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No. 413. Read the following Proceedings of the Board of Revenue:—

Submitting Report on Settlement and Collection of Revenues of Madras Presidency for 1865-66, with explanatory statements and a file of printed Reports of Collectors. (Here enter 11th June 1867, No. 3,569.)

No. 414. ORDER THEREON, 25th September 1867, No. 2,244.

Land Revenue

		rs.
Collections for 1864-65, excluding Forest Revenue ...	...	625,03,833
Collections for 1865-66...	...	620,80,397
Decrease ..		4,23,436
Charges for 1864-65	...	59,89,206
Do. for 1865-66	...	62,32,386
Increase...		2,44,180

1. These Proceedings contain the Board's Settlement Report for the Revenue year from July 1865 to June 1866.

2. The gross collections amounted to Rupees 620,80,397, and the charges to Rupees 62,32,386, so that the net income of the year was Rs. 558,48,011.

3. The decrease in collections shews the effect of a most unfavorable season on the land revenue, and the result of the abolition of the Income tax. The increase in charges was due to the additional number of Covenanted Assistants who entered the service; to the revision of Revenue Establishments; and to the purchase of larger quantities than usual of Columbo Arrack in Madras, and of Salt in Malabar.

4. The season was again unfavorable in all parts of the Presidency except in Tinnevelly. In Ganjam and Bellary a continuous drought resulted in famine, and necessitated large remissions and much expenditure for the relief of the people. The north-east monsoon was late and scanty. In Tanjore, where the previous season was described as one of the most unfavorable known for many years, the season of 1865-66 is said to have been almost without a parallel in the memory of the present generation. The south-west monsoon was also unpropitious, and though a larger quantity of rain than usual fell on the Western Coast, the crops were deficient. In all the other districts of the Presidency, with the exception of the Godavery, South Arcot, Coimbatore, Salem, and Tinnevelly, the rain-fall was less than in the previous year, which was itself most unfavorable to agriculture.

5. The health of the people suffered from the character of the season, especially in Ganjam, where large numbers (including, however, many immigrants from Orissa) died from starvation as well as from cholera, fever, and small-pox. Cholera of a virulent type was especially prevalent in seven districts. Still, the sanitary aspect of the year was not so bad as the season gave cause to expect.

6. Cattle perished in considerable numbers from want of fodder and water, but no particular disease is reported as having been exceptionally prevalent.

7. Prices rose again everywhere, attaining in some places to famine rates. The increment ranged from four to twenty-two per cent. The poorer classes were frequently reduced to seeking a precarious subsistence from wild leaves and roots. At the conclusion of the year the general distress had become so great as to render the intervention of the State necessary in many districts. Relief houses had been opened, and famine works organized in Ganjam some months before.

8. The extent of Ryots' holdings in all districts, excluding South Canara, but including the cultivated area in Malabar, was Acres 144,59,368 of unirrigated land, assessed at Rupees 160,76,264, and Acres 33,99,763 of irrigated land, assessed at Rupees 166,20,758. These figures exclude Acres 3,84,598 of land in the holdings which lay waste from causes beyond the Ryots' control, and the assessment on which, amounting to Rupees 10,60,245, was remitted.

		Rs.
Remission, Actual...	...	13,32,546
Do. Road Cess, &c.	...	8,20,594
		21,53,140
Dry Assessment	... ...	160,76,264
Wet do.	...	166,20,758
Canara Land Assessment	...	13,76,296
Second crop, &c.	... ...	22,56,242
		363,29,560
Remission deducted	... ...	21,53,140
Balance Ryotwari Settlement	...	341,76,420

9. The Collector of Malabar has this year, for the first time, estimated approximately the extent of cultivation in his district. It aggregates Acres 3,73,650 of land under dry cultivation, and Acres 3,79,318 of land cultivated with wet crops. There are no available data for calculating the area under cultivation in South Canara; the assessment on the holdings amounted for the year to Rupees 13,76,296.

10. The second crop assessment, water-tax, road-cess, and other items amounted to Rupees 22,56,242.

11. The actual remissions of revenue amounted altogether to Rs. 13,32,546, to which must be added Rupees 8,20,594, Road Cess and Méra entered under the same head, but both merely as a matter of account. Out of the true remissions, the amount which depends on the state of the season decreased on the whole by Rupees 5,572, but that portion of it which is assigned to withered crops increased by Rupees 2,60,292. In Tanjore alone remission to the extent of Rupees 2,33,114 had to be granted on account of failure of cultivation. The Government are glad to observe that the irregularities in granting remissions alluded to by the Board in their Reports for Fuslies 1273 and 1274 have ceased. The fixed remissions have increased by Rupees 83,777, but this is a ground for congratulation, because it results from a large extent of land being planted during the year with topes. The deductions allowed on the collection or demand of villages decreased by Rupees 4,09,876, but the change is nominal.

12. Thus the Ryotwary Settlement for Fusly 1275 shews a demand of Rupees 341,76,420, or three and one-third lacs more than that of the previous year. This result is certainly satisfactory, but the Board seem to be mistaken when they calculate that the deficiency in the previous year has been made up *mainly* by extended cultivation, for the increase in water-tax alone amounted to nearly three lacs. The area of unirrigated land under cultivation increased by Acres 3,51,249, and the assessment on the area by Rupees 2,11,791, the increase in Trichinopoly alone amounting to Acres 39,323, and shewing that the loss by the new Settlement will soon disappear in virtue of the encouragement offered by it to agriculturists. The area of irrigated land decreased by 23,749 Acres, and the assessment by Rupees 1,17,294.

13. The Peishcush on permanently settled Estates amounted to Rs. 51,33,242; the Jodi on Shrotriem and Inam villages to Rs. 6,55,150, and the Miscellaneous Items to Rupees 31,71,206.

14. "Peishcush and Jodi" were nearly the same as in the preceding year, but "Miscellaneous Items" increased by Rupees 2,64,496, chiefly from the operations of the Inam Commissioner, and from the tax on water supplied to Zemindary and Inam lands.

15. Thus the total Land Revenue demand was Rupees 431,36,018, or Rupees 6,14,657 more than in Fusly 1274.

	Acres.
Area under Cotton in Fusly 1274 ...	17,47,501
Do. do. do. 1275 ...	13,95,697
	3,51,804

16. The statistics regarding special products shew that the cultivation of Cotton has diminished in all parts of the Presidency, the total decrease being as much as twenty per cent., while that of Sugar-cane has slightly increased, and that of Indigo has recovered in great part from the depression of Fusly 1274.

	Rs.
Abkarry	40,91,764
Income Tax	67,339
Sea Customs	19,45,425
Land do.	1,23,079
Stamps	31,49,219

17. The revenue from Abkarry increased by Rupees 8,737, that from Sea Customs by Rupees 1,37,649, and that from Stamps by Rupees 3,84,050. The large addition to the Stamp Revenue is ascribed to increased litigation, and to the stricter enforcement of the penal provisions of the Stamp Act. The Land Customs diminished by Rupees 97,049, chiefly in consequence of the trade convention with Travancore and Cochin.

	Gross.	Net
Fusly 1271 ...	Rs. 87,06,096	Rs. 75,78,200
,, 1272 ...	,, 91,93,989	,, 80,19,358
,, 1273 ...	,, 94,78,845	,, 84,74,959
,, 1274 ...	,, 99,17,221	,, 85,19,728
,, 1275 ...	,, 102,74,290	,, 86,63,130
Increase in Fusly 1275, Gross	Rs. 3,57,069	
Net	,, 1,43,402	

18. The gross revenue from Salt again increased by Rupees 3,57,069. The progress of the Railway and the efficient working of the department tended, as in previous years, to produce this result, whilst the raising of the Monopoly price at the end of the Fusly, and the transfer of the revenue on Earth-salt manufactured in Bellary and Kurnool to the head of Salt Revenue are causes which acted for the first time. The charges also increased from fourteen to fifteen per cent., but the net revenue was nevertheless Rupees 1,43,402 more than in the previous year. The quantity of salt sold increased from 75,80,639 to 81,11,617 Maunds, and that of salt received into store from 67,83,303 to 87,70,876 Maunds. The Government are glad to observe that the wastage diminished from seven per cent. to a little less than six per cent. The only districts in which the per-centage was greater than six per cent. are Vizagapatam, Godavery, Kistna, and South Arcot. Explanation is given with regard to the first two districts, and has been called for from South Arcot, but the Government wish to know whether there were any peculiar circumstances to cause loss in the Kistna District also. Meanwhile, sanction is given for writing off the full amount, viz., 5,35,798 Maunds 14 Seers, as recommended in paragraph 64 of the Board's Report. The Board are right in refusing to allow the wastage in South Arcot to be written off till further explanation is given. The Government hope that steps will be taken

to cause this sanction to be taken advantage of at once, so that it may not have to be repeated.

19. The entire current demand on all sources of the revenue was Rupees 627,99,234. Excluding Income tax, the increase over Fusly 1274 amounts to Rupees 14,15,953. Of this demand, ninety-four per cent. was collected within the Fusly, and Rupees 18,006 were remitted. By the end of December all had been collected, except Rupees 9,11,740, or 1·45 per cent. on the demand. These percentages are larger than in the preceding year; but the Board shew that the greater part of the increase occurs in the Peishcush on permanently settled Estates, Ryotwary Revenue and Miscellaneous Items, and is due chiefly to the exceptional character of the season.

20. Of the entire revenue, only Rupees 65,709 was realized by distress or attachment and sale of real or other property. Looking to the improvement which is shewn in every considerable item, and the ease with which so large a demand has been collected, the Government agree with the Board that the state of the revenue is most satisfactory.

21. The state of the collections in the Nilgiri talook on lands held by Europeans, &c., is more unsatisfactory than ever. Out of a demand of Rupees 7,176, nothing was collected within the Fusly, and Rupees 2,057 were still outstanding three months after it had ended. Although the amount is small, it is particularly desirable that this species of revenue should be realized promptly, and the Government have issued reiterated instructions to that effect. The Board will now call upon the Collector to report why *none* of the demand was collected within the year, to specify the exact amount of which payment was refused on account of disputed areas, and to shew whether the refusal was warranted by the circumstances of the case.

22. The arrears at the beginning of the Fusly amounted to Rupees 37,52,844, of which Rupees 28,81,555 was collected within the Fusly, and Rupees 91,520 remitted. Rupees 5,95,962 remained outstanding at the end of the calendar year, and out of this sum, Rupees 1,84,557 is pronounced to be irrecoverable. Sanction is granted for writing off this amount.

(True Extract.)

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To the Board of Revenue.
,, the Accountant General.

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No. 3,569.

PROCEEDINGS OF THE BOARD OF REVENUE, dated 11th June 1867.

1. The Board beg to lay before Government their annual Report on the settlement and collection of the revenues of the Madras Presidency for Fusly 1275, (A. D. 1865-66,) accompanied by explanatory statements, and a file of the printed reports of the several Collectors.

2. The number of annual statements hitherto submitted was 25, but it has this year been reduced to 8, as approved by Government in their Proceedings, dated 15th January 1867, No. 125. The unsuccessful efforts made in the Board's Office to introduce the alterations suggested by Government in the form of statement of ryots' holdings, &c., have occasioned some delay in the submission of this report. They will, however, be made in this statement in future years, as the necessary instructions have been sent to Collectors. The Comparative Statement No. 5, which the Government directed in paragraph 2 of their Order should be retained, will be submitted separately on this occasion as Statement A.

Fusline.	Taluks.	Villages.	Puttahs.
1274	156	30,213	23,21,356
1275	156	30,190	22,65,245
Decrease.	...	23	56,111

Districts.	Increase.	Decrease.
Ganjam	...	2
Vizagapatam	8	...
Godavery	...	4
Kistna	...	8
Nellore	...	8
Cuddapah	...	13
Bellary	1	...
Kurnool	...	1
South Arcot	10	...
Tanjore	...	1
Trichinopoly	...	10
Madura	...	1
	14	87
	Net —	23

3. STATEMENT No. 1.—The number of Taluks settled on Ryotwar principles in the 19 districts of the Madras Presidency was 156, as in Fusly 1274. The Palcondah taluk in the Vizagapatam district is still rented to Messrs. Arbuthnot and Co. The number of villages comprised in the Government or Ryotwar taluks was 30,190, being 23 less than in Fusly 1274. The marginal abstract shows the Districts in which the variations occur (as compared with the preceding year.) The decrease in Cuddapah is owing to certain "Anna Shrotriem" villages hitherto included under Ryotwar having been enfranchised by the Inam Commissioner, and transferred to the head of "Kayem Jody" villages. The increase of 10 villages in South Arcot, and the corresponding decrease in Trichinopoly, are owing to the transfer of villages from the latter to the former district, as ordered in Extract from the Minutes of Consultation, dated 14th May 1858, No. 629. This Order was not carried into effect until Fusly 1275, pending the re-arrangement of the villages in the Trichinopoly District by the Settlement Department. The fluctuations in the remaining districts are trifling, and may generally be ascribed to the transfer of ryotwar villages to other tenures.

4. The number of puttahs issued during the year amounted to 22,65,245,* being 56,111 less than in Fusly 1274. This decrease was caused by dispensing with the issue of separate puttahs for miscellaneous items in certain districts, under instructions from the Board, dated 7th February 1866, No. 122. Of the whole number of puttahs, nearly 28 per cent. were new puttahs. This per-centage would have been considerably reduced if the orders just referred to had been strictly followed in all districts. In some districts, too, it was found necessary to issue fresh puttahs in the case of those persons who had hitherto cultivated their lands without any document from Government, and also in the case of extensive transfers of landed property. The system of issuing puttahs for holdings in the Mottafysal

* Fresh puttahs issued during the Fusly ...	6,34,833
Old puttahs modified by additional entries ...	4,34,477
Do. not modified by do. ...	11,95,935
	22,65,245

first rice-crop, but subsequently there was an utter failure of rain. In Malabar it was, however, the reverse, for there the early showers were deficient, and the south-west monsoon set in late. Heavy downpours followed, by which the Kanni crop suffered in parts, though on the whole the outturn was an average one.

11. The subjoined Abstract shows at one view the average fall of rain in the several districts of the Madras Presidency, as compared with Fusly 1274:—

Districts.	April to September 1865, inclusive.	October 1865 to March 1866 inclusive.	Total for the whole year.	Total for Fusly 1274.
	Inches.	Inches.	Inches.	Inches.
1. Ganjam...	24·00	1·70	25·70	34·12
2. Vizagapatam...	29·49	1·67	31·16	31·80
3. Godavery	28·08	2·52	30·60	26·19
4. Kistna	22·74	4·10	26·84	27·56
5. Nellore	9·92	13·33	23·25	27·98
6. Cuddapah	12·05	3·80	15·85	16·43
7. Bellary	14·52	1·07	15·59	18·1
8. Kurnool	18·37	1·53	19·90	22·8
9. Madras	12·55	13·39	25·94	29·3
10. North Arcot...	13·20	11·58	24·78	26·4
11. South Arcot	16·92	9·28	26·20	25·00
12. Tanjore...	12·62	10·55	23·17	35·91
13. Trichinopoly...	30·59	20·70	51·29	52·55
14. Madura...	14·08	8·36	22·44	26·37
15. Tinnevelly	6·54	18·68	25·22	17·95
16. Coimbatore	22·28	7·35	29·63	27·8
17. Salem	22·30	6·42	28·72	24·3
18. South Canara	138·27	9·51	147·78	128·13
19. Malabar	71·40	12·92	84·32	139·2

§12. SANITARY CONDITION.—In a sanitary point of view, the year was unfavourable, though not so bad as might have been expected from the nature of the season. In almost every district, cholera, small-pox, and fever, prevailed more or less. In Ganjam, the deaths known to have occurred from these epidemics, as well as from starvation, amounted to 28,846,* (excluding a large number of deaths that occurred in the jungles and other solitary places to which the poor were driven in search of roots and leaves for food.)

* Cholera...	21,044
Small-pox	2,957
Starvation..	4,845
	28,846

Cholera of a virulent type appeared in the districts noted in the margin, and carried off a large number of persons. In Malabar, the mortality from this cause alone was very great, no less than 23,328 persons having died of the disease. The total number of deaths from various causes during the year, in the districts of Godavery, Cuddapah, and Coimbatore, as given by the Collectors, is shown in the margin; but few of the other Collectors have furnished this useful information in their reports, though registers of deaths are kept in the districts by a special establishment allowed for the purpose. In Tinnevelly, Salem, and South Canara, the public health was tolerably good.

Godavery.
Bellary.
Kurnool.
Madras.
Tanjore.
Madura.
Malabar.

Godavery	34,217
Cuddapah...	17,748
Coimbatore.	16,859

13. The mortality among cattle was considerable during the past year. Independent of the loss by disease, large numbers perished from want of fodder and water during the dry season. The Collector of Tanjore observes that in the upland tracts, the cattle were dropping dead in large numbers, not so much from disease, as from hunger and thirst. In Ganjam, on the contrary, the cattle were singularly healthy.

villages was for the first time introduced into Tanjore, with reference to the instructions of the Board, dated 10th April 1865. The operations of the new settlement in some villages of Kurnool and Nellore, have also contributed to raise the number of puttahs.

5. From the reports of the Collectors, it appears that miscellaneous puttahs were issued during the year, in the districts noted in the margin; but this was probably done before the receipt of the Board's orders above quoted.

Nellore.
Kurnool.
North Arcot.
Madras.

6. It will be observed that under the system now adopted by the Board, the issue of fresh puttahs every year will not be necessary, except to those who take up lands for the first time.

7. SEASON.—The season of Fusly 1275 was very unfavourable throughout the Presidency, except in Tinnevelly. Of the districts which comprise the Northern Circars, Ganjam suffered most, and in that district the effects of the general scarcity were very disastrous, special measures being needed for the relief of the sufferers. In Vizagapatam, the early rains were sufficient, and the dry crops were abundant; but the north-east monsoon having almost entirely failed, large remissions were necessary. In the Kistna district the supply of water from the anicut channels was inadequate, nor did the Kolair lake receive its usual supply. There was very little rain in the Godavery district till the end of July, and the want of it was much felt in the early part of the season; but the rains in and subsequent to August proved favourable for wet cultivation, particularly in the upland taluks. The freshes in the Godavery rose to 28 feet, or 5 feet higher than in the preceding year, and caused some damage to the crops on the islands in the river bed.

8. In the districts noted in the margin, the early rains were scanty, though somewhat favourable for agricultural operations; but the subsequent droughts greatly impeded all cultivation, and materially affected the outturn of the harvest. In Trichinopoly, the freshes in the Cauvery were unusually low, and the irrigating channels, particularly the Wycundum, were ill-supplied. In Tanjore, the season is described by the Collector to have had "scarcely a parallel within the memory of the present generation." During the earlier stages, the prospects of agriculture in that district were fair, and the moderate freshes in the rivers, coupled with partial showers up to November, allowed of cultivation being carried on to the fullest extent throughout the greater part of the Delta; but latterly, the character of the season greatly changed, and the rivers went down rapidly. The north-east monsoon, on which the outturn of the Semba peshanum rice crops in a great measure depends, almost entirely failed in October and November. It was in the upland taluks, however, that the people suffered most by the continued drought. In Tinnevelly, the season was generally favourable, and there was no necessity for any special remission in that district for dry crops.

Nellore.
Madras.
South Arcot.
Tanjore.
Madura.

9. In Bellary, Cuddapah, and Kurnool, want of rain was much felt. The early rains were partially favourable, and were opportune for the standing crops, but little or no rain fell during the latter part of the year. In a few villages of Cuddapah, the crops were damaged by locusts. In Bellary, only 315 out of 1,118 tanks received a full supply, and the season in that district proved most distressing. The outturn of the crops was only about one-fourth of those of a good year, and, as in Ganjam, special measures for the relief of the people became necessary. In North Arcot, the early rains were light and partial, the tanks received a poor supply, though small floods passed down the rivers and partially supplied the tanks fed by their channels. In parts of the district which do not possess these reservoirs, the south-west monsoon was too scanty to provide for the agricultural requirements of the season. The north-east monsoon set in very late, and on the opening of both monsoons high winds caused great damage to the tanks, &c. The northern parts of the district fared better, and had copious falls which flooded the Palar and Ponne rivers.

10. The season in the Coimbatore and the Salem districts was at the commencement a fair one, but the subsequent rains were partial and scanty, and much distress was experienced in parts of both districts. In South Canara the fall up to August was on the whole seasonable to the

14. PRICES, STATEMENT No. 2.—The price of agricultural produce continued to rise generally during the year, and towards its close attained in some districts famine rates. As compared with Fusly 1274, the increase ranged from 4 to 22 per cent. It was still greater when contrasted with the average of the last 10 years. The annexed abstract shows the prices of some of the principal products, in comparison with their prices in Fusly 1274, and with the averages of the preceding 10 years.

Grain.	Average price per Madras garce for 10 years from Fusly 1265 to Fusly 1274.	Fusly 1274.	Fusly 1275.	Increase in Fusly 1275, as compared with the average.	Per-centage of columns 2 and 5.	Increase in Fusly 1275, as compared with Fusly 1274.	Per-centage of columns 3 and 7.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
Paddy, 1st sort, per garce.	153	206	219	66	43	13	6
Do. 2nd do.	140	188	201	61	44	13	7
Cholum or Javery.	176	222	270	94	53	48	22
Cumboo or Bajara.	160	211	246	86	54	35	17
Raggy...	160	209	247	87	54	38	18
Horse-gram. — ...	196	253	295	99	51	42	17

15. As already observed, there was an increase in the price of paddy of both sorts; but as second sort paddy largely enters into the consumption of the mass of the population, the price of it for Fusly 1275 is compared below with the prices ranging in the preceding four years, and with the averages of three periods of five years each preceding.

Districts.	Price per garce.														
	Average of 5 years from Fusly 1256 to Fusly 1260.	Average of 5 years from Fusly 1261 to Fusly 1265.	Average of 5 years from Fusly 1266 to Fusly 1270.	Fusly 1271.	Fusly 1272.	Fusly 1273.	Fusly 1274.	Fusly 1275.	Increase as compared with Column 2.	Increase as compared with Column 3.	Increase as compared with Column 4.	Increase as compared with Column 5.	Increase as compared with Column 6.	Increase as compared with Column 7.	Increase as compared with Column 8.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16
	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
1. Ganjam... ...	46	59	77	101	91	82	110	183	137	124	106	82	92	101	73
2. Vizagapatam...	65	68	94	121	119	104	145	202	137	134	108	81	83	98	57
3. Godavery ...	68	78	85	124	132	127	135	135	67	57	50	11	3	8	...
4. Kistna	83	99	85	135	159	182	182	168	85	69	83	33	9 d	14 d	14
5. Nellore	78	97	118	144	165	178	178	178	100	81	60	34	13	...	...
6. Cuddapah ...	84	101	143	176	198	207	232	230	146	129	87	54	32	23 d	2
7. Bellary	92	90	125	143	158	217	242	233	141	143	108	90	75	16 d	9
8. Kurnool ...	88	107	131	150	168	216	241	233	145	126	102	83	65	17 d	8
9. Madras	81	99	102	165	161	157	162	183	102	84	81	18	23	26	21
10. North Arcot ...	82	85	119	164	153	148	163	175	93	90	56	11	23	27	12
11. South Arcot ...	77	91	122	152	135	144	157	166	89	75	44	14	31	22	9
12. Tanjore	70	77	119	144	129	139	168	177	107	100	58	33	48	38	9
13. Trichinopoly ...	80	82	137	172	156	153	189	194	114	112	57	22	38	41	5
14. Madura... ...	95	91	149	176	179	155	234	247	152	156	98	71	68	92	13
15. Tinnevelly ...	87	110	155	163	184	174	247	257	170	147	102	94	73	83	10
16. Coimbatore ...	91	101	171	189	183	186	221	240	149	139	69	51	57	54	19
17. Salem	85	84	145	163	147	153	180	198	113	114	53	35	51	45	18
18. South Canara...	81	89	127	132	144	175	189	184	103	95	57	52	40	9 d	5
19. Malabar ...	81	98	160	160	171	208	199	229	148	131	69	69	68	21	30

16. Except in the districts marginally noted, the price of second sort paddy rose as contrasted with Fusly 1274. In some districts, the rise was considerable. The highest increase was in Ganjam, viz., 73 rupees per garce. This was owing in part to importation having ceased from the neighbouring districts of Cuttack and Pooree by way of the Chilka lake. A bad harvest through failure of the rains also contributed to raise the price. The increase in price of food was severely felt in many districts, and is primarily to be ascribed to a succession of bad seasons, though the increased demand from abroad may have also tended to cause it. The poorer classes in some districts were in consequence of these high prices driven to the necessity of subsisting on herbs and the roots of plants. There was a still greater rise in the price of food in the last months of the year under report and in the earlier months of the present year, and the state of the population became so distressing as generally to necessitate State intervention. Famine works were first organised in the distressed localities, and in July of 1866, Relief-houses were opened.

Godavery.
Kistna.
Nellore.
Cuddapah.
Bellary.
Kurnool.
South Arcot.

Ganjam.
Salem.
Tanjore.
Bellary.
North Arcot.

17. The high prices which prevailed during the Fusly, do not appear to have produced any marked effect upon labor. The rate of wages continued as usual with slight variations. The famine prices which prevailed in some districts induced a large number of persons to emigrate to Ceylon, Mauritius, and other places, where there is always a good market for labour.

18. RYOTS' HOLDING, STATEMENT No. 3.—In this Statement the ryots' holdings, cultivation, and settlement, are shown at one view. It should be here explained that in this Statement, as well as in the other Statements submitted with this Report, the item "Garden" has been altogether omitted, though it was retained in some of the District accounts. All irrigated garden has been included under the head "Wet," and all unirrigated under "Dry" in the statements attached to this report. In all the Comparative Statements the figures for Fusly 1274 have been similarly altered to render a comparison easy. In Madras, all lands cultivated in the village site or Gramanuttam, and all lands on which garden produce is generally raised, have always been classed under garden, without distinguishing the irrigated from the unirrigated. The whole of this cultivation, which is however trifling in extent, has been entered this year under the head of dry, owing to the want of information on the subject of these details. The Collector promises that in the current year's accounts each kind of cultivation shall be distributed under its proper head.

19. Notwithstanding the adverse character of the season in Fusly 1275, agricultural operations appear on the whole to have steadily progressed. The ryots' holdings of the year exhibit an increase in area of Acres 1,69,669, and in assessment of Rupees 1,33,259. This increase is of course owing to more lands having been taken up on the whole than were given up. The column showing the assessment of lands given up includes that of the lands in certain ryotwar villages transferred to other than ryotwar tenures, and also the reduction of assessment on the lands irrigated from wells in certain districts. The increase in the holdings under such circumstances both as to extent and assessment may be regarded as satisfactory.

20. The following is an Abstract of the holdings in Statement No. 3, exhibiting in one view the holdings at the commencement of the year, the subsequent changes, and the waste remitted and charged. In this abstract, the particulars for the district of Malabar are for the first time included, but South Canara is entered separately as usual, as the extent under occupancy in that district is not known:—

Items.	Extent of land in Acres.	Assessment in Rupees.
	Acres.	Rupees.
Holdings at the beginning of Fusly 1275, including Malabar ...	180,73,970	336,24,008
Deduct lands given up and decrease by reduction of assessment ...	7,56,599	12,32,867
Remainder	173,17,371	323,91,141
Add lands newly taken up...	9,26,268	13,66,126
Total	182,43,639	337,57,267
Deduct waste remitted	3,84,508	10,60,245
Remainder	178,59,131	326,97,022
Add South Canara... ...		13,76,296
		340,73,318
Particulars.		
Actual cultivation		321,16,483
Waste charged		19,56,835

21. The item "Waste remitted" shows a decrease of 1,68,558 acres. There is, however, a slight increase, Rupees 15,192, in the amount of assessment, as shown in the margin, as the remissions have fallen this year on highly assessed lands. Remissions were, under special orders of the Board, extended to dry lands in those districts in which want of rain for dry cultivation was much felt; the exceptional character of the season rendering a deviation from the usual practice necessary. The increase in the item "waste remitted" occurs in the districts noted in the margin. The largest increase was in Bellary, the entire remission being Rupees 1,47,481. Of this, nearly six-sevenths was remitted on dry lands.

	Acres.	Rs.
Fusly 1274	5,53,096	10,45,053
Fusly 1275	3,84,508	10,60,245
Decrease ...	1,68,558	Increase. 15,192

	Rs.
Bellary...	1,80,726
Kurnool	12,061
Madras...	20,219
North Arcot	34,479
South Arcot	66,145
Tanjore...	36,258
Madura...	31,104
Coimbatore...	38,797

	Rs.
Cuddapah	41,489
Tinnevelly	2,91,370
Salem...	16,306

22. The decrease in the item "waste remitted" occurs chiefly in the districts noted in the margin, where the rules relating to remissions were strictly enforced in the case of dry lands left waste.

23. The extent of waste charged amounted to Acres 18,13,122, assessed at Rupees 19,56,835, showing a net increase of Rupees 1,76,412 over the corresponding item of Fusly 1274. In the case of Nunjah lands, it appears from the Collector's reports, that the charge was made only in those cases in which the lands in the ryots' holdings were left uncultivated without good cause. The increase under this item occurs only in seven districts, and was large only in the four noted in the margin.* In the remaining districts, the charge made for lands left waste was

	Acres.	Rs.
Dry	16,53,595	14,02,446
Wet...	1,59,527	5,54,389
	18,13,122	19,56,835
Fusly 1274		17,80,423
	Increase...	1,76,412

	Rs.
* Cuddapah	18,633
Trichinopoly	86,174
Tinnevelly.	2,01,118
Coimbatore	30,646

	Rs.
Vizagapatam...	11,136
Kistna	10,171
Nellore	45,871
Madras	25,534
South Arcot	21,254
Madura	49,464

less in Fusly 1275 than in Fusly 1274. In the six districts noted in the margin, the decrease is large.

24. The following Abstract exhibits at one view the net settlement of the Presidency, inclusive of the waste charged, in comparison with that of Fusly 1274. The settled demand of South Canara is separately entered, and the remissions are then deducted. To the net demand is added the amount of miscellaneous items also, so as to show in one sum the whole settled demand :—

	Fusly 1274.		Fusly 1275.		Increase.		Decrease.	
	Extent.	Assessment.	Extent.	Assessment.	Extent.	Assessment.	Extent.	Assessment.
	Acres.	Rs.	Acres.	Rs.	Acres.	Rs.	Acres.	Rs.
Dry	137,84,469	152,81,072	140,85,718	154,92,803	3,51,249	2,11,731	...	...
Wet	30,44,194	154,85,336	30,20,145	153,68,043	...	...	23,749	1,17,294
Total...	167,78,663	307,66,408	171,05,863	308,60,906	3,27,500	94,497	...	...
Malabar. {Dry ...	...	5,64,663	3,73,650	5,83,401	373,650	18,738	...	...
{Wet ...	...	12,47,680	3,79,318	1 2,62,710	3,79,318	5,056	...	...
Total...	...	18,12,338	7,52,968	18,86,117	7,53,968	23,789	...	...
Total... {Dry. ...	137,84,469	158,45,740	144,59,368	160,76,264	7,24,899	2,30,524	...	...
{Wet. ...	30,44,194	167,33,996	33,99,763	166,30,753	3,55,569	...	...	1,12,235
Total...	167,78,663	325,78,736	178,59,131	326,97,022	10,80,468	1,18,286	...	...
Add.— South Canara... ...	...	13,66,161	...	13,76,296	...	8,135	...	...
Total...	...	339,46,897	...	340,73,318	...	1,26,421	...	...
Second crop assessment	...	5,66,743	...	5,36,959	...	30,216	...	...
Additional assessment.	...	4,76,908	...	4,68,529	...	...	...	8,448
Water tax	...	5,76,009	...	5,70,144	...	2,94,185	—	...
Road Cess	...	...	...	89,637	...	60,647	—	...
Marah to village servants	...	...	...	1,66,956	...	1,66,956	...	...
Sundry items in Tinnevelly improperly included under Ryotwar...	...	...	...	1,81,032	...	1,81,032	...	...
Total...	...	355,06,617	...	361 29,360	...	8,29,943	...	...
Deduct remissions. Road Cess	...	...	...	1,75,292	...	1,75,292	...	...
Marah to village servants	...	...	...	6,45,302	...	6,45,302	...	...
Other remissions.	...	16,64,217	...	13,33,846	...	...	...	3,31,671
Total...	...	16,64,217	...	21,53,140	...	4,56,923	...	...
Remainder	...	338,44,400	...	341,76,420	...	3,32,020	...	...
Add Miscellaneous...	...	29,06,716	...	31,71,206	...	2,64,490	...	...
Total...	...	367,51,116	...	373,47,626	...	5,95,510	...	...

25. It appears from the foregoing abstract that, on the whole, there was a large increase in the extent of cultivation, b : this includes the cultivation of Malabar for the first time included, the actual increase in the cultivation is only Acres 3,27,500, assessed at Rupees 94,497.

26. It will be observed that though Fusly 1275 was an exceptionally unfavourable year to agriculture, the result of the settlement for the year exhibits a net increase of nearly six lacs of Rupees. In the settlement for Fusly 1274, there was a falling off of Rupees 6,63,172, as compared with that of the previous year, owing to a reduction in the assessment in Trichinopoly, in consequence of the adoption of the new settlement rates, to the transfer of the old well lands to dry rates of assessment in other districts and to the grant of large remissions in Tinnevelly. It is

satisfactory to notice that this loss has mainly been made up in the year under report by extended cultivation though an increased water-tax, and a reduction in the amount of remissions granted have aided in doing so.

27. The area of cultivation entered in the accounts of the year under report has also been increased by the addition of the lands styled Eavoo and Dittam Inams in Tinnevelly. The extent and assessment of these lands have hitherto been incorrectly included under the heading "Waste remitted," and thus have been excluded from the gross area under cultivation. Under recent orders, however, this item has now been placed in its proper column "Remissions," pending the commutation of these charges for grants of Inam land. Making allowance for the extent and the assessment of these Inam lands being included in the foregoing abstract, the increase in the area under cultivation is still large, and is attributable to more lands having been taken up, and to a larger extent of dry waste having been charged in Fusly 1275, than in the preceding year.

28. The extent of dry cultivation shows a net increase of 3,51,249 acres, bearing an assessment of Rupees 2,11,791, resulting as to the extent from a gross increase of 5,78,358 acres in ten districts, and a gross decrease of 2,27,109 acres in seven districts. In the item of assessment, the increase was the effect of a gross increase of Rupees 4,37,507 in twelve districts, and a gross decrease of Rupees 2,25,716 in five districts. The largest increase is in the five districts noted in the margin, and is due to the causes stated in the preceding paragraph, as well as to extended cultivation induced by the high price of grain. The largest decrease was in Bellary, in which district it amounted to Acres 1,78,298, bearing an assessment of Rupees 1,47,693. It was caused by the assessment of a large extent of land left waste having been remitted in consequence of the early rains having failed.

	Acres.	Rupees.
Nellore...	80,805	33,128
Madras...	11,282	13,053
Trichinopoly	89,823	33,000
Tinnevelly	3,25,981	1,83,370
Coimbatore...	1,86,166	1,04,171

29. The wet cultivation exhibits on the other hand a net decrease of 23,749 acres, with an assessment of Rupees 1,17,294. In most Districts there was a falling off in the area of the wet cultivation which must be attributed to the effects of the bad season. In a few districts where the means of irrigation did not entirely fail, there was, however, a small increase in the cultivation. In the districts noted in the margin, the increase was large, and was owing to more lands having been taken up during the year than in the preceding one. The falling off in the assessment was considerable in the districts noted in the margin, owing generally to the deficient fall of rain, and to a large extent of land having been consequently thrown up. Except in the districts of Kurnool, Madras, and North Arcot, other causes have also operated to produce this decrease. In Nellore and Tanjore the reduction of assessment on garden and well lands swelled the amount. In South Arcot, the introduction of the revised rates of assessment on Porumboke lands, and on those abandoned in consequence of heavy assessment caused some loss. In Coimbatore, the lands cultivated under certain channels at the end of the Fusly were entered

	Extent. Acres.	Assessment. Rs.
Godavery	17,055	53,472
Cuddapah	9,369	56,857
Tinnevelly	11,716	76,464

Nellore	44,005
Kurnool	23,513
Madras	40,539
North Arcot	35,857
South Arcot	56,735
Tanjore	36,549
Coimbatore	43,967

under the head "waste remitted," instead of being included under "cultivation" as heretofore, as these lands properly belong to the accounts of the following Fusly.

30. Under second crop assessment, there was a net increase of 30,216 rupees. In all the districts except Nellore, Bellary, and Kurnool, there was some increase under this head, but it was large only in the three districts noted in the margin, and was owing apparently to the improved state of the tanks in certain localities. It was only in the Bellary District that the falling off in the second crop cultivation was large, viz., Rs. 21,999, and this is accounted for by the state of the season already described. The item "additional assessment" shows a net decrease of Rupees 8,448. This decrease is spread over several districts, and is owing to a smaller quantity of land having been converted from "Dry" into "Wet," than in the previous year. Under "Water tax," which is now separately exhibited in the Statement instead of being included under additional assessment, there is a net increase of Rupees 2,94,135. In Fusly 1274, the item, Water tax, appeared only in the districts of Godavery and Kistna. In the year under report, it appears in the two additional districts of Bellary and Trichinopoly. In Godavery the increase amounts to no less than Rupees 2,72,000, and is attributable both to an increase in the rate, and to the increased extent of wet cultivation.

	Rs.
Cuddapah	17,417
Madura	15,971
Trichinopoly	10,686

31. As stated in paragraph 35 of the Board's annual report for Fusly 1274, Collectors were, during the year under report, furnished with new forms of the Settlement accounts to be submitted to the Board. In Statement No. 3, which shows the holdings, cultivation, and settlement, columns were opened to exhibit both the additions and the deductions on account of the Road Fund, and the Merah fees to village servants. The former of these two items accordingly appears in the accounts of Fusly 1275 in ten districts, both as an addition to, and as a deduction from, the demand. In Godavery, South Arcot, and Trichinopoly districts the Road Cess is, to a certain extent, included in the land assessment, and is transferred to the head of Local Fund by deducting it as an item of remission. In some parts of Kurnool, Madras, and North Arcot, the Road Cess is included in the assessment, hence the total amount deducted does not correspond with the amount added. In the villages of the first-named district, where the new assessment was introduced in Fusly 1275, the Road Cess is simply deducted from the demand, as it is included in the Settlement rates; but in others in which the Settlement has yet to be introduced, it is added to and afterwards deducted from the demand. In Madras, where the Cess has not been generally introduced, it is only collected in the villages transferred from the North and the South Arcot districts. In the villages belonging to the former district it is charged separately in the Puttah on the demand against each ryot at 2 per cent., and in those belonging to the latter district, it is deducted at the rate of one anna per cawny on the total area cultivated, this amount being included in the assessment. In North Arcot the deduction from the demand is made in regard to the villages transferred from South Arcot, while in regard to the villages belonging to the district 2 per cent. is added to and deducted from the demand on account of the Cess.

32. In regard to Merah or fees to village servants, the same principle is followed. In some districts the additions to and the deductions from the demand were never shown in the accounts of the

previous years. In the accounts of Fusly 1275 they are exhibited completely in conformity with the orders of the Board. In the three districts noted in the margin, the item is included in the assessment of the land, and the charge for village establishments is, therefore, merely deducted from the demand. In the first-mentioned district a deduction is made from the demand on account of village service cess only in those parts of the district where the new settlement has been introduced. In the next two districts also, the demand is liable to deduction as the original assessment includes village charges. In Trichinopoly, the new settlement includes 6¼ per cent. on account of village establishment, but no deduction is made from the demand in that district. The Collector will be called upon to explain the omission. The Collectors of South Arcot and some other districts have improperly shown these deductions in the separate lists of remissions, instead of entering them in Statement No. 3, under the head of "Merah to village servants." In the Board's Statement, however, it is entered under the proper column in Statement No. 3. In some districts the village servants are remunerated by maniem lands, and in others by cash payments from the Treasury. The amount included in the land assessment amounted during the year under report to Rupees 1,66,950, and the whole amount of deductions came to Rupees 6,43,302.

Kurnool.
South Arcot.
Salem.

33. STATEMENT No. 4.—This Statement shows the particulars of remissions from the gross assessment. They amounted to Rupees 13,32,546, or Rupees 3,31,671 below the remissions of Fusly 1274. The following abstract shows how they are distributed under the three principal heads under which they are generally classed:—

Items.	Fusly 1274.	Fusly 1275.	Increase.	Decrease.
	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
Occasional remissions... ...	10,93,117	10,87,545	.....	5,572
Fixed do.	9,018	92,795	83,777	.....
Items allowed on the collections or from the demand of villages...	5,62,082	1,52,206	.....	4,09,876
Total	16,64,217	13,32,546	83,777	4,15,448
Net decrease	.....	.....	.....	3,31,671

34. Compared with Fusly 1274, the remissions under the first head, which vary with reference to the nature of the season, show on the whole a net decrease of Rupees 5,572, though under the minor head of Shavi or withered crops there was a large increase of Rupees 2,60,292. In the districts noted in the margin, it was found necessary to allow this remission liberally, owing to the unfavourable character of the season. In granting this remission, the Collectors appear however to have strictly observed the principles laid down in the Board's Standing Circular, dated 1st November 1865, No. LXXII. In some districts "Shavi" on dry lands also was remitted under special orders from the Board. In regard to partial "Shavi," due consideration was paid to the circumstances of each village and remission granted in proportion to the general loss. For Bellary, a further remission of Rupees 18,455 was sanctioned in the Board's Proceedings, dated 10th October 1866, on account of withered dry crops, on the representation of the Collector after the close of the Jummabundy.

	Rs.
Vizagapatam	85,678
Bellary	18,476
Kurnool	19,019
Madras	24,691
North Arcot	14,934
South Arcot	29,819
Tanjore	33,114
Madura	30,365
Tinnevelly	15,510
Coimbatore	13,351
Salem	10,979

35. There is a large decrease in the items of Shamilet Bunjer or portions of fields left waste, and Palanushti or short produce, amounting in the former case to Rupees 32,748, and in the latter to Rupees 1,05,383. In Fusly 1274, it was necessary to grant very large remissions on account of the two items above referred to in the Kistna and Tinnevelly districts, owing to the lamentable effects of the cyclone in the former, and the extraordinary drought in the latter. In the Fusly under review, the remission on account of those items in the two districts named above was very small. This is the main cause of the large decrease under these two items. The large decrease under the items of Panyboodithy and Payamoli, or lands inundated and washed away, was also owing to the large remissions granted in Fusly 1274, in the districts of Godavery and South Arcot; in the former district, on the lands injured in the sea coast villages by the inundation on the 1st November 1864, and in the latter on account of tanks being breached. There was also a reduction in the item of cowle remissions owing to certain lands granted on cowle having been charged to full assessment under the rules.

36. The second head of remission shows an increase of Rupees 83,777, which is the result chiefly of the remission of assessment on lands planted with public and private topes. In the Fusly under review, a large extent of land was taken up for these purposes in many districts, especially in Cuddapah, Madras, South Arcot, and Salem.

37. The third and last head of remission which consists of deductions on the settled demand shows a net decrease of Rupees 4,09,876. This decrease is for the most part nominal, and is owing to the deduction for allowances to heads of villages and Curnums, &c., having been included in Statement No. 3. The Eavoo and Ditta Inams which hitherto have been deducted from the ryots' holdings in Tinnevelly, are also shown under this head as a separate item of remission.

38. The miscellaneous items which appear as an addition to the ryotwar revenue amounted during the Fusly to Rupees 31,71,206. This sum is added to the Ryotwar demand in Statement No. 3, to show the settled demand of the whole Presidency.

39. The following abstract exhibits the entire revenue demand of the year inclusive of the Peishcush or fixed Land tax on permanently settled estates, and the quit-rent on Shrotriem and Inam villages, as contrasted with the revenue of Fusly 1274:—

Items.	Fusly 1274.	Fusly 1275.	Increase.
	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
Peishcush on permanently settled estates ...	51,21,664	51,33,242	11,578
Jody on Shrotriem and Inam villages	6,48,581	6,55,150	6,569
Ryotwar	3,38,44,400	3,41,76,420	3,32,020
Miscellaneous	29,06,716	31,71,206	2,64,490
Total.....	4,25,21,361	4,31,36,018	6,14,657

40. PEISHCUSH.—In the Peishcush of the permanently settled estates, there is a net increase of 11,578 rupees resulting from a gross increase of Rupees 27,739 in two districts, and a gross decrease of 16,161 rupees in seven districts, as particularized in the margin. Nearly the whole of the increase occurs in the district of Madura, where the quit-rent imposed by the Inam Commissioner on the Inam villages in the Shivagungah Zemindary was added to the Peishcush of that Zemindary, the Zemindar having undertaken to collect the amount under the arrangement sanctioned in the Board's Proceedings, dated 17th March 1866, No. 1,920. The decrease is owing principally to the amount of Peishcush appertaining to Polliems in Nellore having been transferred to the head Shrotriem, and to a reduction of Peishcush in certain estates in the Ganjam, Vizagapatam, and Godavery districts, on

	Increase. Rs.
Kistna	4
Madura	27,735
	27,739
	Decrease.
Ganjam	499
Vizagapatam	3,288
Godavery	766
Nellore	9,188
Madras	14
North Arcot	15
Salem	2,891
	16,161
Net Increase...	11,578.

account of resumed Moturpha tax and lands taken up for public purposes. The particulars of the transfers and reductions are given below:—

			Rs.	A.	P.
Reduction in the Peishcush of the Purlah Kimedy Estate in Ganjam, on account of Police charges, under Government Order, dated 29th May 1865, No. 1,122			500	0	0
Do. on account of Moturpha lands taken up for public purposes in Vizagapatam, under Government Order, dated 1st September 1865, No. 2,066		3,257 7 2			
Old Jody payable to the Vizianagram Maharajah by certain Inamdars of the Vizagapatam district who compounded with Government by paying at once twenty years purchase of quit-rent and old Jody under Government Order, dated 9th April 1862, No. 799		2 7 0			
Do. do. to the Proprietor of Waltair by do. do. under do.		1 5 3			
Compensation for land at Kotipally, taken up for public works, under Government Order, dated 26th September 1865, No. 2,321		26 8 11			
			3,287	12	4
Do. for lands taken up for do., in Zemindary and Proprietary estates of the Godavery district, under Government Order, dated 26th September 1865, No. 2,321			765	5	10
Amount of Peishcush on certain Polliems in Nelloro, now transferred to the head of Shrotriem		9,909 0 0			
Addition to the Peishcush of Chundy in do. as per Government Order, dated 9th April 1862, No. 799		722 0 0			
			9,187	0	0
Reduction in the Peishcush of the Moottah of Mambalom in the Madras district, on account of land purchased by Government under Government Order, dated 19th February 1866, No. 442			14	4	0
Do. in the Peishcush of Arigalavadi Moottah, in the Wallajah taluk of the North Arcot district, for land taken up by the Tramway Company under Government Order, dated 21st May 1866, No. 1,204			15	6	0
Do. of Peishcush on account of Moturpha in the Salem district, as per Government Order, dated 2nd August 1865, No. 1,790			2,391	0	0
			16,160	12	2

41. Shrotriem Jody.—Under the head of Shrotriem Jody, an increase occurs in almost all the districts except Kistna, Kurnool, and Trichinopoly, and is generally attributable to the quit-rent newly imposed by the Inam Commission on the Inam villages of the Government taluks. The increase is large in the three districts noted in the margin. The falling off of Rupees 12,014 in the Kistna district is owing to the transfer of Water rate levied on lands in Shrotriem from "Shrotriem Jody," to Land Revenue Miscellaneous items. The large decrease of Rupees 79,826 in Kurnool under this head is only nominal, and is owing to the transfer of the Jody on *sundry Inams* to the head of Land Revenue Miscellaneous.

Vizagapatam	27,471
Salem	14,519
Ganjam	13,461

42. Ryotwar.—The demand under the head of Ryotwar, shows a net increase of Rupees 3,32,020. This increase is chiefly owing to the increased rates of Water-tax charged in the Godavery and Kistna districts, and also to a reduction in the amount of remissions granted during Fusly 1275. The Collectors of Godavery and Kistna districts have included the water-tax with the Ryotwar demand in Statement No. 3, but have excluded it from that head in the Statement of Demand, Collection, and Balance, by transferring it to "Land Revenue Miscellaneous," to make the latter Statement correspond with the monthly Statement of Demand, Collection, and Balance, in which the latter course was followed before the Board's instructions were received. The addition and the deduction are separately shown in the Board's Statement No. 3, to make the demand under the two heads agree with the entries in the Statement No. 6. To institute, however, a fair comparison of the demand for these two items, correct figures have been adopted in the abstract appended to paragraph 40.

43. Miscellaneous.—The Land Revenue Miscellaneous items amount to Rupees 31,71,206, exhibiting a net increase of Rupees 2,64,490. According to the Demand, Collection, and Balance Statement No. 6, the items referred to amount to Rupees 40,29,537, inclusive of the water-tax on ryotwar lands in the Godavery and Kistna districts. This latter item is however omitted in order that a fair comparison with the previous Fusly may be made as already explained in the preceding paragraph.

44. The variations in the several items entered in Statement No. 5, will now be noticed. In the items noted in the margin, large increases will be observed. The first item, Jody on Sundry, &c., Inams, shows an increase of Rs. 2,81,643. This increase is owing to quit-rent having been included in the demand according to the Registers received from the Inam Commissioner; to the additional quit-rent imposed upon excess land found in Inams by Survey, over that entered in the Title deeds; and to the transfer to this head of the Jody on Sundry Inams, such Jody having been improperly included hitherto under the Shrotriem Jody in Kurnool, as explained in paragraph 42. The increase in the second item occurs in a few districts, and is owing to ordinary fluctuations. The third item occurs principally in the Godavery and Kistna districts. A portion of the increase is nominal, because the revenue from the cultivation of Porumboke lands was included in the past year under the item "lands cultivated, but not included in the Jummahbundy," while it has been transferred in the current year to its proper head. The remaining portion is attributable to the increased extent of lands surreptitiously cultivated this year. The increase in the fourth item is owing to this portion of the revenue having been included under some other items in certain districts in previous Fuslies, while in the Fusly under review it has been entered under the proper head. The item of water-tax on Zemindary, Inam, &c., lands, shows a large increase in the districts of Godavery, Kistna, Nellore, and North Arcot, and is the result of the increased rates of water-tax on wet and dry lands respectively. This increase would have been still greater had it not been for the exemption from water-tax of all Inam lands entered in the Title deeds as wet, and of all the Zemindary and proprietary lands classed as mamool Nunjah. In South Canara, 624 candies of Coir were sold in excess of those disposed of in the preceding Fusly. The small sales during the preceding year had left a greater quantity of Coir in store and available for sale during the year under review.

	Increase. Rs.
1. Jody on Sundry, &c., Inams	2,81,643
2. Tax on trees on unassessed lands	20,928
3. Cultivation of Porumboke lands	27,144
4. Revenue from sequestered Inams	36,400
5. Water-tax on Zemindary and Inam lands... ...	1,47,017
6. Revenue derived from Coir...	23,996

45. The decrease under this head occurs chiefly in the items noted in the margin. A great portion of the grazing land was taken up for cultivation in Coimbatore, and was charged with full assessment. This accounts for the decrease in the first item. The decrease in the second and fifth items is owing to the demand on account of topes and palmyras in the Tinnevelly district having been improperly included with the demand of each ryot, instead of being included under Miscellaneous. The Collector will be desired, with reference to paragraph 19 of his report, to show these items separately in his future Miscellaneous statements. The fluctuations in the remaining items are owing to ordinary variations in each district, and to the transfer of sums from one item to another. Item No. 8 disappears this year altogether, as no such item has been brought to account.

	Decrease. Rs.
1. Grazing tax or grass rent	20,681
2. Rent of gardens and topes	18,430
3. Revenue from reverted Inams	25,270
4. Do. from lands assessed at favourable rates	10,767
5. Rent on palmyra trees	93,578
6 Do. on fruit trees	61,271
7. Russums collected from Zemindars	14,501
8. Amount brought to account in Madras from Dittum Bunjer remitted, being half the entire remission	22,813

46. The abstract entered below shows the extent of land held on Cowle on a progressive rate of assessment during Fusly 1275. The extent and assessment brought forward as entered in the previous year's account differs a little from the figures entered in that year's statement. The present abstract includes the extent held on Cowle in Vizagapatam and South Canara, which were not shown in the accounts of Fusly 1274. The assessment of the former district has now been correctly entered. It will be seen from the abstract that the extent of lands newly taken up on Cowle was 7,702 acres, assessed at Rupees 13,421, and that the net demand of the year, after deducting remissions, &c., amounted to Rupees 25,096. The land held on Cowle at the end of Fusly 1275 in the several districts was Acres 1,00,226, bearing an assessment of Rupees 94,904, as particularized below :—

Districts.	Extent.	Assessment.
	ACRES.	RUPEES.
Ganjam	11,716	16,168
Vizagapatam	213	415
Kistna	635	629
Cuddapah	311	464
Bellary	28,701	35,390
Madras	708	969
North Arcot	255	72
South Arcot	89	138
Madura	172	843
Coimbatore	10,231	7,881
Salem	3,169	5,170
South Canara	3,708	8,774
Malabar	40,388	17,991
Total...	1,00,226	94,904

	ACRES.	RUPEES.
Cowle as per last year	1,18,782	1,15,971
Deduct—		
Land brought up to full assessment... 25,607	33,400	
Do. abandoned 651	1,088	
	26,258	34,488
Remainder...	92,524	81,483
Add new Cowle	7,702	13,421
Total...	1,00,226	94,904
Add second crop additional assessment and water-tax	...	271
Deduct—		95,175
Remission on account of waste... 903		
Do. on account of Cowle... ... ... *69,176		
		70,079
Net Beriz...	...	25,096
* *Note.*—Remission on account of Cowle...		69,176
Deduct—		
Amount omitted in the Statement of Remissions from Malabar on which the Board's Return, No. 4, was prepared...		14,604
Remainder agreeing with Statement No. 4...		54,572

Districts.	Money put-tah.		Garden crops assessed with fixed money rents.		Total.	
	Extent.	Assessment.	Extent.	Assessment.	Extent.	Assessment.
	Acs.	Rs.	Acs.	Rs.	Acs.	Rs.
South Arcot...	1,897	3,679	24	128	1,421	3,807
Tanjore..... ...	...	...	194	631	194	631
Madura	858	548	...	...	858	548
Total...	2,255	4,227	218	759	2,473	4,986

47. The statement of the cultivation and settlement of the Amany villages, (existing only in three districts of the Presidency,) is hereunder annexed for the information of Government. The net amount of the demand, viz., Rupees 12,312, is entered separately in the Miscellaneous Statement No. 5. The amount of ready-money items in the villages is Rupees 4,986, the particulars of which are given in the margin.

| Districts. | No. | Crops entered. | | |

48. The extent of the cultivation of special products, Sugar-cane, Cotton, and Indigo, is shown in the following abstract in comparison with Fusly 1274. It will be seen from this Abstract that cotton cultivation has diminished by more than 3,50,000 acres, or 20 per cent., while the cultivation of Sugar-cane and Indigo has increased.

Districts.	Sugar-cane.		Cotton.		Indigo.	
	Fusly 1274.	Fusly 1275.	Fusly 1274.	Fusly 1275.	Fusly 1274.	Fusly 1275.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
	ACRES.	ACRES.	ACRES.	ACRES.	ACRES.	ACRES.
1. Ganjam	4,407	3,795	18,439	11,755	27	40
2. Vizagapatam	5,717	7,306	18,463	21,691	3,466	3,050
3. Godavery...	5,533	5,810	39,375	21,115	179	460
4. Kistna	...	...	2,40,516	1,74,150	11,809	11,011
5. Nellore	9	20	45,872	34,915	13,822	13,781
6. Cuddapah...	2,802	2,756	1,10,751	67,310	15,200	36,942
7. Bellary	5,785	7,213	4,16,741	3,38,915	204	1,217
8. Kurnool	426	498	2,51,323	2,13,510	3,800	3,903
9. Madras	87	85	652	197	8,017	7,464
10. North Arcot	5,249	6,006	4,680	6,579	15,973	15,836
11. South Arcot	1,629	1,954	48,105	40,170	52,236	55,026
12. Tanjore	380	357	6,954	6,469	1,261	991
13. Trichinopoly	826	1,139	6,881	6,107	262	216
14. Madura	152	159	1,23,914	1,09,637	273	119
15. Tinnevelly.	322	206	2,36,038	2,16,501	398	361
16. Coimbatore	1,987	1,340	1,57,856	1,10,635	...	...
17. Salem.....	1,526	1,480	20,941	16,135	1,211	1,125
18. South Canara... ...	988	1,019	...	...	...	...
19. Malabar	...	...	...	...	...	...
Total...	37,827	41,143	17,47,501	13,95,697	1,28,140	1,51,542
Government Lands.. ...	18,809	20,327	11,52,744	9,17,607	1,03,523	1,26,095
Inam Lands	5,905	5,258	3,93,731	3,10,277	10,695	13,319
Zemindary Lands	13,113	15,558	2,01,026	1,61,813	13,922	12,099

	Fusly 1274. Acres.	Fusly 1275. Acres.	Increase. Acres.
Bellary...	5,785	7,213	1,428
Vizagapatam.	5,717	7,306	1,589

49. The increase in the cultivation of Sugar-cane occurs chiefly in the districts noted in the margin.

	Decrease. Acres.
Godavery	18,260
Kistna	66,366
Nellore	10,957
Cuddapah...	43,435
Bellary	77,826
Kurnool	87,813
Madura	14,277
Tinnevelly	19,537
Coimbatore.	47,881

50. The extent of Cotton cultivation shows a large decrease in the districts noted in the margin, and is attributable chiefly to a fall in the selling price of Cotton.

51. The cultivation of Indigo was extensively carried on in the district of Cuddapah, where 30,912 acres were taken up during the Fusly, against 15,200 in the previous year, the ryots having had a favourable season for cultivating this crop in lands which were previously cultivated with Raggy, a crop which could not be raised owing to the want of timely rain. The price which Indigo fetched in the market also led to extended cultivation.

52. The average assessment per acre, and the extent of land included in the settlement of the ryotwar districts, has not been separately furnished this year. These statements have been discontinued as they do not, the Board consider, afford any trustworthy or useful information in connection with the settlement. An abstract of the average assessment on the extent of actual cultivation entered in Statement No. 3 is, however, entered in the subjoined Statement:—

Districts.	Dry.			Wet.		
	Extent.	Assessment.	Average.	Extent.	Assessment.	Average.
	ACRES.	RUPEES.	RS. A. P.	ACRES.	RUPEES.	RS. A. P.
1. Ganjam	1,05,165	1,34,696	1 4 3	1,73,343	4,95,362	2 13 7
2. Vizagapatam ...	52,866	58,165	1 1 7	20,874	1,14,531	5 7 8
3. Godavery	2,30,537	8,50,838	3 11 0	1,74,071	6,10,032	3 7 2
4. Kistna	12,16,773	19,00,869	1 8 11	1,47,418	7,17,409	4 13 9
5. Nellore	5,07,164	6,89,000	1 2 6	1,41,920	7,40,532	5 3 4
6. Cuddapah... ...	10,37,962	7,90,470	0 12 2	1,33,236	9,16,968	6 14 1
7. Bellary	19,91,558	12,47,735	0 9 11	1,52,375	6,09,186	3 15 10
8. Kurnool	10,90,798	10,69,320	0 15 8	27,481	1,98,737	7 3 8
9. Madras	1,37,205	1,93,800	1 6 6	2,40,160	9,41,672	3 14 8
10. North Arcot ...	3,81,584	5,44,504	1 6 8	1,86,002	10,88,469	5 13 1
11. South Arcot ...	7,69,323	13,84,650	1 12 2	2,53,029	13,86,593	5 7 8
12. Tanjore	2,08,790	2,70,841	1 4 7	6,71,817	33,50,629	4 15 8
13. Trichinopoly ...	6,29,799	6,23,937	0 15 10	1,16,160	4,98,546	4 4 7
14. Madura	5,73,440	7,80,955	1 6 3	1,25,264	5,40,101	4 4 11
15. Tinnevelly... ...	7,50,426	6,52,782	0 13 11	1,44,334	15,33,971	10 10 1
16. Coimbatore ...	17,64,304	16,41,525	0 15 0	77,294	5,97,627	7 11 8
17. Salem...	9,84,429	12,56,321	1 4 3	76,140	4,73,388	6 3 6
18. Malabar	3,73,650	5,83,401	1 8 11	3,79,918	12,52,716	3 4 11
Total...	128,05,773	146,73,818	1 2 2	32,40,236	160,66,369	4 15 4

53. The separate statement hitherto submitted showing the component items of Forest Revenue has been discontinued this year, as the entire revenue derived from Forests cannot under the present mode of adjustment be brought into the Collector's accounts. This information is, however, furnished in the separate report submitted to Government on Forest Revenue for the official year by the Forest Department.

54. The following Abstract shows the demand on account of other sources of revenue contrasted with that of the Fusly 1274:—

Sources of Revenue.	Fusly 1274.	Fusly 1275.	Increase.	Decrease.
	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.
Abkarry	40,83,387	40,91,764	8,737	...
Income Tax	11,28,578	67,339	...	10,61,239
Salt	99,17,221	102,85,487	3,68,266	...
Sea Customs	18,07,776	19,45,425	1,37,649	...
Land Customs	2,21,028	1,23,979	...	97,049
Stamps	27,65,169	31,49,219	3,84,050	...

55. Abkarry.—The Abkarry demand of the Presidency shows a net increase of Rupees 8,377 compared with Fusly 1274. In the Madura and South Canara districts the increase is large. In Madras all the important shops in the Presidency Town were let at improved rates. In South Canara, the increase arises from higher bids having been obtained for the four taluks of Mangalore, Kassergode, Udipy, and Uppinangadi, at the sales in Fusly 1275, than in the previous year.

	Increase. Rs.
Madras...	99,650
South Canara	27,643

In the four districts marginally indicated, the Abkarry revenue has fallen off materially. In Tanjore the collections of past years in the late Rajah's territory had been in deposit and were for the first time brought to account

	Decrease. Rs.
Tanjore	20,743
Malabar	16,885
Trichinopoly	13,866
Ganjam	10,428

in Fusly 1274. There was also a falling off in the resale of the Negapatam farms during Fusly 1275. The reduced amount at which the Cannanore Cantonment farm was sold during the current year, and the monopoly of intoxicating drugs having been excluded from the farm, have caused a decrease of revenue in Malabar. The falling off in the remaining districts was owing to reduced bids at the sales, consequent on losses sustained by the renters in previous years.

56. Income Tax.—Under this head there is the large decrease of 10,61,239 rupees compared with the preceding year's revenue. This decrease is attributable to the abolition of the Income Tax from 1st August 1865. The revenue entered in the statement is the demand for the single month of July, the only month during which the Income Tax Act continued in operation; and also the amount of deductions made from salaries, pensions, interest on Government Bonds, &c., on account of former periods during which the tax was in operation.

57. Salt, (Statements 7 and 8.)—The revenue realized from salt during the year amounted to Rupees 102,88,699, showing an increase of Rupees 3,71,477 over Fusly 1274. The additional facilities of conveyance afforded by the extension of the Railway, the increase in the monopoly price of salt in the latter part of Fusly 1275, under the orders of Government, dated 26th March 1866, the suppression of illicit trade in salt, the transfer of the revenue derived from earth-salt in Bellary and Kurnool from Land Revenue Miscellaneous, to the proper head and, finally, a more efficient supervision over the Department, have all tended to occasion this increase. From the figures in the margin, it will be seen that the salt revenue continues steadily to increase year by year. In the districts of Godavery and Nellore, however, there is a falling off in the revenue as compared with Fusly 1274. This is owing in the former district to the sale of new salt having been stopped for a few days during the manufacturing season, in order to prevent theft and smuggling, the old stock having been exhausted; and in the latter district to a falling off in the sales owing to the extraordinary demand which had been caused by the cyclone at Masulipatam in the previous Fusly 1274. A further cause of the decrease in revenue, and of a small increase in the quantity sold in the Godavery district, was that the sale of salt for exportation (when salt is sold at cost price only) was larger, and the sale for home and inland consumption smaller than in Fusly 1274. The same was the case in Nellore also, and this accounts for the large decrease in the revenue, coupled with only a small decrease in the quantity sold. The separate Statements Nos. 7 and 8, exhibit the transactions of the Salt Department. The following is an abstract of Statement No. 7, showing the receipts and sales of salt:—

	Gross revenue.	Net revenue after deducting charges.
	Rs.	Rs.
Fusly 1271	87,06,006	75,76,209
,, 1272	91,98,989	80,19,858
,, 1273	94,78,843	81,74,959
,, 1274	99,17,221	86,19,788
,, 1275	102,74,290	86,63,130

	Decrease.
	Rs.
Godavery	75,338
Nellore...	1,43,320

Items.	Fusly 1274.	Fusly 1275.	Increase.	Decrease.
	Ind. Mds.	Ind. Mds.	Ind. Mds.	Ind. Mds.
Receipts.				
Salt in store at the beginning of the year.	100,85,428	92,30,636	.....	8,54,792
Salt manufactured and purchased and received into store	67,83,303	87,70,876	19,87,573	.....
Salt received from other districts	1,33,079	42,474	.....	90,605
Total...	170,01,810	180,43,986	19,87,573	9,45,397
Net...	.....	.....	10,42,176	.....
Sales.				
Home consumption	32,26,409	33,35,531	1,09,122	.....
Inland do.	34,62,128	33,38,403	.....	1,23,725
Exportation	5,00,235	13,69,142	8,68,907	.....
Sold to French Government	63,957	37,341	.....	26,616
Supplied to other districts	3,27,910	31,200	.....	2,96,710
Total...	75,80,639	81,11,617	9,78,029	4,47,051
Net...	.....	.....	5,30,978	.....
Remainder .	94,21,171	99,32,369	5,11,198	.. ..
Deduct wastage written off	1,90,535	1,06,291	.....	84,244
Remaining balance...	92,30,636	98,26,078	5,95,442	.....

58. It will be seen from the foregoing abstract that the quantity of salt manufactured and purchased during the year shows an increase of 18,96,968 * Indian maunds over the same details for Fusly 1274. The balance in store at the beginning of the year, though less by more than 8½ lacs of Indian maunds than at the commencement of the previous year, was more than made up by the increased manufacture during the year. In Madras, 31,200 Indian maunds were supplied to Malabar, and this quantity, together with 10,074 Indian maunds supplied in Fusly 1274, but not brought by the Collector to account in that year as explained in paragraph 50 of the Board's General Report for Fusly 1274, are now credited in the accounts of Malabar. It appears, however, that 1,200 Indian maunds has been over-credited, and the Collector of Madras has been requested to explain why this quantity was not entered in his accounts for Fusly 1275.

* Brought into Store in Fusly 1275.	Ind. Mds.
By actual manufacture	77,96,138
By purchase from Bombay and Goa	9,86,319
By gain from measurement	86,419
By supply received in Malabar from Madras ...	42,474
Total...	89,13,350
Brought to store in Fusly 1274	69,16,382
Increase...	19,96,968

59. In regard to the sales, the increase occurs in the districts noted in the margin, and is owing to the causes already stated. In Nellore, Ganjam, and South Arcot, there was a slight falling off in the sales, though in the latter two districts there was an increase in the revenue, owing to an enhancement in the price of salt in the latter end of Fusly 1275. The increase in the sales appears chiefly under the head of exportation of salt. In the single district of Madras, 5,30,000 Indian maunds were exported in excess of the previous year, owing to the unusually great demand from the Presidency of Bengal, where a large quantity of salt was destroyed by the cyclone. Under Home consumption also, there is an increase of 1,09,122 Indian maunds.

Increase.	Ind. Mds.
Madras...	8,07,213
Tinnevelly	1,92,178
Kistna...	29,149
Madura..	21,287
South Canara	17,063
Malabar...	5,681
Tanjore...	4,488
Vizagapatam	2,353
Godavery...	796
Decrease.	**Ind. Mds.**
Nellore...	27,339
Ganjam...	21,418
South Arcot..	411

60. The following abstract exhibits the wastage of salt in the several districts of the Madras Presidency during Fusly 1275:—

Districts.	Contents of the heaps when received.		Outturn of the heaps when sold.		Wastage.		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 price.		
1	2		3		4		5	6			7		
	Ind. Mds.	S.	Ind. Mds.	S.	Ind. Mds.	S.		Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.
1. Ganjam ...	3,73,735	20	3,58,426	21	15,309	5	4·09	1,623	6	0	23,237	12	0
2. Vizagapatam.	1,82,589	0	1,62,934	38	19,654	2	10·76	1,228	6	0	30,066	4	0
3. Godavery ...	2,72,952	0	2,45,194	0	27,758	0	10·16	1,687	6	0	34,814	3	0
4. Kistna	2,26,852	32	2,12,766	33	14,085	39	6·29	882	6	2	21,854	15	0
5. Nellore ...	2,72,342	33	2,65,854	33	6,488	0	2·38	749	0	0	7,138	0	0
6. Madras ...	7,50,451	0	7,09,194	0	41,257	0	5·57	6,188	8	0	69,621	3	0
7. South Arcot.	3,51,861	0	2,99,171	0	52,690	11	14·97	6,263	0	0	79,035	0	0
8. Do. supplied to French Government.	21,600	0	20,705	37	894	3	4·14	116	6	0	116	0	0
9. Tanjore ...	1,09,077	0	1,06,266	0	2,811	0	2·57	229	15	0	2,470	5	0
10. Madura ...	1,23,600	0	1,17,360	36	6,239	4	5·04	584	14	8	9,410	12	3
11. Tinnevelly...	2,38,692	12	2,31,057	0	7,635	12	3·20	675	9	0	12,884	1	0
12. South Canara.	2,47,927	16	2,43,807	36	*4,119	20	1·66	1,862	13	6	6,951	10	6
13. Malabar ...	3,02,749	0	2,95,902	27	6,846	13	2·25	3,340	0	0	11,553	2	0
Total...	34,74,429	39	32,68,642	21	2,05,787	29	5·92	25,331	10	4	3,09,153	3	9
* On sales of salt ...					2,446	13							
On salt cleared for transportation. .					1,673	6							
					4,119	20							

61. The amount of wastage which the Collectors recommended in Fusly 1274 should be written off the accounts, amounted to Indian maunds 2,84,813-10, but for want of explanation as to a large increase of per-centage in the wastage in certain districts, the Board recommended that only Indian maunds 1,35,484-10 should be written off. The Government gave the required sanction in their Proceedings, dated 23rd August 1866, but as this Order had not reached some of the Collectors before they submitted their Settlement Reports for Fusly 1275, the whole of this quantity does not appear to have been written off the accounts. Besides this, Government during the past year sanctioned in a separate order the writing off of Indian maunds 1,35,600-14, on the recommendation of the Board, and on the further explanations submitted by Collectors. Thus out of the wastage which occurred in Fusly 1274, according to the statements of the Collectors, there remains Indian maunds 13,728-26 still undisposed of, this being the wastage which occurred in the salt supplied to the French Government in South Arcot, and which through a mistake was not included in the Board's recommendation to Government, dated 25th July 1866, No. 5,113. The wastage sanctioned on account of Fusly 1274, amounted as above explained to Indian maunds 2,71,084-24, of which Indian maunds 2,27,132-23 has been written off the accounts as shown in the margin, leaving Indian maunds 43,952-1. This latter quantity appertains to South Arcot, and has not yet been removed from the accounts, though sanction was granted in the Order of Government, dated 9th August 1866, No. 2,012. The Collector has also omitted to strike off the quantity of Indian maunds 24,772, destroyed by the gale in November 1865, though sanction for writing it off the accounts was given in Government Order, dated 11th April 1866, No. 823.

	Ind. Mds.	Scers.
Vizagapatam	16,457	16
South Arcot	43,952	1
Madura	29,456	16
Tinnevelly	33,266	13
Nellore	32,446	7
	1,35,600	14

	Ind. Mds.	Scers.
In the accounts of Tinnevelly for Fusly 1275	23,288	13
In the accounts of some other Collectors for Fusly 1276, up to February 1867	2,08,844	11
	2,27,132	24

	I. Mds.
Salt delivered to a merchant in the Kistna district, in lieu of that destroyed in the Cyclone, as per Government Order, dated 22nd September 1865, No. 2,295	3,150
Do. of Fuslies 1267 and 1268, on the export platform at Kristnapatam in Nellore, ordered to be destroyed in the Board's Proceedings, dated 20th June 1865, No. 3,341	68,322
Inferior salt in store at Kilambakam in the Madras district, ordered to be destroyed in do. dated 1st February 1866, No. 744	11,531
	83,003

62. The quantity struck off in the Statement, No. 7, is Indian maunds 1,06,291. Of this, Indian maunds 23,288-12 is the wastage that occurred in Fusly 1274 in Tinnevelly, the writing off of which was sanctioned in Government Order, dated 26th June 1866, No. 1,562. The remainder consists of the salt destroyed as particularized in the margin.

63. The wastage which the Collectors recommended should be written off in Fusly 1275, amounts to Indian maunds 2,05,787-15, being 5·92 per cent. on the quantity originally stored. The per-centage of wastage is large in the districts noted in the margin. Except in the Vizagapatam district the per-centage of Fusly 1275 is not much above the per-centage of Fusly 1274. In Vizagapatam, the excess was owing to the heaps which were stored at Balachervoo in Fuslies 1270 and 1271 having been found to be much damaged by rain, when opened for sale in the past Fusly. The Collector of the Godavery district explains that the increased per-centage is partly owing to salt having been in store for the long period of five or six years, and to some of the heaps having suffered from the gale of the 1st November 1864. In South Arcot, the per-centage is large, but the Collector gives no reason for the excess though he must be aware that without full explanation the Board cannot recommend the writing off of the wastage. The wastage in this case will accordingly be excluded, and the sanction of Government is now requested for writing off the wastage in the remaining districts amounting to Indian maunds 1,53,097-18.

	Per-centage of wastage.
Vizagapatam	10·76
Godavery	10·16
South Arcot	14·97

64. The Board also request permission to remove from the salt accounts the quantities noted in the margin amounting to Indian maunds 3,82,700-36. In the Kistna district, this item is the salt destroyed in Fusly 1274, in the Manganapudi and Buntumilly Kotars, by the inundation of the sea during the cyclone of 1st November 1864. The Board omitted in last year's report to recommend the writing off of this salt, and the statement made in paragraph 52 of that report that the wastage then recommended included the salt washed away by the cyclone was not correct. In South Arcot, it is the wastage which occurred in Fusly 1274, on the salt sold to French Government, and for which no sanction was applied for as already explained in paragraph 62. In Tanjore the wastage is in the quantity of salt transported from Vadaranniem to Negapatam during Fuslies 1273 and 1274. This wastage was through inadvertence, not included in the statement of wastage for those Fuslies. The whole quantity of salt for the writing off of which the sanction of Government is now requested, is therefore Indian maunds 5,35,798-14.

	Indian Maunds.	Scers.
Kistna	3,61,129	20
South Arcot	18,738	26
Tanjore	7,842	30
	3,83,700	36

65. The following is an abstract of Statement No. 8, showing the financial result of the salt transactions of Fusly 1275 compared with those of Fusly 1274.

Items.	Fusly 1274.	Fusly 1275.	Increase.	Per-centage
	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	
Gross Revenue	99,06,310	102,75,414	3,69,104	3·7
Miscellaneous	10,911	13,285	2,374	21·8
Total...	99,17,221	102,88,699	3,71,478	3·7
Deduct charges	13,97,493	16,11,160	2,13,667	15·3
Net Revenue...	85,19,728	86,77,539	1,57,811	1·8

66. The entire salt revenue for Fusly 1275, inclusive of miscellaneous items, amounted to Rupees 102,88,609, being Rupees 3,71,478 above the salt revenue of Fusly 1274. The charges of the year also exceeded those of the previous year by Rupees 2,13,667. As regards the increase in the revenue, explanation has already been given. The increase in the charges is chiefly in the two items "Purchase of salt" and "Manufacturer's share," and is owing to an increase in the quantity of salt manufactured. The increase* is considerable in Madras and Malabar. In the latter district it was owing to large supplies having been purchased at increased rates. In South Arcot, there was in this item a large falling off, amounting to Rupees 52,475, owing, it appears, to a smaller quantity having been manufactured in Fusly 1275. The usual table showing the per-centage of charges on the gross salt revenue, is hereunder annexed:—

	Rs.
*Godavery	18,826
Kistna	24,154
Nellore	21,053
Madras	1,09,129
South Canara	54,154
Malabar	1,26,069

Districts.	Fusly 1274.		Fusly 1275.		Increase.		Decrease.	
	Charge.	Per-centage on the gross revenue.	Charge.	Per-centage on the gross revenue.	Charge.	Per-centage on the gross revenue.	Charge.	Per-centage on the gross revenue.
	Rs.		Rs.		Rs.		Rs.	
Ganjam	76,734	6	76,423	6	...	...	311	...
Vizagapatam	27,880	9	22,515	7	...	...	5,365	2
Godavery...	19,631	5	41,194	11	21,563	6	...	...
Kistna	44,621	7	69,168	9	24,547	2	...	...
Nellore	91,116	8	1,09,891	10	18,775	2	...	...
Madras	2,34,230	13	3,99,217	19	1,64,987	6	...	...
South Arcot	1,30,854	25	62,248	11	...	...	68,606	14
Tanjore	95,248	10	98,088	10	2,840	...	...	...
Madura	56,493	10	60,568	10	4,075	...	...	...
Tinnevelly	77,738	13	65,696	10	...	...	12,042	3
South Canara	2,11,464	38	2,59,605	43	48,141	6	...	...
Malabar	3,31,484	42	3,46,547	42	15,063	...	...	...
Total...	13,97,493	14	16,11,160	16	2,99,991	3	86,324	
				Net...	2,13,667			

67. The particulars of charges compared with the preceding year are given below. The large variations in the items comprising the charges for the provision of salt require notice. The increase in the purchase of salt and manufacturer's share has already been explained. The decrease in the charges for conveying and storing salt has resulted from the large expenditure of Rupees 1,41,419 having been incurred in Malabar in Fusly 1274 for obtaining salt from Madras, against Rupees 28,307 in Fusly 1275. In Madras, however, there was the large increase of Rupees 34,312 under this item in consequence of a larger quantity of salt having been stored for exportation. A large decrease in the item of salt compensation occurs in South Arcot, and is attributed to the non-payment of Rupees 14,000 to the French Government on account of salt indemnification, no demand having been made by them for any indemnification. Further explanation has been called for from the Collector.

Items.	Fusly 1274.	Fusly 1275.	Increase.	Decrease.
	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
Charges of Collection.				
Fixed Establishment	2,19,704	2,19,624	.....	80
Country Stationery or Saderwarid	4,828	3,820	.....	1,008
Travelling allowance to Officers and Establishment	5,828	7,313	1,485	.....
Total...	2,30,360	2,30,757	1,485	1,088
		Net...	397	
Charges for the provision of Salt.				
Purchase of salt and manufacturer's share ...	8,60,926	11,54,149	2,93,223	.....
Charges for conveying and storing salt	2,41,064	1,51,971	.. ...	89,093
Charges for exporting salt	32,930	58,438	25,508	.. ...
Salt compensation	14,256	274	.....	13,982
Contingencies	17,958	15,571	.....	2,387
Total...	11,67,134	13,80,403	3,18,731	1,05,462
		Net...	2,13,269	
Grand Total...	13,97,494	16,11,160	3,20,216	1,06,550
		Net...	2,13,666	

68. Sea Customs.—The Sea Customs Revenue shows a net increase of Rupees 1,37,649, resulting from a gross increase of Rupees 2,17,680, against a gross decrease of Rupees 80,031. The largest increase is in the Madras district, viz., Rupees 1,54,861. This increase is owing principally to a much larger importation of cotton twist and yarn, cotton piece goods, and spirits, as well as of wines and railway stores. In Ganjam, Vizagapatam, and Malabar, the revenue has fallen off to a considerable extent. In the first two districts the decrease was owing chiefly to the falling off in the export trade, consequent on the adverse nature of the season. In Malabar, the decrease was nominal, and was owing to the levy of export duty, which was suddenly imposed on Coffee in April 1865 having been discontinued subsequently, in accordance with the Orders of Government, dated 4th July 1865, No. 1,530.

	Decrease.
Ganjam...	23,726
Vizagapatam ... ... —	19,921
Malabar...	44,355

69. Land Customs.—This item of revenue is realized now only in four districts of this Presidency. It shows a net decrease of Rupees 97,049. The bulk of this amount occurs in the single district of Tinnevelly where, as well as in Madura, the item has altogether disappeared from the accounts owing to the abolition of the frontier choukies in those districts under the trade convention with Travancore and Cochin.

70. Stamps.—The revenue from Stamps exhibits the large increase of Rupees 3,84,050 over that of the preceding Fusly. This increase is generally attributable to increased litigation, resulting from the facilities afforded by the more speedy settlement of suits, as well as to more general observance of the requirements of the Stamp law on the part of the public consequent on the penal provisions of the Act being more strictly enforced. The increase is also due in part to the operation of the Registration Act. In North Arcot, however, there is a slight decrease in the Stamp Revenue, but the amount is trifling.

		Rs.
Entire demand for Fusly 1275...		627,99,234
Deduct—		
Income-tax abolished		67,839
		627,31,895
Entire demand for Fusly 1274...	627,99,461	
Deduct—		
Forest revenue not included in Fusly 1273.	2,64,861	
Income-tax abolished.	11,28,678	
	13,93,459	613,15,918
Increase ...		14,15,953

71. The whole demand on account of land and other sources of revenue for the entire Presidency, amounted to Rupees 627,99,234. The result of the settlement of all the revenues exhibits the very satisfactory increase of Rupees 14,15,953, as shown in the margin.

72. The following is an abstract of Statement No. 6, showing the current demand, collection, and balance of all the revenues for Fusly 1275:—

Items.	Current Demand.	Collections.	Remissions.	Total collections and remissions.	Balance.	Subsequent collections and remissions up to 31st December 1866.	Balance.
	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
Permanently settled ...	51,33,242	44,48,685	...	44,48,685	6,84,557	5,09,430	1,75,127
Jody on Shrotriems ...	6,55,150	5,45,919	...	5,45,919	1,09,231	84,653	24,578
Ryotwar ...	339,18,094	315,16,959	...	315,16,959	18,01,135	14,44,513	3,56,622
Miscellaneous	40,29,535	32,52,867	...	32,52,867	7,76,668	4,70,463	3,06,205
Total...	431,36,021	397,64,430	...	397,64,430	33,71,591	25,09,059	8,62,532
Abkarry ...	40,91,764	38,40,694	18,000	38,58,694	2,33,070	2,09,492	23,578
Income-tax..	67,339	43,003	6	43,009	24,330	142	24,188
Salt	102,85,487	102,81,773	...	102,81,773	3,714	2,272	1,442
Sea Customs.	19,45,425	19,45,425	...	19,45,425	...	...	...
Land Customs ...	1,23,979	1,23,979	...	1,23,979	...	...	...
Stamps ...	31,49,219	31,49,219	...	31,49,219	...	...	...
Total...	196,63,213	193,84,093	18,006	194,02,099	2,61,114	2,11,906	49,208
Grand total..	627,99,234	591,48,523	18,006	591,66,529	36,32,705	27,20,965	9,11,740

73. Out of the entire demand above shown, Rupees 591,48,523 was collected within the year, and Rupees 18,006 was remitted during the year, leaving a balance of Rupees 36,32,705. Subsequent collections and remissions up to December 1866, reduced this balance again to Rs. 9,11,740, or 1·45 per cent. of the demand. The balance is distributed as follows:—

	Rs.
Permanently settled	1,75,127
Shrotriem Jody	24,578
Ryotwar	3,56,622
Miscellaneous	3,06,205
Abkarry	23,578
Income-tax	24,188
Salt	1,442
	9,11,740

	Rs.
Ganjam...	67
Godavery	14,073
Kistna	30,079
Nellore...	102
Madras...	916
North Arcot	2,766
South do.	37
Madura	1,27,841
Salem	1,313
	1,76,127

74. The balance in the permanently settled estates in the several districts is given in the margin. It is large in the districts of Kistna and Madura. As regards the former district no explanation is furnished by the Collector. In Madura, the bulk of the balance is the amount of Peishcush due from the Zemindars of Ramnad, Shevaganga, and Kannivady, who failed to pay

their Peishcush punctually in consequence of the adverse character of the season. From the accounts up to February 1867, the balance appears to have been still further reduced to Rupees 1,10,584. The arrears due from the estate of Kannivady have been wholly paid. The amount now due is from the Ramnad and Shevagunga Zemindaries, viz., Rupees 1,00,000 from the former and 10,584 from the latter. In the case of the Ramnad Zemindary, time has been allowed for the payment of the arrears by the Order of Government, dated 15th June 1866, No. 1,461. The arrear in the Kistna district is also large being Rupees 38,079, but this sum has since been reduced to Rupees 30,079. This amount is due from the estates of Nuzid and Davaracottah. Certain villages have lately been attached for the recovery of these arrears. In a few other districts also there are some small balances, the amount of which the Collectors should not have allowed to remain uncollected.

75. The balance under the head of Shrotriem Jody occurs in most of the districts. This balance is probably owing in some cases to the Registers of quitrent newly imposed by the Inam Commissioner not having been received in time. The Board hope that measures will be adopted for the early collection of such balances.

76. The balance of Rupees 3,56,622 under Ryotwar is distributed among the several districts. This balance is large in the districts noted in the margin, and is generally ascribed to the disastrous season. Out of the balance in the Nellore district Rupees 9,185 is considered by the Collector irrecoverable. This amount is stated to be the assessment on rice lands on which the crops perished for want of water. It is not, however, clearly stated to what item of Land Revenue the balance referred to appertains. The Collector will, therefore, be requested to include the amount in his next Statement of irrecoverable balances with the necessary explanation. The balance under Miscellaneous Items amounts to Rupees 3,06,205. The increase is large in the districts noted in the margin. The Collectors have blended these sums with Ryotwar balances, and have not afforded proper explanations for the large arrears. In many districts the arrears must be attributed to the distressed condition of the people, but in the Godavery and Kistna districts they are chiefly owing to the collection of water charge imposed on Inam Nunjah lands having been suspended pending inquiry whether such lands are mamool Nunjah are not.

	Rs.
Ganjam — ... ... —	84,935
Bellary — — — — .. —	90,641
Madras — — ... ... — —	27,668
North Arcot — — — — — —	75,276
Malabar — ... ... —	94, 396

	Rs.
Ganjam	27,556
Godavery	76,828
Kistna	61,749
Bellary	45,413
Madras	24,669
North Arcot	83,199

77. The bulk of the balance under Abkarry occurs in Bellary, and the Collector promises to realize the amount by an early date. In the Vizagapatam district there is a balance of Rupees 5,476. In his Settlement Report for Fusly 1274, the Collector requested that a sum of Rupees 5,963-3-4 might be remitted from the Abkarry demand for Fusly 1275. The rental of the Abkarry of Jeypoor Zemindary is Rupees 15,100 a year from Fuslies 1271 to 1275. This farm included the taluk of Kasipoor, which at the time formed a part of the Jeypoor Zomindary, although not forming part of the Zemindary proper. Subsequently a dispute arose as to the proprietary right of Kasipoor when it was decided by the Supreme Government, that Kasipoor did not belong to Jeypoor. It was accordingly taken over by the Nagpore authorities from 1st November 1863, and a remission is claimed for its proportion of the rent, the amount of which is set down at Rupees 2,236-3-3 a year.

	Rs.	A.	P.
For eight months in Fusly 1273	1,490	12	10
Fusly 1274	2,236	3	3
Fusly 1275	2,236	3	3
	5,963	3	4

The balance outstanding out of the current Fusly is, however, only Rupees 5,476, and the Collector will be requested to address the Board a separate letter stating more clearly what amount should be actually remitted. Nearly the whole of the Income-tax balance appertains to Madras, and is due by parties who have left the country or who have become insolvents. The Collector, however, promises to report more fully on the subject in his next report. The attention of the Collectors of Bellary and Madras will be drawn to the necessity of adjusting the balances under this head without further delay. The balance under Salt belongs to Bellary, and is in the item of Earth-salt; this item has been for the first time transferred from the head of Land Revenue Miscellaneous to the head of Salt, as the latter head was considered the legitimate one under which this item should appear.

78. The Board will now proceed to notice as usual the Land Revenue collections of the Noil-gherry taluk of the Coimbatore district. The following abstract shows the Demand, Collection, and Balance of the taluk for Fusly 1275, and is taken from paragraph 38 of the Collector's Report:—

Items.	Demand for Fusly 1275.	Collections within the Fusly.	Balance.	Subsequent collections up to 31st September 1866.	Balance.
	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
Ryotwar.					
Lands held by Burghers and other hill tribes	16,553	16,336	217	165	52
Lands held by Europeans and East Indians, &c., for Coffee plantations and other agricultural purposes ...	7,176	...	7,176	5,119	2,057
Total...	23,729	16,336	7,393	5,284	2,109
Miscellaneous.					
Quitrent on house property	4,239	2,237	2,002	1,364	638
Sale proceeds of lands under the waste land rules...	10,714	10,714	.....	...	.....
Cost of Survey of lands sold under the rules...	171	171	.....	...	.....
Other items	335	335	.....	...	.....
Total...	15,459	13,457	2,002	1,364	638
Grand Total...	39,188	29,793	9,395	6,648	2,747

79. The aggregate demand amounts to Rupees 39,188, or Rupees 12,717 in excess of that of the previous year. This result is chiefly owing to the fact that a large sum realized by the sale of waste lands from 17th October 1861, the date of the Governor General's Resolution for the sale of waste lands, was held in deposit in view to its being invested in Government securities, and was carried to the head of Land Revenue Miscellaneous in the Fusly under review, as finally ordered by the Board.

80. Under the head of lands held by Burghers, the entire demand has been realized with the exception of Rupees 52, but under the head of lands held by Europeans, there is still a balance of Rupees 2,057, against a demand of Rupees 7,176. The Collector explains that this is owing to some of the parties having withheld payment on the plea that the actual area of their lands is less than the quantity charged for, and that a survey is now being made of their property. The balance of Rupees 638 under quitrent on house property is small, and will be realized shortly.

81. The Demand, Collection, and Balance of all sources of revenue for previous years are shown in the following abstract. Out of the total demand, viz., Rupees 37,52,844, Rs. 28,81,555 was realized within the Fusly, and Rupees 91,520 was remitted, leaving a balance of Rs. 7,79,769.

Subsequent collections and remissions up to December 1866, further reduced this balance to Rupees 5,95,962. This balance is classed by the Collectors as under:—

	Demand.	Collection.	Remission.	Subsequent collection and remission.	Balance.				
					Recoverable and doubtful.	Irrecoverable.			Total.
	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.
Permanently settled ...	4,27,327	3,80,065	...	1,484	44,790	987	15	3	45,778
Shrotriem Jody	76,693	61,541	111	8,256	5,164	1,621	5	5	6,785
Ryotwar ...	16,05,440	12,83,652	56,592	1,00,562	1,01,993	62,642	1	9	1,64,635
Miscellaneous	9,37,475	5,68,554	12,717	50,454	1,89,374	1,16,375	7	0	3,05,750
Abkarry ...	3,54,463	3,29,535		7,345	14,768	2,814	15	5	17,583
Income-tax	3,44,017	2,51,282	22,100	15,666	54,908	60	7	7	54,968
Salt	7,429	6,926	...	40	408	55	0	0	463
Total...	37,52,844	28,81,555	91,520	1,83,807	4,11,405	1,84,557	4	5	5,95,962

82. Of the irrecoverable balance in the permanently settled estates, the amount recommended for remission, viz., Rupees 950-7-10, is due from the estates of Bellumilly and Bayyanagudem, in the Godavery district, for Fusly 1274; the payment of this sum being as usual withheld in consequence of the non-completion of the repair to the Bayyanna calingula, this work being still in progress under the superintendence of the Public Works Department. Rupees 37-7-5 is the amount suspended from the Peishcush of a certain Muttah village in South Arcot, for lands taken up for public purposes. The remission in the last case will be permanent, and will have to be deducted from the Peishcush every year. The Collector should, therefore, submit a separate application, for the sanction of Government to make a permanent reduction in the Peishcush.

	Rs.	A.	P.
Kistna	279	0	2
Nellore	132	8	8
Cuddapah	923	1	3
Bellary	20	0	0
Madras	152	4	8
North Arcot	8	8	0
South Arcot	22	2	8
Tanjore	85	12	0
Madura	4	0	0

83. The irrecoverable balances under Shrotriem Jody appertain to the nine districts noted in the margin. These balances have been on careful inquiry considered by the Collectors to be irrecoverable. They consist for the most part of excess quitrent on Inams, the amount of which was not agreed to by the Inamdars, and was subsequently modified by the Inam Commissioner.

84. The Balance under Ryotwar and Miscellaneous amounts to Rupees 1,79,017-8-9, consisting chiefly of sums due from ryots who have either died, or absconded, or are unable to pay from indigent circumstances. In the Godavery and Kistna districts the Collectors have included in this amount large sums on account of water-tax erroneously charged in the accounts on the incorrect measurement of certain lands, and therefore included in the demand; subsequently the correct survey areas having been ascertained, the collection of these arrears was postponed. In regard to the other balances, the Collectors appear to have taken proper care in scrutinizing them.

	Rs.	A.	P.
Ryotwar	62,642	1	9
Miscellaneous	1,16,375	7	0
	1,79,017	8	9

85. The balance returned as Irrecoverable under Abkarry amounts to Rupees 2,814-15-5. Of this sum Rupees 2,628-14-8 appertains to the district of the Godavery. In paragraph 27 of their Proceedings, dated 23rd August 1866, No. 2,197, passing orders on the Board's Settlement Report for Fusly 1274, Government disallowed sanction for writing off the remission of this sum, and desired to know why it was not realized from the renter's securities. The Collector states that the security required by the rules was deposited by the renter, and that the same was carried to account in reduction of the arrears due by him, and that the amount now stated as the balance is irrecoverable, there being no property left by the renter who has since died. The remaining balance of Rupees 186-0-9 is in Nellore. This sum was due by the renter of the Kanigiri taluk whose farm was resold. The defaulter has no property available to meet the demand against him. The balance under Income-tax is small, and is due from pauper ryots. The arrears of Rupees 55 under Salt accrued out of the tax imposed on earth-salt in Bellary, where it was due from ryots who had deserted. The following abstract shows in one view the particulars of the irrecoverable balance of each

district, and the Board request that sanction may be granted for writing off the same, amounting in all to Rupees 1,84,557-4-5, from the accounts:—

Districts.	Land Revenue.									Abkarry.			Income Tax.			Salt.			Grand total.		
	Permanently settled.			Shrotriem Jody.			Ryotwar.			Miscellaneous.			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.	Rs.	A.	P.
1. Ganjam... ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	403	2	10	35	0	6	438	3	4	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	438	3	4
2. Vizagapatam...	...	...	...	...	...	...	365	1	9	35	1	0	400	2	9	...	...	...	2	5	7	...	...	...	402	8	4
3. Godavery ...	950	7	10	...	...	...	2,945	10	2	83,388	6	6	87,284	8	6	2,628	14	8	...	...	...	...	...	...	89,913	7	2
4. Kistna	...	...	...	279	0	2	2,030	6	0	3,358	6	6	5,667	12	8	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5,667	12	8
5. Nellore	...	...	...	132	8	8	7,192	14	4	1,061	13	2	8,387	4	2	186	0	9	...	...	...	...	...	...	8,573	4	11
6. Cuddapah ...	...	...	...	922	1	3	7,621	2	3	1,230	5	0	9,773	8	6	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	9,773	8	6
7. Bellary... ...	...	...	...	20	0	0	3,569	2	11	12,320	0	11	15,909	3	10	...	...	...	15	0	0	55	0	0	15,979	3	10
8. Kurnool ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	746	9	4	470	15	1	1,217	8	5	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,217	8	5
9. Madras... ...	...	...	...	152	4	8	9,688	6	8	10,075	11	2	19,916	6	6	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	19,916	6	6
10. North Arcot ..	...	...	...	0	8	0	11,914	8	4	2,191	15	11	14,107	0	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	14,107	0	3
11. South Arcot ...	37	7	5	22	2	8	3,929	2	1	438	8	7	4,427	4	9	...	...	...	43	2	0	...	...	...	4,470	6	9
12. Tanjore... ...	...	...	...	88	12	0	2,132	12	4	305	0	10	2,526	9	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2,526	9	2
13. Trichinopoly...	...	...	...	...	...	...	497	4	2	5	12	0	503	0	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	503	0	2
14. Madura... ...	...	...	...	4	0	0	84	13	2	785	7	2	874	4	4	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	874	4	4
15. Tinnevelly ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3,006	5	7	...	...	...	3,006	5	7	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3,006	5	7
16. Coimbatore ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	373	4	10	18	14	10	392	3	8	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	392	3	8
17. Salem	...	...	...	...	...	...	5,785	14	1	653	15	10	6,439	13	11	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6,439	13	11
18. South Canara..	...	...	...	...	...	...	48	12	0	...	...	...	48	12	0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	48	12	0
19. Malabar... ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	306	12	11	...	...	...	306	12	11	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	306	12	11
Total...	987	15	3	1,621	5	5	62,642	1	9	1,16,375	7	0	1,81,626	13	5	2,814	15	5	60	7	7	55	0	0	1,84,557	4	5

66. The following Statement is intended to show the particulars of the balance under "not permanently settled" for each Fusly. Of the total sum of Rupees 4,77,169 entered in this Statement, the Board recommend that Rupees 1,80,639[9] be remitted, leaving a balance of Rupees 2,96,530. From this latter sum, however, Rupees 14,455 should be deducted as the irrecoverable balance in Madras, the Government already sanctioned the remission of this balance, though the Collector of Madras has omitted to expunge it from his accounts. There then remains a balance of Rupees 2,82,075 for future disposal.

	Rs.	A.	P.
Shrotriem Jody	1,621	5	5
Ryotwar	62,642	1	9
Miscellaneous	1,16,375	7	0
	1,80,639	14	3

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.	Total.
	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
1. Ganjam... ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	35	432	745	1,212
2. Vizagapatam...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	53	124	560	737
3. Godavery ...	...	...	1	92	465	89	105	94	121	604	713	7,108	12,147	8,968	32,001	1,17,791	79,332
4. Kistna	...	...	92	465	89	105	94	121	505	1,476	4,237	4,277	4,775	19,187	35,424
5. Nellore... ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	15	101	352	8,780	9,248
6. Cuddapah ...	...	...	...	70	3	31	37	33	132	271	2,378	3,129	4,075	3,829	13,988
7. Bellary... ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	533	302	228	292	1,056	2,170	19,957	24,538
8. Kurnool ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	7	23	148	1,514	1,692
9. Madras... ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6,836	7,498	7,887	12,349	21,458	34,858	90,886
10. North Arcot ..	...	...	6	...	...	...	...	16	692	1,409	3,235	8,008	11,014	22,619	46,999
11. South Arcot ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3,728	4,895	6,456	11,750	26,829
12. Tanjore... ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	36	...	...	291	468	1,165	3,372	5,332
13. Trichinopoly...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	50	469	3,245	3,764
14. Madura... ...	...	...	...	...	4	67	93	185	183	191	191	236	173	1,294	2,617
15. Tinnevelly ...	626	652	508	624	761	885	1,071	1,095	1,291	1,203	1,327	3,399	2,119	2,171	17,732
16. Coimbatore ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	69	30	97	82	21	95	334	1,389	2,117
17. Salem	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	36	1,040	1,344	3,105	5,255	10,780
18. South Canara..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	49	49
19. Malabar... ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	74	485	3,334	3,893
Total...	626	653	606	1,159	857	1,088	1,364	2,653	10,751	19,502	36,796	48,560	90,855	2,61,699	4,77,169

87. The abstract entered below shows the actual collections of the year, both current and arrears, in comparison with Fusly 1274:—

Items.	Fusly 1274.			Fusly 1275.			Increase.	Decrease.
	Current.	Arrears.	Total.	Current.	Arrears.	Total.		
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
Permanently settled ...	46,25,702	5,31,797	51,57,499	44,48,685	3,80,065	48,28,750	...	3,28,749
Jody on Shrotriem villages.	5,79,765	81,043	6,60,808	5,45,919	61,541	6,07,460	...	53,348
Ryotwar	320,71,826	16,12,592	336,84,418	315,16,959	12,83,652	328,00,611	...	8,83,807
Miscellaneous	25,76,844	2,42,783	28,19,637	32,52,867	6,68,554	38,21,421	10,01,784	...
Total...	398,54,137	24,68,225	423,22,362	397,64,430	22,93,812	420,58,242	Net....	2,64,120
Forest Revenue	2,62,862	496	2,63,358	...	...	...	...	2,63,358
Abkarry	37,41,116	2,49,555	39,90,671	38,40,694	3,29,535	41,70,229	1,79,558	...
Income Tax	8,20,317	2,52,116	10,72,433	43,003	2,51,282	2,94,285	...	7,78,148
Salt	99,12,896	706	99,13,602	102,81,773	6,928	102,88,699	3,75,097	...
Sea Customs	18,07,770	...	18,07,770	19,45,425	...	19,45,425	1,37,649	...
Land Customs	2,21,028	- 798	2,21,826	1,23,979	...	1,23,979	...	- 97,847
Stamps	27,65,169	...	27,65,169	31,49,219	...	31,49,219	3,84,050	...
Total...	195,31,164	5,03,671	200,34,835	193,84,093	5,87,743	199,71,836	Net....	62,999
Grand total...	593,85,301	29,71,896	623,57,197	591,48,523	28,81,555	620,30,078	Net....	3,27,119
Income Tax stoppages made by ex-officio officers. ...	...	...	4,09,994	...	...	50,319	...	3,59,675
			627,67,191			620,80,397	...	6,86,794

88. The net decrease in the Land Revenue collections, both current and arrears, amounts to Rupees 2,64,120. A large portion of the decrease is in the current collections, and is chiefly owing to a considerable portion of Peishcush due from certain Zemindars in the Madura district not having been discharged within the end of the Fusly. Out of the ryotwar, &c., demand also there was a large balance at the end of the Fusly, in consequence of the distressed state of the people in some of the districts. The collections of all sources of revenue, including Land Revenue, shews on the whole a net decrease of Rupees 6,86,794. This decrease is accounted for by the causes already given in the case of Land Revenue, by the Forest Revenue not being included in the accounts of Fusly 1,275, and by the abolition of the Income Tax.

89. It must be here observed that the collections of Revenue entered in the Statements now submitted, do not correspond with those shown in the Statement of collections sent to Government for June 1866. This is owing to some of the Collectors having found it necessary to alter their accounts for the latter months of the Fusly, and to the collections of one district being blended with those of another, under the instructions of the Accountant General. As this matter was brought to the notice of Government in the Board's Proceedings, dated 11th December 1866, No. 8,787, the Board consider it unnecessary to enter into further details on the subject.

90. The following Statement is intended to show the extent to which coercive process was employed in the collection of the revenue during the Fusly. Processes were issued in 5,369 villages against 42,872 defaulters, for the recovery of 3,87,225 rupees. The estimated value of the property attached amounted to Rupees 3,00,997; but the value of the property actually sold amounted to Rupees 65,709. Of this amount, Rupees 52,908 was realised by the sale of landed property, and the remainder by the disposal of moveable personal property:—

Districts.	Process issued.			Property sold.						Estimated value of property attached.		
				Land.		Personal property.		Total.		Land.	Personal property.	Total.
	Number of villages.	Number of ryots.	Amount of arrears.	Estimated value.	Value actually sold.	Estimated value.	Value actually sold.	Estimated value.	Value actually sold.			
1	2	3	4	8	9	10	11	12	13	5	6	7
	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
1. Ganjam ...	6	6	98	98	113	...	...	98	113	98	...	98
2. Vizagapatam...	35	386	4,731	311	363	305	300	616	663	1,551	2,421	3,972
3. Godavery ...	274	3,094	57,154	923	327	3,539	3,475	4,462	3,802	7,415	40,059	47,474
4. Kistna... ...	98	301	12,463	483	428	621	699	1,104	1,127	1,298	7,645	8,943
5. Nellore ...	174	559	5,852	694	208	273	299	967	507	2,218	2,171	4,389
6. Cuddapah ...	90	163	2,810	477	633	49	40	526	573	4,057	538	4,595
7. Bellary ...	78	158	2,903	60	56	724	671	784	727	814	2,088	2,902
8. Kurnool ...	47	98	1,234	1,069	280	202	165	1,271	445	1,069	202	1,271
9. Madras... ...	1,251	11,935	1,58,947	31,679	32,485	1,589	1,838	33,268	34,323	96,551	69,613	1,66,164
10. North Arcot..	1,130	15,649	69,927	7,194	6,908	1,526	1,930	8,720	8,838	8,443	6,756	15,199
11. South Arcot ..	810	2,839	22,690	2,075	3,324	2,403	1,233	4,478	4,557	9,122	11,948	21,070
12. Tanjore... ...	300	705	22,439	3,712	4,638	1,023	1,267	4,735	5,905	8,881	12,274	21,155
13. Trichinopoly ..	250	6,813	25,614	...	...	15	19	15	19	...	15	15
14. Madura ...	4	14	138	...	143	...	...	135	143	138	...	138
15. Tinnevelly ...	6	7	407	105	268	122	130	227	398	105	122	227
16. Coimbatore...	57	127	686	300	300	14	18	314	318	300	52	352
17. Salem... ...	756	1,012	9,025	1,195	2,534	340	560	1,535	3,094	904	2,028	2,932
18. South Canara.	6	6	107	...	...	91	157	91	157	...	101	101
19. Malabar ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Total...	5,369	42,872	3,87,225	50,510	52,908	12,836	12,801	63,346	65,709	1,42,964	1,58,033	3,00,997

91. The entire charges of the year amounted to Rupees 62,32,386, or Rupees 2,44,180 above the charges of Fusly 1274. The following abstract shows the charges of the year compared with the preceding year with their per-centage on the receipts:—

Items.	Fusly 1274.	Fusly 1275.	Increase.	Decrease.
	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
Receipts	627,67,191	620,80,396	...	6,86,795
Management charges	39,70,004	40,98,122	1,28,118	...
Extra do.	20,18,202	21,34,264	1,16,062	...
Total charges ...	59,88,206	62,32,386	2,44,180	...
Per-centage of charges to receipts	9·64	10·03	...	...

92. The charges incurred during the year on account of the Collectors, &c., and their establishments amounted to Rupees 40,98,122, or Rupees 1,28,118 above those of the preceding Fusly. This excess is owing to a large number of additional Covenanted Assistants having been appointed during the year, as well as to the increase of pay sanctioned to the Revenue establishments under the Honourable Mr. Pelly's revision. The increase in the extra charges occurs chiefly in the Madras and the Malabar districts. In the former it was owing to the large quantity of Columbo Arrack purchased to keep the stock up to the required standard allowing for a reserve, and in the latter district to larger quantities of salt having been purchased during the year at increased rates.

93. The Board will here notice briefly the result of the management of the Palcondah and the Honjaram estates in the Vizagapatam district, under rent to Messrs. Arbuthnot & Co. The demand for the 263 villages included in these estates, amounted to Rupees 1,55,090, out of which Rupees 1,53,712 was collected, leaving a balance of Rupees 1,378. The demand for the year has fallen short of that of Fusly 1274 by Rupees 395. These estates like other parts of the district suffered from the want of rain, but owing to the high prices, and to the ryots being allowed to pay in Indigo plant, almost the whole demand was paid up within the year. The marginal abstract shows the extent of acres cultivated with the various productions entered in the margin. As compared with Fusly 1274, the total extent cultivated shows a decrease of 149 acres below the previous year. This decrease was owing, as already explained, to the failure of the later rains.

Name of produce.	Land in Acres for Fusly 1274.	Land in Acres for Fusly 1275.	Increase.	Decrease.
Sugar-cane	309	343	34	...
Paddy	8,926	9,267	341	...
Indigo	646	840	94	...
Cotton	...	2	2	...
Other jirdhas ...	2,466	2,143	...	323
Total	12,346	12,595	471	323
Net	...	...	149	...

94. The examination of the Village and the Taluk accounts during the past year shows that they have been pretty correctly kept, though the accounts given in some of the reports are not very satisfactory. The Board are, however, glad to report that during the settlement, the Collectors have devoted some portion of their time to this important point, and they hope that good results will be attained if the same practice is continued every year. In South Canara, the Taluk offices have all been supplied with neatly printed forms of all accounts. This will tend much to facilitate the correct drawing up of the accounts, and the Board trust that the Collectors of the other Districts have adopted the same course.

95. The amounts realized by the sale of unassessed waste lands, and from the redemption of Land Tax, &c., are shown below as usual in comparison with those of Fusly 1274. They amount Rs. 3,34,244, or Rupees 15,676 below those of the preceding year. This sum is shown in the revenues of the year in the gross at the foot of the Statement No, 6, as directed in Government Order, dated 28th June 1865, No. 1,460.

Items.	Fusly 1274.	Fusly 1275.	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.	814	206	...	608
Redemption of assessment on assessed Government lands converted into freehold	3,574	3,046	...	528
Redemption on Inam lands other than Village service Inams enfranchised on payment of quit-rent.	1,135	5,600	4,465	...
Sale of waste lands under the new rules of 5th March 1863...	25,717	14,053	...	11,664
Sale of lands on the Neilgherries and Shervaroy Hills and subject to annual assessment...	4,553	111	...	4,442
Sale of Proprietary right in the escheats of Malabar...	3,12,187	3,11,228	...	959
Sale of houses or other real property which did or might yield revenue...	1,940	...	...	1,940
Total... ...	3,49,920	3,34,244	4,465	20,141
Net... ...	...	...	...	15,679

96. The Board cannot conclude this report without drawing the special attention of Government to the satisfactory condition of the Revenues of the Presidency. The year under report was unfavourable, and yet they have to report an increase under every item of revenue during the year. In Land Revenue the increase is nearly £62,000, in Abkarry it was £830, in Salt £36,800, in Customs £4,000, and in Stamps £38,400; in all nearly £142,000 in excess of the revenues of the previous year. The collection of the revenues too has been satisfactorily performed by the Officers of the Department, with little resort to the coercive process, for of the whole demand, amounting to upwards of 6¼ millions sterling, nearly 6¼ millions were collected within the year, and for the recovery of only £38,722 was it found necessary to attach either land or personal property.

(A true Extract.)

H Dalyell
Secretary.

To the Secretary to Government, Revenue Department.

Copy to all Collectors.

No. 1.—STATEMENT *showing the number of Villages settled, and Puttahs issued by Covenanted and Uncovenanted Officers for Fusly* 1275.

DISTRICTS.	SETTLED BY COLLECTORS.			SETTLED BY SUB-COLLECTORS.			SETTLED BY HEAD ASSISTANTS AND ASSISTANTS			SETTLED BY DEPUTY COLLECTORS.			TOTAL.						LAST FUSLY.		
															DISTRIBUTION OF PUTTAHS.						
	Number of Taluks.	Number of Villages.	Number of Puttahs.	Number of Taluks.	Number of Villages.	Number of Puttahs.	Number of Taluks.	Number of Villages.	Number of Puttahs.	Number of Taluks.	Number of Villages.	Number of Puttahs.	Number of Taluks.	Number of Villages.	Number of fresh Puttahs.	Old Puttahs modified by additional entries.	Old Puttahs not altered.	Total.	Number of Taluks.	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 ...	2	1,365	24,806	...	...	...	1	145	9,023	...	...	...	3	1,410	645	2,467	30,716	33,828	3	1,412	33,235
2. Vizagapatam ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	160	4,131	...	...	...	2	160	1,674	...	2,457	4,131	2	157	3,907
3. Godavery ...	3	533	866	3	295	16,316	3	545	476	...	...	...	9	978	18,976	...	82	19,058	9	977	17,116
4. Kistna... ...	4	487	43,668	3	564	32,517	1	114	6,759	3	342	28,853	11	1,307	10,543	24,559	86,695	1,21,797	11	1,310	1,21,237
5. Nellore ...	2	231	48,596	3	311	43,787	2	118	19,595	2	214	26,458	9	871	84,896	6,522	47,011	1,38,431	9	873	1,35,878
6. Cuddapah ...	2	247	37,667	3	286	36,635	4	363	49,600	2	174	20,250	11	1,070	9,849	35,738	98,725	1,44,352	11	1,068	1,42,529
7. Bellary ...	5	915	46,587	5	606	37,318	4	628	40,422	1	144	10,341	15	2,306	65,123	15,509	54,032	1,34,664	15	2,294	1,35,900
8. Kurnool ...	2	192	18,646	...	...	...	3	138	23,385	4	367	42,176	8	697	33,617	531	50,001	84,149	8	696	80,089
9. Madras ...	3	730	25,696	4	978	18,676	...	...	...	...	...	...	7	1,708	18,437	18,002	7,947	44,386	7	1,706	41,210
10. North Arcot.	3	1,015	64,760	3	955	66,828	2	752	53,516	1	196	8,845	9	2,917	73,920	84,982	74,539	1,82,441	9	2,917	1,84,871
11. South Arcot.	2	585	77,285	3	785	68,835	3	998	53,726	2	629	63,223	8	2,997	9,207	2,21,041	25,813	2,56,061	8	2,947	2,70,068
12. Tanjore ...	2	930	11,978	2	1,867	8,867	2	1,381	7,929	3	1,121	24,855	9	4,799	20,070	9,820	23,759	53,149	9	4,800	41,127
13. Trichinopoly	2	317	41,811	...	...	...	3	939	77,929	...	...	...	5	1,256	6,146	22,942	90,550	1,19,740	5	1,246	1,13,900
14. Madura ...	4	535	56,951	2	247	54,038	...	...	...	...	...	...	6	782	58,540	19,247	45,202	1,22,989	6	782	1,21,918
15. Tinnevelly ...	3	581	42,934	3	402	29,396	2	106	17,296	2	210	44,163	9	1,099	1,53,789	...	...	1,53,789	9	1,099	1,53,715
16. Coimbatore...	4	661	74,596	3	258	53,232	2	408	69,418	2	210	33,825	11	1,534	68,554	113	1,62,405	2,31,071	11	1,534	2,47,187
17. Salem	4	1,354	1,07,571	2	451	43,922	2	719	20,202	1	80	23,353	9	2,604	14,332	8,800	1,71,917	1,95,048	9	2,604	2,22,518
18. South Canara	3	629	25,941	...	...	...	2	449	11,883	...	...	...	5	1,078	1,184	741	85,899	87,824	5	1,078	37,114
19. Malabar ...	3	86	43,196	3	134	67,706	2	131	63,004	2	90	35,430	10	433	6,277	13,964	1,88,696	2,08,337	10	433	2,08,337
Total...	52	11,995	9,14,268	41	7,438	5,84,489	39	7,881	5,26,199	24	3,776	3,70,369	156	30,190	6,34,822	4,84,477	11,95,946	22,65,245	156	30,218	22,21,856

No. 2.—*Comparative Statement of Prices for Fusly* 1275.

DISTRICTS.	Commutation price converted to Rupees per Madras garce of 8,200 measures of 100 rupees weight.		PADDY PER GARCE.						CHOLUM OR JAVERY PER GARCE.			CUMBU OR BAJERA PER GARCE.			RAGGY PER GARCE			HORSE-GRAM PER GARCE.		
			First sort.			Second sort.														
	Wet land.	Dry land.	Average price for 10 years, from Fusly 1265 to 1274.	Fusly 1274.	Fusly 1275.	Average price for 10 years, from Fusly 1265 to 1274.	Fusly 1274.	Fusly 1275.	Average price for 10 years, from Fusly 1265 to 1274.	Fusly 1274.	Fusly 1275.	Average price for 10 years from Fusly 1265 to 1274.	Fusly 1274.	Fusly 1275.	Average price for 10 years, from Fusly 1265 to 1274.	Fusly 1274.	Fusly 1275.	Average price for 10 years, from Fusly 1265 to 1274.	Fusly 1274.	Fusly 1275.
1	2	3	4	5	6	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.	RS.	RS.
1. Ganjam	...	...	85	116	194	80	110	183	121	178	343	105	140	229	105	140	285	125	136	251
2. Vizagapatam	338	228	124	156	215	114	145	202	139	186	236	126	156	222	133	170	239	136	152	235
3. Godavery	...	...	104	147	144	93	135	135	121	177	175	93	143	149	108	165	167	129	171	198
4. Kistna	173	198	145	197	179	131	182	168	168	228	191	143	210	198	112	177	179	171	261	268
5. Nellore	83	117	152	189	193	138	178	178	172	207	197	153	188	197	150	183	177	196	235	246
6. Cuddapah	115	132	173	256	258	154	232	230	194	283	302	144	265	291	178	255	279	204	313	321
7. Bellary	...	...	146	267	255	133	242	233	177	329	379	177	321	373	156	272	335	186	383	425
8. Kurnool	391	294	184	267	255	165	241	233	200	297	312	207	320	320	183	281	298	215	336	356
9. Madras	78	...	155	181	200	142	162	188	193	219	312	192	193	281	194	214	242	235	293	343
10. North Arcot	85	92	149	172	187	134	163	175	189	218	246	178	196	241	173	184	231	199	248	290
11. South Arcot	206	177	150	172	188	135	157	166	178	177	237	162	174	203	164	171	204	214	247	253
12. Tanjore	56	...	136	176	190	125	168	177	161	220	241	141	174	214	138	173	202	211	251	273
13. Trichinopoly	67	79	146	204	216	137	189	194	168	194	211	156	191	225	153	178	217	195	228	251
14. Madura	59	46	159	249	269	147	234	247	149	239	273	140	221	257	159	236	275	182	232	263
15. Tinnevelly	79	...	195	292	287	169	247	257	201	325	336	199	310	334	188	297	304	240	297	331
16. Coimbatore	87	74	196	241	270	178	221	240	210	251	313	166	209	269	176	209	279	209	230	319
17. Salem	206	220	171	193	213	157	180	198	192	197	254	170	174	228	176	168	232	180	202	256
18. South Canara	...	...	...	...	...	140	180	184	...	...	...	...	...	...	183	282	282	229	326	364
19. Malabar	76	59	192	224	233	177	199	229	241	70	295	236	...	...	202	223	264	267	275	369
Average	140	143	153	206	219	140	188	201	176	222	270	160	211	246	160	209	247	193	253	295

No. 3.—*Statement of Ryots' Holdings*

Districts.	RYOTS' HOLDINGS.—(*Concluded.*)		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 ...	2,78,464	6,30,580	2,949	3,843	5,515	14,179
2. Vizagapatam.	77,859	1,83,328	679	446	271	1,577
3. Godavery ...	5,77,087	16,94,375	19,641	47,353	12,138	29,947
4. Kistna... ...	16,09,423	29,12,674	34,958	40,808	28,269	1,01,825
5. Nellore ...	6,94,155	16,34,924	14,001	71,850	4,457	23,975
6. Cuddapah ...	12,49,908	17,73,802	32,322	17,785	3,023	18,598
7. Bellary ...	24,93,709	20,99,296	1,72,697	72,859	5,141	21,161
8. Kurnool ...	11,62,239	13,18,812	67,511	60,080	6,882	35,410
9. Madras ...	4,68,864	13,28,508	18,943	26,496	4,904	16,529
10. North Arcot.	6,57,585	18,37,903	30,928	41,687	3,908	22,881
11. South Arcot...	10,07,255	30,02,126	86,682	1,72,315	4,869	35,898
12. Tanjore ...	9,06,483	38,81,984	1,553	2,141	5,275	20,348
13. Trichinopoly.	7,99,712	11,80,798	23,846	25,091	3,545	13,823
14. Madura ...	7,63,074	14,72,724	56,835	93,018	2,779	9,753
15. Tinnevelly ...	13,00,054	26,42,156	17,906	12,327	8,590	71,142
16. Coimbatore ...	20,12,900	24,36,120	16,058	13,833	1,139	9,732
17. Salem	10,02,057	17,81,335	54,893	64,596	3,342	18,631
Total ..	173,31,773	318,11,460	6,52,402	7,67,458	1,04,197	4,65,409
18. South Canara.	7,42,242	18,12,548	.....	.....	.....	.....
19. Malabar ...			.....	.....	.....	.....
Total...	180,73,970	336,24,008	6,52,402	7,67,458	1,04,197	4,65,409

No. ... statement by Lyotis' Estates

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	4,709	5,618	5,946	15,222	10,655	20,840
2. Vizagapatam ...	5,025	6,166	169	4,457	5,194	10,623
3. Godavery	18,212	89,954	26,809	74,588	45,021	1,64,542
4. Kistna	24,504	42,125	15,538	98,147	40,042	1,40,272
5. Nellore	51,384	54,061	8,766	33,366	60,150	87,427
6. Cuddapah	35,816	19,701	4,609	34,301	40,425	54,002
7. Bellary	1,09,123	48,894	5,818	18,736	1,14,941	67,630
8. Kurnool	75,119	78,922	2,451	12,769	77,570	91,691
9. Madras	11,648	12,820	6,901	22,837	18,549	35,657
10. North Arcot ...	22,948	31,098	3,053	16,347	26,001	47,445
11. South Arcot. ...	97,149	1,63,963	9,034	41,238	1,06,183	2,05,191
12. Tanjore	6,844	6,154	3,060	11,721	9,904	17,875
13. Trichinopoly ...	63,169	59,080	1,938	6,451	65,107	65,531
14. Madura	61,394	70,264	3,668	13,212	65,062	83,476
15. Tinnevelly	23,553	17,111	2,870	33,843	26,423	50,954
16. Coimbatore... ...	1,51,092	1,14,962	1,571	8,584	1,52,663	1,23,546
17. Salem...	49,011	59,768	2,641	16,087	51,652	75,855
Total...	8,10,700	8,80,651	1,04,832	4,61,906	9,15,542	13,42,557
18. South Canara ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
19. Malabar	8,163	18,732	2,563	4,837	10,726	23,569
Total...	8,18,863	8,99,383	1,07,405	4,66,743	9,26,268	13,66,126

No. 1.—STATEMENT *showing the number of Villages settled, and Puttahs issued by Covenanted and Uncovenanted Officers for Fusly* 1275.

DISTRICTS.	SETTLED BY COLLECTORS.			SETTLED BY SUB-COLLECTORS.			SETTLED BY HEAD ASSISTANTS AND ASSISTANTS.			SETTLED BY DEPUTY COLLECTORS.			TOTAL.						LAST FUSLY.		
															DISTRIBUTION OF PUTTAHS.						
	Number of Taluks.	Number of Villages.	Number of Puttahs.	Number of Taluks.	Number of Villages.	Number of Puttahs.	Number of Taluks.	Number of Villages.	Number of Puttahs.	Number of Taluks.	Number of Villages.	Number of Puttahs.	Number of Taluks	Number of Villages.	Number of fresh Puttahs.	Old Puttahs modified by additional entries.	Old Puttahs not altered.	Total.	Number of Taluks	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 ...	2	1,265	84,806	...	...	...	1	145	9,022	...	...	...	3	1,410	645	2,467	80,716	83,828	3	1,412	83,235
2. Vizagapatam	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	160	4,131	...	...	...	2	160	1,674	...	2,457	4,131	2	157	3,907
3. Godavary ...	3	813	346	3	298	18,216	3	345	476	...	...	...	9	978	18,976	...	82	19,058	9	977	17,116
4. Kistna... ...	4	487	43,668	3	364	33,517	1	114	6,759	3	342	38,853	11	1,307	10,643	24,559	86,695	1,21,797	11	1,310	1,21,237
5. Nellore ...	3	231	46,596	3	311	43,787	2	115	19,595	2	214	26,458	9	871	84,896	6,522	47,011	1,38,431	9	878	1,35,878
6. Cuddapah ...	3	247	37,667	3	286	36,635	4	363	49,600	1	174	20,250	11	1,070	9,849	35,736	98,725	1,44,352	11	1,068	1,42,529
7. Bellary ...	5	915	46,587	5	808	37,813	4	628	40,422	1	144	10,341	15	2,295	65,123	15,509	54,032	1,34,664	15	2,294	1,35,900
8. Kurnool ...	3	192	18,686	...	...	...	2	138	23,285	4	367	42,178	8	697	33,617	531	50,001	84,149	8	696	80,089
9. Madras ...	3	736	35,698	4	978	18,586	...	...	...	...	...	...	7	1,708	18,437	18,002	7,947	44,386	7	1,706	61,210
10. North Arcot.	3	1,015	84,750	3	955	66,328	2	752	52,518	1	195	8,845	9	2,917	72,920	34,982	74,539	1,82,441	9	2,917	1,84,871
11. South Arcot.	3	585	77,285	2	785	53,825	3	998	52,725	2	629	62,223	8	2,997	9,207	2,21,941	25,813	2,56,061	8	2,947	2,70,068
12. Tanjore ...	3	930	11,978	2	1,567	8,867	2	1,561	7,929	2	1,121	24,554	9	4,799	20,070	9,320	23,759	53,149	9	4,800	41,127
13. Trichinopoly	3	817	41,611	...	...	...	3	939	77,929	...	...	...	5	1,256	6,146	22,942	90,656	1,19,740	5	1,246	1,13,900
14. Madura ...	4	535	86,951	3	247	34,038	...	...	...	...	...	...	6	782	56,540	19,347	45,202	1,22,989	6	783	1,21,918
15. Tinnevelly ...	3	381	42,934	3	402	29,396	2	106	17,296	3	210	44,163	9	1,099	1,33,789	...	...	1,33,789	9	1,099	1,53,715
16. Coimbatore...	4	661	74,596	3	255	53,232	3	406	69,416	1	210	33,825	11	1,534	68,554	112	1,62,405	2,31,071	11	1,534	2,47,187
17. Salem	4	1,554	1,07,571	2	451	43,922	2	719	20,202	1	80	23,353	9	2,604	14,332	8,800	1,71,917	1,95,048	9	2,604	2,33,518
18. South Canara	3	369	25,941	...	...	...	2	449	11,883	...	...	...	5	1,278	1,184	741	35,899	37,824	5	1,278	37,114
19. Malabar ...	3	88	42,196	3	184	67,706	2	121	63,004	2	90	35,430	10	433	6,277	18,964	1,86,696	2,06,337	10	433	2,06,337
Total...	61	11,995	8,14,288	41	7,438	5,54,469	39	7,861	5,26,199	24	3,776	3,70,269	156	30,198	6,34,822	4,34,477	11,93,946	22,63,245	156	30,218	23,21,856

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No. 3.—*Statement of Ryots' Holdings Cultivation and Settlement for Fusly* 1275.

Districts.	Villages.	Ryots' Holding.			
		Dry.		Wet.	
		Extent.	Assessment.	Extent.	Assessment.
1	2	3	4	5	6
		Acres.	Rs.	Acres.	Rs.
1. Ganjam	1,410	1,04,688	1,34,249	1,73,776	4,96,340
2. Vizagapatam	160	53,751	56,774	24,108	1,26,554
3. Godavery...	973	3,73,970	10,30,201	2,03,117	6,64,174
4. Kistna	1,307	14,22,818	21,18,517	1,86,605	7,94,157
5. Nellore	871	5,32,048	7,78,511	1,62,107	8,56,413
6. Cuddapah	1,070	11,06,136	8,14,488	1,43,772	9,59,314
7. Bellary	2,295	23,30,593	14,50,346	1,63,116	6,48,950
8. Kurnool	697	11,28,103	10,82,849	34,136	2,35,963
9. Madras	1,708	1,96,092	2,78,707	2,72,772	10,49,801
10. North Arcot	2,917	4,47,144	6,27,454	2,10,441	12,10,449
11. South Arcot	2,997	8,24,586	15,06,352	2,72,669	14,95,774
12. Tanjore	4,799	2,67,407	3,36,609	7,29,078	35,45,375
13. Trichinopoly	1,256	6,73,360	6,44,462	1,26,352	5,36,336
14. Madura	782	6,15,394	8,54,166	1,47,680	6,18,558
15. Tinnevelly	1,099	11,16,889	8,35,535	1,83,165	18,06,621
16. Coimbatore	1,534	19,26,060	17,74,014	86,840	6,62,112
17. Salem	2,604	10,11,434	12,81,915	81,523	4,99,420
Total...	28,479	141,30,473	156,05,149	32,01,255	162,06,311
18. South Canara	1,278	.....	.....	.....	.....
19. Malabar	433	3,65,487	5,64,669	3,76,755	12,47,879
Total...	30,190	144,95,960	161,69,818	35,78,010	174,54,190

Note.—The holdings brought forward in this Statement will be found to correspond with those entered in Columns 41 and 43 of the corresponding Statement for Fusly 1274, after excluding the holdings in Malabar for the first time brought to account.

Cultivation and Settlement for Fusly 1275.

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.
8,464	18,022	1,01,739	1,30,405	1,68,261	4,82,161	2,70,000	6,12,566
950	2,023	53,072	56,328	23,837	1,24,977	76,909	1,81,305
31,779	77,300	3,54,329	9,82,848	1,90,979	6,34,227	5,45,308	16,17,075
63,227	1,42,633	13,87,860	20,77,709	1,58,336	6,92,332	15,46,196	27,70,042
18,458	95,825	5,18,047	7,06,661	1,57,650	8,32,438	6,75,697	15,39,099
35,345	36,383	10,73,814	7,96,703	1,40,749	9,40,716	12,14,563	17,37,420
1,77,838	94,020	21,57,890	13,77,488	1,57,975	6,27,789	23,15,871	20,05,276
74,393	95,490	10,60,592	10,22,769	27,254	2,00,553	10,87,846	12,23,322
23,937	43,025	1,77,149	2,52,211	2,67,778	10,33,272	4,44,927	12,85,482
34,896	64,568	4,16,216	5,85,767	2,06,473	11,87,568	6,22,689	17,73,335
91,551	2,08,243	7,37,904	13,34,007	2,67,800	14,59,876	10,05,704	27,93,883
6,828	22,489	2,65,854	3,34,468	7,23,801	35,25,027	9,89,655	38,59,496
27,391	39,814	6,49,514	6,18,471	1,22,807	5,22,513	7,72,321	11,40,983
59,614	1,02,771	5,58,559	7,61,148	1,44,901	6,08,805	7,03,460	13,69,953
26,496	83,469	10,98,983	8,23,208	1,74,575	17,35,479	12,73,558	25,58,687
17,197	23,565	19,10,002	17,60,181	85,701	6,52,380	19,95,703	24,12,561
58,235	83,227	9,56,541	12,17,319	78,181	4,80,789	10,34,722	16,98,108
7,56,599	12,32,867	134,78,071	148,37,691	30,97,058	157,40,902	165,75,129	305,78,593
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
.....	.....	3,65,487	5,64,669	3,76,755	12,47,879	7,42,242	18,12,548
7,56,599	12,32,867	138,43,558	154,02,360	34,73,813	169,88,781	173,17,371	323,91,141

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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.
1,06,448	1,36,023	1,74,207	4,97,383	2,80,655	6,33,406
58,097	62,494	24,006	1,29,434	82,103	1,91,928
3,72,541	10,72,802	2,17,788	7,08,815	5,90,329	17,81,617
14,12,364	21,19,834	1,73,874	7,90,479	15,86,238	29,10,313
5,69,431	7,60,722	1,66,416	8,65,804	7,35,847	16,26,526
11,09,630	8,16,404	1,45,358	9,75,017	12,54,988	17,91,421
22,67,019	14,26,382	1,63,793	6,46,525	24,30,812	20,72,907
11,35,711	11,01,691	29,705	2,13,322	11,65,416	13,15,013
1,88,797	2,65,031	2,74,679	10,56,109	4,63,476	13,21,140
4,39,164	6,16'865	2,09,526	12,03,915	6,48,690	18,20,780
8,35,053	14,97,960	2,76,834	15,01,114	11,11,887	29,99,074
2,72,698	3,40,622	7,26,861	35,36,748	9,99,559	38,77,370
7,12,683	6,77,551	1,24,745	5,28,964	8,37,428	12,06,515
6,19,953	8,31,412	1,48,569	6,22,017	7,68,522	14,53,429
11,22,536	8,40,319	1,77,445	17,69,322	12,99,981	26,09,641
20,61,094	18,75,143	87,272	6,60,964	21,48,366	25,36,107
10,05,552	12,77,087	80,822	4,96,876	10,86,374	17,73,963
142,88,771	157,18,342	32,01,900	162,02,808	174,90,671	319,21,150
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
3,73,650	5,83,401	3,79,318	12,52,716	7,52,968	18,36,117
146,62,421	163,01,743	35,81,218	174,55,524	182,43,639	337,57,267

No. 3.—*Statement of Ryots' Holdings*

Districts.	WASTE REMITTED.					
	DRY.		WET.		TOTAL.	
	Extent.	Assessment.	Extent.	Assessment.	Extent.	Assessment.
	33	34	35	36	37	38
	ACRES.	RS.	ACRES.	RS.	ACRES.	RS.
1. Ganjam	.....	.....	130	311	130	311
2. Vizagapatam ...	.....	.....	1,434	5,004	1,434	5,004
3. Godavery	.....	.....	632	2,339	632	2,339
4. Kistna	8,714	7,728	8,242	24,006	17,028	31,734
5. Nellore	4	8	21,739	1,11,784	21,743	1,11,792
6. Cuddapah	273	301	6,080	32,229	6,353	32,530
7. Bellary	1,16,177	1,24,125	6,421	23,356	1,22,538	1,47,481
8. Kurnool	10,090	13,195	1,613	11,907	11,703	25,102
9. Madras	19,017	29,405	27,943	95,144	46,960	1,24,549
10. North...	4,768	5,187	13,137	66,692	17,905	71,879
11. South Arcot ...	1,590	2,431	18,455	92,347	20,045	94,778
12. Tanjore	44	27	21,144	78,902	21,188	78,929
13. Trichinopoly ...	.....	.....	1,088	3,666	1,088	3,666
14. Madura	40,731	42,130	20,246	70,961	60,977	1,13,091
15. Tinnevelly	227	106	20,640	1,40,416	20,867	1,40,522
16. Coimbatore... ...	1,404	835	8,893	57,661	10,297	58,496
17. Salem...	2	4	3,618	18,038	3,620	18,042
Total...	2,03,053	2,25,482	1,81,455	8,34,763	3,84,508	10,60,245
18. South Canara ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
19. Malabar	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Total...	2,03,053	2,25,482	1,81,455	8,34,763	3,84,508	10,60,245

Cultivation and Settlement for Fusly 1275.

REMAINDER CULTIVATION.							
WASTE CHARGED.				ACTUAL CULTIVATION.			
Dry.		Wet.		Dry.		Wet.	
Extent.	Assessment.	Extent.	Assessment.	Extent.	Assessment.	Extent.	Assessment.
39	40	41	42	43	44	45	46
ACRES.	RS.	ACRES.	RS.	ACRES.	RS.	ACRES.	RS.
1,283	1,327	734	1,710	1,05,165	1,34,696	1,73,343	4,95,362
5,231	4,329	1,698	9,899	52,866	58,165	20,874	1,14,531
1,42,004	2,21,965	43,085	96,444	2,30,537	8,50,838	1,74,071	6,10,032
1,86,805	2,11,237	18,214	49,064	12,16,773	19,00,869	1,47,418	7,17,409
62,263	71,714	2,757	13,488	5,07,164	6,89,000	1,41,920	7,40,532
71,395	25,624	6,042	25,820	10,37,962	7,94,479	1,33,236	9,16,968
1,59,344	54,521	4,997	13,983	19,91,558	12,47,735	1,52,375	6,09,186
34,823	19,176	611	2,678	10,90,798	10,69,320	27,481	1,98,737
32,575	41,827	6,576	19,293	1,37,205	1,93,800	2,40,160	9,41,672
52,812	67,174	10,387	48,754	3,81,584	5,44,504	1,86,002	10,88,469
64,140	1,10,879	5,350	22,174	7,69,323	13,84,650	2,53,029	13,86,593
63,864	69,754	33,900	1,07,216	2,08,790	2,70,841	6,71,817	33,50,629
82,884	53,615	7,497	26,751	6,29,799	6,23,937	1,16,160	4,98,546
5,782	8,326	3,059	10,955	5,73,440	7,80,955	1,25,264	5,40,101
3,71,883	1,87,431	12,471	94,935	7,50,426	6,52,782	1,44,334	15,33,971
2,95,386	2,32,784	1,085	5,776	17,64,304	16,41,525	77,294	5,97,527
21,121	20,763	1,064	5,449	9,84,429	12,56,321	76,140	4,73,388
16,53,595	14,02,446	1,59,527	5,54,389	124,32,123	140,90,417	28,60,918	148,13,653
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
.....	.....	.....	.....	3,73,650	5,83,401	3,79,318	12,52,716
16,53,595	14,02,446	1,59,527	5,54,389	128,05,773	146,73,818	32,40,236	160,66,369

No. 3.—*Statement of Ryot's Holdings cultivation and Settlement for Fusly* 1275.

Districts.	REMAINDER CULTIVATION. (*Concluded.*) TOTAL. Extent.	TOTAL. Assessment.	Second crop assessment.	Additional assessment.	Water tax.	Road cess.	Merah to Village servants.
	47	48	49	50	51	52	53
	ACRES.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
1. Ganjam... ...	2,80,525	6,33,093	.....	2,488	.....	.....	.....
2. Vizagapatam.	80,669	1,86,924	.....	2,271	.....	.....	.....
3. Godavery ...	5,89,697	17,79,279	.....	.....	8,42,998	.....	.....
4. Kistna	15,69,210	28,78,579	.....	.....	15,333	542	19,296
5. Nellore... ...	7,14,104	15,14,734	6,612	22,027	.....	13,567	914
6. Cuddapah ...	12,48,635	17,58,891	81,952	59,948	.....	.....	.....
7. Bellary... ...	23,08,274	19,25,425	1,02,165	46,613	4,523	945	.....
8. Kurnool ...	11,53,713	12,89,911	19,339	21,290	.....	221	.....
9. Madras... ...	4,16,516	11,96,592	77,460	23,258	.....	2,316	1,35, 695
10. North Arcot...	6,30,785	17,48,901	52,541	31,636	.....	33,422	8,750
11. South Arcot...	10,91,842	29,04,296	42,871	1,08,647	.....	.....	1,390
12. Tanjore... ...	9,78,371	37,98,440	33,853	1,12,134	.....	.....	.....
13. Trichinopoly ..	8,36,340	12,02,849	75,315	1,183	7,290	.....	.....
14. Madura... ...	7,07,545	13,40,337	45,984	449	.....	1,110	905
15. Tinnevelly ...	12,79,114	24,69,119	.....	.....	.....	65	.....
16. Coimbatore ...	21,38,069	24,77,612	308	1,049	.....	6,130	.....
17. Salem	10,82,754	17,55,921	559	35,527	.....	22,319	.....
Total...	171,06,163	308,00,905	5,38,959	4,68,520	8,70,144	80,637	1,66,950
18. South Canara.	.....	13,76,296	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
19. Malabar... ...	7,52,968	18,36,117	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Total...	178,59,131	340,73,318	5,38,959	4,68,520	8,70,144	80,637	1,66,950

Add amount of Sundry Items in Tinnevelly improperly included by the Collector in the Ryotwar demand... ... ...

	Rs.
* Revenue from Tupes	16,590
Do. from Palmirahs	1,12,750
Deficiency in Cattegattagai village hitherto entered under the head of Ryotwar	856
Chillara Cattegattagai	661
Difference between the average Revenue of the lands relinquished to and acquired from Travancore	892
Inam Tirve Jasty	64
Total...	1,31,032

Total.	DEDUCT REMISSIONS. Road cess.	Merah to Village servants.	Other remissions as particularised in Statement No. 4.	Total.	Remaining Ryotwar Demand.	Add Miscellaneous Items as per Statement No. 5.	Total settled Demand.
54	55	56	57	58	59	60	61
Rs.	Rs	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs	Rs.	Rs
6,35,583	.....	.....	1,25,044	1,25,044	5,10,539	75,456	5,85,995
1,89,195	.....	218	39,484	39,702	1,49,493	1,75,761	3,25,254
26,22,277	7,225	19,392	5,149	31,766	25,90,511	8,09,536	34,00,047
29,13,750	542	35,791	57,001	93,334	28,20,416	3,43,635	31,64,051
15,57,854	13,567	1,259	29,628	44,454	15,13,400	2,53,388	17,66,788
19,00,791	.....	.....	94,370	94,370	18,06,421	1,94,411	20,00,832
20,79,671	945	258	54,570	55,773	20,23,898	2,52,765	22,76,663
13,30,761	5,518	13,241	28,660	47,419	12,83,342	1,38,221	14,21,563
14,35,321	2,379	1,47,572	70,056	2,20,007	12,15,313	1,64,454	13,79,767
18,75,250	35,143	1,10,386	32,171	1,77,700	16,97,550	1,33,293	18,30,843
30,57,204	54,942	1,97,224	1,58,711	4,10,877	26,46,328	62,872	27,09,201
39,44,427	.....	.....	1,84,711	1,84,711	37,59,716	1,17,754	38,77,470
12,86,637	25,407	553	8,439	34,399	12,52,238	46,127	12,98,365
13,88,785	1,110	1,810	56,898	59,818	13,28,967	56,678	13,85,645
24,69,184	65	9,523	1,59,535	1,69,123	23,00,061	92,392	23,92,453
24,85,090	6,130	.....	1,33,902	1,40,032	23,45,067	98,715	24,43,782
18,14,326	22,319	1,08,075	44,634	1,75,028	16,39,298	77,087	17,16,385
329,86,115	1,75,292	6,45,302	12,82,963	21,03,557	308,82,558	30,92,545	339,75,104
13,76,296	.....	.....	38,243	38,243	13,38,053	65,400	14,03,453
18,36,117	.....	.....	11,340	11,340	18,24,777	13,260	18,38,037
361,98,528	1,75,252	6,45,302	13,32,546	21,53,140	340,45,388	31,71,205	372,16,594
*1,31,032	Amount added to Column 54				1,31,032	.....	1,31,032
363,29,560	Total...				341,76,420	.....	373,47,626

	Deduct.	Add.
Water tax in the Godavery and Kistna districts added to the Ryotwar Demand in the Collectors' Statement No. 3, but included in the Statement of Demand, Collection, and Balance under the head of Miscellaneous	8,58,330	8,58,330
Total corresponding with the Statement No. 6 of Demand...	333,18,090	40,29,535

No. 5.—Comparative abstract of Land Revenue Miscellaneous Items for Fusly 1275.

ITEMS.	Fusly 1274.	Fusly 1275.	Increase.	Decrease.
	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
1. Jody on Sundry, &c., Inams ...	8,90,740	11,72,383	2,81,643	.....
2. Tax on trees on unassessed lands.	74,613	95,541	20,928	.....
3. Cess for repair of tanks	3,565	3,652	87	.....
4. Revenue from rented villages ...	1,89,162	1,90,940	1,778	.....
5. Do. from Amany villages...	16,840	12,312	.....	4,528
6. Land cultivated but not included in the Jummahbundy	1,67,421	1,69,611	2,190	.....
7. Conccaled cultivation	5,718	7,041	1,323	.....
8. Cultivation of unclaimed Inams.	8,664	7,058	.....	1,606
9. Do. of Porumboke lands.	4,221	31,365	27,144	.....
10. Do. of lands belonging to pagodas where there is no worship	298	369	71	.....
11. Do. of Chuttrum Inams	.....	106	106	.....
12. Grazing tax or grass rent... ...	1,78,100	1,57,419	.....	20,681
13. Rent of gardens and topes ...	65,523	47,093	.....	18,430
14. Inam Tuffreek	7,773	5,087	.....	2,686
15. Revenue from reverted Inams.	29,884	4,614	.....	25,270
16. Collections from Village Service Inams for offices vacant	5,059	17,755	12,696	.....
17. Revenue from sequestered Inams	13,428	49,828	36,400	.....
18. Do. from hill villages	39,500	40,078	578	.....
19. Do. from lands on the sides and slopes of hills...	3,572	5,353	1,781	.....
20. Do. from boundary lands in dispute	2,099	2,092	.....	7
21. Do. from lands assessed at favorable rates	15,688	4,921	.....	10,767
22. Honey rent	5	118	113	.....
23. Wax rent	291	299	8	.....
24. Chank rent	5,810	3,910	.....	1,900
25. Chunam shell rent	4,611	4,765	154	.....
26. Brick-kiln rent	.....	.....	.....	.....
27. Cardamum rent...	.....	.....	.....	.....
28. Rent on palmirah trees	1,18,809	26,236	.....	92,573
29. Do. on soapnut trees	815	815	.....	.....
30. Do. on fruit trees	80,071	18,800	.....	61,271
31. Do. on roots for dyeing cloth ...	4,033	4,428	395	.....
32. Do. on medicinal roots	245	330	85	.....
33. Do. on lime quarries	.....	40	40	.....
34. Do. on Padoogay lands or those situated near rivers	535	843	308	.....
35. Do. of islands situated in rivers.	6,924	6,265	.....	659
36. Sale of durbay grass...	149	1,468	1,319	.....
37. Diamond mine rent	631	345	.....	286
38. Cultivation of jungle lands newly cleared by burning in South Canara	2,418	4,534	2,116	.....
39. Do. of dry lands or huckle cultivation in South Canara ...	1,638	1,588	.....	50
40. Commission on the sale of distrained property attached for arrears of Land Revenue ...	1,982	986	.....	996
41. Do. on private estates under Circar management	6,496	7,260	764	.....
42. Tax on back-yards in excess of the limit allowed	1,244	1,914	670	.....
43. Revenue fines	44,825	40,863	.....	3,962
44. Savings and refunds...	12,498	6,318	.....	6,180
45. Excess collection over the demand	6,360	4,437	.....	1,923
46. Water-tax on Zemindary Inam, &c., lands	6,05,362	7,52,379	1,47,017	.....
47. Quitrent on bungalows and gardens	29,471	27,080	.....	2,391

No. 1.—*Statement showing the particulars of remissions in Fusly 1275.*

Items.	Fusly 1274	Fusly 1273.	Increase.	Decrease.
	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
Occasional remissions or those granted at the Jummabundy with reference to state of the season.				
1. Shamilat Bunjer or portions of fields left waste	1,31,249	98,501	...	32,748
2 Shavy or withered crops	1,70,390	4,30,691	2,60,292	...
3 Palanastam or loss of produce...	2,74,750	1,69,367	...	1,05,383
4. Panyhasithy { or land flooded or injured by water.	27,982	1,232	...	26,750
5. Payasaly	16,573	10,437	...	6,136
6. Cowle remission	73,964	54,572	...	19,392
7. Treasury or remission to privileged classes	6,727	6,791	64	...
8 Teeva Cumnee	1,31,907	94,895	...	37,012
9. Fasal Cumnee or 2nd crop not cultivated.	44,001	45,080	1,079	...
10. Miscellaneous remissions...	2,15,565	1,75,079	...	40,486
Total...	10,93,117	10,87,545	2,62,335	2,67,907
			Net...	5,572
Fixed Remissions.				
Tarum Cumnee	9,018	92,795	83,777	...
Items allowed on the collections or from the entire revenue of villages.				
Share of Shrotriem proceeds...	61,342	1,03,305	41,963	...
Allowances for heads of villages and Curnums	5,00,740	...	...	5,00,740
Cuttubadi, &c..	...	5,269	5,269	...
Eva and Ditta Inams in Tinnevelly	...	43,632	43,632	...
Total...	5,62,082	1,52,206	90,864	5,00,740
			Net...	4,09,876
Grand Total...	16,64,217	13,32,546	4,36,976	7,68,647
			Net...	3,31,671

No. 5.—*Comparative abstract of Land Revenue Miscellaneous Items.—(Continued.)*

ITEMS.	Fusly 1274.	Fusly 1275.	Increase.	Decrease.
	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
48. Quit-rent and ground rent in the town of Madras	85,701	79,395	.....	6,306
49. Rusums collected from Zemindars	24,916	10,415	.....	14,501
50. Revenue derived from Coir, the produce of Amendevi Islands, in South Canara	23,248	47,246	23,998	.....
51. Amount brought to account in Madras from Dittum bunjer remitted being half the entire remission	22,513	.....	.....	22,513
52. Merahs and Swatantrams payable to village servants... ...	1,330	.....	.....	1,330
53. Rattan and coray rent	1,783	158	.....	1,625
54. Ooligam allowance to village officers undrawn	5,613	.....	.....	5,613
55. Other items	84,521	93,353	8,832	.....
Total...	29,06,716	31,71,206	5,72,544	3,08,054
		Net...	2,64,490	.....
MISCELLANEOUS ITEMS UNDER OTHER SOURCES OF REVENUE.				
Abkarry.				
Fees for licenses	18,518	8,458	.....	.....
Other items		1,531	.....	.....
Total...	18,518	9,989	.....	8,529
Salt.				
Customs duty on Salt	10,911	1,624	.....	.....
Savings and refunds		3,287	.....	.....
Other items		10,155	.....	.....
Total...	10,911	15,066	4,155	.....
Sea Customs.				
Fines and forfeitures	22,397	2,515	.....	.....
Other items		21,565	.....	.....
Total...	22,397	24,080	1,683	.....
Land Customs.				
Sale of smuggled goods	964	775	.....	.....
Other items		22	.....	.....
Total	964	797	.....	167
Stamps.				
Penalties on unstamped papers ...	75,354	3,643	.....	.....
Do. levied by Courts		72,445	.....	.....
Cost of suits in pauper cases ...		2,915	.....	.....
Other items		494	.....	.....
Total ..	75,354	79,577	4,223	.....
Income-tax.	597	.....	.....	597
Other items				
Total...	30,35,457	33,00,715	5,82,605	3,17,347
		Net...	2,65,258	.....

No. 6.—Statement showing the Demand, Collection, and Balance of all sources of Revenu Current and Arrears, for Fusly 1275.

DISTRICTS.	LAND REVENUE.					
	PERMANENTLY SETTLED.					
	DEMAND.			COLLECTION.		
	Arrears.	Current.	Total.	Arrears.	Current.	Total.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
1. Ganjam...	...	4,31,576	4,31,576	...	4,23,762	4,23,762
2. Vizagapatam... ...	16,158	9,70,291	9,86,449	16,158	9,42,145	9,58,303
3. Godavery	52,884	7,37,015	7,89,899	50,861	7,04,334	7,55,195
4. Kistna...	52,671	2,91,389	3,44,060	52,671	1,92,744	2,45,415
5. Nellore...	43,922	4,26,473	4,70,395	4,942	4,25,167	4,30,109
6. Cuddapah	...	...	...	...	...	...
7. Bellary...	...	...	...	...	...	...
8. Kurnool...	...	...	...	...	...	...
9. Madras...	20,658	1,06,509	1,27,167	20,653	86,860	1,07,513
Do. Town... ...	...	...	...	...	...	...
10. North Arcot... ...	1,40,241	5,00,211	6,40,452	1,40,241	3,40,398	4,80,639
11. South Arcot... ...	1,039	8,636	9,675	964	6,887	7,851
12. Tanjore...	1,320	30,434	32,754	1,326	29,355	30,675
13. Trichinopoly... ...	1,889	49,889	51,778	1,889	45,862	47,751
14. Madura...	49,598	7,83,708	8,33,306	49,598	5,22,056	5,71,654
15. Tinnevelly	20,499	3,08,047	3,28,546	20,499	2,79,463	2,99,962
16. Coimbatore... ...	210	27,691	27,901	210	27,691	27,901
17. Salem	21,238	4,45,373	4,66,611	15,059	4,11,961	4,27,020
18. South Canara ...	...	...	...	...	...	...
19. Malabar...	5,000	15,000	20,000	5,000	10,000	15,000
Total...	4,27,327	51,33,242	55,60,569	3,80,065	44,48,685	48,28,750

Statement showing the Demand, Collection, and

DISTRICTS.	LAND PERMANENTLY					
	Balance.			Subsequent collections and remissions up to December 1866.		
	Arrears.	Current.	Total.	Arrears.	Current.	Total.
	8	9	10	11	12	13
	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
1. Ganjam	...	7,814	7,814	...	7,747	7,747
2. Vizagapatam.	...	28,146	28,146	...	28,146	28,146
3. Godavery	2,023	32,681	34,704	1,073	28,609	29,682
4. Kistna	...	98,645	98,645	...	60,566	60,566
5. Nellore	38,390	1,306	50,286	...	1,204	1,204
6. Cuddapah	...	...	...	...	...	...
7. Bellary	...	..	...	...	...	...
8. Kurnool	...	...	...	...	...	...
9. Madras	5	19,649	19,654	...	18,731	18,731
Do. Town.	...	...	...	...	...	...
10. North Arcot.	...	1,59,813	1,59,813	...	1,57,045	1,57,045
11. South Arcot.	75	1,749	1,824	37	1,712	1,749
12. Tanjore	...	2,079	2,079	...	2,079	2,079
13. Trichinopoly.	...	4,027	4,027	...	4,027	4,027
14. Madura	...	2,61,652	2,61,652	...	1,33,811	1,33,811
15. Tinnevelly	...	28,584	28,584	...	28,584	28,584
16. Coimbatore	...	...	...	...	...	...
17. Salem	6,179	33,412	39,591	374	32,169	32,543
18. South Canara	...	...	...	...	...	...
19. Malabar	...	5,000	5,000	...	5,000	5,000
Total...	47,262	6,84,557	7,31,819	1,484	5,09,430	5,10,014

Balance of all sources of Revenue, &c.—(Continued)

REVENUE.

SETTLED.							SHOTRIEM JODI.		
Balance.							Demand.		
Arrears.					Current.	Total.	Arrears.	Current.	Total.
Recoverable and doubtful.	Irrecoverable.			Total.					
14	15			16	17	18	19	20	21
Rs.	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
...	...	...	...	...	67	67	39	25,388	25,427
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,731	50,838	52,569
...	950	7	10	950	4,072	5,022	1,291	30,215	31,506
...	...	...	...	...	38,079	38,079	5,194	33,664	38,858
38,980	...	...	...	38,980	102	39,082	6,692	83,897	90,589
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5,393	41,708	47,101
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3,655	25,867	29,522
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	349	12,684	13,033
5	...	...	...	5	918	923	15,953	77,122	93,075
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	...	...	2,768	2,768	6,443	22,728	29,171
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6,610	21,659	28,269
...	37	7	5	38	37	75	4,401	1,20,498	1,24,899
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,025	8,996	10,021
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	9,517	26,190	35,707
...	...	...	...	...	1,27,841	1,27,841	2,526	40,438	42,964
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3,418	3,418
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5,874	29,840	35,714
5,805	...	...	...	5,805	1,243	7,048	...	...	...
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...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
44,790	987	15	3	45,778	1,75,127	2,20,905	76,693	6,55,150	7,31,843

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Statement showing the Demand, Collection, and Balance of all sources of Revenue, &c.—(Continued)

LAND REVENUE.

SHOTRIEM JODI.

DISTRICTS.	Collections and Remissions.			Balance.			Subsequent collections and remissions up to December 1866.–			Balance.						
										Arrears.					Current.	Total.
	Arrears.	Current.	Total.	Arrears.	Current.	Total.	Arrears.	Current.	Total.	Recoverable and doubtful.	Irrecoverable.			Total.		
	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	31	32			33	34	35
	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
1. Ganjam	39	13,781	13,820	...	11,607	11,607	...	4,093	4,093	...	...	...	...	...	7,514	7,514
2. Vizagapatam	1,621	47,377	48,998	110	3,461	3,571	10	2,635	2,645	100	...	...	...	100	826	926
3. Godavery	772	25,993	26,765	519	4,222	4,741	248	3,438	3,686	271	...	...	...	271	784	1,055
4. Kistna	1,064	32,332	33,396	4,130	1,332	5,462	2,331	587	2,918	1,520	279	0	2	1,799	745	2,544
5. Nellore	6,016 R 111	70,219	76,235 R 111	565	13,678	14,243	433	10,660	11,093	...	132	8	8	132	3,018	3,150
6. Cuddapah	8,350	37,901	41,251	2,043	3,807	5,850	411	3,460	3,871	710	922	1	8	1,632	347	1,979
7. Bellary	3,531	21,610	25,141	124	4,257	4,381	50	3,004	3,054	54	20	0	0	74	1,253	1,327
8. Kurnool	348	11,924	12,272	1	760	761	...	745	745	1	...	...	...	1	15	16
9. Madras	14,839	59,709	74,548	1,114	17,413	18,527	17	13,817	13,834	945	152	4	8	1,097	3,596	4,693
Do. Town	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
10. North Arcot	5,957	14,716	20,673	486	8,012	8,498	114	6,460	6,574	371	0	8	0	372	1,552	1,924
11. South Arcot	5,837	14,977	20,814	773	6,682	7,455	67	5,769	5,836	684	22	2	8	706	913	1,619
12. Tanjore	1,875	1,16,528	1,18,403	2,526	3,970	6,496	2,385	3,670	6,055	52	88	12	0	141	300	441
13. Trichinopoly	1,025	8,947	9,972	...	49	49	...	49	49	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
14. Madura	8,713	16,808	25,521	804	9,382	10,186	511	8,450	8,961	289	4	0	0	293	932	1,225
15. Tinnevelly	2,526	29,080	31,606	...	11,358	11,358	...	10,352	10,352	...	...	...	...	...	1,006	1,006
16. Coimbatore	...	3,305	3,305	...	113	113	...	113	113	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
17. Salem	4,028	20,712	24,740	1,846	9,128	10,974	1,679	7,351	9,030	167	...	...	...	167	1,777	1,944
18. South Canara	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
19. Malabar	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Total	61,541 R 111	5,45,919	6,07,460 R 111	15,041	1,09,231	1,24,272	8,256	84,653	92,909	5,164	1,621	5	5	6,785	24,578	31,363

Balance of all sources of Revenue, &c.—(Continued.)

REVENUE.

WAR.

Remissions.	Balance.			Subsequent Collections and Remissions up to December 1866.		
Total.	Arrears.	Current.	Total.	Arrears.	Current.	Total.
41	42	43	44	45	46	47
Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
4,75,918	2,118	36,888	39,006	946	1,952	2,898
1,52,037	420	1,525	1,945	15	1,203	1,218
17,66,324	30,192	23,387	53,579	17,752	15,059	32,811
27,78,579	22,180	48,474	70,654	12,439	36,497	48,936
14,40,592 R40,251	14,636	1,35,876	1,50,512	7,019	1,17,234	1,24,253
17,86,181 R486	11,080	74,712	85,792	3,252	70,186	73,438
19,43,641	23,391	1,71,631	1,95,022	13,768	80,990	94,758
12,85,445	1,843	11,036	12,879	979	8,192	9,171
12,51,512 R 9,349	23,256	72,431	95,687	3,295	44,768	48,063
...	...	...	...	...	...	...
17,11,156	41,038	2,35,928	2,76,966	9,045	1,60,652	1,69,697
20,05,375	34,948	1,06,606	1,41,554	10,845	86,292	97,137
37,31,766 R 510	7,050	1,03,788	1,10,838	2,174	91,051	93,225
12,79,606	3,891	42,585	46,476	1,853	37,852	39,705
12,94,695	1,582	1,07,614	1,09,196	51	1,07,119	1,07,170
21,43,996	26,100	4,72,331	4,98,431	8,572	4,68,437	4,77,009
23,87,974 R 6	1,171	60,789	61,960	311	56,424	56,735
16,23,263	12,839	39,420	52,259	4,727	28,941	33,668
13,35,939	116	4,001	4,117	67	3,953	4,020
18,06,612	7,345	52,109	59,454	3,452	27,711	31,163
3,28,00,611 R 56,592	2,65,196	18,01,131	20,66,327	1,00,562	14,44,513	15,45,075

Statement showing the Demand, Collection, and

DISTRICTS.	LAND				
	RYOT				
	DEMAND.			COLLECTIONS AND	
	Arrears.	Current.	Total.	Arrears.	Current.
	36	37	38	39	40
	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
1. Ganjam	4,385	5,10,539	5,14,924	2,267	4,73,651
2. Vizagapatam	4,489	1,49,493	1,53,982	4,069	1,47,968
3. Godavery...	72,390	17,47,513	18,19,903	42,198	17,24,126
4. Kistna	44,149	28,05,084	28,49,233	21,969	27,56,610
5. Nellore	1,23,955	15,13,400	16,37,355	63,068 R 46,251	13,77,524
6. Cuddapah	66,038	18,06,421	18,72,459	54,472 R 486	17,31,709
7. Bellary	1,14,765	20,23,898	21,38,663	91,374	18,52,267
8. Kurnool	14,982	12,83,342	12,98,324	13,139	12,72,306
9. Madras	1,41,235	12,15,313	13,56,548	1,08,630 9,349	11,42,882
Do. Town	...	...	...	...	...
10. North Arcot	2,90,572	16,97,550	19,88,122	2,49,534	14,61,622
11. South Arcot	1,00,601	26,46,328	27,46,929	65,653	25,39,722
12. Tanjore	83,388	37,59,716	38,43,104	75,838 R 500	36,55,928
13. Trichinopoly	73,844	12,52,238	13,26,082	69,953	12,09,653
14. Madura	74,924	13,28,967	14,03,891	73,342	12,21,353
15. Tinnevelly	2,11,334	24,31,093	26,42,427	1,85,234	19,58,762
16. Coimbatore	1,04,873	23,45,067	24,49,940	1,03,696 R 6	22,84,278
17. Salem	36,224	16,39,298	16,75,522	23,385	15,99,878
18. South Canara.	2,003	13,38,053	13,40,056	1,887	13,34,052
19. Malabar	41,289	18,24,777	18,66,066	83,944	17,72,668
	16,05,440	3,33,18,090	3,49,23,530	12,83,652 R 56,592	3,15,16,059

Balance of all sources of Revenue &c.—(Continued.)

REVENUE.

MISCELLANEOUS.

Demand.			Collections and Remissions.		
Arrears.	Current.	Total.	Arrears.	Current.	Total.
53	54	55	56	57	58
Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
412	75,456	75,868	196	32,722	32,918
34,457	1,75,761	2,10,236	34,190	1,42,780	1,76,970
3,74,599	16,52,534	20,27,133	1,94,891	15,07,601	17,02,492
57,831	3,58,967	4,16,798	12,017	2,70,073	2,82,090
52,430	2,53,388	3,05,818	49,530 R 282	1,75,055	2,24,585 R 282
40,906	1,94,411	2,35,317	34,804	1,52,877	1,87,681
68,464	2,52,765	3,21,229	53,162	1,79,990	2,33,152
8,658	1,38,221	1,46,879	7,064	1,31,935	1,38,999
1,40,771	1,64,454	3,05,225	52,932 R12,435	1,10,983	1,63,915 R12,435
...	...	...	...	...	...
83,533	1,33,293	2,16,826	65,900	60,984	1,26,884
13,513	62,872	76,385	10,558	37,625	48,183
5,597	1,17,754	1,23,351	4,765	1,12,997	1,17,762
12,049	46,127	58,176	10,005	32,657	42,662
13,541	56,678	70,219	12,726	40,753	53,479
2,471	92,392	94,863	2,205	24,083	26,288
10,920	98,715	1,09,635	9,358	93,908	1,03,266
16,850	77,087	93,937	13,834	64,857	78,691
452	65,400	65,852	414	61,737	62,151
3	13,260	13,263	3	13,250	13,253
9,37,475	40,29,535	49,67,010	5,68,554 R12,717	32,52,867	38,21,421 R 12,717

Statement showing the Demand, Collection, and

Balance of all sources of Revenue &c.—(Continued.)

LAND REVENUE.

MISCELLANEOUS.

DISTRICTS.	RYOTWAR. Balance. Arrears. Recoverable and Doubtful.	Arrears. Irrecoverable.		Arrears. Total.	Current.	Total.	Demand. Arrears.	Demand. Current.	Demand. Total.	Collections and Remissions. Arrears.	Collections and Remissions. Current.	Collections and Remissions. Total.
	48	49		50	51	52	53	54	55	56	57	58
	Rs.	Rs.	A. P.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
1. Ganjam	769	403	2 10	1,172	34,936	36,008	412	75,456	75,868	196	32,722	32,918
2. Vizagapatam	40	365	1 9	405	322	727	34,457	1,75,761	2,10,236	34,190	1,42,780	1,76,970
3. Godavery	9,494	2,945	10 2	12,440	8,328	23,768	3,74,599	16,52,534	20,27,133	1,94,891	15,07,601	17,02,492
4. Kistna...	7,711	2,030	6 0	9,741	11,977	21,718	57,831	3,58,967	4,16,798	12,017	2,70,073	2,82,090
5. Nellore	424	7,192	14 4	7,617	18,642	26,259	52,430	2,53,388	3,05,818	49,530 R 282	1,75,055	2,24,585 R 282
6. Cuddapah	207	7,621	2 3	7,828	4,526	12,354	40,906	1,94,411	2,35,317	34,804	1,52,877	1,87,681
7. Bellary	6,054	3,569	2 11	9,623	90,641	1,00,264	68,464	2,52,765	3,21,229	53,162	1,79,990	2,33,152
8. Kurnool	117	746	9 4	864	2,844	3,708	8,658	1,38,221	1,46,879	7,064	1,31,935	1,38,999
9. Madras	10,273	9,688	6 8	10,961	27,663	47,624	1,40,771	1,64,454	3,05,225	52,932 R12,435	1,10,983	1,63,915 R12,435
Do. Town	...	...	... ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
10. North Arcot	20,078	11,914	8 4	31,993	75,276	1,07,269	83,533	1,33,293	2,16,826	65,900	60,984	1,26,884
11. South Arcot	20,174	8,929	2 1	24,103	20,314	44,417	13,513	62,872	76,385	10,558	37,625	48,183
12. Tanjore	2,743	2,132	12 4	4,876	12,737	17,613	5,597	1,17,754	1,23,351	4,765	1,12,997	1,17,762
13. Trichinopoly	1,541	497	4 2	2,038	4,733	6,771	12,049	46,127	58,176	10,005	32,657	42,662
14. Madura	1,446	84	13 2	1,531	495	2,026	13,541	56,678	70,219	12,726	40,753	53,479
15. Tinnevelly	14,522	3,006	5 7	17,528	3,894	21,422	2,471	92,392	94,863	2,205	24,083	26,288
16. Coimbatore...	488	372	4 10	860	4,365	5,225	10,920	98,715	1,09,635	9,358	93,908	1,03,266
17. Salem	2,326	5,785	14 1	8,112	10,479	18,591	16,850	77,087	93,937	13,834	64,857	78,691
18. South Canara	...	48	12 0	49	48	97	452	65,400	65,852	414	61,737	62,151
19. Malabar	3,586	306	12 11	3,893	24,398	28,291	3	13,260	13,263	3	13,250	13,253
Total...	1,01,993	62,641	1 9	1,64,634	3,56,618	5,21,252	9,37,475	40,29,535	49,67,010	5,68,554 R12,717	32,52,867	38,21,421 R12,717

Statement showing the Demand, Collection, and

Balance of all sources of Revenue, &c.—(Continued.)

REVENUE.

DISTRICTS.	LAND						MISCEL						Total.		
	Balance.			Subsequent Collections and Remissions up to December 1866.			Balance.						Demand.		
	Arrears.	Current.	Total.	Arrears.	Current.	Total.	Arrears.			Current.	Total.		Arrears.	Current.	Total.
							Recoverable and doubtful.	Irrecoverable.	Total.						
	59	60	61	62	63	64	65	66	67	68	69		70	71	72
	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs. A. P.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.		Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
1. Ganjam	216	42,734	42,950	176	15,178	15,354	5	35 0 6	40	27,556	27,596		4,836	10,42,959	10,47,795
2. Vizagapatam.	285	32,981	33,266	53	32,224	32,277	197	35 1 0	232	757	989		56,853	13,46,383	14,03,236
3. Godavery	1,79,708	1,44,933	3,24,641	13,087	68,105	81,192	83,232	83,388 6 6	1,66,621	76,828	2,43,449		5,01,164	41,67,277	46,68,441
4. Kistna	45,814	88,894	1,34,708	21,930	27,105	49,035	20,526	3,358 6 6	23,884	61,789	85,673		1,59,845	34,89,104	36,48,949
5. Nellore	2,618	78,333	80,951	1,119	70,819	71,938	437	1,061 13 2	1,499	7,514	9,013		2,26,999	22,77,158	25,04,157
6. Cuddapah	6,102	41,534	47,636	1,574	32,360	33,934	3,298	1,230 5 0	4,528	9,174	13,702		1,12,337	20,42,540	21,54,877
7. Bellary	15,302	72,775	88,077	460	27,363	27,823	2,522	12,320 0 11	14,842	45,412	60,254		1,86,884	23,02,531	24,89,415
8. Kurnool	1,594	6,286	7,880	767	5,276	6,043	356	470 15 1	827	1,010	1,837		23,989	14,34,246	14,58,235
9. Madras	75,404	53,471	1,28,875	5,576	28,802	34,378	59,752	10,075 11 2	69,828	24,669	94,497		3,18,617	15,63,398	18,82,015
Do. Town.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	... ...	...	...	...		...	...	...
10. North Arcot.	17,633	72,309	89,942	2,999	39,110	42,109	12,442	2,191 15 11	14,634	33,199	47,833		5,20,789	23,53,782	28,74,571
11. South Arcot.	2,955	25,247	28,202	935	21,960	22,895	1,581	438 8 7	2,020	3,287	5,307		1,21,763	27,39,495	28,61,258
12. Tanjore	832	4,757	5,589	517	4,231	4,748	10	305 0 10	315	526	841		94,706	40,29,402	41,24,108
13. Trichinopoly.	2,044	13,470	15,514	318	10,289	10,607	1,720	5 12 0	1,726	3,181	4,907		88,807	13,57,250	14,46,057
14. Madura	815	9,925	10,740	22	9,769	9,791	8	785 7 2	793	156	949		1,47,580	21,95,543	23,43,123
15. Tinnevelly	266	68,309	68,575	62	60,044	60,106	204	... ...	204	8,265	8,469		2,36,830	28,71,970	31,08,800
16. Coimbatore	1,562	4,807	6,369	306	4,161	4,467	1,237	18 14 10	1,256	646	1,902		1,16,003	24,74,691	25,90,894
17. Salem	3,016	12,230	15,246	515	9,994	10,509	1,847	653 15 10	2,501	2,238	4,737		80,186	21,91,598	22,71,784
18. South Canara.	38	3,663	3,701	38	3,663	3,701	...	... ...	...	...	...		2,455	14,03,454	14,05,909
19. Malabar	...	10	10	...	10	10	...	... ...	...	...	...		46,292	18,53,037	18,99,329
Total	3,50,204	7,70,668	11,32,872	50,454	4,70,463	5,20,917	1,89,374	1,16,375 7 0	3,05,750	3,06,205	6,11,955		30,46,935	431,36,018	461,82,953

Statement showing the Demand, Collection, and Balance of all sources of Revenue, &c.—(Continued.)

DISTRICTS.	LAND REVENUE.								
	TOTAL.								
	Collections and Remissions.			Balance.			Subsequent Collections and Remissions up to December 1866.		
	Arrears.	Current.	Total.	Arrears.	Current.	Total.	Arrears.	Current.	Total.
	73	74	75	76	77	78	79	80	81
	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
1. Ganjam	2,502	9,43,916	9,46,418	2,334	99,043	1,01,377	1,122	28,970	30,092
2. Vizagapatam	56,038	12,80,270	13,36,308	815	66,113	66,928	78	64,208	64,286
3. Godavery	2,88,722	30,62,054	42,50,776	2,12,442	2,05,223	4,17,665	32,160	1,15,211	1,47,371
4. Kistna	87,721	32,51,759	33,3,9480	72,124	2,37,345	3,09,469	36,700	1,24,755	1,61,455
5. Nellore	1,23,556 R46,644	20,47,965	21,71,521 R46,644	56,799	2,29,193	2,85,992	8,571	1,99,917	2,08,488
6. Cuddapah	92,626 R486	19,22,487	20,15,113 R486	19,225	1,20,053	1,39,278	5,237	1,06,006	1,11,243
7. Bellary	1,48,067	20,53,867	22,01,934	38,817	2,48,663	2,87,480	14,278	1,11,357	1,25,635
8. Kurnool	20,551	14,16,165	14,36,716	3,438	18,081	21,519	1,746	14,212	15,958
9. Madras	1,97,054 R21,784	14,00,434	15,97,488 R 21,784	99,779	1,62,964	2,62,743	8,888	1,06,118	1,15,006
Do. Town	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
10. North Arcot	4,61,632	18,77,720	23,39,352	59,157	4,76,062	5,35,219	12,158	3,63,267	3,75,425
11. South Arcot	83,012	25,99,211	26,82,223	38,751	1,40,284	1,79,035	11,884	1,15,733	1,27,617
12. Tanjore	83,798 R500	39,14,808	39,98,606 R500	10,408	1,14,594	1,25,002	5,076	1,01,031	1,06,107
13. Trichinopoly	82,872	12,97,119	13,79,991	5,935	60,131	66,066	2,171	52,217	54,388
14. Madura	1,44,379	18,06,970	19,51,349	3,201	3,88,573	3,91,774	584	2,59,149	2,59,733
15. Tinnevelly	2,10,464	22,91,388	25,01,852	26,366	5,80,582	6,06,948	8,634	5,67,417	5,76,051
16. Coimbatore	1,13,264 R6	24,09,182	25,22,446 R6	2,733	65,709	68,442	617	60,699	61,316
17. Salem	56,306	20,97,408	21,53,714	23,880	94,190	1,18,070	7,295	78,454	85,749
18. South Canara	2,301	13,95,789	13,98,090	154	7,665	7,819	105	7,617	7,722
Malabar	38,947	17,95,918	18,34,865	7,345	57,119	64,464	3,452	32,721	36,173
Total	2293,812 R69,420	397,64,430	420,58,242 R 69,420	6,83,703	33,71,587	40,55,290	1,60,756	25,09,059	26,69,815

Statement showing the Demand, Collection and Balance of all sources of Revenue, &c.—(continued.)

DISTRICTS.	LAND REVENUE.								ABKARRY.							
	TOTAL.								DEMAND.				COLLECTIONS AND REMISSIONS.			
	BALANCE.															
	Arrears.					Current.	Total.		Arrears.	Current.		Total.	Arrears.	Current.		Total.
	Recoverable and Doubtful.	Irrecoverable.			Total.					Rented and Annexy.	Miscellaneous.			Rented and Annexy.	Miscellaneous.	
	82	83			84	85	86		87	88	89	90	91	92	93	94
	Rs.	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.		Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
1. Ganjam	774	438	3	4	1,212	70,073	71,285		12,786	90,550	222	1,03,558	12,786	67,848	222	80,856
2. Vizagapatam	337	400	2	9	737	1,905	2,642		3,335	68,148	507	71,990	2,653	56,039	507	59,199
3. Godavery	92,997	87,284	8	6	1,80,282	90,012	2,70,294		22,344	1,78,803	885	2,02,032	19,715	1,61,838	885	1,82,438
4. Kistna	29,756	5,667	12	8	35,424	1,12,590	1,48,014		17,700	1,45,957	409	1,64,066	17,425	1,20,426 R18,000	409	1,38,260 R18,000
5. Nellore	39,841	8,38	4	2	48,228	29,276	77,504		7,469	56,362	75	63,906	6,994	49,270	75	56,339
6. Cuddapah	4,215	9,773	8	6	13,988	14,047	28,035		13,822	1,22,360	94	1,36,276	13,822	1,16,519	94	1,30,435
7. Bellary	8,630	15,909	3	10	24,539	1,37,306	1,61,846		51,007	5,03,900	258	5,55,165	51,007	4,53,936	258	5,05,201
8. Kurnool	474	1,217	8	5	1,692	3,869	5,561		13,214	1,64,250	5	1,77,469	13,214	1,61,850	5	1,75,069
9. Madras	70,975	19,916	6	6	90,891	56,846	1,47,737		85,893	11,12,811	906	11,99,610	65,776	11,05,706	903	11,72,385
Do. Town	...	...	...		...	...	...		...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
10. North Arcot	32,891	14,108	0	3	46,999	1,12,795	1,59,794		34,433	2,92,155	92	3,26,680	34,433	2,51,547	92	2,86,072
11. South Arcot	22,439	4,427	4	9	26,867	24,551	51,418		23,461	1,81,500	117	2,05,078	23,461	1,69,508	117	1,93,086
12. Tanjore	2,805	2,526	9	2	5,332	13,563	18,895		2,278	3,07,035	1,539	3,10,852	2,278	3,04,535	1,539	3,08,352
13. Trichinopoly	3,261	503	0	2	3,764	7,914	11,678		5,397	1,06,000	535	1,11,932	5,397	1,04,331	535	1,10,263
14. Madura	1,743	874	4	4	2,617	1,29,424	1,32,041		12,647	95,900	302	1,08,849	12,647	87,247	302	1,00,196
15. Tinnevelly	14,726	3,006	5	7	17,732	13,165	30,897		5,390	48,500	75	53,965	5,390	48,500	75	53,965
16. Coimbatore	1,725	391	3	8	2,116	5,010	7,126		15,529	1,67,309	1,252	1,84,090	15,529	1,61,933	1,252	1,78,714
17. Salem...	10,145	6,439	13	11	16,585	15,736	32,321		26,371	1,91,000	445	2,17,816	26,371	1,60,440	445	1,87,256
18. South Canara	...	48	12	0	49	48	97		637	89,260	212	90,109	637	89,260	212	90,109
19. Malabar	3,586	306	12	11	3,893	24,398	28,291		750	1,59,975	2,059	1,62,784	....	1,59,975	2,059	1,62,034
Total...	3,41,320	1,81,626	13	5	5,22,047	8,62,528	13,85,475		3,54,463	40,81,775	9,989	44,46,227	3,29,535	38,30,708 R18,000	9,986	41,70,229 R18,000

Statement showing the Demand, Collection and Balance of all sources of Revenue, &c.—(continued.)

DISTRICTS.	LAND REVENUE.								ARREARS.							
	TOTAL.								DEMAND.				COLLECTIONS AND REMISSIONS.			
	BALANCE.															
	Arrears.					Current.	Total.		Arrears.	Current.		Total.	Arrears.	Current.		Total.
	Recoverable and Doubtful.	Irrecoverable.			Total.					Rented and Amany.	Miscellaneous.			Rented and Amany.	Miscellaneous.	
	82	83			84	85	86		87	88	89	90	91	92	93	94
	Rs.	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.		Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
1. Ganjam	774	438	3	4	1,212	70,073	71,285		12,786	90,550	222	1,03,558	12,786	67,848	222	80,856
2. Vizagapatam	337	400	2	9	737	1,905	2,642		3,335	68,148	507	71,990	2,653	56,039	507	59,199
3. Godavery	92,997	87,284	8	6	1,80,282	90,012	2,70,294		22,344	1,78,803	885	2,02,032	19,715	1,61,838	885	1,82,438
4. Kistna	29,756	5,667	12	8	35,424	1,12,590	1,48,014		17,700	1,45,957	409	1,64,066	17,425	1,20,426 R18,000	409	1,38,260 R18,000
5. Nellore	39,841	8,38	4	2	48,228	29,276	77,504		7,469	56,362	75	63,906	6,994	49,270	75	56,339
6. Cuddapah	4,215	9,773	8	6	13,988	14,047	28,035		13,822	1,22,360	94	1,36,276	13,822	1,16,519	94	1,30,435
7. Bellary	8,630	15,909	3	10	24,539	1,37,306	1,61,846		51,007	5,03,900	258	5,55,165	51,007	4,53,936	258	5,05,201
8. Kurnool	474	1,217	8	5	1,692	3,869	5,561		13,214	1,64,250	5	1,77,469	13,214	1,61,850	5	1,75,069
9. Madras	70,975	19,916	6	6	90,891	56,846	1,47,737		85,893	11,12,811	906	11,99,610	65,776	11,05,706	903	11,72,385
Do. Town	...	...	...	...	...	...	...		...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
10. North Arcot	32,891	14,108	0	3	46,999	1,12,795	1,59,794		34,433	2,92,155	92	3,26,680	34,433	2,51,547	92	2,86,072
11. South Arcot	22,439	4,427	4	9	26,867	24,551	51,418		23,461	1,81,500	117	2,05,078	23,461	1,69,508	117	1,93,086
12. Tanjore	2,805	2,526	9	2	5,332	13,563	18,895		2,278	3,07,035	1,539	3,10,852	2,278	3,04,535	1,539	3,08,352
13. Trichinopoly	3,261	503	0	2	3,764	7,914	11,678		5,397	1,00,000	535	1,11,932	5,397	1,04,331	535	1,10,263
14. Madura	1,743	874	4	4	2,617	1,29,424	1,32,041		12,647	95,900	302	1,08,849	12,647	87,247	302	1,00,196
15. Tinnevelly	14,726	3,006	5	7	17,732	13,165	30,897		5,390	48,500	75	53,965	5,390	48,500	75	53,965
16. Coimbatore	1,725	391	3	8	2,116	5,010	7,126		15,529	1,67,309	1,252	1,84,090	15,529	1,61,933	1,252	1,78,714
17. Salem...	10,145	6,439	13	11	16,585	15,736	32,321		26,371	1,91,000	445	2,17,816	26,371	1,60,440	445	1,87,256
18. South Canara	...	48	12	0	49	48	97		637	89,260	212	90,109	637	89,260	212	90,109
19. Malabar	3,586	306	12	11	3,893	24,398	28,291		750	1,59,975	2,059	1,62,784	....	1,59,975	2,059	1,62,034
Total...	3,41,320	1,81,626	13	5	5,22,047	8,62,528	13,85,475		3,64,463	40,81,775	9,989	44,46,227	3,29,535	38,30,708 R18,000	9,986	41,70,229 R18,000

Statement showing the Demand, Collection, and

Balance of all sources of Revenue, &c.—(Continued.)

DISTRICTS.	ABKAR												INCOME TAX.		
	Balance.			Subsequent collections and Remissions up to December 1866.			Balance.						Demand.		
							Arrears.								
	Arrears.	Current.	Total.	Arrears.	Current.	Total.	Recoverable and Doubtful.	Irrecoverable.	Total.	Current.	Total.		Arrears.	Current.	Total.
	95	96	97	98	99	100	101	102	103	104	105		106	107	108
	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs. A. P.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.		Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
1. Ganjam	...	22,702	22,702	...	22,702	22,702	...	...	...	...	...		1,954	727	2,681
2. Vizagapatam	682	12,109	12,791	...	6,633	6,633	682	...	682	5,476	6,158		25,187	3,629	28,816
3. Godavery	2,629	16,965	19,594	...	16,965	16,965	...	2,628 14 8	2,629	...	2,629		10,194	1,308	11,502
4. Kistna	275	7,531	7,806	...	7,531	7,531	275	...	275	...	275		8,496	1,357	9,853
5. Nellore	475	7,092	7,567	289	4,706	4,995	...	186 0 9	186	2,386	2,572		6,259	10,094	16,353
6. Cuddapah	...	5,841	5,841	...	5,841	5,841	...	...	...	...	...		6,489	1,172	7,661
7. Bellary	...	49,964	49,964	...	37,040	37,040	...	...	...	12,924	12,924		12,128	5,705	17,833
8. Kurnool	...	2,400	2,400	...	2,400	2,400	...	...	...	...	...		2,944	1,631	4,575
9. Madras	20,117	7,108	27,225	6,306	5,223	11,529	13,811	...	13,811	1,885	15,696		1,59,559	25,533	1,85,092
1. Do. Town	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...		...	...	...
10. North Arcot	...	40,608	40,608	...	40,608	40,608	...	...	...	...	...		16,832	873	17,705
11. South Arcot	...	11,992	11,992	...	11,272	11,272	...	...	...	...	...		3,388	957	4,345
12. Tanjore	...	2,500	2,500	...	2,500	2,500	...	...	...	720	720		10,837	3,745	14,582
13. Trichinopoly	...	1,669	1,669	...	1,669	1,669	...	...	...	...	...		6,460	595	7,055
14. Madura	...	8,653	8,653	...	8,466	8,466	...	...	...	187	187		28,810	857	29,667
15. Tinnevelly	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...		10,330	643	10,973
16. Coimbatore	...	5,376	5,376	...	5,376	5,376	...	...	...	...	...		4,966	1,768	6,734
17. Salem	...	30,560	30,560	...	30,560	30,560	...	...	...	...	...		7,128	738	7,866
18. South Canara	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...		981	661	1,642
19. Malabar	750	...	750	750	...	750	...	...	...	...	...		21,075	5,346	26,421
Total	24,028	2,33,070	2,57,098	7,345	2,09,492	2,16,837	14,768	2,814 15 5	17,583	23,578	41,161		3,44,017	67,339	4,11,356

talance of all sources of Revenue, &c.—(Continued.)

TAX.

Subsequent collections and Remissions up to December 1864.			Balance.						
			Arrears.						
Arrears.	Current.	Total.	Recoverable and Doubtful.	Irrecoverable.			Total.	Current.	Total.
115	116	117	118	119			120	121	122
Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
9	11	20	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	...	2	5	7	3	...	3
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
344	...	344	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
2,047	131	2,178	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
2,936	...	2,936	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
411	...	411	2	15	0	0	17	38	55
308	...	308	...	...	...	...	...	...	78,960
2,582	...	2,582	54,810	...	...	...	54,810	24,150	...
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
2,932	...	2,932	...	...	...	...	...	...	43
85	...	35	...	43	2	0	43	...	...
299	...	299	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
633	...	633	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
133	...	133	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
289	...	289	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
1,761	...	1,761	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
947	...	947	96	...	...	...	96	...	96
15,666	142	15,808	54,908	60	7	7	54,969	24,188	79,157

Statement showing the Demand, Collection and

DISTRICTS.	INCOME					
	Collections and Remissions.			Balance.		
	Arrears.	Current.	Total.	Arrears.	Current.	Total.
	109	110	111	112	113	114
	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
1. Ganjam	1,858 R 87	716	2,574 R 87	9	11	20
2. Vizagapatam	25,054 R 130	3,629	28,683 R 130	3	...	3
3. Godavery	10,101 R 93	1,308	11,409 R 93	...	...	...
4. Kistna	8,152	1,357	9,509	344	...	344
5. Nellore	4,212	9,963	14,175	2,047	131	2,178
6. Cuddapah	3,553	1,172	4,725	2,936	...	2,936
7. Bellary	11,031 R 669	5,661 R 6	16,692 R 675	428	38	466
8. Kurnool	2,319 R 317	1,631	3,950 R 317	308	...	308
9. Madras	90,488 R 11,679	1,383	91,871 R 11,679	57,392	24,150	81,542
Do. Town	...	...	...	...	...	...
10. North Arcot	9,655 R 4,245	873	10,528 R 4,245	2,932	...	2,932
11. South Arcot	2,559 R 751	957	3,516 R 751	78	...	78
12. Tanjore	10,142 R 396	3,745	13,887 R 396	299	...	299
13. Trichinopoly	5,599 R 228	595	6,194 R 228	633	...	633
14. Madura	28,413 R 264	857	29,270 R 264	133	...	133
15. Tinnevelly...	10,041	643	10,684	289	...	289
16. Coimbatore	4,241 R 725	1,768	6,009 R 725	...	...	...
17. Salem	3,920 R 1,447	738	4,658 R 1,447	1,761	...	1,761
18. South Canara	951 R 30	661	1,612 R 30	...	...	...
19. Malabar	18,993 R 1,039	5,346	24,339 R 1,039	1,043	...	1,043
Total...	2,51,282 R 22,100	43,003 R 6	2,94,285 R22,106	70,635	24,330	94,965
Stoppages made by the Ex-Officio Assessors as per Accountant General's Return.			50,319			
			3,44,604 R 22,106			

Statement showing the Demand, Collection, and

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DISTRICT.	Demand.				Col.
	Arrears.	Current.		Total.	Arrears.
		Sales.	Miscellaneous.		
	123	124	125	126	127
	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
1. Ganjam	...	13,84,840	579	13,85,419	...
2. Vizagapatam	...	3,15,670	38	3,15,708	...
3. Godavery	...	3,58,413	421	3,58,834	...
4. Kistna...	...	7,50,656	124	7,50,680	...
5. Nellore...	...	10,82,559	23	10,82,582	...
6. Cuddapah	...	...	...	...	...
7. Bellary...	3,076	12,423	...	15,499	2,573
8. Kurnool	28	...	1,834	1,862	28
9. Madras...	...	21,03,280	1,506	21,04,786	...
Do. Town	...	...	...	...	...
10. North Arcot...	...	...	...	...	...
11. South Arcot...	...	5,50,629	1,245	5,51,874	...
12. Tanjore...	4,325	10,06,074	139	10,10,538	4,325
13. Trichinopoly...	...	...	...	...	...
14. Madura...	...	6,27,550	163	6,27,713	...
15. Tinnevelly	...	6,82,512	101	6,82,613	...
16. Coimbatore...	...	...	...	...	...
17. Salem	...	...	...	...	...
18. South Canara	...	6,01,868	1,967	6,03,835	...
19. Malabar	...	8,00,957	16	8,00,973	...
Total...	7,429	1,02,77,331	8,156	1,02,92,916	6,926

Balance of all sources of Revenue, &c.—(Continued.)

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LECTIONS.			Balance.			Subsequent Collections and Remissions up to December 1866.		
Current.		Total.	Arrears.	Current.	Total.	Arrears.	Current.	Total.
Sales.	Miscellaneous.							
128	129	130	131	132	132	134	135	136
Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
13,84,840	579	13,85,419	...	...	...	...	...	...
3,15,670	38	3,15,708	...	...	...	...	...	...
3,58,413	421	3,58,834	...	...	...	...	...	...
7,50,556	124	7,50,680	...	...	...	...	...	...
10,82,569	13	10,82,582	...	...	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
10,029	...	12,602	503	2,394	2,897	40	952	992
...	1,780	1,808	...	54	54	...	54	54
21,03,280	1,506	21,04,786	...	...	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
5,50,685	1,189	5,51,874	...	...	...	...	...	...
10,04,808	139	10,09,272	...	1,266	1,266	...	1,266	1,266
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
6,27,550	163	6,27,713	...	...	...	...	...	...
6,82,512	101	6,82,613	...	...	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
5,94,851	8,984	6,03,835	...	...	...	...	...	...
8,00,944	29	8,00,973	...	...	...	...	...	...
1,02,66,707	15,066	1,02,88,699	503	3,714	4,217	40	2,272	2,312

Collections shows no

Statement showing the Demand, Collection, and

DISTRICTS.	SALT.						SEA
	Balance						Du.
	Arrears.				Current.	Total.	Duty.
	Recoverable and Doubtful.	Irrecoverable.		Total.			
	137	138		139	140	141	142
	Rs.	Rs.	A. P.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
1. Ganjam	...	...	... ...	...	...	...	26,109
2. Vizagapatam	...	...	... ...	...	...	...	35,638
3. Godavery	...	...	... ...	...	...	...	46,593
4. Kistna	...	...	... ...	...	...	...	5,813
5. Nellore	...	...	... ...	...	...	...	41
6. Cuddapah	...	...	... ...	...	...	...	...
7. Bellary	408	55	0 0	463	1,442	1,905	...
8. Kurcool	...	...	... ...	...	...	...	...
9. Madras...	...	...	... ...	...	...	...	...
Do. Town	...	...	... ...	...	...	...	12,14,473
10. North Arcot	...	...	... ...	...	...	...	...
11. South Arcot...	...	...	... ...	...	...	...	42,591
12. Tanjore	...	...	... ...	...	...	...	3,15,560
13. Trichinopoly	...	...	... ...	...	...	...	...
14. Madura	...	...	... ...	...	...	...	28,950
15. Tinnevelly	...	...	... ...	...	...	...	59,437
16. Coimbatore...	...	...	... ...	...	...	...	...
17. Salem	...	...	... ...	...	...	...	...
18. South Canara	...	...	... ...	...	...	..	56,030
19. Malabar	...	...	... ...	...	...	...	90,110
Total...	408	55	0 0	463	1,442	1,905	10,21,345

Balance of all sources of Revenue, &c.—(Continued.)

CUSTOMS.		LAND CUSTOMS.			STAMPS.		
Demand.	Collections.	Demand.		Collections.	Demand.		Collections.
Miscellaneous.		Duty.	Miscellaneous.		Sales.	Miscellaneous.	
143	144	145	146	147	148	149	150
Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
12	26,121	...	...	...	74,286	1,656	75,942
290	35,928	...	...	...	1,10,802	5,600	1,16,402
466	47,059	673	22	693	1,42,904	3,088	1,45,942
123	5,936	...	...	...	1,02,511	2,956	1,05,467
10	51	...	...	...	63,907	1,187	65,094
...	...	...	...	...	1,13,148	6,321	1,19,469
...	...	...	...	...	1,44,936	4,285	1,49,221
...	...	...	...	...	1,03,751	3,074	1,06,825
...	...	...	...	...	1,87,089	1,030	1,88,119
...	...	...	...	...	1,30,721	...	1,30,721
16,576	12,31,049	...	...	...	94,413	3,381	97,794
...	...	...	...	...	95,409	3,061	98,470
17	42,608	61,694	346	62,040	4,39,501	12,999	4,52,500
424	3,15,984	55,898	366	56,264	85,205	1,604	86,809
...	...	...	...	...	2,14,956	5,626	2,20,582
413	29,363	...	...	...	1,82,962	5,280	1,88,242
1,680	61,117	...	...	...	1,25,277	3,389	1,28,666
...	...	...	...	...	1,28,899	3,972	1,32,871
...	...	...	...	...	1,36,529	3,347	1,39,876
1,409	57,439	...	...	...	3,92,436	7,771	4,00,207
2,660	92,770	4,917	63	4,980			
24,080	19,45,425	1,23,182	797	1,23,979	30,69,642	79,577	31,49,219

Statement showing the Demand, Collection, and Balance of all sources of Revenue, &c.—(Continued.)

DISTRICTS.	GRAND TOTAL.											
	Demand.			Collections.		Remissions.			Total including Remissions.			
	Arrears.	Current.	Total.	Arrears.	Current.	Total.	Arrears.	Current.	Total.	Arrears.	Current.	Total.
	151	152	153	154	155	156	157	158	159	160	161	162
	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
1. Ganjam	19,576	20,21,940	26,41,516	17,146	25,00,184	25,17,330	87	...	87	17,233	25,00,184	25,17,417
2. Vizagapatam	85,375	18,86,705	19,72,080	83,745	18,08,483	18,92,228	130	...	130	83,875	18,08,483	18,92,358
3. Godavery	5,33,702	49,00,803	54,34,505	3,18,538	46,78,615	49,97,153	93	...	93	3,18,631	46,78,615	49,97,246
4. Kistna	1,80,041	44,98,910	46,84,951	1,13,298	42,36,034	43,49,332	...	18,000	1,800	1,13,298	42,54,034	43,67,332
5. Nellore	2,40,727	34,91,416	37,32,143	1,34,762	32,55,000	33,89,762	46,644	...	46,644	1,81,406	32,55,000	34,36,406
6. Cuddapah	1,32,648	22,85,635	24,18,283	1,10,001	21,59,741	22,69,742	486	...	486	1,10,487	21,59,741	22,70,228
7. Bellary	2,53,095	29,74,038	32,27,133	2,12,677	26,72,972	28,85,649	669	6	675	2,13,346	26,72,978	28,86,324
8. Kurnool	40,175	17,08,791	17,48,966	36,112	16,88,256	17,24,368	317	...	317	36,429	16,88,256	17,24,685
9. Madras	5,64,069	49,95,553	55,59,622	3,53,318	48,01,331	51,54,649	33,463	...	33,463	3,86,781	48,01,331	51,88,112
Do. Town	...	13,61,770	13,61,770	...	13,61,770	13,61,770	....	...	...	...	13,61,770	13,61,770
10. North Arcot	5,72,054	27,44,696	33,16,750	5,05,720	22,28,026	27,33,746	4,245	...	4,245	5,09,965	22,28,026	27,37,991
11. South Arcot	1,48,612	36,77,061	38,25,673	1,09,032	35,24,785	36,33,817	751	...	751	1,09,783	35,24,785	36,34,568
12. Tanjore	1,12,146	61,72,682	62,84,828	1,00,543	60,54,322	61,54,865	896	...	896	1,01,439	60,54,322	61,55,761
13. Trichinopoly	1,00,664	15,51,189	16,51,853	93,869	14,89,389	15,83,258	228	...	228	94,097	14,89,389	15,83,486
14. Madura	1,89,037	31,70,260	33,59,297	1,85,439	27,73,034	29,58,473	264	...	264	1,85,703	27,73,034	29,58,737
15. Tinnevelly	2,52,550	88,53,160	41,05,710	2,25,895	32,72,578	34,98,473	...	...	...	2,25,895	32,72,578	34,98,473
16. Coimbatore	1,36,498	27,73,886	29,10,384	1,33,034	27,02,801	28,35,835	731	...	731	1,33,765	27,02,801	28,36,566
17. Salem	1,13,685	25,16,652	26,30,337	80,597	23,91,902	24,78,499	1,447	...	1,447	88,044	23,91,902	24,79,946
18. South Canara	4,073	22,94,737	22,98,810	3,889	22,87,072	22,90,961	30	...	30	3,919	22,87,072	22,90,991
19. Malabar	68,117	33,19,347	33,87,464	57,940	32,62,228	33,20,168	1,039	...	1,039	58,979	32,62,228	33,21,207
Total	37,52,844	6,27,99,231	6,65,52,075	28,81,555	5,91,48,523	6,20,30,078	91,520	18,006	1,09,526	29,73,075	5,91,66,529	6,21,39,604

Balance at the close of Fasly 1274.	Current	31,97,648	Add receipts from the sale of waste lands. 3,34,244
	Arrears	5,66,950	
		37,63,598	
Deduct.			
Forest Revenue in Kistna District not included in the present statement		3,020	
Amount of Rent of the Nrasannapettah, Jungles in Nellore directed to be reduced from the arrears of that district in the Board's Proceedings, dated 11th and 15th September 1865, Nos. 5,595 and 5,748		6,734	
		10,754	
		37,52,844	

50,319	Stoppages made by the Ex-officio Assessors as per Accountant General's Return.
6,20,80,397	

Statement showing the Demand, Collection, and Balance of all sources of Revenue, &c.—(Concluded.)

DISTRICTS.	GRAND TOTAL.													
	Balance.			Subsequent Collections and Remissions up to December 1866.		Balance.								
	Arrears.	Current.	Total.	Arrears.	Current.	Total.	Recoverable and Doubtful.	Irrecoverable.		Total.		Current.	Total.	
	163	164	165	166	167	168	169	170		171		172	173	
	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	A. P.	Rs.		Rs.	Rs.	
1. Ganjam...	2,343	1,21,756	1,24,099	1,131	51,683	52,814	774	438	3 4	1,212		70,073	71,285	
2. Vizagapatam. ...	1,500	78,222	79,722	78	70,841	70,919	1,019	402	8 4	1,422		7,381	8,803	
3. Godavery	2,15,071	2,22,188	4,37,259	32,160	1,32,176	1,64,336	92,997	89,913	7 2	1,82,911		90,012	2,72,923	
4. Kistna...	72,743	2,44,876	3,17,619	37,044	1,32,286	1,69,330	30,061	5,667	12 8	35,699		1,12,590	1,48,289	
5. Nellore...	59,321	2,36,416	2,95,737	10,907	2,04,754	2,15,661	39,839	8,573	4 11	48,414		31,662	80,076	
6. Cuddapah	22,161	1,25,894	1,48,055	8,173	1,11,847	1,20,020	4,215	9,773	8 6	13,988		14,047	28,035	
7. Bellary...	39,748	3,01,089	3,40,807	14,729	1,49,349	1,64,078	9,040	15,979	3 10	25,019		1,51,710	1,76,729	
8. Kurnool...	3,746	20,535	24,281	2,054	16,666	18,720	474	1,217	8 5	1,692		3,869	5,561	
9. Madras.	1,77,288	1,94,222	3,71,510	17,776	1,11,341	1,29,117	1,39,596	19,916	6 6	1,59,512		82,881	2,42,393	
Do. Town. ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	... ...	...		...	...	
10. North Arcot. ...	62,089	5,16,670	5,78,759	15,090	4,03,875	4,18,965	32,892	14,107	0 3	46,999		1,12,795	1,59,794	
11. South Arcot... ...	38,829	1,52,276	1,91,105	11,919	1,27,005	1,38,924	22,440	4,470	6 9	26,910		25,271	52,181	
12. Tanjore...	10,707	1,18,360	1,29,067	5,375	1,04,797	1,10,172	2,805	2,526	9 2	5,332		13,563	18,895	
13. Trichinopoly. ...	6,567	61,800	68,367	2,804	53,886	56,690	3,262	503	0 2	3,763		7,914	11,677	
14. Madura...	3,334	3,97,226	4,00,560	717	2,67,615	2,68,332	1,743	874	4 4	2,617		1,29,611	1,32,228	
15. Tinnevelly	20,655	5,80,582	6,07,237	8,923	5,67,417	5,76,340	14,726	3,006	5 7	17,732		13,165	30,897	
16. Coimbatore... ...	2,733	71,085	73,818	617	66,075	66,692	1,724	392	3 8	2,116		5,010	7,126	
17. Salem	25,641	1,24,750	1,50,391	9,056	1,09,014	1,18,070	10,146	6,439	13 11	16,585		15,736	32,321	
18. South Canara ...	154	7,665	7,819	105	7,617	7,722	.....	48	12 0	49		48	97	
19. Malabar...	9,138	57,119	66,257	5,149	32,721	37,870	3,682	306	12 11	3,989		24,398	28,387	
Total...	7,79,768	36,32,701	44,12,469	1,83,807	27,20,965	29,04,772	4,11,404	1,84,557	4 5	5,95,961		9,11,736	15,07,697	

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No. 7.—*Statement showing the Receipts and Sales of Salt, for Fusly 1275.*

Districts.	Balance on hand at the commencement of the Fusly.	Quantity received in store in Fusly 1275.				Total including balance.	Quantity sold during the year.							Wastage written off under the sanction of Government.	Total.	Balance remaining in store.
		Salt manufactured during the year.	Salt received from other districts.	Gain by measurement and confiscated salt, &c.	Total.		Home consumption.	Inland consumption.	Exportation by Sea.		Sold to French Government.	Supplied to other districts.	Total.			
									On Government Indent.	On private account						
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17
	MDS.	MDS.	MDS.	MDS.	MDS.	MDS.	MDS.	MDS.	MDS.	MDS.	MDS.	MDS.	MDS.	MDS.	MDS.	MDS.
1. Ganjam	7,14,319	11,61,240	...	19,286	11,71,316	18,85,634	1,47,632	7,75,150	...	...	...	...	9,22,782	...	9,22,782	9,62,852
2. Vizagapatam	2,82,551	1,18,402	...	2,710	1,21,112	3,73,698	2,01,501	2,550	...	...	...	...	2,04,111	...	2,04,111	1,69,587
3. Godavery	3,18,975	4,32,866	...	1,564	4,34,346	7,53,341	2,12,751	17,779	...	51,209	1,040	...	2,85,810	...	2,85,810	4,68,731
4. Kistna	12,50,646	8,45,947	...	801	8,46,841	20,95,487	2,50,626	2,52,848	...	...	...	...	5,03,469	* 3,150	5,06,619	15,88,868
5. Nellore	13,45,795	8,49,944	...	20,831	8,81,775	22,27,557	2,68,138	4,16,323	...	1,02,453	...	...	8,16,927	† 68,322	8,85,249	13,42,308
6. Madras	19,52,899	29,31,013	...	6,906	29,40,919	39,93,818	1,83,657	11,69,435	...	7,96,890	...	81,200	21,22,122	‡ 11,631	21,33,653	18,60,165
7. South Arcot	8,91,339	3,50,145	...	49	3,50,194	12,31,533	2,23,212	1,28,873	...	43,110	20,706	...	4,16,231	...	4,16,231	8,16,302
8. Tajore	2,71,667	10,99,122	...	2,524	10,92,646	13,64,313	4,79,049	1,89,662	...	83,560	12,000	...	7,63,171	...	7,63,171	5,01,142
9. Madura	5,07,665	4,07,243	...	11,145	4,19,388	9,25,473	3,99,189	7,530	...	8,600	...	...	4,10,269	...	4,10,269	5,15,204
10. Tinnevelly	12,69,477	4,06,367	...	19,750	4,26,117	16,95,594	3,79,523	31,773	...	8,36,060	...	...	7,47,356	23,288	7,70,644	9,24,950
11. South Canara	2,62,070	4,64,997	...	1,809	4,66,806	7,28,876	1,79,835	2,05,980	...	...	...	...	3,85,765	...	3,85,765	3,62,911
12. Malabar	2,99,227	5,13,913	42,174	1,021	5,56,110	7,56,637	4,10,394	1,19,685	...	...	3,558	...	5,33,634	...	5,33,634	2,23,003
Total	92,30,836	86,82,457	42,174	88,419	88,13,350	1,80,43,986	33,35,531	33,38,408	...	13,09,112	37,341	81,200	81,11,617	1,06,291	82,17,908	98,26,078

* Salt delivered to a merchant in lieu of that destroyed in the cyclone, as per Government Order, dated 22nd September 1863, No. 2,295 ..... MDS. 3,150

† Do. of Fuslies 1267 and 1268, on the export platform at Kistnahpatam, ordered to be destroyed in the Board's Proceedings, dated 30th June 1865, No. 3,341 68,322

‡ Inferior salt in store at Kelambakum, ordered to be destroyed in the Board's Proceedings, dated 1st February 1866, No. 744 11,631

No. 8.—*Statement showing the financial results of Salt transactions in Fusly 1275.*

Districts.	Home consumption.	Inland consumption.	Exportation by Sea.	Sold to French Government.	Total.	Extra Revenue.	Refunds of Charges.	Total gross Revenue.	Deduct charges.	Net Revenue.	
										Fusly 1274.	Fusly 1275.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
	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.	RS. A. P.
1. Ganjam	2,25,608 12 1	11,59,171 8 0	....	....	13,84,840 4 1	123 8 9	454 15 8	13,85,418 12 6	76,422 15 10	13,04,650 8 11	13,08,995 12 8
2. Vizagapatam	3,11,728 15 2	3,941 1 0	....	....	3,15,670 0 2	3 8 0	34 5 3	3,15,707 13 4	22,514 14 11	2,74,777 4 10	2,93,192 14 3
3. Godavery	3,23,532 0 0	36,668 8 0	8,130 0 0	88 8 0	3,58,418 8 0	382 14 3	37 14 3	3,58,834 4 6	41,193 12 10	3,96,527 3 11	3,17,640 7 8
4. Kistna	3,87,828 4 6	3,63,727 9 0	....	....	7,50,555 13 6	....	124 1 6	7,50,679 15 3	69,168 6 4	6,37,062 7 8	6,81,511 8 10
5. Nellore	4,13,962 10 2	6,53,233 6 0	18,307 12 8	....	10,82,566 12 10	11 4 9	2 3 6	10,82,582 4 4	1,09,890 9 6	11,34,745 6 2	9,72,691 10 6
6. Madras	2,80,505 8 2	17,10,750 8 0	1,13,024 8 2	....	21,03,280 8 4	129 1 8	1,376 10 0	21,04,785 15 0	3,99,217 5 9	16,23,596 2 2	17,05,568 9 5
7. South Arcot	3,44,214 11 10	1,97,290 10 8	6,516 0 0	2,668 11 9	5,50,685 1 10	11 6 6	1,177 13 8	5,51,874 4 4	62,248 1 10	4,86,718 12 0	4,89,626 2 6
8. Tanjore	7,11,000 5 8	2,84,843 15 3	12,384 0 0	904 11 5	10,09,133 15 11	125 8 5	13 9 6	10,09,271 8 10	98,089 8 6	8,97,111 9 8	9,11,183 0 4
9. Madura	6,15,650 10 0	11,859 11 0	540 0 0	....	6,27,550 5 0	155 4 0	7 8 11	6,27,713 1 11	60,567 13 8	5,27,204 13 0	5,67,145 6 8
10. Tinnevelly	5,84,330 13 6	47,773 8 0	50,409 0 0	....	6,82,513 3 0	62 2 9	39 2 7	6,82,613 8 4	65,696 6 2	5,33,168 7 5	6,16,917 2 2
11. South Canara	2,78,921 9 2	3,15,929 14 3	....	....	5,94,851 7 5	8,943 3 4	42 1 0	6,03,835 11 9	2,59,604 10 6	3,42,926 9 4	3,44,231 1 3
12. Malabar	6,31,667 9 1	1,77,740 4 0	....	1,536 15 6	8,00,944 12 7	28 8 6	....	8,00,973 5 3	3,46,846 11 1	4,51,247 3 10	4,54,426 10 2
Total	50,99,011 12 5	49,51,433 15 9	2,85,371 4 10	5,188 6 8	1,02,61,005 7 8	9,075 6 4	3,309 11 3	1,03,74,290 9 3	16,11,160 4 1	85,19,728 5 5	86,63,130 5 2
								Earth salt in Bellary ...		13,601 0 0	
								Do. Kurnool ...		1,606 0 0	
								Total ...		1,02,89,099 9 3	

Collections shown the offe

Revenue Department.

No. 2264.

Proceedings of the Madras Government under date the 25th Septr 1867:-

Read the following Pro: of the Board of Revenue:-

Submitting Report on Settlement and Collection of Revenues of Madras Presidency for 1865/66, with explanatory Statements, and a file of printed reports of Collectors:-

(Here enter 11th June 1867, No 3569)-

These Proceedings contain the Board's Settlement Report for the Revenue year from July 1865 to June 1866:-

Nil

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Collections for 1864/65, including Rent- 6,25,03,633.
Collections for 65/66- 6,20,80,397.
Decrease- 4,23,236.
Charges for 1864/65- 69,88,206.
65/66- 67,32,386.
Increase- 2,44,180.

The gross collections amounted to Rd 6,20,80,397. and the charges to Rd 67,32,386. so that the Net Income of the year was Rd 5,53,48,011.

The decrease in collections shows the effe

Reported to England
By 25th October N°6 of 1867 Land Revt

J.C. N° 2245 - 25 Septr

N° 413

Pro. 23rd Augt 1867 No. 622
15th June 1867 - 253 - 4.

Revenue Department.

Pro. of Govt of 4th Sept

No. 1529.

PROCEEDINGS OF THE BOARD OF REVENUE,

Dated 11th June 1867.
Read 3 -
Received -

No. 3,569.

Submitting Report on Settlement and Collection of Revenues of Madras Presidency for 1865-66, with explanatory Statements, and a file of printed reports of Collectors.

of a most unfavorable
season on the land reve-
nue, and the result of
the abolition of the Income
tax. The increase in re-
charges was due to the
additional number of
Covenanted Assistants
who entered the service, to
the revision of Revenue
establishments, and to the
purchase of Bungalows
stituted of Columbo Arrack
shops usual in Madras,
and of Salt in Malabar.

The season was
again unfavorable in all
parts of the Presidency ex-
cept in Tinnevelly. In Cud-
dapah and Bellary a conti-
nuous drought resulted
in a recurrence of

large remissions and
much expenditure for the
relief of the people. The
North East monsoon was
late and scanty. In Tan-
jore where the previous
season was described as
one of the most unfavo-
rable known for many
years, the season of 1865/66
is said to have been al-
most without a parallel
in the memory of the pre-
sent generation. The
South West monsoon was
also unpropitious, and
though a larger quantity
of rain than usual fell
on the Western Coast the
crops were deficient.
All the other districts of
the Presidency with the
exception

exception of the Godavery, South Arcot, Coimbatore, Salem and Limerelly the rainfall was less than in the previous year, which was itself on most unfavorable to agriculture.

The health of the people suffered from the character of the season, especially in Ganjam where large numbers (including many immigrants from Orissa) died from starvation

die will die from cholera, fevers and small pox. cholera of a virulent type was especially prevalent in certain districts. all the sanitary district

as the season gave cause to expect.

Cattle perished in considerable numbers from want of fodder & water, but no particular disease is reported as having been exceptionally prevalent.

Prices rose again everywhere, attaining in some places famine rates. the increment ranged from 4 to 22 per cent. the poorer classes were reduced in many places to the necessity of picking up a precarious subsistence from wild leaves and roots. At the conclusion of the year

year

general distress had become so great as to render the intervention of the State necessary in many districts. Relief Works had been opened and Famine works organised in January some months before the extent of Ryots' Holdings in all districts except Malabar including Malabar was Acres 144,69,368 of unirrigated land assessed at Rupees 160,76,264 and Acres 23,99,763 of irrigated land assessed at Rupees 66,20,706. These figures exclude Acres 3,84,698 of land in the Holdings which lay waste from causes beyond the ryots' control, and the assessment on which amounting to Rupees 10,60,246 was remitted.

Area of the Holdings assessed to land revenue in Malabar 1275 Fasli 1365 Fasli

Assessed 10,60,246

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The ~~Board~~ this year to the Board
labor has ~~submitted~~ of the survey have submitted estimates approximately showing the extent of Holdings in Malabar for the first time. They are Acres 373,650 of

~~unirrigated~~ land under dry cultivation and Acres 3,79,318 of ~~irrigated~~ cultivation, with last crops irrigated land. There are available data ~~Record the statistical~~ ~~enable to show~~ the area under cultivation in South Canara, ~~last~~ the assessment at the latest for the year amounted to Rupees 13,76,296-

The second crop assessment, water tax, local cess and other items amounted to Rupees 22,56,242-

~~The actual remissions~~

of Revenue amounted altogether to Rs. 13,32,546 to which must be added Local Cess & Water Rs. 8,20,694, ~~which has~~ entered under the same head, but ~~is~~ merely as a matter of account. Out of the ~~false~~ true remissions the amount which depends on the state of the season decreased on the whole by Rs. 5,572, but that portion of it which is assigned to withered crops increased by Rs. 2,64,292. In Tanjore alone Rs. 1,33,114 ~~from last~~ had to be granted, on account of failure of cultivation. The Government are glad to observe that the irregularities in granting remission alluded to by the Board in their Reports for Fasly 1273 and 1274 Lo

ceased. The Fixed remissions have increased by Rs. 83,777 but this is a ground for congratulation because it results from a large extent of land being planted during the year with topes. The Deductions allowed on the collection or demand of villages decreased by Rs 409,876, but the change is nominal.

Thus the Ryotwari Settlement for Fasly 1275 shows a demand of Rs 34,74,420 or three and one third lacs more than that of the previous year. This result is certainly satisfactory, but the Board seem to mistake when they calculate that the deficiency

in the previous year has been made up mainly by extended cultivation, for the increase in water tax alone amounted to nearly 3 lacs. The area of unirrigated land under cultivation increased by acres 351249 and the assessment by Rs 2,11,791, the increase in Trichinopoly alone amounting to acres 39,323, and showing that the loss by the new settlement will soon disappear in virtue of the encouragement offered by it to agriculture. The area of irrigated land decreased by 23745 acres assessed at Rs 117845 & the remission

13 The Peishcush on permanently settled Estates amounted to Rs 51,33,242; the Jodi on Shotriem and Inam

Inam villages to Rs. 6,55,150, and the miscellaneous items to Rs. 31,71,206.

"Peshcush and Jodi were nearly the same as in the preceding year, but miscellaneous items increased by Rs. 2,64,496, chiefly from ~~by~~ ~~because of~~ the operations of the Inam Commissioner, and from the tax on water supplied to Zemindary and Inam lands.

Thus the total Land Revenue Demand was Rs. 1,03,36,[illegible]

or Rs. 6,14,657 more than in Fusly 1274.

The statistics with regard to Special Products show that the cultivation of Cotton has diminished in all parts of the Presidency, the total decrease being as much as 20 per cent, whilst that of Sugarcane has slightly increased and that of Indigo has almost in great part recovered from the depression of Fusly 1274.

Area under Cotton in Fusly 1274 - 1,47,501
1275 - 13,95,697/14

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The Revenue from Abkary increased by Rs 8,737, that from Sea Customs by Rs 1,37,649 and that from Stamps by Rs 3,84,050. The large addition to the Stamp Revenue is ascribed to increased litigation, and to the stricter enforcement of the penal provisions of the Stamp Act. The Land Customs diminished by Rs 97,049 chiefly in consequence of the trade convention with Travancore and Cochin.

Abkary	Rs 40,91,764
Income Tax	" 67,339
Sea Customs	" 19,45,425
Land do	" 1,23,979
Stamps	" 31,49,219

The Gross Revenue from Salt again increased by Rs 25,70,69. The progress of the

	Gross.	Net
Fasly 1271	Rs 87,06,096	Rs 75,78,200
1272	" 91,93,989	" 80,19,358
1273	" 94,78,845	" 84,74,959
1274	" 99,17,221	" 85,19,728
1275	" 102,74,290	" 86,68,120

Increase F. 1275 Gross Rs 25,70,69
Net " 44,3402

as the principle appears to produce the result, whilst the Monopoly price at the end of the Fasli, and the transfer of the Revenue on Salt to be manufactured in Bekaury and thereon to the head of Salt Revenue are causes which tended for the first time. The charges also increased from Rs 16 P Ct, but the Net Revenue was never the less Rs 1,43,402 more than in the preceding year. The quantity of salt sold increased from 76,00,639 to 81,11,61

Increased

the Justices elected a Co-
Mmittee to sit during the
Sessions for writing off the
full Amount Viz £35.796
Pounds 11 Years as re-
Commended in Part of
the Board's Report.
The Board are right in
Refusing to allow the
Advantage in Small Accts
to be entered off the
Surcharges pleaded to the
Jurors; The Grand Jury
have also to the
Satisfaction to be
Informed that the
Judges of Assize &
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Clement

demand on all sources of the Revenue was Rupees 12,99,234 Excluding Income Tax. The increase over Fasli 1314 amounts to Rs 11,15,953. 94 pc

Of these demands 94 pc collected on Main the Fasli and Rs 18006 were remitted. By the end of December all had been collected except Rs 1,16 pc in the demand. These percentages are larger than the corresponding year, but the Board think that the greater part of the increase arises in the Peshcash or Permanently settled

Of the entire demand only Rs 65,709 has been realised by Distress or attachment & sale of property the rest

[illegible] Rs 225 [illegible]

demand. The increase is due chiefly to the exceptional character of the season.

Out of the whole demand it was not found necessary to attach property for more than Rs 38,722.

Owing to the improvement which is shown in every considerable part of the province the demand has been collected. The Government agree with the Board that the state of the Revenue is most satisfactory.

The state of the Collectorate, in the Vellore

Salem

collected in Lands held by Europeans, Jews & Armenians subject to Land Tax over & above the Demand of Rs 1,17,6 nothing was collected in all on the Lands; and Rs 2,157 were still outstanding 3 months after the Year had ended. Although the amount is small, it is particularly desirable that this species of Revenue should be realized punctually, and the Government have specially directed that the Collection of the Land Tax should in all cases be completed within the Year.

The Balance of Rs 37,52,8 1/2 which with Rs 28,81,555 collected on account of Land Tax & Rs 91,520 do Mad. Rs 5,95,762 raised on Standing Crops of the Collection Year, and out of the Rs 24,507 is to be considered to be irrecoverable & remission is granted for including all the amount

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Reported to Legislature
By 25th October No 6 of 1869

Rec'd of the Boards of Rev
by 25th March 1868 C.P. 112

Rec'd of the Boards of Revenue by 2nd May
1869 C.P. 376.

Returned to Land Revenue
Branch of the Secretariat
for 1865/66.

Land Revenue Genl
25th September 1869

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