411	23,931	88,052	61,106	1,23,089	9	2,411	1,24,670
13. Trichinopoly	3	703	71,689	...	...	.....	1	189	28,374	1	363	35,194	5	1,255	3,231	38,118	93,908	1,35,257	5	1,255	1,34 716
14. Madura ...	1	41	27,215	2	251	38,509	1	84	19,660	2	404	52,888	6	780	1,38,272	.....	.....	1,38,272	6	781	1,33,853
15. Tinnevelly.	2	387	44,047	3	404	32,062	2	106	17,240	2	207	46,142	9	1,104	48,137	18,710	72,644	1,39,491	9	1,103	1,38,011
16. Coimbatore.	2	194	25,690	3	256	53,814	2	475	63,119	3	593	80,114	10	1,518	90,264	19,232	1,13,241	2,22,737	11	1,534	2,23,331
17. Neilgherries	1	17	2,532	...	...	.....	...	...	.....	...	...	.....	1	17	147	.....	2,385	2,532	...	.....	.....
18. Salem ...	4	815	1,17,365	3	1,367	64,080	1	281	10,491	1	93	20,741	9	2,556	15,459	13,711	1,83,505	2,12,675	9	2,556	2,16,710
19. SouthCanara	3	758	22,538	...	...	.....	2	520	16,857	...	...	.....	5	1,278	656	189	38,550	39,395	5	1,278	39,205
20. Malabar ...	2	42	11,177	4	180	62,129	2	120	46,484	2	89	39,587	10	431	4,218	9,741	1,45,418	1,59,377	10	432	1,65,364
Total...	43	8,333	6,52,433	46	8,149	6,11,089	40	7,009	5,93,616	27	4,320	5,00,913	156	27,816	11,18,214	2,05,175	10,34,662	23,58,051	156	27,847	23,59,325

No. 2.—*Comparative Statement of prices for Fusly* 1278.

DISTRICTS.	Commutation price converted to rupees per Madras garce of 3,200 measures of 120 rupees weight.		PADDY PER GARCE.				CHOLUM OR JAVERY PER GARCE.				CUMBOO OR RAGERA PER GARCE.				RAGGY PER GARCE.				HORSE-GRAM PER GARCE.			
			First sort.		Second sort.																	
	Wet land	Dry land.	Average price for 10 years, from Fusly 1268 to 1277.	Fusly 1277.	Average price for 10 years, from Fusly 1268 to 1277.	Fusly 1278.	Average price for 10 years, from Fusly 1268 to 1277.	Fusly 1277.	Fusly 1278.		Average price for 10 years, from Fusly 1268 to 1277.	Fusly 1277.	Fusly 1278.		Average price for 10 years, from Fusly 1268 to 1277.	Fusly 1277.	Fusly 1278.		Average price for 10 years, from Fusly 1268 to 1277.	Fusly 1277.	Fusly 1278.	
1	2	3	4	5	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21			
	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.		Rs.	Rs.	Rs.		Rs.	Rs.	Rs.		Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	
1. Ganjam ...	.....	.....	113	89	105	84	107	170	123	168	134	95	118	145	129	157	164	139	154			
2. Vizagapatam..	153	238	135	85	125	77	136	157	103	173	133	77	161	151	97	180	157	124	168			
3. Godavery ...	.....	.....	123	94	114	88	114	143	109	173	115	86	113	132	101	129	159	118	158			
4. Kistna	151	156	164	132	156	143	146	190	189	196	170	185	151	148	153	135	198	167	184			
5. Nellore... ...	83	117	175	191	154	148	167	197	224	166	177	198	159	170	185	140	227	233	199			
6. Cuddapah ...	115	132	216	236	193	176	227	238	267	219	227	260	207	223	249	199	259	251	227			
7. Bellary	.....	.....	199	210	181	197	193	235	210	144	247	207	215	204	198	125	271	230	267			
8. Kurnool ...	336	180	210	218	190	192	162	235	200	173	237	207	197	214	180	78	253	218	211			
9. Madras... ...	78	.....	179	210	164	200	177	226	240	247	214	228	221	228	206	214	283	291	277			
10. North Arcot...	85	93	166	191	155	180	162	198	277	206	210	250	201	201	256	233	233	251	237			
11. South Arcot...	70	70	167	173	153	170	180	205	227	205	184	203	206	190	212	215	234	235	229			
12. Tanjore ...	56	.....	165	172	152	154	205	198	140	205	177	163	155	170	196	163	252	247	234			
13. Trichinopoly..	66	79	183	211	164	157	154	160	198	184	188	207	192	184	203	193	233	260	250			
14. Madura... ...	59	46	175	254	170	231	262	262	239	185	161	227	195	174	222	186	200	274	259			
15. Tinnevelly ...	76	.....	239	241	197	200	198	239	273	228	235	218	210	221	199	200	282	294	269			
16. Coimbatore ...	67	74	233	252	208	223	227	253	297	221	199	216	234	216	241	236	255	272	269			
17. Neilgherries..	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	295	265	.....	.....	276	.....	.....	303	.....	.....	320			
18. Salem	186	192	193	207	195	189	173	219	253	230	193	216	185	204	244	201	220	240	228			
19. South Canara.	139	.....	.....	183	206	187	189	.....	.....	193	.....	.....	.....	231	252	228	283	284	305			
20. Malabar ...	76	59	199	183	206	178	180	220	.....	.....	244	.....	.....	246	247	273	299	300	315			
Average...	113	119	179	183	191	164	170	206	209	201	191	191	185	193	202	198	234	233	234			

No. 3.—*Statement of Ryots' Holdings, Cultivation, and Settlement for Fusly* 1278.

DISTRICTS.	Villages.	RYOTS' HOLDINGS.			
		Dry.		Wet.	
		Extent.	Assessment.	Extent.	Assessment.
1	2	3	4	5	6
		ACRES.	RS.	ACRES.	RS.
1. Ganjam	1,403	1,07,405	1,38,070	1,77,510	5,07,215
2. Vizagapatam... ...	157	53,407	56,806	24,499	1,26,111
3. Godavery...	977	4,58,180	7,44,510	2,17,176	6,14,485
4. Kistna	1,336	14,75,464	22,44,666	1,53,911	8,65,874
5. Nellore	869	6,50,447	8,37,008	1,94,994	8,91,632
6. Cuddapah	1,069	11,54,964	8,35,538	1,47,382	9,85,074
7. Bellary	2,299	22,76,061	14,48,395	1,61,672	6,30,407
8. Kurnool...	697	11,56,634	11,13,346	27,423	1,85,409
9. Madras	1,733	2,24,027	3,44,946	2,63,449	10,22,651
10. North Arcot	2,923	4,34,218	6,11,255	2,06,724	11,90,690
11. South Arcot	3,003	9,21,763	16,06,816	2,74,978	14,68,790
12. Tanjore...	2,411	2,79,527	3,49,253	7,29,885	35,77,444
13. Trichinopoly... ...	1,255	8,05,111	7,59,336	1,26,786	5,35,280
14. Madura...	780	6,81,152	8,82,924	1,51,538	6,32,405
15. Tinnevelly	1,104	11,19,408	8,42,093	1,75,666	17,95,121
16. Coimbatore	1,518	21,30,938	19,56,217	85,413	6,54,757
17. Neilgherries	17	57,279	27,624	159	360
18. Salem	2,556	10,63,654	13,74,898	67,279	4,42,387
Total...	26,107	150,49,639	161,83,701	31,86,444	161,26,092
19. South Canara... ...	1,278	.....	.....	.....	.....
20. Malabar...	431	3,87,713	6,00,730	3,81,832	11,60,448
Total...	27,816	154,37,352	167,84,431	35,68,276	172,86,540

No. 3.—Statement of Ryots' Holdings,

DISTRICTS.	RYOTS' HOLDINGS.—(*Continued.*)		DEDUCT LANDS			
	TOTAL.		DRY.		WET.	
	Extent.	Assessment.	Extent.	Assessment.	Extent.	Assessment.
	7	8	9	10	11	12
	ACRES.	RS.	ACRES.	RS.	ACRES.	RS.
1. Ganjam ...	2,84,915	6,45,285	2,674	3,391	2,082	5,314
2. Vizagapatam.	77,906	1,82,917	2,120	2,057	762	3,832
3. Godavery ...	6,75,356	13,58,995	48,884	1,11,341	27,507	67,014
4. Kistna... ...	16,29,375	31,10,540	47,019	61,727	34,710	1,89,688
5. Nellore ...	8,45,441	17,28,640	27,727	32,732	5,942	27,956
6. Cuddapah ...	13,02,346	18,20,612	22,824	30,248	2,793	17,205
7. Bellary... ...	24,37,733	20,78,802	1,60,200	76,751	7,557	29,220
8. Kurnool ...	11,84,057	12,98,755	47,096	38,614	937	15,114
9. Madras... ...	4,87,476	13,67,597	9,319	14,664	4,211	16,411
10. North Arcot.	6,40,942	18,01,945	10,993	15,882	3,445	19,970
11. South Arcot.	11,96,741	30,75,606	83,881	1,44,049	5,216	27,582
12. Tanjore ...	10,09,412	39,26,697	3,280	3,520	10,019	46,384
13. Trichinopoly.	9,31,897	12,94,616	25,184	23,944	289	1,016
14. Madura ...	8,32,690	15,25,329	31,126	36,306	2,998	13,091
15. Tinnevelly...	12,95,074	26,37,214	5,596	9,957	1,885	47,378
16. Coimbatore...	22,16,351	26,10,974	44,911	39,047	2,116	12,579
17. Neilgherries.	57,438	27,984	754	352	119	270
18. Salem... ...	11,30,933	18,17,285	43,334	54,238	1,889	12,323
Total...	182,36,083	323,09,793	6,16,922	6,98,820	1,14,477	5,52,347
19. South Canara	.....	.....	... ..	.....	.....	.....
20. Malabar ...	7,69,545	17,61,178	1,04,875	72,884	125	1,343
Total...	190,05,628	340,70,971	7,21,797	7,71,704	1,14,602	5,53,790

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GIVEN UP.		REMAINDER.					
TOTAL.		DRY.		WET.		TOTAL.	
Extent.	Assessment.	Extent.	Assessment.	Extent.	Assessment.	Extent.	Assessment.
13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20
ACRES.	RS.	ACRES.	RS.	ACRES.	RS.	ACRES.	RS.
4,756	8,705	1,04,731	1,34,679	1,75,428	5,01,901	2,80,159	6,36,580
2,882	5,889	51,287	54,749	23,737	1,22,279	75,024	1,77,028
76,391	1,78,355	4,09,296	6,33,169	1,89,669	5,47,471	5,98,965	11,80,640
81,729	2,51,415	14,28,445	21,82,939	1,19,201	6,76,186	15,47,646	28,59,125
33,669	60,688	6,22,720	8,04,276	1,89,052	8,63,676	8,11,772	16,67,952
25,617	47,453	11,32,140	8,05,290	1,44,589	9,67,869	12,76,729	17,73,159
1,67,757	1,05,971	21,15,861	13,71,644	1,54,115	6,01,187	22,69,976	19,72,831
48,033	53,728	11,09,538	10,74,732	26,486	1,70,295	11,36,024	12,45,027
13,530	31,075	2,14,708	3,30,282	2,59,238	10,06,240	4,73,946	13,36,522
14,438	35,852	4,23,225	5,95,373	2,03,279	11,70,720	6,26,504	17,66,093
89,097	1,71,631	8,37,882	14,62,767	2,69,762	14,41,208	11,07,644	29,03,975
13,299	49,904	2,76,247	3,45,733	7,19,866	35,31,060	9,96,113	38,76,793
25,473	24,960	7,79,927	7,35,392	1,26,497	5,34,264	9,06,424	12,69,656
34,124	49,397	6,50,026	8,56,618	1,48,540	6,19,314	7,98,566	14,75,932
7,481	57,335	11,13,812	8,32,136	1,73,781	17,47,743	12,87,593	25,79,879
47,027	51,626	20,86,027	19,17,170	83,297	6,42,178	21,69,324	25,59,348
873	622	56,525	27,272	40	90	56,565	27,362
45,223	66,561	10,20,320	13,20,660	65,390	4,30,064	10,85,710	17,50,724
7,31,399	12,51,167	144,32,717	154,84,881	30,71,967	155,73,745	175,04,684	310,58,626
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
1,05,000	74,327	2,82,838	5,27,846	3,81,707	11,59,005	6,64,545	16,86,851
8,36,399	13,25,494	147,15,555	160,12,727	34,53,674	167,32,750	181,69,229	327,45,477

No. 3.—Statement of Ryots' Holdings,

DISTRICTS.	LANDS TAKEN UP.					
	Dry.		Wet.		Total.	
	Extent.	Assessment.	Extent.	Assessment.	Extent.	Assessment.
	21	22	23	24	25	26
	ACRES.	RS.	ACRES.	RS.	ACRES.	RS.
1. Ganjam	1,988	2,215	2,422	7,002	4,410	9,217
2. Vizagapatam ...	1,896	1,539	820	3,758	2,716	5,297
3. Godavery... ...	29,209	93,374	34,988	96,196	64,197	1,89,570
4. Kistna	52,451	69,243	12,872	70,068	65,323	1,39,311
5. Nellore	56,871	62,398	11,018	39,985	67,889	1,02,383
6. Cuddapah... ...	38,400	18,239	2,548	14,847	40,948	33,086
7. Bellary	1,91,686	73,296	6,200	24,114	1,97,886	97,410
8. Kurnool	51,951	37,329	919	7,337	52,870	44,666
9. Madras	26,035	40,013	10,805	35,597	36,840	75,610
10. North Arcot ...	25,897	33,150	4,448	23,705	30,345	56,855
11. South Arcot ...	87,825	1,47,598	7,474	38,711	95,299	1,86,309
12. Tanjore	6,192	7,754	11,519	51,456	17,711	59,210
13. Trichinopoly ...	43,340	38,666	1,003	3,457	44,343	42,123
14. Madura	72,302	81,017	4,488	18,299	76,790	99,316
15. Tinnevelly... ...	6,985	9,729	1,206	37,751	8,191	47,480
16. Coimbatore ...	56,783	48,657	3,204	16,528	59,987	65,185
17. Neilgherries ...	2,422	3,155	.. ...	.....	2,422	3,155
19. Salem...	54,273	63,648	1,896	12,225	56,169	75,873
Total...	8,06,506	8,31,020	1,17,830	5,01,036	9,24,336	13,32,056
19. South Canara ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
20. Malabar	1,18,059	85,697	1,241	2,442	1,19,300	88,139
Total...	9,24,565	9,16,717	1,19,071	5,03,478	10,43,636	14,20,195

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TOTAL HOLDINGS.					
Dry.		Wet.		Total.	
Extent.	Assessment.	Extent.	Assessment.	Extent.	Assessment.
27	28	29	30	31	32
ACRES.	RS.	ACRES.	RS.	ACRES.	RS.
1,06,719	1,36,894	1,77,850	5,08,903	2,84,569	6,45,797
53,183	56,288	24,557	1,26,037	77,740	1,82,325
4,38,505	7,26,543	+ 2,24,657	+ 6,43,667	6,63,162	13,70,210
14,80,896	22,52,182	1,32,073	— 7,46,254	16,12,969	29,98,436
6,79,591	8,66,674	+ 2,00,070	+ 9,03,661	8,79,661	17,70,335
11,70,540	8,23,529	1,47,137	9,82,716	13,17,677	18,06,245
23,07,547	14,44,940	1,60,315	6,25,301	24,67,862	20,70,241
11,61,489	11,12,061	27,405	1,77,632	11,88,894	12,89,693
2,40,743	3,70,295	+ 2,70,043	+ 10,41,837	5,10,786	14,12,132
4,49,122	6,28,523	2,07,727	11,94,425	6,56,849	18,22,948
9,25,707	16,10,365	+ 2,77,236	+ 14,79,919	12,02,943	30,90,284
2,82,439	3,53,487	7,31,385	+ 35,82,516	10,13,824	39,36,003
8,23,267	7,74,058	1,27,500	5,37,721	9,50,767	13,11,779
7,22,328	9,37,635	1,53,028	6,37,613	8,75,356	15,75,248
11,20,797	8,41,865	1,74,987	17,85,494	12,95,784	26,27,359
21,42,810	19,65,827	86,501	6,58,706	22,29,311	26,24,533
58,947	30,427	40	90	58,987	30,517
10,74,593	13,84,308	67,286	4,42,289	11,41,879	18,26,597
152,39,223	163,15,901	31,89,797	160,74,781	184,29,020	323,90,682
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	13,85,104
4,00,897	6,13,543	3,82,948	11,61,447	7,83,845	17,74,990
1,56,40,120	169,29,444	35,72,745	172,36,228	192,12,865	355,50,776

No. 3.—Statement of Ryots' Holdings,

DISTRICTS.	Second-crop Assessment.	Additional Assessment.	Water-tax.	Total.
	33	34	35	36
	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.
1. Ganjam	.....	11	.....	6,45,808
2. Vizagapatam	.....	2,408	.....	1,84,733
3. Godavery	.....	1,746	8,17,005	21,88,961
4. Kistna...	.....	.....	33,931	30,32,367
5. Nellore	11,215	24,065	.....	18,05,615
6. Cuddapah	63,871	45,824	.....	19,15,940
7. Bellary	1,01,488	35,448	3,513	22,10,690
8. Kurnool	18,485	14,496	11,384	13,34,058
9. Madras	67,477	15,865	6,297	15,01,771
10. North Arcot	40,564	22,175	.....	18,85,687
11. South Arcot	30,596	1,23,968	.....	32,44,848
12. Tanjore	63,323	82,093	38,364	41,19,783
13. Trichinopoly	85,772	3,708	21,269	14,22,528
14. Madura	48,689	342	.....	16,24,279
15. Tinnevelly...	.....	.....	.....	26,27,359
16. Coimbatore...	282	356	9,029	26,34,206
17. Neilgherries	.....	.....	.....	30,517
18. Salem...	535	36,493	...	18,63,625
Total...	5,32,297	4,08,998	9,40,792	342,72,769
19. South Canara	.....	.....	.....	13,85,104
20. Malabar	.....	.....	.....	17,74,990
Total...	5,32,297	4,08,998	9,40,792	374,32,863

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DEDUCT REMISSIONS.			Remaining Ryotwar Demand.	Add Miscellaneous items.	Total settled Demand.
Waste remissions as per Enclosure A.	Remissions as particularized in Statement No. 4.	Total.			
37	38	39	40	41	42
RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.
101	18,073	18,174	6,27,634	66,002	6,93,636
1,814	60,063	61,877	1,22,856	1,76,250	2,99,106
4,762	79,238	84,000	21,04,961	9,63,660	30,68,621
17,079	1,03,978	1,21,057	29,11,310	3,09,759	32,21,069
1,50,039	27,461	1,77,500	16,28,115	2,19,921	18,48,036
99,620	35,117	1,34,737	17,81,203	1,86,344	19,67,547
52,650	12,150	64,800	21,45,890	2,54,261	24,00,151
5,941	52,527	58,468	12,75,590	1,80,697	14,56,287
2,88,369	3,71,878	6,60,247	8,41,524	1,47,227	9,88,751
2,19,717	2,61,001	4,80,718	14,04,969	1,37,055	15,42,024
1,52,472	6,62,578	8,15,050	24,29,798	64,789	24,94,587
26,282	1,18,332	1,44,614	39,75,169	1,18,703	40,93,872
418	44,924	45,342	13,77,186	61,051	14,38,237
1,12,623	1,52,969	2,65,592	13,58,687	50,839	14,09,526
39,959	1,44,409	1,84,368	24,42,991	2,38,111	26,81,102
17,568	1,20,258	1,37,826	24,96,374	59,313	25,55,687
.....	943	943	29,574	11,865	41,439
10,221	1,49,495	1,59,716	17,03,509	83,514	17,87,423
11,99,635	24,15,394	36,15,029	306,57,740	33,29,361	339,87,101
.....	42,370	42,370	13,42,734	63,907	14,06,641
.....	12,837	12,837	17,62,153	1,01,845	18,63,998
11,99,635	24,70,601	36,70,236	337,62,627	34,95,113	372,57,740

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A. in No. 3.—*Statement showing the particulars of occupancy for Fusly* 1278.

DISTRICTS.	TOTAL HOLDINGS.						WASTE REMITTED.					
	DRY.		WET.		TOTAL.		DRY.		WET.		TOTAL.	
	Extent.	Assessment.	Extent.	Assessment.	Extent.	Assessment.	Extent.	Assessment.	Extent.	Assessment.	Extent.	Assessment.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13
	ACRES.	RS.	ACRES.	RS.	ACRES.	RS.	ACRES.	RS.	ACRES.	RS.	ACRES.	RS.
1. Ganjam	1,06,719	1,36,894	1,77,850	5,08,903	2,84,569	6,45,797	.....	.....	34	101	34	101
2. Vizagapatam ...	53,183	56,288	24,557	1,26,037	77,740	1,82,325	.....	.....	463	1,814	463	1,814
3. Godavery... ...	4,38,505	7,26,543	2,24,657	6,43,667	6,63,162	13,70,210	.....	.....	2,169	4,762	2,169	4,762
4. Kistna	14,80,896	22,52,182	1,32,073	7,46,254	16,12,969	29,98,436	130	106	3,218	16,973	3,348	17,079
5. Nellore	6,79,591	8,66,674	2,00,070	9,03,661	8,79,661	17,70,335	4	8	33,338	1,50,031	33,342	1,50,039
6. Cuddapah... ...	11,70,540	8,23,529	1,47,137	9,82,716	13,17,677	18,06,245	46	33	18,315	99,587	18,361	99,620
7. Bellary	23,07,547	14,44,940	1,60,315	6,25,301	24,67,862	20,70,241	121	93	12,389	52,557	12,510	52,650
8. Kurnool	11,61,489	11,12,061	27,405	1,77,632	11,88,894	12,89,693	26	13	772	5,928	798	5,941
9. Madras	2,40,743	3,70,295	2,70,043	10,41,837	5,10,786	14,12,132	59,073	91,637	56,399	1,96,732	1,15,472	2,88,369
10. North Arcot ...	4,49,122	6,28,523	2,07,727	11,94,425	6,56,849	18,22,948	34,235	46,810	34,034	1,72,907	68,269	2,19,717
11. South Arcot ...	9,25,707	16,10,365	2,77,236	14,79,919	12,02,943	30,90,284	12,248	18,821	27,322	1,33,651	39,570	1,52,472
12. Tanjore	2,82,439	3,53,487	7,31,385	35,82,516	10,13,824	39,36,003	29	20	7,055	26,262	7,084	26,282
13. Trichinopoly ...	8,23,267	7,74,058	1,27,500	5,37,721	9,50,767	13,11,779	.....	.....	.....	418	.....	418
14. Madura	7,22,328	9,37,635	1,53,028	6,37,613	8,75,356	15,75,248	56,593	59,395	15,051	53,228	71,644	1,12,623
15. Tinnevelly ...	11,20,797	8,41,865	1,74,987	17,85,494	12,95,784	26,27,359	.....	1,656	5,361	38,303	5,361	39,959
16. Coimbatore ...	21,42,810	19,65,827	86,501	6,58,706	22,29,311	26,24,533	23	22	3,118	17,546	3,141	17,568
17. Neilgherries ...	58,947	30,427	40	90	58,987	30,517	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
18. Salem	10,74,593	13,84,308	67,286	4,42,289	11,41,879	18,26,597	.....	.....	1,975	10,221	1,975	10,221
19. South Canara ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	13,85,104	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
20. Malabar	4,00,897	6,13,544	3,82,948	11,61,446	7,83,845	17,74,990	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Total...	156,40,120	169,29,445	35,72,745	172,36,227	192,12,865	355,50,776	1,62,528	2,18,614	2,21,013	9,81,021	3,83,541	11,99,635

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DISTRICTS.	REMAINDER					
	Waste Charged.					
	Dry.		Wet.		Total.	
	Extent.	Assessment.	Extent.	Assessment.	Extent.	Assessment.
	14	15	16	17	18	19
	ACRES.	RS.	ACRES.	RS.	ACRES.	RS.
1. Ganjam	1,092	1,086	332	938	1,424	2,024
2. Vizagapatam ...	5,222	3,877	306	1,423	5,528	5,300
3. Godavery	1,88,804	1,89,909	12,275	28,798	2,01,079	2,18,707
4. Kistna	1,47,953	1,96,739	4,567	25,861	1,52,520	2,22,600
5. Nellore	1,01,528	1,15,840	3,935	17,441	1,05,463	1,33,281
6. Cuddapah	49,398	20,055	4,314	17,463	53,712	37,518
7. Bellary	1,40,292	53,027	7,326	20,152	1,47,618	73,179
8. Kurnool	30,220	19,156	685	3,366	30,905	22,522
9. Madras	6,577	6,802	551	2,072	7,128	8,874
10. North Arcot ...	24,052	27,308	2,484	11,652	26,536	38,960
11. South Arcot ...	87,155	1,43,121	5,382	24,873	92,537	1,67,994
12. Tanjore	48,135	54,923	40,341	1,26,835	88,476	1,81,758
13. Trichinopoly ...	81,907	53,026	5,927	19,198	87,834	72,224
14. Madura	20,617	24,891	6,036	21,270	26,653	46,161
15. Tinnevelly... ...	2,59,069	1,17,230	9,584	83,300	2,69,253	2,00,530
16. Coimbatore ...	3,27,318	2,51,995	4,352	31,296	3,31,670	2,83,291
17. Neilgherries ...	14,011	6,213	.....	.....	14,011	6,213
18. Salem...	18,869	21,484	2,001	9,661	20,870	31,145
19. South Canara ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
20. Malabar	4,821	1,804	761	1,142	5,582	2,946
Total...	15,57,640	13,08,486	1,11,159	4,46,741	16,68,799	17,55,227

CULTIVATION.

Actual Cultivation.					
Dry.		Wet.		Total.	
Extent.	Assessment.	Extent.	Assessment.	Extent.	Assessment.
20	21	22	23	24	25
ACRES.	RS.	ACRES.	RS.	ACRES.	RS.
1,05,627	1,35,808	1,77,484	5,07,864	2,83,111	6,43,672
47,961	52,411	23,788	1,22,800	71,749	1,75,211
2,49,701	5,36,634	2,10,213	6,10,107	4,59,914	11,46,741
13,32,813	20,55,337	1,24,288	7,03,420	14,57,101	27,58,757
5,78,059	7,50,826	1,62,797	7,36,189	7,40,856	14,87,015
11,21,096	8,03,441	1,24,508	8,65,665	12,45,604	16,69,106
21,67,134	13,91,820	1,40,600	5,52,592	23,07,734	19,44,412
11,31,243	10,92,892	25,948	1,68,338	11,57,191	12,61,230
1,75,093	2,71,856	2,13,093	8,43,034	3,88,186	11,14,890
3,90,835	5,54,405	1,71,209	10,09,866	5,62,044	15,64,271
8,26,304	14,48,423	2,44,532	13,21,395	10,70,836	27,69,818
2,34,275	2,98,544	6,83,989	34,29,419	9,18,264	37,27,963
7,41,360	7,21,032	1,21,573	5,18,105	8,62,933	12,39,137
6,45,118	8,53,349	1,31,941	5,63,115	7,77,059	14,16,464
8,61,128	7,22,979	1,60,042	16,63,891	10,21,170	23,86,870
18,15,469	17,13,810	79,031	6,09,864	18,94,500	23,23,674
44,936	24,214	40	90	44,976	24,304
10,55,724	13,62,824	63,310	4,22,407	11,19,034	17,85,231
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	13,85,104
3,96,076	6,11,739	3,82,187	11,60,305	7,78,263	17,72,044
139,19,952	154,02,344	32,40,573	158,08,466	171,60,525	325,95,914

3. in No. 3.—*Statement showing the amount of Road and Village Service Cesses collected and remitted in the several Districts for Fusly* 1278.

DISTRICTS.	Road Cess in Ryotwary Villages.			Merah to Village Servants.		
	Included in the assessment and deducted as an item of remission.	Added to the assessment and then deducted.	Total Road Cess collected and remitted.	Included in the assessment and then deducted as an item of remission.	Added to the assessment and then deducted.	Total Merah collected and remitted.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
1. Ganjam	.....	28,431	28,431	.....	16,838	16,838
2. Vizagapatam ...	.....	6,992	6,992	353	.....	353
3. Godavery... ...	26,667	40,460	67,127	33,030	.....	33,030
4. Kistna	9,586	1,41,165	1,50,751	50,265	38,050	88,315
5. Nellore	.....	74,838	74,838	322	1,011	1,333
6. Cuddapah... ...	.....	55,152	55,152	858	.....	858
7. Bellary	.....	1,09,065	1,09,065	288	.....	288
8. Kurnool	12,844	70,793	83,637	32,120	.....	32,120
9. Madras	.....	54,063	54,063	10,915	98,054	1,08,969
10. North Arcot ...	1,048	80,300	81,348	91,998	7,742	99,740
11. South Arcot ...	383	81,760	82,143	1,92,172	1,215	1,93,387
12. Tanjore	.....	1,28,063	1,28,063	91 896	120	92,016
13. Trichinopoly ...	27,793	33,874	61,667	582	.....	582
14. Madura	.....	68,346	68,346	2,839	.....	2,839
15. Tinnevelly ...	.....	1,22,889	1,22,889	44,741	.....	44,741
16. Coimbatore ...	.....	98,243	98,243	.....	.....	.....
17. Neilgherries ...	.....	905	905	62	.....	62
18. Salem	.....	79,089	79,089	1,10,958	.....	1,10,958
19. South Canara ...	.....	42,760	42,760	6,912	.....	6,912
20. Malabar	.....	54,168	54,168	.....	90,140	90,140
Total...	78,321	13,71,356	14,49,677	6,70,311	2,53,170	9,23,481

No. 3 C.—Comparative Statement of Cultivation and Settlement of the Ryotwar Land Revenue, Fusly 1278.

DISTRICTS.	Dry.				
	Land.				Assessment.
	Fusly 1277.	Fusly 1278.	Comparison.		Fusly 1277.
			Increase.	Decrease.	
1	2	3	4	5	6
	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Rs.
1. Ganjam	1,07,405	1,06,719	.....	686	1,38,070
2. Vizagapatam	53,407	53,183	.....	224	56,806
3. Godavery	4,58,180	4,38,505	.....	19,675	7,44,510
4. Kistna	14,75,464	14,80,896	5,432	.....	22,44,666
5. Nellore	6,50,447	6,79,591	29,144	.....	8,37,008
6. Cuddapah...	11,54,964	11,70,540	15,576	.....	8,35,538
7. Bellary	22,76,061	23,07,547	31,486	.....	14,48,395
8. Kurnool	11,56,634	11,61,489	4,855	.....	11,13,346
9. Madras	2,24,027	2,40,743	16,716	.....	3,44,946
10. North Arcot	4,34,218	4,49,122	14,904	.....	6,11,255
11. South Arcot	9,21,763	9,25,707	3,944	.....	16,06,816
12. Tanjore	2,79,527	2,82,439	2,912	.....	3,49,253
13. Trichinopoly	8,05,111	8,23,267	18,156	.....	7,59,336
14. Madura	6,81,152	7,22,328	41,176	.....	8,92,924
15. Tinnevelly	11,19,408	11,20,797	1,389	.....	8,42,093
16. Coimbatore	21,30,938	21,42,810	11,872	.....	19,56,217
17. Neilgherries	57,279	58,947	1,668	.....	27,624
18. Salem	10,63,654	10,74,593	10,939	.....	13,74,898
Total...	150,49,639	152,39,223	2,10,169	20,585	161,83,701
19. South Canara	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
20. Malabar	3,87,713	4,00,897	13,184	.....	6,00,730
Total...	154,37,352	156,40,120	2,23,353	20,585	167,84,431
		Net Increase.	2,02,768	.....	.....

Comparative Statement of Cultivation and Settlement of

DISTRICTS.	DRY.—(*Concluded.*)				
	ASSESSMENT.			LAND.	
	Fusly 1278.	Comparison.		Fusly 1277.	Fusly 1278.
		Increase.	Decrease.		
	7	8	9	10	11
	RS.	RS.	RS.	ACRES.	ACRES.
1. Ganjam	1,36,894	.....	1,176	1,77,510	1,77,850
2. Vizagapatam	56,288	.....	518	24,499	24,557
3. Godavery...	7,26,543	.....	17,967	2,17,176	2,24,657
4. Kistna	22,52,182	7,516	.....	1,53,911	1,32,073
5. Nellore	8,66,674	29,666	.....	1,94,994	2,00,070
6. Cuddapah...	8,23,529	.....	12,009	1,47,382	1,47,137
7. Bellary	14,44,940	.....	3,455	1,61,672	1,60,315
8. Kurnool	11,12,061	.....	1,285	27,423	27,405
9. Madras	3,70,295	25,349	.....	2,63,449	2,70,043
10. North Arcot	6,28,523	17,268	.....	2,06,724	2,07,727
11. South Arcot	16,10,365	3,549	.....	2,74,978	2,77,236
12. Tanjore	3,53,487	4,234	.....	7,29,885	7,31,385
13. Trichinopoly	7,74,058	14,722	.....	1,26,786	1,27,500
14. Madura	9,37,635	44,711	.....	1,51,538	1,53,028
15. Tinnevelly...	8,41,865	.....	228	1,75,666	1,74,987
16. Coimbatore	19,65,827	9,610	.....	85,413	86,501
17. Neilgherries	30,427	2,803	.....	159	40
18. Salem	13,84,308	9,410	.....	67,279	67,286
Total...	1,63,15,901	1,68,638	36,638	31,86,444	31,89,797
19. South Canara	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
20. Malabar	6,13,544	12,814	.....	3,81,832	3,82,948
Total...	1,69,29,445	1,81,652	36,638	35,68,276	35,72,745
	Net Increase.	1,45,014	.....	.....	...

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WET.					
		ASSESSMENT.			
Comparison.		Fusly 1277.	Fusly 1278.	Comparison.	
Increase.	Decrease.			Increase.	Decrease.
12	13	14	15	16	17
ACRES.	ACRES.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.
340	.....	5,07,215	5,08,903	1,688	.....
58	.....	1,26,111	1,26,037	.....	74
7,481	.....	6,14,485	6,43,667	29,182	.....
.....	21,838	8,65,874	7,46,254	.....	1,19,620
5,076	.....	8,91,632	9,03,661	12,029	.....
.....	245	9,85,074	9,82,716	.....	2,358
.....	1,357	6,30,407	6,25,301	.....	5,106
.....	18	1,85,409	1,77,632	.....	7,777
6,594	.....	10,22,651	10,41,837	19,186	.....
1,003	.....	11,90,690	11,94,425	3,735	.....
2,258	.....	14,68,790	14,79,919	11,129	.....
1,500	.....	35,77,444	35,82,516	5,072	.....
714	.....	5,35,280	5,37.721	2,441	.....
1,490	.....	6,32,405	6,37,613	5,208	.....
.....	679	17,95,121	17,85,494	.....	9,627
1,088	.....	6,54,757	6,58,706	3,949	.....
.....	119	360	90	.....	270
7	.....	4,42,387	4,42,289	.....	98
27,609	24,256	161,26,092	160,74,781	93,619	1,44,930
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
1,116	.....	11,60,448	11,61,446	998	.....
28,725	24,256	172,86,540	172,36,227	94,617	1,44,930
4,469	.....	.....	.....	Net Decrea e	50,313

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DISTRICTS.	TOTAL.					SECOND CROP ASSESSMENT.				
	LAND.					ASSESSMENT.				
	Fusly 1277.	Fusly 1278.	Comparison.		Fusly 1277.	Fusly 1278.	Comparison.		Fusly 1277.	Fusly 1278.	Comparison.	
			Increase.	Decrease.			Increase.	Decrease.			Increase.	Decrease.
	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29
	ACRES.	ACRES.	ACRES.	ACRES.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.
1. Ganjam	2,84,915	2,84,569	....	346	6,45,285	6,45,797	512	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
2. Vizagapatam	77,906	77,740	.....	166	1,82,917	1,82,325	.....	592	.....	.....	.....	.....
3. Godavery	6,75,356	6,63,162	.....	12,194	13,58,995	13,70,210	11,215	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
4. Kistna	16,29,375	16,12,969	.....	16,406	31,10,540	29,98,436	.....	1,12,104	.....	.....	.....	.....
5. Nellore	8,45,441	8,79,661	34,220	....	17,28,640	17,70,335	41,695	.....	2,930	11,215	8,285	.....
6. Cuddapah...	13,02,346	13,17,677	15,331	.....	18,20,612	18,06,245	.....	14,367	51,293	63,871	12,578	.....
7. Bellary	24,37,733	24,67,862	30,129	.....	20,78,802	20,70,241	.....	8,561	85,009	1,01,488	16,479	.....
8. Kurnool	11,84,057	11,88,894	4,837	.....	12,98,755	12,89,693	.....	9,062	23,463	18,485	.....	4,978
9. Madras	4,87,476	5,10,786	23,310	.....	13,67,597	14,12,132	44,535	.....	59,058	67,477	8,419	.....
10. North Arcot	6,40,942	6,56,849	15,907	.....	18,01,945	18,22,948	21,003	.....	32,569	40,564	7,995	.....
11. South Arcot	11,96,741	12,02,943	6,202	.....	30,75,606	30,90,284	14,678	.....	38,456	30,596	.....	7,860
12. Tanjore	10,09,412	10,13,824	4,412	.....	39,26,697	39,36,003	9,306	.....	56,861	63,323	6,462	.....
13. Trichinopoly	9,31,897	9,50,767	18,870	.....	12,94,616	13,11,779	17,163	.....	82,075	85,772	3,697	.....
14. Madura	8,32,690	8,75,356	42,666	.....	15,25,329	15,75,248	49,919	.....	44,184	48,689	4,505	.....
15. Tinnevelly	12,95,074	12,95,784	710	.....	26,37,214	26,27,359	.....	9,855	.....	.....	.....	.....
16. Coimbatore	22,16,351	22,29,311	12,960	.....	26,10,974	26,24,533	13,559	.....	307	282	.....	25
17. Neilgherries	57,438	58,987	1,549	.....	27,984	30,517	2,533	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
18. Salem	11,30,933	11,41,879	10,946	.....	18,17,285	18,26,597	9,312	.....	529	535	6	.....
Total...	182,36,083	184,29,020	2,22,049	29,112	323,09,793	3,23,90,682	2,35,430	1,54,541	4,76,734	5,32,297	68,426	12,863
19. South Canara	.....	.....	.....	.....	13,83,138	13,85,104	1,966	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
20. Malabar	7,69,545	7,83,845	14,300	.....	17,61,178	17,74,990	13,812	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Grand Total...	190,05,628	192,12,865	2,36,349	29,112	354,54,109	3,55,50,776	2,51,208	1,54,541	4,76,734	5,32,297	68,426	12,863
Net Increase..	.....	2,07,237	.....	.....	.....	.....	96,667	.....	.....	Net Increase.	55,563	.....

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DISTRICTS.	ADDITIONAL ASSESSMENT.				
	Fusly 1277.	Fusly 1278.	Comparison.		Fusly 1277.
			Increase.	Decrease.	
	30	31	32	33	34
	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.
1. Ganjam	11	11	.....	.....	.....
2. Vizagapatam	2,846	2,408	.....	438	.....
3. Godavery	1,740	1,746	6	.....	8,51,100
4. Kistna	.....	.....	... ..	.....	16,379
5. Nellore	21,000	24,065	3,065	.....	.....
6. Cuddapah...	38,940	45,824	6,884	.....	.....
7. Bellary	30,968	35,448	4,480	.....	1,244
8. Kurnool	13,744	14,496	752	.....	6,490
9. Madras	15,971	15,865	.....	106	4,514
10. North Arcot	20,551	22,175	1,624	.....	.....
11. South Arcot	1,25,599	1,23,968	.....	1,631	.....
12. Tanjore	82,331	82,093	.....	238	34,806
13. Trichinopoly	3,301	3,708	404	.....	17,194
14. Madura	230	342	112	.....	.....
15. Tinnevelly...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
16. Coimbatore	165	356	191	.....	8,651
17. Neilgherries	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
18. Salem	34,051	36,493	2,442	.....	.....
Total...	3,91,451	4,08,998	19,960	2,413	9,40,378
19. South Canara	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
20. Malabar	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Grand Total...	3,91,451	4,08,998	19,960	2,413	9,40,378
	Net Increase.	.....	17,547	.....	.....

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WATER-TAX.			TOTAL.			
Fusly 1278.	Comparison.		Fusly 1277.	Fusly 1278.	Comparison.	
	Increase.	Decrease.			Increase.	Decrease.
35	36	37	38	39	40	41
RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.
.....	.....	.....	6,45,296	6,45,808	512	.....
.....	.....	.....	1,85,763	1,84,733	.....	1,030
8,17,005	.....	34,095	22,11,835	21,88,961	.....	22,874
33,931	17,552	.....	31,26,919	30,32,367	.....	94,552
.....	.....	.....	17,52,570	18,05,615	53,045	.....
.....	.....	.....	19,10,845	19,15,940	5,095	.....
3,513	2,269	.....	21,96,023	22,10,690	14,667	.....
11,384	4,894	.....	13,42,452	13,34,058	.....	8,394
6,297	1,783	.....	14,47,140	15,01,771	54,631	.....
.....	.....	.....	18,55,065	18,85,687	30,622	.....
.....	.....	.....	32,39,661	32,44,848	5,187	.....
38,364	3,558	.....	41,00,695	41,19,783	19,088	.....
21,269	4,075	.....	13,97,189	14,22,528	25,339	.....
.....	.....	.....	15,69,743	16,24,279	54,536	.....
.....	.....	.....	26,37,214	26,27,359	.....	9,855
9,029	378	.....	26,20,097	26,34,200	14,103	.....
... ..	.....	.....	27,984	30,517	2,533	.....
.....	.....	.....	18,51,865	18,63,625	11,760	.....
9,40,792	34,509	34,095	341,18,356	342,72,769	2,91,118	1,36,705
.....	.....	.....	13,83,138	13,85,104	1,966	.....
.....	.....	.....	17,61,178	17,74,990	13,812	.....
9,40,792	34,509	34,095	372,62,672	374,32,863	3,06,896	1,36,705
.....	414	.....	.....	Net Increase.	1,70,191	.....

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DISTRICTS.	Waste Remissions as per Enclosure A.				REMISSIONS.					
					Remissions as particularized in Statement No. 4.				Total.	
	Fusly 1277.	Fusly 1878.	Comparison.		Fusly 1277.	Fusly 1278.	Comparison.		Fusly 1277.	Fusly 1878.
			Increase.	Decrease.			Increase	Decrease.		
	42	43	44	45	46	47	48	49	50	51
	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
1. Ganjam	... ..	101	101	.....	8,520	18,073	9,553	.....	8,520	18,174
2. Vizagapatam	.....	1,814	1,814	.....	369	60,063	59,694	.....	369	61,877
3. Godavery	15,964	4,762	.....	11,202	29,488	79,238	49,750	.....	45,452	84,000
4. Kistna	56,580	17,079	.....	39,501	1,19,570	1,03,978	.....	15,592	1,76,150	1,21,057
5. Nellore	1,43,922	1,50,039	6,117	.....	35,040	27,461	.....	7,579	1,78,962	1,77,500
6. Cuddapah	1,69,599	99,620	.....	69,979	58,505	35,117	.....	23,388	2,28,104	1,34,737
7. Bellary	1,34,289	52,650	.....	81,639	79,700	12,150	.....	67,550	2,13,989	64,800
8. Kurnool	16,983	5,941	.....	11,042	49,810	52,527	2,717	.....	66,793	58,468
9. Madras	2,33,676	2,88,369	54,693	.....	4,88,578	3,71,878	.....	1,16,700	7,22,254	6,60,247
10. North Arcot	2,67,350	2,19,717	.....	47,633	3,30,360	2,61,001	.....	69,359	5,97,710	4,80,718
11. South Arcot	1,12,939	1,52,472	39,533	.....	6,22,123	6,62,578	40,455	.....	7,35,062	8,15,050
12. Tanjore	45,472	26,282	.....	19,190	76,065	1,18,332	42,267	.....	1,21,537	1,44,614
13. Trichinopoly	12,312	418	.....	11,894	82,845	44,924	.....	37,921	95,157	45,342
14. Madura	1,13,331	1,12,623	.....	708	2,75,834	1,52,969	.....	1,22,865	3,89,165	2,65,592
15. Tinnevelly...	81,021	39,959	.....	41,062	2,29,063	1,44,409	.....	84,654	3,10,084	1,84,368
16. Coimbatore...	94,533	17,568	.....	76,965	3,07,995	1,20,258	.....	1,87,737	4,02,528	1,37,826
17. Neilgherries	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	943	943	.....	.....	943
18. Salem...	20,942	10,221	.....	10,721	177,245	1,49,495	.....	27,750	1,98,187	1,59,716
Total...	15,18,913	11,99,635	1,02,258	4,21,536	29,71,110	24,15,394	2,05,379	7,61,095	44,90,023	36,15,029
19. South Canara	.....	.....	.....	.....	34,959	42,370	7,411	.....	34,959	42,370
20. Malabar	.....	.....	.....	.....	11,912	12,837	925	.....	11,912	12,837
Grand Total...	15,18,913	11,99,635	1,02,258	4,21,536	30,17,981	24,70,601	2,13,715	7,61,095	45,36,894	36,70,236
	.....	.....	Net Decrease.	3,19,278	.....	.....	.....	5,47,380	.....	.....

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DISTRICTS.	TOTAL REMISSIONS.—(*Continued.*)		REMAINING	
	Comparison.		Fusly 1277.	Fusly 1278.
	Increase.	Decrease.		
	52	53	54	55
	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.
1. Ganjam	9,654	.....	6,36,776	6,27,634
2. Vizagapatam	61,508	.....	1,85,394	1,22,856
3. Godavery	38,548	.....	21,66,383	21,04,961
4. Kistna...	.....	55,093	29,50,769	29,11,310
5. Nellore	.....	1,462	15,73,608	16,28,115
6. Cuddapah	.....	93,367	16,82,741	17,81,203
7. Bellary	.....	1,49,189	19,82,034	21,45,890
8. Kurnool	.....	8,325	12,75,659	12,75,590
9. Madras	.....	62,007	7,24,886	8,41,524
10. North Arcot	.....	1,16,992	12,57,355	14,04,969
11. South Arcot	79,988	.....	25,04,599	24,29,798
12. Tanjore	23,077	.....	39,79,157	39,75,169
13. Trichinopoly	.....	49,815	13,02,032	13,77,186
14. Madura	.....	1,23,573	11,80,579	13,58,687
15. Tinnevelly	.....	1,25,716	23,27,130	24,42,991
16. Coimbatore	.....	2,64,702	22,17,569	24,96,374
17. Neilgherries	943	.....	27,984	29,574
18. Salem...	.....	38,471	16,53,678	17,03,909
Total...	2,13,718	10,88,712	296,28,333	306,57,740
19. South Canara	7,411	.....	13,48,179	13,42,734
20. Malabar	925	.....	17,49,266	17,62,153
Grand Total...	2,22,054	10,88,712	327,25,778	337,62,627
	Net Decrease.	8,66,658	.....	Net Increase.

the Ryotwar Land Revenue, Fusly 1278.—(Continued.)

BERIZ.		ADD MISCELLANEOUS ITEMS AS PER STATEMENT No. 5.			
Comparison.		Fusly 1277.	Fusly 1278.	Comparison.	
Increase.	Decrease.			Increase.	Decrease.
56	57	58	59	60	61
RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.
.....	9,142	70,007	66,002	.....	4,005
.....	62,538	1,80,258	1,76,250	.....	4,008
.....	61,422	10,50,264	9,63,660	.....	86,604
.....	39,459	3,18,553	3,09,759	.....	8,794
54,507	.....	1,98,378	2,19,921	21,543	.....
98,462	.....	1,84,286	1,86,344	2,058	.....
1,63,856	.....	2,45,107	2,54,261	9,154	.....
.....	69	1,86,791	1,80,697	.....	6,094
1,16,638	.....	1,49,490	1,47,227	.....	2,263
1,47,614	.....	1,40,141	1,37,055	.....	3,086
.....	74,801	68,867	64,789	.....	4,078
.....	3,989	1,17,134	1,18,703	1,569	.....
75,154	.....	46,712	61,051	14,339	.....
1,78,109	.....	62,506	50,839	.....	11,667
1,15,861	.....	2,31,443	2,38,111	6,668	.....
2,78,805	.....	64,899	59,313	.....	5,586
1,590	.....	.....	11,865	11,865	.....
50,231	.....	85,968	83,514	.....	2,454
12,80,827	2,51,420	34,00,804	33,29,361	67,196	1,38,639
.....	5,445	45,346	63,907	18,561	.....
12,887	.....	9,160	1,01,845	92,685	.....
12,93,714	2,56,865	34,55,310	34,95,113	1,78,442	1,38,639
10,36,849	.....	.....	.....	39,803	.....

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Comparative Statement of Cultivation and Settlement of the Ryotwar Land Revenue Fusly 1278.—(Concluded.)

DISTRICTS.	TOTAL BERIZ.			
	Fusly 1277.	Fusly 1278.	Comparison.	
			Increase.	Decrease.
	62	63	64	65
	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.
1. Ganjam	7,06,783	6,93,636	.....	13,147
2. Vizagapatam	3,65,652	2,99,106	.....	66,546
3. Godavery	32,16,647	30,68,621	.....	1,48,026
4. Kistna	32,69,322	32,21,069	.....	48,253
5. Nellore	17,71,986	18,48,036	76,050	.....
6. Cuddapah	18,67,027	19,67,547	1,00,520	.....
7. Bellary	22,27,141	24,00,151	1,73,010	.....
8. Kurnool	14,62,450	14,56,287	.....	6,163
9. Madras	8,74,376	9,88,751	1,14,375	.....
10. North Arcot	13,97,496	15,42,024	1,44,528	.....
11. South Arcot	25,73,466	24,94,587	.....	78,879
12. Tanjore	40,96,292	40,93,872	.....	2,420
13. Trichinopoly	13,48,744	14,38,237	89,493	.....
14. Madura	12,43,084	14,09,526	1,66,442	.....
15. Tinnevelly	25,58,573	26,81,102	1,22,529	.....
16. Coimbatore	22,82,468	25,55,687	2,73,219	.....
17. Neilgherries	27,984	41,439	13,455	.....
18. Salem	17,39,646	17,87,423	47,777	.....
Total ..	330,29,137	3,39,87,101	13,21,398	3,63,434
19. South Canara	13,93,525	14,06,641	13,116	.....
20. Malabar	17,58,426	18,63,998	1,05,572	.....
Grand Total...	361,81,088	3,72,57,740	14,40,086	3,63,434
	.....	Net Increase.	10,76,652	.....

No. 4.—*Statement showing the particulars of Remissions in Fusly* 1278.

Items.	Fusly 1277.	Fusly 1278.	Increase.	Decrease.
Occasional remissions or those granted at the Jummahbundy with reference to the state of the season.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.
1. Shamilat Bunjer or portions of fields left waste	74,650	85,934	11,284	.....
2. Shavy or withered crops	11,38,765	6,59,003	.....	4,79,762
3. Palanastam or loss of produce... ...	4,35,811	4,96,065	60,254	.....
4. Panyboodthy or land flooded	174	1,255	1,081	.....
5. Payamaly or land injured by water...	2,625	3,215	590	.....
6. Cowle remissions...	24,619	16,296	.....	8,323
7. Teazagary or remissions to privileged classes...	6,856	6,557	.....	299
8. Teerva Cummee...	1,30,699	92,415	.....	38,284
9. Fassal Cummee or second crop not cultivated	68,169	67,384	.....	785
10. Miscellaneous remissions	3,49,391	78,903	.....	2,70,488
Total...	22,31,759	15,07,027	73,209	7,97,941
Net...	.....	.....	.....	7,24,732
Fixed remissions...	97,801	1,12,678	14,877	.....
Items allowed on the collections or from the entire revenue of villages.				
1. Share of Shrotriem proceeds	1,00,338	98,137	.....	2,201
2. Cuttubadi, etc.	5,102	4,127	.....	975
3. Road Cess	75,943	78,321	2,378	.....
4. Village Service Cess...	5,07,038	6,70,311	1,63,273	.....
Total...	6,88,421	8,50,896	1,65,651	3,176
Net...	.....	.....	1,62,475	.....
Grand Total ..	30,17,981	24,70,601	2,53,737	8,01,117
Net...	.....	.....	.....	5,47,380

No. 5.—Comparative Abstract of Land Revenue Miscellaneous Items for Fusly 1278.

Items.	Fusly 1277.	Fusly 1278.	Increase.	Decrease.
	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.
1. Jody on sundry, etc., Inams	11,93,706	11,75,391	.....	18,315
2. Tax on trees on unassessed lands ...	1,07,752	1,04,102	.....	3,650
3. Cess for repairs of tanks	3,168	3,243	75	.....
4. Revenue from rented villages... ...	1,36,889	1,35,990	.....	899
5. Do. from Amany villages ...	1,726	3,745	2,019	.....
6. Land cultivated, but not included in the Jummahbundy	2,26,545	2,28,384	1,839	.....
7. Concealed cultivation	4,105	4,006	.....	99
8. Cultivation of unclaimed Inams ...	2,404	4,267	1,863	.....
9. Do. of Porumboke lands ...	41,525	43,996	2,471	.....
10. Do. of lands belonging to Pagodas where there is no worship.	361	465	104	.....
11. Do. of Chuttrum Inams ...	96	81	.....	15
12. Grazing-tax or grass-rent	72,027	93,654	21,627	.....
13. Rent of gardens and topes	56,466	46,772	.....	9,694
14. Inam Tuffreek	8,654	4,021	.....	4,633
15. Revenue from reverted Inams... ...	12,061	8,267	.....	3,794
16. Collection from Village Service Inams for Offices vacant	18,717	14,208	.....	4,509
17. Revenue from sequestered Inams ...	15,628	15,656	28	.....
18. Do. from hill villages	45,643	41,869	.....	3,774
19. Do. from lands on the sides and slopes of hills	702	1,014	312	.....
20. Do. from boundary lands in dispute	2,228	1,709	.....	519
21. Do. from lands assessed at favourable rates	21,257	6,162	.....	15,095
22. Honey rent	115	123	8	.....
23. Wax rent	14	13	.....	1
24. Chalk rent...	4,235	3,470	.....	765
25. Chunam shell rent	11,165	11,800	635	.....
26. Brick-kiln rent	.....	.....	.....	.....
27. Cardamom rent	501	1,966	1,465	.....
28. Rent on Palmira trees	1,38,355	1,42,041	3,686	.....
29. Do. on soapnut trees	1,055	1,120	65	.....
30. Do. on fruit trees	18,874	17,399	.....	1,475
31. Do. on roots for dyeing cloth ...	1,439	5,783	4,344	.....
32. Do. on medicinal roots	557	727	170	.....
33. Do. on lime quarries	23	26	3	.....
34. Do. on Padoogay lands or those situated near rivers	172	64	.....	108
35. Do. of islands situated in rivers ...	2,27,328	90,451	.....	1,36,877
36. Sale of durbay grass	73	1	.....	72
37. Diamond mine rent	336	682	346	.....
38. Cultivation of jungle lands newly cleared by burning in South Canara.	8,546	4,723	.....	3,823
39. Do. of dry lands or huckle cultivation in do.	1,493	1,363	.....	130
40. Commission on the sale of distrained property attached for arrears of Land Revenue	1,522	2,171	649	.....
41. Do. on private estates under Circar management	10,180	6,518	.....	3,662
42. Tax on backyards in excess of the limit allowed...	2,071	2,140	69	.....
43. Revenue fines	38,970	39,544	574	.....
44. Savings and refunds...	1,968	2,154	186	.....
45. Excess collection over the demand...	4,589	5,222	633	.....
46. Water-tax on Zemindary and Inam, etc., lands	7,54,623	7,84,030	29,407	.....

No.5.—Comparative Abstract of Land Revenue Miscellaneous, etc.—(Concluded.)

Items.	Fusly 1277.	Fusly 1278.	Increase.	Decrease.
	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.
47. Quit-rent on bungalows and gardens.	27,092	27,648	556	.....
48. Do. and ground-rent in the town of Madras	78,512	79,056	514	.....
49. Russums collected from Zemindars, etc.	45,827	46,457	630	
50. Revenue derived from coir, the produce of Amendevi islands in South Canara	25,886	43,746	17,860	.....
51. Rattan and Coray rent	334	.....	.....	334
52. Ooligam allowance to Village Officers undrawn	194	.....	.....	194
53. Other items	77,571	2,37,673	1,60,102	.....
Total...	34,55,310	34,95,113	39,803	.....
MISCELLANEOUS ITEMS UNDER OTHER SOURCES OF REVENUE.				
Abkarry.				
Fees for licenses	10,754	12,659	1,905	.....
Other items	5,782	3,723	.....	2,059
Total...	16,536	16,382	.....	154
Salt.				
Custom duty on salt	4,008	.....	.....	4,008
Savings and refunds	2,945	3,465	520	.....
Other items	183	918	735	.....
Total...	7,136	4,383	.....	2,753
Sea Customs.				
Fines and forfeitures	1,391	2,585	1,194	.....
Other items	5,288	22,498	17,210	.....
Total...	6,679	25,083	18,404	.....
Land Customs.				
Sale of smuggled goods	29	1,203	1,174	.....
Other items	119	15	.....	104
Total...	148	1,218	1,070	.....
Stamps.				
Penalties on unstamped papers	2,081	156	.....	1,925
Do. levied by Courts	48,381	246	.....	48,135
Cost of Suits in pauper cases	2,029	973	.....	1,056
Other items	913	238	.....	675
Total...	53,404	1,613	.....	51,791
License Tax.				
Fines and forfeitures	380	1,911	1,531	.....
Total...	380	1,911	1,531	.....
Grand Total...	35,39,593	35,45,703	6,110	.....

No. 6.—Statement showing the Demand, Collection, and Balance of all Sources of Revenue for Fusly 1278.

REVENUE.

LAND

PERMANENTLY SETTLED.

DISTRICTS.	Demand.			Collection.				Balance.			Subsequent collections and remissions up to 31st October 1869.			Balance.			
				Arrears.		Current.								Arrears.			
	Arrears.	Current.	Total.	Collection.	Remission.	Collection.	Remission.	Total.	Arrears.	Current.	Total.	Arrears.	Current.	Total.	Recoverable and doubtful.	Irrecoverable.	Total.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18
	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS. A. P.	RS.
1. Ganjam	603	4,30,954	4,31,557	603	...	4,22,357	...	4,22,960	...	8,597	8,597	...	6,955	6,955	...	...	...
2. Vizagapatam...	43,608	9,70,081	10,13,689	43,608	...	9,44,371	...	9,87,979	...	25,710	25,710	...	23,343	23,343	...	...	...
3. Godavery ...	47,918	7,37,667	7,85,585	39,823	1,901	7,13,910	...	7,55,634	6,194	23,757	29,951	2,586	18,989	21,575	2,659	948 12 1	3,608
4. Kistna	93,373	2,97,962	3,91,335	93,373	...	2,86,112	...	3,79,485	...	11,850	11,850	...	10,519	10,519	...	...	...
5. Nellore	1,849	4,22,659	4,24,508	1,849	...	3,10,379	...	3,12,228	...	1,12,280	1,12,280	...	1,12,280	1,12,280	...	...	...
6. Cuddapah ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
7. Bellary	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
8. Kurnool... ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
9. Madras	40,367	1,06,548	1,46,915	40,319	28	75,214	...	1,15,561	20	31,334	31,354	2	19,520	19,522	1	16 14 7	18
Do. Town...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
10. North Arcot ...	2,31,784	5,09,844	7,41,628	1,90,971	...	3,67,991	...	5,58,962	40,813	1,41,853	1,82,666	10,254	1,25,433	1,35,687	30,559	... ...	30,559
11. South Arcot ...	1,884	8,636	10,520	1,769	75	4,508	...	6,352	40	4,128	4,168	1	4,091	4,092	2	37 7 5	39
12. Tanjore... ...	132	31,434	31,566	132	...	29,994	...	30,126	...	1,440	1,440	...	1,440	1,440	...	... ...	...
13. Trichinopoly..	4,027	49,889	53,916	4,027	...	45,522	...	49,549	...	4,367	4,367	...	4,367	4,367	...	... ...	...
14. Madura... ...	4,60,672	7,85,159	12,45,831	3,43,183	...	2,99,211	...	6,42,394	1,17,489	4,85,948	6,03,437	...	2,80,189	2,80,189	1,17,489	... ...	1,17,489
15. Tinnevelly ...	16,694	3,08,047	3,24,741	16,694	...	2,93,648	...	3,10,342	...	14,399	14,399	...	14,399	14,399	...	... ..	...
16. Coimbatore ...	...	27,691	27,691	...	...	27,289	...	27,289	...	402	402	...	402	402	...	... ...	...
17. Neilgherries...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	... ...	...
18. Salem	77,105	4,44,951	5,22,056	69,427	104	3,34,302	...	4,03,833	7,574	1,10,649	1,18,223	1,527	68,254	69,781	6,047	... ..	6,047
19. South Canara...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	... ...	...
20. Malabar... ...	5,000	15,000	20,000	5,000	...	10,000	...	15,000	...	5,000	5,000	...	5,000	5,000	...	... ...	...
Total...	10,25,016	51,46,522	61,71,538	8,50,778	2,108	41,64,808	...	50,17,694	1,72,130	9,81,714	11,53,844	14,370	6,95,181	7,09,551	1,56,757	1,003 2 1	1,57,760

No. 6.—Statement showing the Demand, Collection, and Balance of all Sources of Revenue, etc.—Continued.)

LAND REVENUE.—(*Concluded.*)

DISTRICTS.	Permanently Settled. (*Concluded.*)		Sheotriem		
	Balance.		Demand.		
	Current.	Total.	Arrears.	Current.	Total.
	19	20	21	22	23
	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
1. Ganjam	1,642	1,642	3,528	24,865	28,393
2. Vizagapatam	2,367	2,367	635	51,030	51,665
3. Godavery	4,768	8,376	3,214	30,338	33,552
4. Kistna	1,331	1,331	4,347	32,231	36,578
5. Nellore	...	...	20,338	84,729	1,05,067
6. Cuddapah	...	...	10,154	41,411	51,565
7. Bellary	...	...	9,884	26,692	36,576
8. Kurnool	...	..	450	12,760	13,210
9. Madras	11,814	11,832	36,195	76,726	1,12,921
Do. Town	...	...	...	...	...
10. North Arcot	16,420	46,979	12,429	23,408	35,837
11. South Arcot	37	76	10,375	21,691	32,066
12. Tanjore	...	...	5,044	1,21,646	1,26,690
13. Trichinopoly	...	...	4,376	12,619	16,995
14. Madura	2,05,759	3,23,248	9,362	26,896	36,258
15. Tinnevelly	...	...	5,632	41,317	46,949
16. Coimbatore	...	...	671	3,418	4,089
17. Neilgherries	...	...	...	...	...
18. Salem	42,395	48,442	15,658	36,399	52,057
19. South Canara	...	...	...	...	...
20. Malabar	...	...	133	2,552	2,685
Total...	2,86,533	4,44,293	1,52,425	6,70,728	8,23,153

REVENUE.—(*Continued.*)

JODI.

Collections and Remissions.					Balance.		
Arrears.		Current.		Total.	Arrears.	Current.	Total.
Collections.	Remissions.	Collections.	Remissions.				
24	25	26	27	28	29	30	31
Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
2,651	593	21,746	...	24,990	284	3,119	3,403
76	338	50,967	...	51,381	221	63	284
1,999	877	29,420	...	32,296	338	918	1,256
1,928	14	30,459	...	32,401	2,405	1,772	4,177
18,252	204	63,681	...	82,137	1,882	21,048	22,930
8,813	523	32,871	...	42,207	818	8,540	9,358
9,425	...	20,683	...	30,108	459	6,009	6,468
442	...	12,517	...	12,959	8	243	251
32,230	2,085	47,257	...	81,572	1,880	29,469	31,349
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
8,324	...	11,064	...	19,388	4,105	12,344	16,449
9,417	269	12,105	...	21,791	689	9,586	10,275
4,800	53	1,20,741	...	1,25,594	191	905	1,096
2,718	...	9,763	...	12,481	1,658	2,856	4,514
8,783	84	24,361	...	33,228	495	2,535	3,030
4,740	...	35,948	...	40,688	892	5,369	6,261
671	...	2,715	...	3,386	...	703	703
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
13,348	32	19,274	...	32,654	2,278	17,125	19,403
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
133	...	2,500	...	2,633	...	52	52
1,28,750	5,072	5,48,072	...	6,81,894	18,603	1,22,656	1,41,259

No. 6.—Statement showing the Demand, Collection, and Balance of all Sources of Revenue, etc.—(Continued.)

REVENUE.—(*Continued.*)

DISTRICTS.	LAND								JODI.		RYOTWAR.				
	SHROTRIEM										Demand.			Collections and Remissions.	
	Subsequent collections and remissions up to 31st October 1869.			Balance.										Arrears.	
	Arrears.	Current.	Total.	Arrears.				Total.	Current.	Total.	Arrears.	Current.	Total.	Collections.	Remissions.
				Recoverable and doubtful.	Irrecoverable.										
	32	33	34	35	36			37	38	39	40	41	42	43	44
	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	A.	P.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.
1. Ganjam	55	2,426	2,481	74	155	...	8	229	693	922	53,440	6,27,634	6,81,074	17,970	28,191
2. Vizagapatam	...	34	34	53	168	3	9	221	29	250	676	1,22,857	1,23,533	137	484
3. Godavery	1	765	766	112	224	15	...	337	153	490	53,693	21,04,961	21,58,654	30,658	13,249
4. Kistna	9	869	878	2,396	...	...	...	2,396	903	3,299	95,541	29,11,310	30,06,851	62,142	4,896
5. Nellore	11	20,282	20,293	1,871	...	...	...	1,871	766	2,637	2,94,904	16,28,115	19,23,019	2,09,355	19,409
6. Cuddapah	214	6,822	7,036	299	305	...	11	604	1,718	2,322	1,96,730	17,81,203	19,77,933	1,58,683	5,346
7. Bellary	294	5,468	5,762	165	...	...	...	165	541	706	2,97,576	21,45,890	24,43,466	2,40,381	28,692
8. Kurnool	4	193	197	...	3	15	2	4	50	54	11,398	12,75,590	12,86,988	7,149	2,900
9. Madras	63	21,365	21,428	1,733	83	10	10	1,817	8,104	9,921	2,48,831	8,41,524	10,90,355	1,85,539	26,801
Do. Town	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	..	...	...
10. North Arcot	786	3,854	4,640	3,319	...	...	...	3,319	8,490	11,809	5,62,756	14,04,969	19,67,725	3,97,627	22,705
11. South Arcot	87	7,874	7,961	590	12	7	7	602	1,712	2,314	2,18,946	24,29,798	26,48,744	1,71,198	13,577
12. Tanjore	143	899	1,042	48	...	...	..	48	6	54	1,69,765	39,75,169	41,44,934	1,58,882	3,347
13. Trichinopoly	241	1,821	2,062	1,417	...	...	..	1,417	1,035	2,452	39,732	13,77,186	14,16,918	36,851	759
14. Madura	96	1,920	2,016	399	...	...	...	399	615	1,014	2,36,520	13,58,687	15,95,207	2,24,874	349
15. Tinnevelly	877	5,273	6,150	15	...	...	...	15	96	111	2,71,016	24,42,991	27,14,007	2,34,527	5,527
16. Coimbatore	...	703	703	...	...	...	..	...	...	...	1,75,344	24,96,374	26,71,718	1,70,165	2,801
17. Neilgherries	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	10,501	29,574	40,075	6,639	1,548
18. Salem	108	12,385	12,493	2,170	...	...	...	2,170	...	...	2,87,759	17,03,909	19,91,668	2,32,653	13,289
19. South Canara	...	...	...	...	...	..	...	...	4,740	6,910	5,386	13,42,733	13,48,119	5,371	...
20. Malabar	...	52	52	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	49,277	17,62,153	18,11,430	38,319	1,433
Total...	2,989	93,005	95,994	14,661	953	5	11	15,614	29,651	45,265	32,79,791	3,37,62,627	3,70,42,418	25,89,120	1,95,303

No. 6.—*Statement showing the Demand, Collection, and Balance of all Sources of Revenue, etc.*—(Continued.)

REVENUE.—(*Continued.*)

DISTRICTS.	LAND																	
	RYOTWAR.																	
	Collections and Remissions.—(*Concluded.*)			Balance.			Subsequent collections and remissions up to 31st October 1869.			Balance.								
	Current.		Total.	Arrears.	Current.	Total.	Arrears.	Current.	Total.	Arrears.					Current.	Total.		
	Collections.	Remissions.								Recoverable and doubtful.	Irrecoverable.		Total.					
	45	46	47	48	49	50	51	52	53	54	55		56		57	58		
	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	A.	P.	RS.	RS.	RS.		
1. Ganjam	6,10,397	...	6,56,558	7,279	17,237	24,516	1,555	11,339	12,894	2,774	2,950	5	...	5,724	5,898	11,622		
2. Vizagapatam... ...	1,22,578	...	1,23,199	55	279	334	...	107	107	...	55	...	5	55	172	227		
3. Godavery	20,67,538	...	21,11,445	9,786	37,423	47,209	1,417	28,000	29,417	5,028	3,340	15	6	8,369	9,423	17,792		
4. Kistna	28,56,216	...	29,23,254	28,503	55,094	83,597	2,373	34,797	37,170	18,115	8,015	2	7	26,130	20,297	46,427		
5. Nellore	13,20,953	...	15,43,717	66,140	3,07,162	3,73,302	203	2,37,572	2,37,775	372	65,564	15	2	65,937	69,590	1,35,527		
6. Cuddapah	16,58,349	..	18,22,378	32,701	1,22,854	1,55,555	3,252	92,821	96,073	3,525	25,924	1	5	29,449	30,033	59,482		
7. Bellary	20,41,307	...	23,10,380	28,503	1,04,583	1,33,086	5,803	87,552	93,355	11,562	11,138	4	4	22,700	17,031	39,731		
8. Kurnool...	12,67,622	...	12,77,671	1,349	7,968	9,317	49	4,687	4,736	308	992	6	4	1,300	3,281	4,581		
9. Madras	6,98,213	...	9,10,553	36,491	1,43,311	1,79,802	2,863	89,735	92,598	11,956	21,671	9	2	33,628	53,576	87,204		
Do. Town. ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...		
10. North Arcot	8,18,256	...	12,38,588	1,42,424	5,86,713	7,29,137	23,717	3,56,059	3,79,776	66,040	52,667	...	9	1,18,707	2,30,654	3,49,361		
11. South Arcot	18,51,301	..	20,36,076	31,171	5,78,497	6,12,668	2,618	5,13,065	5,15,683	27,535	4,017	15	...	31,553	65,432	96,985		
12. Tanjore	39,03,710	...	40,65,939	7,536	71,459	78,995	1,461	63,022	64,483	5,917	157	11	11	6,075	8,437	14,512		
13. Trichinopoly... ...	13,60,605	...	13,98,215	2,122	16,581	18,703	270	11,556	11,826	1,181	671	3	...	1,852	5,025	6,877		
14. Madura	11,89,246	...	14,14,469	11,297	1,69,441	1,80,738	617	1,59,202	1,59,819	1,987	8,693	3	7	10,680	10,239	20,919		
15. Tinnevelly	22,26,839	...	24,66,893	30,962	2,16,152	2,47,114	3,212	1,86,501	1,89,713	14,681	13,068	14	5	27,750	29,651	57,401		
16. Coimbatore	23,66,306	...	25,39,272	2,378	1,30,068	1,32,446	86	1,22,345	1,22,431	2,061	230	14	3	2,292	7,723	10,015		
17. Neilgherries... ...	16,478	13,015	37,680	2,314	81	2,395	1,556	11	1,567	707	50	10	9	758	70	828		
18. Salem	15,31,665	...	17,77,607	41,817	1,72,244	2,14,061	1,483	1,34,998	1,36,481	5,654	34,679	7	...	40,334	37,246	77,580		
19. South Canara ..	13,36,237	...	13,41,608	15	6,496	6,511	...	5,899	5,899	15	...	...	...	15	597	612		
20. Malabar	17,20,679	...	17,60,431	9,525	41,474	50,999	1,289	29,633	30,922	6,172	2,064	7	4	8,236	11,841	20,077		
Total...	3,09,64,495	13,015	3,37,61,933	4,05,368	27,85,117	32,80,485	53,824	21,68,901	22,22,725	1,85,590	2,55,954	3	11	4,41,544	6,16,216	10,57,760		

No. 6.—Statement showing the Demand, Collection, and

Balance of all Sources of Revenue, etc.—(Continued.)

REVENUE.—*(Continued.)*

LAND

MISCEL

DISTRICTS.	Demand.			Collections	and Remissions.			Balance.		
	Arrears.	Current.	Total.	Ar	rears.	Current.	Total.	Arrears.	Current.	Total.
				Collections.	Remissions.	Collections.				
	59	60	61	62	63	64	65	66	67	68
	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.
1. Ganjam	20,388	66,002	86,390	8,997	7,746	61,282	78,025	3,645	4,720	8,365
2. Vizagapatam	31,162	1,76,250	2,07,412	30,345	501	1,46,477	1,77,323	316	29,773	30,089
3. Godavery	3,59,269	9,63,660	13,22,929	92,185	35,619	8,04,435	9,32,239	2,31,466	1,59,225	3,90,691
4. Kistna...	1,23,958	3,09,759	4,33,717	85,471	7,868	2,30,122	3,23,461	30,619	79,637	1,10,256
5. Nellore	90,128	2,19,921	3,10,049	74,332	7,300	1,28,833	2,10,465	8,496	91,088	99,584
6. Cuddapah	70,855	1,86,344	2,57,199	56,310	2,882	1,39,042	1,98,234	11,663	47,302	58,965
7. Bellary	1,35,424	2,54,261	3,89,685	93,115	12,748	2,08,563	3,14,426	29,561	45,698	75,259
8. Kurnool	6,963	1,80,697	1,87,660	4,307	1,343	1,76,768	1,82,418	1,313	3,929	5,242
9. Madras...	1,43,017	1,47,227	2,90,244	50,373	27,768	90,512	1,68,653	64,876	56,715	1,21,591
Do. Town	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
10. North Arcot	1,45,009	1,37,055	2,82,064	61,263	6,634	39,146	1,07,043	77,112	97,909	1,75,021
11. South Arcot...	45,710	64,789	1,10,499	37,770	2,031	28,062	67,863	5,909	36,727	42,636
12. Tanjore	5,778	1,18,703	1,24,481	4,520	124	1,13,521	1,18,165	1,134	5,182	6,316
13. Trichinopoly	11,195	61,051	72,246	8,525	968	50,697	60,190	1,702	10,354	12,056
14. Madura	44,481	50,839	95,320	43,472	8	27,939	71,419	1,001	22,900	23,901
15. Tinnevelly	1,07,129	2,38,111	3,45,240	1,01,492	424	1,61,339	2,63,255	5,212	76,772	81,984
16. Coimbatore	9,790	59,313	69,103	8,428	219	52,504	61,151	1,143	6,809	7,952
17. Neilgherries	3,663	11,865	15,528	1,942	1,349	11,511	14,802	372	354	726
18. Salem	37,785	83,514	1,21,299	31,845	1,167	60,295	93,307	4,773	23,219	27,992
19. South Canara	1,654	63,907	65,561	1,636	...	63,269	64,905	18	638	656
20. Malabar	...	1,01,845	1,01,845	...	...	1,01,845	1,01,845	...	...	...
Total...	13,93,358	34,95,113	48,88,471	7,96,328	1,16,699	26,96,162	36,09,189	4,80,331	7,98,951	12,79,282

No. 6.—Statement showing the Demand, Collection, and Balance of all Sources of Revenue, etc.—(Continued.)

REVENUE.—*(Continued.)*

DISTRICTS.	LAND MISCELLANEOUS. Subsequent collections and remissions up to 31st October 1869.			Balance.					TOTAL. Demand.			Collections and Remissions.	
	Arrears.	Current.	Total.	Arrears. Recoverable and doubtful.	Arrears. Irrecoverable.	A.	P.	Total.	Current.	Total.	Arrears.	Current.	Total.	Arrears. Collections.	Arrears. Remissions.
	69	70	71	72	73			74	75	76	77	78	79	80	81
	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.			RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.
1. Ganjam	104	2,719	2,823	1,123	2,418	6	8	3,541	2,001	5,542	77,959	11,49,455	12,27,414	30,221	36,530
2. Vizagapatam ...	1	29,666	29,667	67	218	2	7	315	107	422	76,081	13,20,218	13,96,299	74,166	1,323
3. Godavery ...	4,956	76,131	81,087	2,20,353	6,156	12	5	2,26,510	83,094	3,09,604	4,64,094	38,36,626	43,00,720	1,64,665	51,646
4. Kistna	1,218	18,073	19,291	20,731	8,669	15	10	29,401	61,564	90,965	3,17,219	35,51,262	38,68,481	2,42,914	12,778
5. Nellore	778	75,856	76,634	3,918	3,799	14	1	7,718	15,232	22,950	4,07,219	23,55,424	27,62,643	3,03,788	26,913
6. Cuddapah ...	3,235	35,917	39,152	5,224	3,204	4	5	8,428	11,385	19,813	2,77,739	20,08,958	22,86,697	2,23,806	8,751
7. Bellary	5,836	34,541	40,377	15,386	8,338	9	4	23,725	11,157	34,882	4,42,884	24,26,843	28,69,727	3,42,921	41,440
8. Kurnool	77	2,609	2,686	433	803	...	11	1,236	1,320	2,556	18,811	14,69,047	14,87,858	11,898	4,243
9. Madras	3,153	23,067	26,220	55,726	5,996	12	7	61,723	33,648	95,371	4,68,410	11,72,025	16,40,435	3,08,461	56,682
Do. Town ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
10. North Arcot ..	2,759	44,522	47,281	69,070	5,282	12	8	74,353	53,387	1,27,740	9,51,978	20,75,276	30,27,254	6,58,185	29,339
11. South Arcot ...	1,017	29,246	30,263	3,476	1,415	15	...	4,892	7,481	12,373	2,76,915	25,24,914	28,01,829	2,20,154	15,952
12. Tanjore	167	3,401	3,568	745	222	...	1	967	1,781	2,748	1,80,719	42,46,952	44,27,671	1,68,334	3,524
13. Trichinopoly ..	116	6,165	6,281	1,550	35	11	...	1,586	4,189	5,775	59,330	15,00,745	15,60,075	52,121	1,727
14. Madura	445	21,460	21,905	536	19	8	...	556	1,440	1,996	7,51,035	22,21,581	29,72,616	6,20,312	441
15. Tinnevelly ...	896	69,339	70,235	4,208	108	3	6	4,316	7,433	11,749	4,00,471	30,30,466	34,30,937	3,57,453	5,951
16. Coimbatore ...	69	6,291	6,360	77	996	9	6	1,074	518	1,592	1,85,805	25,86,796	27,72,601	1,79,264	3,020
17. Neilgherries ...	96	328	424	274	2	2	9	276	26	302	14,164	41,439	55,603	8,581	2,897
18. Salem	775	14,029	14,804	2,590	1,408	7	10	3,998	9,190	13,188	4,18,307	22,68,773	26,87,080	3,47,273	14,592
19. South Canara ...	...	551	551	18	...	...	...	18	87	105	7,040	14,06,640	14,13,680	7,007	.....
20. Malabar	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	.....	.....	54,410	18,81,550	19,35,960	43,452	1,433
Total...	25,698	4,93,911	5,19,609	4,05,505	49,127	5	5	4,54,633	3,05,040	7,59,673	58,50,590	4,30,74,990	4,89,25,580	43,64,976	3,19,182

No. 6.—Statement showing the Demand, Collection, and Balance of all Sources of Revenue, etc.—(Continued.)

REVENUE.—(*Continued.*)

LAND

DISTRICTS	TOTAL.						Subsequent Collections and Remissions up to 31st October 1869.			Balance.			
	Collections and Remissions.—(*Continued.*)			Balance.						Arrears.			
	Current.		Total.	Arrears.	Current.	Total.	Arrears.	Current.	Total.	Recoverable and doubtful.	Irrecoverable.		Total.
	82	83	84	85	86	87	88	89	90	91	92		93
	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS. A. P.		RS.
1. Ganjam	11,15,782	.....	11,82,533	11,208	33,673	44,881	1,714	23,439	25,153	3,971	5,523 12 4		9,494
2. Vizagapatam ...	12,64,393	.....	13,39,882	592	55,825	56,417	.....	53,150	53,150	120	471 6 9		592
3. Godavery... ...	36,15,303	.....	38,31,614	2,47,783	2,21,323	4,69,106	8,959	1,23,885	1,32,844	2,28,152	10,671 7 ...		2,38,824
4. Kistna	34,02,909	.....	36,58,601	61,527	1,48,353	2,09,880	3,600	64,258	67,858	41,242	16,685 2 5		57,927
5. Nellore	18,23,846	.....	21,54,547	76,518	5,31,578	6,08,096	992	4,45,990	4,46,982	6,161	69,364 13 6		75,526
6. Cuddapah ...	18,30,262	.....	20,62,819	45,182	1,78,696	2,23,878	6,701	1,35,560	1,42,261	9,048	29,433 6 9		38,481
7. Bellary	22,70,553	.....	26,54,914	58,523	1,56,290	2,14,813	11,933	1,27,561	1,39,494	27,113	19,476 13 8		46,590
8. Kurnool	14,56,907	.....	14,73,048	2,670	12,140	14,810	130	7,489	7,619	741	1,799 6 5		2,540
9. Madras	9,11,196	.....	12,76,339	1,03,267	2,60,829	3,64,096	6,082	1,53,687	1,59,769	69,416	27,768 15 2		97,185
Do. Town ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	....		.....
10. North Arcot ...	12,36,457	.....	19,23,981	2,64,454	8,38,819	11,03,273	37,516	5,29,868	5,67,384	1,68,988	57,949 13 5		2,26,938
11. South Arcot ...	18,95,976	.....	21,32,082	40,809	6,28,938	6,69,747	3,723	5,54,276	5,57,999	31,603	5,483 13 ...		37,086
12. Tanjore	41,67,966	.....	43,39,824	8,861	78,986	87,847	1,771	68,762	70,533	6,710	379 12 ...		7,090
13. Trichinopoly ...	14,66,587	.....	15,20,435	5,482	31,158	36,640	627	23,909	24,536	4,148	706 14 ...		4,855
14. Madura	15,40,757	.....	21,61,510	1,30,282	6,80,824	8,11,106	1,158	4,62,771	4,63,929	1,20,411	8,712 11 7		1,29,124
15. Tinnevelly ...	27,17,774	.....	30,81,178	37,067	3,12,692	3,49,759	4,986	2,75,512	2,80,498	18,904	13,177 1 11		32,081
16. Coimbatore ...	24,48,814	.....	26,31,098	3,521	1,37,982	1,41,503	155	1,29,741	1,29,896	2,138	1,227 7 9		3,366
17. Neilgherries ...	27,989	13,015	52,482	2,686	435	3,121	1,652	339	1,991	981	52 13 6		1,034
18. Salem	19,45,536	.....	23,07,401	56,442	3,23,237	3,79,679	3,893	2,29,666	2,33,559	16,461	36,087 14 10		52,549
19. South Canara...	13,99,506	.....	14,06,513	33	7,134	7,167	.....	6,450	6,450	33	....		33
20. Malabar... ...	18,35,024	.....	18,79,909	9,525	46,526	56,051	1,289	34,685	35,974	6,172	2,064 7 4		8,236
Total...	3,83,73,537	13,015	4,30,70,710	11,66,432	46,88,438	58,54,870	96,881	34,50,998	35,47,879	7,62,513	3,07,038 1 4		10,69,551

No. 6.—Statement showing the Demand, Collection, and

DISTRICTS.	LAND REVENUE.—(*Concluded.*) Balance.		Demand.			
	Current.	Total.	Arrears.	Current. Rented and Amany.	Current. Miscellaneous.	Total.
	94	95	96	97	98	99
	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
1. Ganjam	10,234	19,728	4,645	69,280	1,416	75,341
2. Vizagapatam...	2,675	3,267	9,539	1,10,997	589	1,21,125
3. Godavery ...	97,438	3,36,262	1,253	2,07,940	1,318	2,10,511
4. Kistna	84,095	1,42,022	18,046	1,46,500	678	1,65,224
5. Nellore	85,588	1,61,114	32,011	79,146	194	1,11,351
6. Cuddapah ...	43,136	81,617	22,012	1,64,500	48	1,86,560
7. Bellary	28,729	75,319	1,95,696	5,34,166	204	7,30,066
8. Kurnool	4,651	7,191	808	2,66,915	218	2,67,941
9. Madras	1,07,142	2,01,327	18,603	11,38,545	3,372	11,60,520
Do. Town ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
10. North Arcot ...	3,08,951	5,35,889	73,470	2,92,155	612	3,66,237
11. South Arcot ...	74,662	1,11,748	44,661	2,16,000	582	2,61,243
12. Tanjore	10,224	17,314	16,063	4,97,233	731	5,14,027
13. Trichinopoly ...	10,249	15,104	3,789	1,20,251	301	1,24,341
14. Madura	2,18,053	3,47,177	55,330	1,32,675	215	1,88,220
15. Tinnevelly ...	37,180	69,261	9,000	81,000	461	90,461
16. Coimbatore ...	8,241	11,607	9,725	2,20,000	1,017	2,30,742
17. Neilgherries ...	96	1,130	.....	40,000	575	40,575
18. Salem	93,571	1,46,120	1,10,011	2,91,100	308	4,01,419
19. South Canara...	684	717	1,733	1,02,100	334	1,04,167
20. Malabar... ...	11,841	20,077	1,224	1,78,658	3,209	1,83,091
Total...	12,37,440	23,06,991	6,27,619	48,89,161	16,382	55,33,162

Balance of all Sources of Revenue, etc.—(Continued.)

KARRY.

Collections and Remissions.					Balance		
Arrears.		Current.		Total.	Arrears.	Current.	Total.
Collections.	Remissions.	Rented and Amany.	Miscellaneous.				
100	101	102	103	104	105	106	107
Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
4,645	.....	65,800	1,416	71,861	.....	3,480	3,480
3,522	6,017	1,08,169	589	1,18,297	.....	2,828	2,828
1,253	.....	1,99,020	1,318	2,01,591	.....	8,920	8,920
18,046	.....	1,33,870	678	1,52,594	.....	12,630	12,630
18,432	3,300	65,571	194	87,497	10,279	13,575	23,854
22,012	.....	1,54,082	48	1,76,142	.....	10,418	10,418
92,925	99,018	5,02,206	204	6,94,353	3,753	31,960	35,713
808	.....	2,48,190	218	2,49,216	.....	18,725	18,725
18,342	169	11,06,650	3,371	11,28,532	92	31,896	31,988
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
23,470	50,000	2,49,872	612	3,23,954	.....	42,283	42,283
1,180	43,481	2,07,824	582	2,53,067	.....	8,176	8,176
16,063	.....	4,84,677	731	5,01,471	.....	12,556	12,556
3,789	.....	1,17,164	301	1,21,254	.....	3,087	3,087
18,893	21,065	1,20,998	215	1,61,171	15,372	11,677	27,049
9,000	.....	63,000	461	72,461	.....	18,000	18,000
9,725	.....	2,04,038	1,018	2,14,781	.....	15,961	15,[illegible]
.....	.....	33,334	575	33,909	.....	6,666	6,666
63,432	23,459	2,16,450	308	3,03,649	23,120	74,650	97,770
1,733	.....	1,02,100	334	1,04,167	.....	.....	.....
1,093	.....	1,78,329	3,209	1,82,631	131	329	460
3,28,363	2,46,509	45,61,344	16,382	51,52,598	52,747	3,27,817	3,80,564

No. 6.—Statement showing the Demand, Collection, and Balance of all Sources of Revenue, etc.—(Continued.)

DISTRICTS.	Subsequent Collections and Remissions up to 31st October 1869.				ABKARRY.							INCOME TAX.		
					Balance.							Demand.		
					Arrears.									
	Arrears.	Current.	Total.	Recoverable and doubtful.	Irrecoverable.			Total.	Current.	Total.		Arrears.	Current.	Total.
	108	109	110	111	112			113	114	115		116	117	118
	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.		Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
1. Ganjam	.....	3,480	3,480	.....	.....	...	...	.....	.....	.....		.....	1,021	1,021
2. Vizagapatam	.....	2,828	2,828	.....	.....	...	...	.....	.....	.....		.....	1,073	1,073
3. Godavery	.....	5,837	5,837	.....	.....	..	...	.....	3,083	3,083		.....	804	804
4. Kistna	.....	12,630	12,630	.....	.....	..	...	.....	.....	.....		.....	764	764
5. Nellore	2,095	12,176	14,271	.....	8,184	4	3	8,184	1,399	9,583		.....	586	586
6. Cuddapah	.....	10,418	10,418	.....	.....	...	...	.....	.....	.....		.....	708	708
7. Bellary	3,753	31,960	35,713	.....	.....	...	...	.....	.....	.....		38	722	760
8. Kurnool	.....	18,725	18,725	.....	.....	...	..	.....	.....	.....		.....	10,283	10,283
9. Madras	.....	6,307	6,307	92	.....	...	...	92	25,589	25,681		.....	17,491	17,491
Do. Town	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	...	.....	.....	.....		.....	24,949	24,949
10. North Arcot	.....	37,357	37,357	.....	.....	...	...	.....	4,926	4,926		.....	706	706
11. South Arcot	.....	8,176	8,176	.....	.....	...	...	.....	.....	.....		.....	587	587
12. Tanjore	.....	12,556	12,556	.....	.....	...	...	.....	.....	.....		.....	2,147	2,147
13. Trichinopoly	.....	3,087	3,087	.....	.....	...	...	.....	.....	.....		.....	943	943
14. Madura	21	11,677	11,698	2,541	12,810	2	2	15,351	.....	15,351		.....	654	654
15. Tinnevelly	.....	18,000	18,000	.....	.....	...	...	.....	.....	.....		.....	729	729
16. Coimbatore	.....	15,961	15,961	.....	.....	...	...	.....	.....	.....		.....	3,328	3,328
17. Neilgherries	.....	6,357	6,357	.....	.....	...	...	.....	309	309		.....	3,550	3,550
18. Salem	3,760	74,650	78,410	19,360	.....	...	...	19,360	.....	19,360		.....	735	735
19. South Canara	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	...	.....	.....	.....		.....	547	547
20. Malabar	.....	44	44	131	.....	...	.	131	285	416		.....	1,573	1,573
Total...	9,629	2,92,226	3,01,855	22,124	20,994	6	5	43,118	35,591	78,709		38	73,900	73,938

No. 6.—Statement showing the Demand, Collection, and Balance of all Sources of Revenue, etc.—(Continued.)

DISTRICTS.	INCOME TAX.—(*Concluded.*)						LICENSE TAX.				
	Collections and Remissions.				Balance.	Subsequent collections and remissions up to 31st October 1869.	Balance.				
	Arrears.		Current.	Total.			Recoverable and doubtful.	Irrecoverable.	Total.	Current.	Total.
	Collections.	Remissions.									
	119	120	121	122	123	124	125	126	127	128	129
	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS. A. P.	RS.	RS.	RS.
1. Ganjam	.....	.....	1,021	1,021	.....	.....	.....	....	.....	.....	.....
2. Vizagapatam ...	.....	.....	1,073	1,073	.....	.....	.....	....	.....	.....	.....
3. Godavery	.....	.....	804	804	.....	.....	.....	....	.....	.....	.....
4. Kistna	.....	.....	764	764	.....	.....	.....	....	.....	.....	.....
5. Nellore...	.....	.....	586	586	.....	.....	.....	....	.....	.....	.....
6. Cuddapah	.....	.....	708	708	.....	.....	.....	....	.....	19	19
7. Bellary	.....	38	722	760	.....	.....	.....	....	.....	.....	.....
8. Kurnool	.....	.....	9,939	9,939	344	325	.....	....	.....	.....	.....
9. Madras	.....	.....	17,491	17,491	.....	.....	.....	....	.....	.....	.....
Do. Town... ...	.....	.....	24,949	24,949	.....	.....	.....	....	.....	.....	.....
10. North Arcot ...	.....	.....	706	706	.....	.....	.....	....	.....	.....	.....
11. South Arcot ...	.....	.....	587	587	.....	.....	.....	....	.....	.....	.....
12. Tanjore	.....	.....	2,147	2,147	.....	.....	.....	....	.....	.....	.....
13. Trichinopoly ...	.....	.....	943	943	.....	.....	.....	....	.....	.....	.....
14. Madura	.....	.....	654	654	.....	.....	.....	....	.....	.....	.....
15. Tinnevelly... ...	.....	.....	729	729	.....	.....	.....	....	.....	.....	.....
16. Coimbatore... ...	.....	.....	3,328	3,328	.....	.....	.....	....	.....	.....	.....
17. Neilgherries ...	.....	.....	3,550	3,550	.....	.....	.....	....	.....	.....	.....
18. Salem...	.....	.....	735	735	.....	.....	.....	....	.....	.....	.....
19. South Canara ...	.....	.....	547	547	.....	.....	.....	....	.....	.....	.....
20. Malabar	.....	.....	1,573	1,573	.....	.....	.....	....	.....	19	19
Total...	.....	38	73,556	73,594	344	325	.....	....	.....	19	19
Stoppages made from the pay of public servants as per Accountant-General's Return ..			7,740								
			81,296								

DISTRICTS.	LICENSE TAX.				
	Current Demand.	Current. Collections.	Balance.	Subsequent collections and remissions up to 31st October 1869.	Balance.
	130	131	132	133	134
	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.
1. Ganjam	7,299	7,299	.....	.....	.....
2. Vizagapatam ...	11,753	11,753	.....	.....	.....
3. Godavery	35,842	35,842	.....	.....	.....
4. Kistna	27,402	27,402	.....	.....	.....
5. Nellore...	39,418	38,650	768	352	416
6. Cuddapah	25,636	25,636	.....	.....	.....
7. Bellary	57,554	57,554	.....	.....	.....
8. Kurnool	14,488	14,488	.....	.....	.....
9. Madras	3,410	3,410	.....	.....	.....
Do. Town... ...	96,292	96,292	.....	.....	.....
10. North Arcot ...	14,639	14,639	.....	.....	.....
11. South Arcot ...	7,855	7,855	.....	.....	.....
12. Tanjore	44,003	44,003	.....	.....	.....
13. Trichinopoly ...	5,958	5,958	.....	.....	.....
14. Madura	29,713	29,713	.....	.....	.....
15. Tinnevelly... ...	19,416	19,416	.....	.....	.....
16. Coimbatore... ...	10,833	10,833	.....	.....	.....
17. Neilgherries ...	5,259	5,259	.....	.....	.....
18. Salem...	17,123	17,123	.....	.....	.....
19. South Canara ...	11,941	11,941	.....	.....	.....
20. Malabar	21,677	21,677	.....	.....	.....
Total...	5,07,511	5,06,743	768	352	416
		18,369			
		5,25,112			

No. 6.—Statement showing the Demand, Collection, and

Balance of all Sources of Revenue, etc.—(Continued.)

DISTRICTS.	SALT.												
	DEMAND.				COLLEC			TIONS.		BALANCE.			SUBSEQUENT COLLECTIONS AND REMISSIONS UP TO 31ST OCTOBER 1869.		
	Arrears.	Current.		Total.	Arrears.		Cur	rent.		Arrears.	Current.	Total.	Arrears.	Current.	Total.
		Sales.	Miscellaneous.		Collections.	Remissions.	Sales.	Miscellaneous.	Total.						
	135	136	137	138	139		140	141	142	143	144	145	146	147	148
	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.
1. Ganjam ..	.....	13,11,095	44	13,11,139	.....	.....	13,11,095	44	13,11,139	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
2. Vizagapatam	.....	2,86,964	829	2,87,793	.....	.....	2,86,964	829	2,87,793	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
3. Godavery ...	.....	4,52,263	6	4,52,269	.....	.....	4,52,263	6	4,52,269	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
4. Kistna ...	.....	11,21,248	124	11,21,372	.....	.....	11,21,248	124	11,21,372	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
5. Nellore ...	.....	11,02,178	45	11,02,223	.....	.....	11,02,178	45	11,02,223	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
6. Cuddapah ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
7. Bellary ...	5,399	10,011	.....	15,410	3,503	346	9,033	.....	12,882	1,550	978	2,528	521	822	1,343
8. Kurnool ...	37	1,840	.....	1,877	34	.....	1,824	.....	1,858	3	16	19	.....	.....	.....
9. Madras ...	.....	23,54,771	237	23,55,008	.....	.....	23,54,771	237	23,55,008	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Do. Town...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
10. North Arcot.	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
11. South Arcot.	.....	6,61,622	2,550	6,64,172	.....	.....	6,61,622	2,550	6,64,172	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
12. Tanjore ...	.....	10,93,627	70	10,93,697	.....	.....	10,93,627	70	10,93,697	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
13. Trichinopoly.	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
14. Madura ...	.....	5,95,755	129	5,95,884	.....	.....	5,95,755	129	5,95,884	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
15. Tinnevelly...	.....	7,22,826	112	7,22,938	.....	.....	7,22,826	112	7,22,938	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
16. Coimbatore..	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
17. Neilgherries.	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
18. Salem ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
19. South Canara	.....	5,57,025	146	5,57,171	.....	.....	5,57,025	146	5,57,171	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
20. Malabar ...	.....	9,22,641	91	9,22,732	.....	.....	9,22,641	91	9,22,732	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Total...	5,436	111,93,866	4,383	112,03,685	3,537	346	111,92,872	4,383	112,01,138	1,553	994	2,547	521	822	1,343

No. 6.—Statement showing the Demand, Collection, and

DISTRICTS.	SALT.—(*Concluded.*)						SEA
	BALANCE.						DE
	Arrears.				Current.	Total.	Duty.
	Recoverable and doubtful.	Irrecoverable.		Total.			
	149	150		151	152	153	154
	RS.	RS.	A. P.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.
1. Ganjam	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	80,505
2. Vizagapatam ..	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	82,492
3. Godavery	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	94,368
4. Kistna	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	10,685
5. Nellore	.....	.....	... ..	.....	.....	.....	422
6. Cuddapah	.....	.....	... ..	.....	.....	.....	.....
7. Bellary	481	548	6 8	1,029	156	1,185	.....
8. Kurnool	3	.....	.....	3	16	19	.....
9. Madras	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Do. Town ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	14,95,365
10. North Arcot ...	.....	.....	... ..	.....	.....	.....	.....
11. South Arcot ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	43,290
12. Tanjore	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	4,31,004
13. Trichinopoly ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
14. Madura	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	28,218
15. Tinnevelly ...	.....	.....	... ..	.....	.....	.....	85,552
16. Coimbatore ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
17. Neilgherries ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
18. Salem	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
19. South Canara ...	.....	.....	... ..	.....	.....	.....	70,29
23. Malabar	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1,41,275
Total...	481	548	6 8	1,032	172	1,204	25,63,667

Balance of all Sources of Revenue, etc.—(Continued.)

CUSTOMS.		LAND CUSTOMS.			STAMPS.		
MAND.		DEMAND.					
Miscellaneous.	Collection.	Duty.	Miscellaneous.	Collection.	Sales.	Miscellaneous.	Collection.
155	156	157	158	159	160	161	162
RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.
26	80,531	.....	.....	.....	82,043	.....	82,043
222	82,714	.....	.....	.....	1,52,380	243	1,52,623
1,925	96,293	935	.....	935	1,95,877	451	1,96,328
66	10,951	.....	.....	.....	1,32,831	8	1,32,839
46	468	.....	.....	.....	1,24,771	102	1,24,873
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1,80,882	.....	1,80,882
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1,96,612	90	1,96,702
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1,33,366	2	1,33,368
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	2,50,760	.....	2,50,760
19,110	15,14,475	.....	.....	.....	1,21,938	.....	1,21,938
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1,36,639	77	1,36,716
31	43,321	91,600	1,208	92,808	1,25,218	122	1,25,340
962	4,31,966	86,424	3	86,427	4,73,637	118	4,73,755
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1,09,340	.....	1,09,340
90	28,308	.....	.....	.....	2,92,707	17	2,92,724
395	85,947	.....	.....	.....	2,78,254	97	2,78,351
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1,52,873	52	1,52,925
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	13,179	.....	13,179
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1,54,014	120	1,54,134
543	70,834	.....	.....	.....	1,61,054	27	1,61,081
1,667	1,42,942	9,579	7	9,586	4,79,950	87	4,80,037
25,083	25,88,750	1,88,538	1,218	1,89,756	39,48,325	1,613	39,49,938

No. 6.—Statement showing the Demand, Collection, and

DISTRICTS.	GRAND			Col
	Demand.			
	Arrears.	Current.	Total.	Arrears.
	163	164	165	166
	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
1. Ganjam	82,605	27,02,184	27,84,789	31,868
2. Vizagapatam	85,620	19,67,761	20,53,381	77,689
3. Godavery	4,65,347	48,28,355	52,93,702	1,65,918
4. Kistna	3,35,265	49,91,768	53,27,033	2,60,960
5. Nellore	4,80,230	37,02,332	41,41,562	3,22,219
6. Cuddapah	2,99,751	23,80,732	26,80,483	2,45,818
7. Bellary	6,44,017	32,26,202	38,70,219	4,30,318
8. Kurnool	19,656	18,96,159	19,15,815	12,740
9. Madras	4,87,012	49,40,611	54,27,623	3,26,802
Do. Town	.....	17,57,654	17,57,654	.....
10. North Arcot	10,25,148	25,20,104	35,45,552	6,81,655
11. South Arcot	3,21,576	36,75,579	39,97,155	2,21,334
12. Tanjore	1,96,782	68,76,911	70,73,693	1,84,398
13. Trichinopoly	63,119	17,37,538	18,00,657	55,910
14. Madura	8,06,365	33,01,754	41,08,119	6,30,204
15. Tinnevelly...	4,09,471	42,19,308	46,28,779	3,66,454
16. Coimbatore	1,95,530	29,74,899	31,70,429	1,88,98
17. Neilgherries	14,161	1,04,001	1,18,165	8,58
18. Salem...	5,28,318	27,32,173	32,60,491	4,10,7
19. South Canara	8,773	23,10,648	23,19,421	8,7
20. Malabar	55,634	36,41,964	36,97,598	44,54
Total ..	64,83,683	66,188,637	72,972,320	46,96,876
Add receipts from the sale of waste lands				
Stoppages made from the pay of public servants...				

Balance of all Sources of Revenue, etc.—(Continued.)

TOTAL.

LECTIONS.		Remissions.			Total including Remissions.		
Current.	Total.	Arrears.	Current.	Total.	Arrears.	Current.	Total.
167	168	169	170	171	172	173	174
Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
26,65,031	26,99,899	36,530	.....	36,530	71,398	26,65,031	27,36,429
19,09,108	19,86,797	7,340	.....	7,340	85,029	19,09,108	19,94,137
45,98,112	47,64,030	51,646	.....	51,646	2,17,564	45,98,112	48,15,676
48,30,785	50,91,745	12,778	.....	12,778	2,73,738	48,30,785	51,04,523
31,56,411	34,78,630	30,213	.....	30,213	3,52,432	31,56,411	35,08,843
21,91,618	24,37,436	8,751	.....	8,751	2,54,569	21,91,618	24,46,187
30,36,975	34,76,323	1,40,842	.....	1,40,842	5,80,190	30,36,975	36,17,165
18,64,934	18,77,674	4,243	.....	4,243	16,983	18,64,934	18,81,917
46,47,886	49,74,688	56,850	.....	56,850	3,83,652	46,47,886	50,31,538
17,57,654	17,57,654	.....	.....	.....	.....	17,57,654	17,57,654
16,39,002	23,20,657	79,339	.....	79,339	7,60,994	16,39,002	23,99,996
30,38,465	32,59,799	59,434	.....	59,434	2,80,768	30,38,465	33,19,233
67,85,369	69,69,767	3,524	.....	3,524	1,87,922	67,85,369	69,73,291
17,00,293	17,56,203	1,727	.....	1,727	57,637	17,00,293	17,57,930
26,09,251	32,48,455	21,506	.....	21,506	6,60,710	26,09,251	32,69,961
38,88,616	42,55,070	5,951	.....	5,951	3,72,405	38,88,616	42,61,021
28,20,956	30,09,945	3,020	.....	3,020	1,92,009	28,20,956	30,12,965
83,886	92,467	2,897	13,015	15,912	11,478	96,901	1,08,379
23,34,286	27,44,990	38,051	.....	38,051	4,48,755	23,34,286	27,83,041
23,03,514	23,12,254	.....	.....	.....	8,740	23,03,514	23,12,254
35,95,109	36,39,654	1,433	.....	1,433	45,978	35,95,109	36,41,087
614,57,261	661,54,137	5,66,075	13,015	5,79,090	52,62,951	614,70,276	667,33,227
1,92,921							
26,109							
616,76,291							

No. 6.—Statement showing the Demand, Collection, and

DISTRICTS.	GRAND BALANCE.			SUBSEQUENT COLLECTIONS AND REMISSIONS UP TO 31ST OCTOBER 1869.		
	Arrears.	Current.	Total.	Arrears.	Current.	Total.
	175	176	177	178	179	180
	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.
1. Ganjam	11,208	37,153	48,361	1,714	26,919	28,633
2. Vizagapatam ...	592	58,653	59,245	.....	55,978	55,978
3. Godavery	2,47,783	2,30,243	4,78,026	8,959	1,29,722	1,38,681
4. Kistna	61,527	1,60,983	2,22,510	3,600	76,888	80,488
5. Nellore	86,797	5,45,921	6,32,718	3,087	4,58,518	4,61,605
6. Cuddapah	45,182	1,89,114	2,34,296	6,701	1,45,978	1,52,679
7. Bellary	63,826	1,89,228	2,53,054	16,207	1,60,343	1,76,550
8. Kurnool	2,673	31,225	33,898	130	26,539	26,669
9. Madras	1,03,359	2,92,725	3,96,084	6,082	1,59,994	1,66,076
Do. Town... ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
10. North Arcot	2,64,454	8,81,102	11,45,556	37,616	5,67,225	6,04,741
11. South Arcot ...	40,809	6,37,114	6,77,923	3,723	5,62,452	5,66,175
12. Tanjore	8,861	91,542	1,00,403	1,771	81,318	83,089
13. Trichinopoly ...	5,482	37,245	42,727	627	26,996	27,623
14. Madura	1,45,654	6,92,501	8,38,155	1,179	4,74,448	4,75,627
15. Tinnevelly... ...	37,067	3,30,692	3,67,759	4,986	2,93,512	2,98,498
16. Coimbatore ...	3,521	1,53,943	1,57,464	155	1,45,702	1,45,857
17. Neilgherries ...	2,686	7,101	9,787	1,652	6,696	8,348
18. Salem	79,562	3,97,887	4,77,449	7,653	3,04,316	3,11,969
19. South Canara ...	33	7,134	7,167	.....	6,450	6,450
20. Malabar	9,656	46,855	56,511	1,289	34,729	36,018
Total...	12,20,732	50,18,361	62,39,093	1,07,031	37,44,723	38,51,754

Balance of all Sources of Revenue, etc.—(Concluded.)

TOTAL.—(*Concluded.*)

BALANCE.					
Arrears.					
Recoverable and doubtful.	Irrecoverable.			Total.	Current.	Total.
181	182			183	184	185
RS.	RS.	A.	P.	RS.	RS.	RS.
3,971	5,523	12	4	9,494	10,234	19,728
120	471	6	9	592	2,675	3,267
2,28,152	10,671	7	0	2,38,824	1,00,521	3,39,345
41,242	16,685	2	5	57,927	84,095	1,42,022
6,161	77,549	1	9	83,710	87,403	1,71,113
9,048	29,433	6	9	38,481	43,136	81,617
27,594	20,025	4	4	47,619	28,885	76,504
744	1,799	6	5	2,543	4,636	7,229
69,508	27,768	15	2	97,277	1,32,731	2,30,008
.....	.....	.....		.....	.....	.....
1,68,988	57,949	13	5	2,26,938	3,13,877	5,40,815
31,603	5,483	13	0	37,086	74,662	1,11,748
6,710	379	12	0	7,090	10,224	17,314
4,148	706	14	0	4,855	10,249	15,104
1,22,952	21,522	13	9	1,44,475	2,18,053	3,62,528
18,904	13,177	1	11	32,081	37,180	69,261
2,138	1,227	7	9	3,366	8,241	11,607
981	52	13	6	1,034	405	1,439
35,821	36,087	14	10	71,909	93,571	1,65,480
33	.....	.....		33	684	717
6,303	2,064	7	4	8,367	12,126	20,493
7,85,121	3,28,580	14	5	11,13,701	12,73,638	23,87,339

No. 7.—Statement showing the receipts and sales of Salt for Fusly 1278.

DISTRICTS.	Balance on hand at the commencement of the Fusly.	Quantity received in store in Fusly 1278.			Total including balance.	Quantity sold during the year.					Wastage written off under the sanction of Government.	Total.	Balance remaining in stores.
		Salt manufactured during the year.	Gain by measurement and confiscated Salt, etc.	Total.		Home consumption.	Inland consumption.	Exportation by sea. On private account.	Sold to French Government.	Total.			
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14
	IN. MDS.	IN. MDS.	IN. MDS.	IN. MDS	IN. MDS.	IN. MDS.	IN. MDS.	IN. MDS.	IN. MDS.	IN. MDS.	IN. MDS.	IN. MDS.	IN. MDS.
1. Ganjam	9,68,205	12,54,587	243	12,54,835	22,23,040	1,08,166	6,91,105	.....	.....	7,99,271	38,387	8,37,658	13,85,382
2. Vizagapatam	2,30,064	3,74,894	575	3,75,469	6,05,533	1,69,882	2,751	.....	.....	1,72,633	3,889	1,76,522	4,29,011
3. Godavery	3,08,151	2,33,777	62	2,33,839	5,42,290	2,39,210	8,700	.....	720	2,68,630	34,705	3,03,335	2,38,895
4. Kistna	12,58,251	7,18,574	10	7,18,584	19,76,835	3,49,940	3,21,883	.....	.....	6,71,823	13,002	6,84,825	12,92,010
5. Nellore	12,31,689	5,45,116	2,380	5,47,496	17,79,194	2,83,960	3,67,284	5,040	.....	6,76,324	12,624	6,88,948	10,90,246
6. Madras	22,58,342	6,85,017	37	6,85,054	29,43,396	2,04,132	12,33,912	3,07,050	.....	17,45,094	25,486	17,70,580	11,72,816
7. South Arcot	4,32,890	4,59,506	.....	4,59,506	8,92,396	2,47,249	1,42,183	.....	41,170	4,30,602	59,573	4,90,175	4,02,221
8. Tanjore	8,15,890	6,25,470	7,522	6,32,992	14,48,882	4,87,972	1,87,680	38,280	10,800	7,24,732	4,287	7,29,019	7,19,863
9. Madura	5,12,821	2,69,732	589	2,70,321	7,83,142	3,57,506	394	.....	.....	3,57,900	13,439	3,71,339	4,11,803
10. Tinnevelly	10,32,534	3,69,814	4,315	3,74,129	14,06,663	3,78,433	49,218	20,100	.....	4,47,751	9,342	4,57,093	9,49,570
11. South Canara	2,21,989	4,11,879	1,353	4,12,732	6,34,721	1,71,757	1,54,748	.....	.....	3,26,505	11,563	3,38,068	2,96,653
12. Malabar	3,33,936	5,18,746	482	5,19,228	8,58,164	4,38,485	1,25,325	.....	2,339	5,66,149	150	5,66,298	2,91,866
Total ...	96,10,062	64,66,912	17,582	64,84,494	1,60,94,556	34,56,572	33,05,463	3,70,470	55,028	71,87,473	2,26,447	74,13,920	86,80,636

No. 8.—Statement showing the financial results of Salt transactions in Fusly 1278.

DISTRICTS.	Home Consumption.	Inland Consumption.	Exportation by Sea.	Sold to French Government.	Total.	Miscellaneous.	Total gross Revenue.	Deduct charges.	Net Revenue.	
									Fusly 1277.	Fusly 1278.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11
	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.
1. Ganjam	1,82,424 2 5	11,28,670 14 0	... ...	... ...	13,11,095 0 5	43 7 11	13,11,138 8 4	1,77,690 6 9	12,28,236 12 1	11,33,448 1 7
2. Vizagapatam.....	2,82,524 10 10	4,439 13 0	... ...	... ...	2,86,964 7 10	828 14 11	2,87,793 6 9	62,198 4 11	2,63,717 14 9	2,25,595 1 10
3. Godavery.....	4,37,414 5 6	14,782 8 0	... ...	66 4 0	4,52,263 1 6	6 2 5	4,52,269 3 11	31,400 7 10	4,08,858 8 7	4,20,868 12 1
4. Kistna	5,86,473 12 0	5,34,773 13 0	... ...	... ...	11,21,247 9 0	124 2 8	11,21,371 11 8	85,896 4 0	6,60,445 5 4	10,35,975 7 8
5. Nellore.....	4,79,081 8 2	6,22,550 13 0	546 0 0	... ...	11,02,178 5 2	45 0 4	11,02,223 5 6	84,988 0 7	9,93,297 5 5	10,17,235 4 11
6. Madras.....	3,29,731 0 6	19,80 126 0 0	44,914 1 4	... .	23,54,771 1 10	237 6 6	23,55,008 8 4	2,30,281 14 0	19,47,455 4 9	21,24,726 10 4
7. South Arcot.....	4,17,131 5 6	2,39,933 13 0	... ...	4,556 10 0	6,61,621 12 6	2,549 15 7	6,64,171 12 1	72,781 14 3	5,47,653 13 7	5,91,389 13 10
8. Tanjore.....	7,86,091 8 0	3,02,028 12 0	4,306 8 0	1,200 8 4	10,93,627 4 4	70 4 5	10,93,697 8 9	1,10,692 5 0	10,27,470 11 9	9,83,005 8 9
9. Madura.....	5,95,090 2 0	664 14 0	... ...	... ...	5,95,755 0 0	128 9 0	5,95,883 9 0	47,234 6 0	5,66,917 0 9	5,48,649 3 0
10. Tinnevelly.....	6,37,593 3 0	83,055 6 0	2,177 8 0	... ...	7,22,826 1 0	112 3 8	7,22,938 4 8	46,728 12 4	6,18,339 1 2	6,76,209 8 4
11. South Canara.....	2,88,992 13 1	2,61,137 4 0	... ...	... ...	5,50,130 1 1	7,041 2 11	5,57,171 4 0	1,88,937 2 5	4,40,678 5 1	3,68,234 1 7
12. Malabar.....	7,14,455 0 4	2,06,985 6 1	... ...	1,197 6 11	9,22,637 13 4	93 14 10	9,22,731 12 2	2,47,803 6 0	5,65,665 8 1	6,74,928 6 2
Total ...	57,37,003 7 4	53,79,149 4 1	51,944 1 4	7,020 13 3	111,75,117 10 0	11,281 5 2	111,86,398 15 2	13,86,133 4 1	92,68,735 11 4	98,00,265 11 1
						Earth salt in Bellary... ...	9,033 0 0			10,856 7 8
						Do. in Kurnool... ...	1,823 7 3			
							111,97,255 6 5			98,11,122 2 4

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Under date the 14th ~~April~~ May 1870

Read the following Pro
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Submitting Report on Settlement and Collection of Revenues of Madras Presidency for Fusly 1278. } H.E. 28th February 1870. No 14

This report of the Boar
of Revenue on the Settlemen
and Collection of the Revenue
of the Presidency for Fusly 12
or the Revenue year ending
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the order of Govt dated 11
May 1869. No 1313. The Boa
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District Report did not reach their Office until November last, and that the unusual pressure of work in connection with the preparation of the budgets presented the earlier preparation of the general report. They promise, however, to submit the report of the present year at a much earlier date, should no extraordinary delay occur in the arrival of the District reports. The Board will, however, be requested to enforce punctuality on the part of the Collectors in the transmission of their reports, and the Govt will be prepared to support them in any notice they may deem it necessary to take of delay on the part of the officers in the Provinces.

2. The only territorial alteration of importance made during the year was the formation of the Neilgherry District under Act I of 1868. The number of districts in the Presidency was thus raised from 19 to 20.

3. The gross Revenue of the year amounted to Rs. 66,54,134 against Rs 626,19,420 (inclusive of the License Tax collected in the Town of Madras) in 1867-68. The amount collected was thus in excess of that brought to account in any previous year. The increase of Rs. 35,34,714 was the result of the more favorable character of the season and the enhanced revenue derived from Salt, Sea Customs

	Rs.
July 1873	626,42,913
" 1876	655,37,502
" 1877	626,19,420

Sea Customs and Clamps. The charges amounted to Rs. 62,61,759 or Rs. 373,006 above the expenditure of July 1277, in consequence of the increased number of Residents and the introduction of a higher scale of deputation allowances for Officiating officers - The ratio of total charges to receipts viz: 9·4 was nearly the same as in the previous year. The net Revenue was Rs. 596,92,378 against Rs. 566,59,213 in July 1277

Season

4. The season was on the whole much better than the preceding one. The North East Monsoon was a failure in most of the Northern and Southern Districts, but the freshes in the large rivers in some of them husbanded as they were by the Annicuts, saved the paddy cultivation from destruction. Wet cultivation under rain-fed tanks and dependent on uncertain rain supplies failed. The season in the inland and west coast Districts as also in Tinnevelly and in the greater part of Madura was very good.

Sanitary condition

5. The Board remark that "Public health was remarkably good." This remark

remark is, strictly speaking, correct only as regards Cholera and Small pox. There has been an increase in the deaths from Fever and other diseases and the death rate of the year (15.06 per mille) is slightly higher than that of Fasly 1277 which was 13.95. This result is probably owing to greater accuracy in the Mortuary Returns.

6 The Govt are concerned to learn that cattle also suffered severely from murrain in several districts.

Prices

7 The comparatively low prices of Fasly 1277 have fallen still lower in the case of all dry grains which

constitute the staple articles of food of the poorer classes of the population, and the increase in the price of paddy 2nd sort could not have been much felt. In Ganjam Vizagapatam and Godavery where the N.E. Monsoon failed most, there was a considerable rise in the price of all grains, elsewhere the variations were too slight to have any material effect, the general tendency being downwards.

Ryots Holdings

8. The extent of land occupied on ryotwary tenure in all the Districts, South Canara excepted, was Acres 1,92,12,865 assessed at Rs. 3,41,65,672 against Acres 1,90,05,610 assessed at

at Rs.340,70,855 in Fasly 1277.
The increase under Dry and Wet, making allowance for the Amani lands in Tanjore, brought under Ryotwar Settlement, alluded to in para 10 of the Board's report, is shewn in the margin. The Board have included in the comparison the revenue or assessment of South Canara which vitiates the comparison as there is no corresponding entry of area. Omitting this amount the result is an increase of upwards of 2 lacs of acres, bearing an assessment of nearly a lac and half of Rupees.

	Extent acres	Assessment Rs.
Dry	+202,768	+ 145,013
Wet	+ 4469	- 50,312
Total	+207,237	+ 94,701

9. Under "Wet" there was an increase of more than 4,400 acres in the extent of the holdings, but a decrease of half a lac of Rupees in the assessment.

In the Kistna District alone there was a marked relinquishment of 21,838 acres assessed at Rs 119,620. Among other causes for the abandonment of this large extent of land the Board allude to the deterioration of the soil by Chavudu or the efflorescence of salt caused by the action of fresh water on

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regur soil and the enhancement of the wet assessment by the introduction of the new settlement rates. These points have been fully entered into by Mr. C. G. Master in his report on the falling off of cultivation in the Kistna District, and will receive consideration when the Board's remarks on Mr. Master's report are received.

Ryotwar Settlement

	Fusly 1277	Fusly 1278
Assessment on actual buildings	34070971	34165672
Deduct waste remitted	1518913	1199635
Remainder	32552058	32966037
Add.		
Second Crop assessment	476734	532297
Additional assessment	391451	408998
Water tax	940378	940792
Revenue of South Canara	1383138	1385104
	35743759	36233228
Deduct.		
Remissions	3017981	2470601
	32725778	33762627

10. The actual Ryotwar settlement of the Presidency amounted to Rs. 33762627 against Rs. 32725778.

The extent of land actually cultivated shows an increase of Acres 225,465, bearing the assessment of Rs. 192,305. Under the head "land & left waste" there was a decrease of 18,210 Acres assessed at Rs. 95,522. These figures and the variations in almost all the other subordinate items of the settlement

settlement given in the margin bear unmistakeable evidence of improvement.

11. The "Occasional and Waste" remissions which vary with the character of the season show a decrease, indicating the generally successful issue of the year's labour. The remissions would have been still less but for the scantiness of the monsoon in six of the twenty Districts.

Remissions.

	Fasly 1277	Fasly 1278
Waste remissions	1,518,912	1199,635
Occasional remissions	23,31,759	15,07,037

12 The remissions of a fixed character and deductions from the collections on account of the remuneration of Village Servants do not need no particular notice. The large increase under the latter head is owing to the pay of village servants having been for the first time deducted from the assessment in the Districts of Tanjore, Godavery, and Tinnevelly.

	Remissions of a fixed Character	Deductions from Reviz.
Fasly 1277	97,801	688,421
" 1278	1,12,678	850,896
Increase	14,877	1,62,475

Deishmukh or Zemindary Revenue.

13. The Permanently settled Revenue of the year from Zemindaries and

and Mootahs amounted to Rs. 5146,522 against Rs. 5132,859 in Fasly 1277. The increase of Rs. 13,663 was the result mainly of the collection of water rate in the Goodoor Durgamah, and the restoration of two estates in the Kistna District to the persons who claimed them.

14. The increase of Rs. 2,611 under the head of Shotrium and Inam Quitrent is nominal and consisting merely of a transfer to this item from Land Revenue

Shotrium & Inam Quit Rent.	
Fasly 1277	6,68,117
1278	6,70,728
Increase	2,611.

Miscellaneous.

Revenue Miscellaneous to which the sum was formerly erroneously credited.

15. The Revenue from the various minor items classed under this head amounted to Rs. 34,95,113 against Rs. 34,55,311 in Fasly 1277. The increase is the combined result of the sum of Rs. 89,425, the sale proceeds of escheated lands in Malabar having

having been credited for the first time to Land Revenue, and to the decrease of Rs. 1,36,877 in the rent of islands in the Godavery District. The decrease was due partly to the introduction of the new Settlement rates and partly to certain lunkas or Islands in the river having been left unoccupied in consequence of the bad outturn of the

the Tobacco crop on them in the previous season.

16. The total Land Revenue Demand of the year under all heads amounted to Rs. 430,74,990 against Rs. 419,81,948 in Fusly 1277. The increase was Rs. 10,93,042.

Special Products.

	Fusly 1277	Fusly 1278
Sugar-cane	41,733	39,771
Cotton	1486,861	1341,365
Indigo	116,880	162,015

17. There was a decrease in the cultivation of Sugar-cane and Cotton which the Board attribute in the case of the former to want of water in several Districts & in that of the latter partly to the season & partly to the ever varying state of the market. The prospect of a good Jonna crop in the Ceded Districts appears to have also checked the cultivation of cotton. The cultivation of Indigo in Cuddapah Bellary & Kurnool was also largely influenced by an increase demand in the market for that article.

18. The demand on account of Sundry sources of

of Revenue is shown in the subjoined table—

Items—	Fusly 1277—	Fusly 1278—	Difference—
Abkarry	53,27,863.	49,05,543.	— 4,22,320.
Income tax	"	73,900.	+ 73,900.
License tax	5,48,941.	5,07,511.	— 41,430.
Salt	105,62,247.	111,98,249.	+ 6,36,002.
Sea Customs	24,11,354.	25,88,750.	+ 1,77,396.
Land Customs	1,51,606.	1,89,756.	+ 38,150.
Stamps	35,89,001.	39,49,938.	+ 3,60,937.
Total—	225,91,012.	234,13,647.	+ 4,63,750.

19 The decrease of nearly 4 1/4 lacs under Abkarry was the combined result of an increase of Rs 1,33,260 in ten districts and a decrease of Rs 5,55,580 in as many, but this falling off in this branch of revenue in the year under report has been fully recovered in the present year—

Abkarry—

20 The Income Tax which was in operation during the last three months of the Fusly superseded the License Tax which was collected

Income & License Taxes—

collected up to that time, and the Revenue entered under the former head consists only of deductions made from the salaries of Govt officials— No fair comparison can therefore be instituted under these heads—

Salt—

21. The demand under "Salt" shews the large addition of Rs 6,36,000 to the Revenue of Fusly 1277 which has occurred chiefly in the Districts noted in the margin— The sales in the first two Districts respectively were chiefly influenced by the demand from Hyderabad in consequence of the stores there

	Rs
Kistna—	3,68,941.
Madras—	1,32,317.
South Arcot—	53,003.
Malabar—	75,695.

there having been exhausted and by the further exten-sion of the North West Line of Railway towards Bellary - Compared with the collections of the last five years, the Revenue under this head (Rs 111,98,247) is more than that realized in any year except Fusly 1276 and exceeds the average of those years by more than 8 1/4 lacs -

	Rs
1273 -	94,78,845
1274 -	99,17,221
1275 -	162,85,487
1276 -	115,87,979
1277 -	105,62,247
Total -	518,31,779
Average	103,66,356 -

22 The quantity of Salt sold in the year was 71,87,473 Indian Maunds against 66,69,562 in Fusly 1277 - The balance in store at the close of the former year was not only less than the balance of Fusly 1277 but was also below the average of the previous five years by more than 9 3/4 lacs

Fusly 1277 -	96,10,067
" 1278 -	86,80,636
Decrease -	9,29,431

lacs - This decrease is owing chiefly to the quantity manufactured having on the whole fallen short by nearly 4 1/4 lacs of Maunds The falling off in the Madras District alone amounted to no less than 6 1/4 lacs of Maunds in consequence of the manufacture in the Northern pans having been suspended till April 186 from the fact of the Ennore bar not having been opened until that time The Board will be requested to take early steps in the present year to guard against a similar contingency reducing the quantity in store below the usual standard -

23. The charges of the Salt Deptt amounted to Rs 13,86,060 against Rs 12,80,916 notwithstanding the

the smaller quantity manufactured. An examination of the figures in the latter part of para 44 of the Board's report shows that while there was a large decrease under all items more or less affected by the quantity manufactured, there was an increase of Rs. 61,348 under "Purchase and manufacturers' share" owing, as the Board remark, to the payment of the Kudiwaram of the previous year in Fusly

Demand	111,98,249.
Deduct balance	994.
Actual Collection	111,97,255.
Deduct charges	13,86,060.
net Revenue	98,11,195.

*1273	84,74,958.
1274	85,19,728.
1275	86,77,539.
1276	101,70,053.
1277	92,78,221.
Total	4,51,20,499.
Average	90,24,099.

1278. The entire expenditure of Rs. 46,957 under "Petty construction and Repairs" also appears nominally under the increase from the absence of a similar item of charge in the returns of 1277.

24 The net Salt Revenue of the year amounted to Rs. 98,11,195 showing an increase of Rs. 5,32,974 over the net Revenue of Fusly 1277, and of 7,87,000 over the average* net revenue of

of the last full year.

25. The total wastage of Salt in the year was Indian Maunds 1,93,527 and under the explanation given by the Board in para 43, sanction is granted for writing off this quantity.

The

Sea & Land Customs.

	Rs
Sea Customs —	1,77,396
Land Do —	38,150.
	2,15,546

26. The aggregate increase of Rs 2,15,546 under these heads is the result of the general improvement in trade throughout the Presidency except in South Arcot in which District there was a falling off of Rs 21331 in the collections.

Stamps.

27. The Stamp Revenue shows an increase of Rs 3,60,937 which is attributed to the number of stamps required for the renewal of the Abkarry leases as also to the gradual progress of trade and the increase of the wealth of the country.

Demand, Collection & Balance of Current Revenue.

28. The total demand on account of all sources of Revenue amounted to Rs 664,88,637

of

of which Rs. 614,57,261 or a little more than 92 per cent was collected within the Fasly. The subsequent collections upto October 1869 amounted to Rs. 37,57,738, leaving a balance of only Rs. 12,73,638 or less than two per cent.

9. This punctuality in the collection of the Public Revenues is highly creditable to the Revenue officers. The explanation given by the Board of the outstanding balances requires notice. The balances of Peishcush against

against the Ramnad Zemindary amounted to Rs. 2,05,759. The Board state that the collection from this estate is allowed to remain in abeyance pending the disposal of the proposition to place it under Government management and the arrear may continue to lie over. The balance due from the late Abkary renter of the Madras District too should not be allowed to stand over. The Govt. in their order dated

dated 11th February 1870.
requested the Board to
ascertain the grounds
on which the addition-
al lease of one year
was conceded to him,
and to obtain the original
or copy of the Petition
presented by him on the
subject. This order
should receive im-
mediate attention
and the Board
, will consider whether the
arrears cannot be re-
covered from the renter
leaving any compensation
claimed

claimed by him for future
settlement.

Demand, Collection and Balance of arrears.

80. The total demand on account of arrears amounted to Rs 62,83,653 at the commencement of the Fasly: Deducting the collections and remissions both within and subsequent to the Fasly upto 31st October 1869, the balance left was Rs 11,13,701, and of this, the sum of Rs 3,28,580-14-5 is stated to be irrecoverable.

81. Under the explanation given in paras 56 to 60 of the Board's report, sanction is granted for writing off the entire amount of Rs 3,28,580-14-5.

82. The recoverable and doubtful balances should be

be determined as soon as possible. The Fuslywar statement appended to para 62 of the Board's report does not give the particulars necessary to enable the Govt. to ascertain the districts in which old items remain unadjusted at the close of the Fusly for which the report is submitted as required in para 29 of the order dated 11th May 1869, No. 1313. As remarked by the Board the Collectors should take steps to adjust these balances at the earliest possible date.

33. The resort to the coercive process during the year was rare considering the increased Revenue

	Fusly 1277	Fusly 1278
Number of persons against whom processes were issued	58,344.	48,742
Revenue realized by actual sales	133,631.	105,490.

Revenue realized in Fusly 1278. The comparison of the number of ryots against whom processes were issued and of the revenue collected by actual sales with the figures of Fusly 1277 under the same heads as shown in the margin, is very satisfactory.

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