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# MADRAS RECORD OFFICE.

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## Government of Madras.

Revenue DEPARTMENT.

G.O. No. 3170 Press Mis.

321-322.

Dated 19-12-~~19~~1868

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No. 321. Read the following Proceedings of the Board of Revenue, dated 20th November 1868, No. 8,201A.

*Read the following Statement showing the total Yeomiah payments in each district, as they stood on the 31st December 1866 and 1867, respectively.*

| Districts. | | Service. | | | | | | Subsistence. | | | | | | Charitable. | | | | | | Total. | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | Hereditary. | | Life. | | Requiring report after lapse and more than one life. | | Hereditary. | | Life. | | Requiring report after lapse and more than one life. | | Hereditary. | | Life. | | Requiring report after lapse and more than one life. | | | |
| | | No. | Amt. | No. | Amt. | No. | Amt. | No. | Amt. | No. | Amt. | No. | Amt. | No. | Amt. | No. | Amt. | No. | Amt. | No. | Amt. |
| | | | Rs. | | Rs. | | Rs. | | Rs. | | Rs. | | Rs. | | Rs. | | Rs. | | Rs. | | Rs. |
| 1. Vizagapatam ... | Current on 31st Dec. 1866 ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 1 | 5 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 1 | 5 |
| | Do. on 31st Dec. 1867 ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 1 | 5 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 1 | 5 |
| 2. Godavery ... | Do. on do. 1866 ... | 14 | 930 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 14 | 930 |
| | Do. on do. 1867 ... | 13 | 867 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 13 | 867 |
| 3. Kistna... ... | Do. on do. 1866 ... | 4 | 601 | 6 | 438 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 10 | 1,039 |
| | Do. on do. 1867 ... | 4 | 601 | 6 | 438 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 10 | 1,039 |
| 4. Nellore... ... | Do. on do. 1866 ... | 47 | 354 | 4 | 52 | ... | ... | ... | ... | 21 | 65 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 72 | 471 |
| | Do. on do. 1867 ... | 47 | 354 | 4 | 52 | ... | ... | 1 | 336 | 19 | 60 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 70 | 460 |
| 5. Bellary... ... | Do. on do. 1866 ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 1 | 336 | 13 | 1,780 | 8 | 608 | 1 | 14 | 4 | 268 | 3 | 314 | 30 | 3,320 |
| | Do. on do. 1867 ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 1 | 336 | 13 | 1,780 | 9 | 656 | 1 | 14 | 4 | 268 | 3 | 314 | 31 | 3,368 |
| 6. Cuddapah ... | Do. on do. 1866 ... | ... | ... | 10 | 485 | ... | ... | ... | ... | 18 | 281 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 23 | 766 |
| | Do. on do. 1867 ... | ... | ... | 9 | 477 | ... | ... | ... | ... | 12 | 279 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 21 | 756 |
| 7. Kurnool ... | Do. on do. 1866 ... | ... | ... | 23 | 1,457 | ... | ... | ... | ... | 38 | 3,394 | ... | ... | ... | ... | 4 | 68 | ... | ... | 65 | 4,919 |
| | Do. on do. 1867 ... | ... | ... | 21 | 1,289 | ... | ... | ... | ... | 34 | 3,071 | ... | ... | ... | ... | 4 | 68 | ... | ... | 59 | 4,428 |
| 8. Madras ... | Do. on do. 1866 ... | 31 | 5,872 | 1 | 162 | ... | ... | ... | ... | 30 | 7,764 | 21 | 3,694 | 1 | 1,558 | 21 | 1,610 | ... | ... | 114 | 20,660 |
| | Do. on do. 1867 ... | 31 | 5,341 | 1 | 162 | ... | ... | ... | ... | 28 | 7,408 | 19 | 5,076 | 1 | 1,558 | 27 | 1,491 | ... | ... | 109 | 21,036 |
| 9. North Arcot ... | Do. on do. 1866 ... | 116 | 11,536 | 1 | 1,200 | ... | ... | ... | ... | 18 | 1,003 | ... | ... | 4 | 2,678 | ... | ... | ... | ... | 134 | 16,416 |
| | Do. on do. 1867 ... | 114 | 11,743 | 1 | 1,200 | ... | ... | ... | ... | 10 | 781 | ... | ... | 4 | 2,678 | ... | ... | ... | ... | 129 | 16,404 |
| 10. South Arcot ... | Do. on do. 1866 ... | 32 | 3,609 | 2 | 120 | ... | ... | ... | ... | 6 | 323 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 40 | 4,052 |
| | Do. on do. 1867 ... | 31 | 3,314 | 2 | 120 | ... | ... | ... | ... | 5 | 263 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 38 | 3,697 |
| 11. Tanjore ... | Do. on do. 1866 ... | 6 | 861 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 3 | 89 | ... | ... | 1 | 53 | ... | ... | ... | ... | 10 | 503 |
| | Do. on do. 1867 ... | 1 | 55 | 5 | 306 | ... | ... | ... | ... | 3 | 89 | ... | ... | 1 | 53 | ... | ... | ... | ... | 10 | 503 |
| 12. Trichinopoly ... | Do. on do. 1866 ... | 8 | 992 | 4 | 695 | ... | ... | ... | ... | 6 | 713 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 18 | 2,400 |
| | Do. on do. 1867 ... | 8 | 992 | 3 | 527 | ... | ... | ... | ... | 5 | 545 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 16 | 2,064 |
| 13. Salem... ... | Do. on do. 1866 ... | 2 | 141 | 4 | 136 | ... | ... | ... | ... | 4 | 81 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 14 | 84 |
| | Do. on do. 1867 ... | 2 | 141 | 4 | 136 | ... | ... | ... | ... | 2 | 46 | ... | ... | ... | ... | 4 | 126 | ... | ... | 11 | 424 |
| 14. Madura ... | Do. on do. 1866 ... | 13 | 1,386 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 1 | 39 | ... | ... | ... | ... | 3 | 101 | ... | ... | 25 | 2,120 |
| | Do. on do. 1867 ... | 13 | 1,386 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 1 | 39 | ... | ... | ... | ... | 11 | 695 | ... | ... | 24 | 2,081 |
| 15. Tinnevelly ... | Do. on do. 1866 ... | 35 | 1,963 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 27 | 925 | ... | ... | ... | ... | 10 | 656 | ... | ... | 62 | 3,688 |
| | Do. on do. 1867 ... | 30 | 1,963 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 27 | 925 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 57 | 2,888 |
| 16. Malabar ... | Do. on do. 1866 ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 1 | 56 | ... | ... | 1 | 56 |
| | Do. on do 1867 ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 1 | 56 | ... | ... | 1 | 56 |
| | Total for 1866... | 308 | 27,745 | 55 | 4,745 | ... | ... | 2 | 341 | 175 | 16,456 | 28 | 4,302 | 7 | 4,303 | 55 | 2,823 | 3 | 314 | 633 | 61,029 |
| | Total for 1867... | 294 | 26,776 | 56 | 4,707 | ... | ... | 2 | 341 | 159 | 15,289 | 30 | 5,732 | 7 | 4,303 | 49 | 2,640 | 3 | 314 | 600 | 60,102 |

ORDERED that the foregoing Statement for 1867, be submitted to Government, with reference to their Order, dated 8th August 1864, No. 1,424.

2. In the Statement submitted with the Board's Proceedings, dated 7th April 1868, No. 2,600, the total number of Yeomiahs and their aggregate amount, on 31st December 1866, is given as 611 and Rupees 56,435, respectively, whereas, in the present Statement, they are shown to be 633 and Rupees 61,029. This discrepancy is owing to the Collector of Kurnool having, through a misapprehension of the purpose for which the Return is required, shown in his former Return only such allowances as were actually paid during the year, and their monthly and not annual amount; the correction of these mistakes has been effected in his present Return, with the result shown in the margin.

| | No. | Amount. Rs. | |
|---|---|---|---|
| According to former Return. | 43 | 325 | |
| Do. present do. | 65 | 4,919 | |
| Difference... | 22 | 4,594 | difference. |
| General total shown in Board's former Statement ... ... | 611 | 56,435 | |
| Do. do. present... | 633 | 61,029 | |
| | 22 | 4,594 | |

3. The total amount of the allowances current on the 31st December 1866 was Rupees 61,029, and on 31st December 1867, Rupees 60,102, or Rupees 927 less. The number of Yeomiahs was reduced from 633 to 600.

The particulars are as under:—

| Items. | Number of Yeomiahs. | | | Amount of Yeomiahs. | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | 1866. | 1867. | Difference. | 1866. | 1867. | Difference. |
| | | | | Rs. | Rs. | Rs. |
| SERVICE. | | | | | | |
| Hereditary ... ... ... ... | 308 | 294 | — 14 | 27,745 | 26,776 | — 969 |
| Life ... ... ... ... ... | 55 | 56 | + 1 | 4,745 | 4,707 | — 38 |
| Total... | 363 | 350 | — 13 | 32,490 | 31,483 | — 1,007 |
| SUBSISTENCE. | | | | | | |
| Hereditary ... ... ... ... | 2 | 2 | ..... | 341 | 341 | ..... |
| Life ... ... ... ... ... | 175 | 159 | — 16 | 16,456 | 15,289 | — 1,167 |
| Requiring report ... ... ... | 28 | 30 | + 2 | 4,302 | 5,732 | + 1,430 |
| Total... | 205 | 191 | — 14 | 21,099 | 21,362 | + 263 |
| CHARITABLE. | | | | | | |
| Hereditary ... ... ... ... | 7 | 7 | ..... | 4,303 | 4,303 | ..... |
| Life ... ... ... ... ... | 55 | 49 | — 6 | 2,823 | 2,640 | — 183 |
| Requiring report ... ... ... | 3 | 3 | ..... | 314 | 314 | ..... |
| Total... | 65 | 59 | — 6 | 7,440 | 7,257 | — 183 |
| Grand total... | 633 | 600 | — 33 | 61,029 | 60,102 | — 927 |

4. There were six commutations, two transfers, and one lapse by death in the Madras District; but as five pensioners were during the same period transferred under the orders of Government, from North Arcot and Nellore to Madras, the net decrease only, appears.



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5. The variations in Tanjore in the number of "Hereditary" and "Life Grants" under the head of "Service" are owing to five Yeomiahs, which were originally classed as "Hereditary," being transferred to their proper head of "Life Grants."

6. The Collectors of Bellary and Madras will be requested to explain how the number of "Subsistence Grants requiring report after lapse" in their districts has increased from eight to nine, and twenty to twenty-one, respectively.

Godavery, Trichinopoly, South Arcot, Salem, North Arcot, Nellore, and Cuddapah.

7. The Collectors of the seven districts noted in the margin have failed to explain, in a foot note in their respective Returns, the causes of the decrease in the number of the Yeomiahs in their districts, notwithstanding, that in paragraph 6 of the Board's Proceedings, dated 7th April 1868, No. 2,600, on the last General Return to Government, they were reminded that this should always be done.

8. The Collector of Malabar will be informed that copies of his Returns need not in future be furnished in triplicate: a single copy will suffice.

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No. 322. ORDER THEREON, 19th December 1868, No. 3,170.

Miscellaneous.

Ordered to be recorded.

(True Extract.)

(Signed) R. A. DALYELL,
*Acting Secretary to Government.*

To the Board of Revenue.

Exd. G. A. Turton.

Govt. of {1868} Madras.

REVENUE.

To

THE BOARD OF REVENUE.

*Dated December, 19th.*

*Recd.* Encl.

*G. O., 19th December 1868, No. 3,170.*

DECEMBER.

Nos. 321-322.

*Yeomiahs payable in Madras Presidency.*—Statement submitted by Board of Revenue for 1866 and 1867, recorded.

PROCEEDINGS OF THE BOARD OF REVENUE.

To all Collectors, etc.

*Dated 20th November 1868.*
*Received 30 Nov.*

No. 8,201A.

*Yeomiah payments*—in each district as they stood on 31st December 1866 and 1867, respectively.—Statement of—submitted to Government with remarks.

No. 3773.

Revenue. 1868. Department.