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No. 184. Read the following Proceedings of the Board of Revenue, dated 28th October 1869, No. 8,015:—

Read the following letter from the Officiating Collector of Malabar, to the Acting Secretary to the Board of Revenue, dated Calicut, 28th September 1869, No. 274.

I HAVE the honour to report on the operations of Escheat Settlement in Malabar during the official year 1868-69.

2. One thousand nine hundred and thirty-eight acres of land were sold during the year for the gross value of Rupees 1,68,418-11-1, from which, deducting Rupees 29,125-6-4 on account of compensation for improvements, payments of tenants' liens, etc., there remained a net value of Rupees 1,39,293-4-9 due to Government on the sales of the year. The above particulars are given in detail for North and South Malabar separately in the following Statement:—

	DESCRIPTION OF LAND SOLD IN 1868-69.					Gross Value.	Deductions on account of compensation for improvement, settlement of liens, allowances for occupancy rights, etc.	Net Value.
	Wet.	Dry.	Garden.	House site, etc.	Total.			
North Malabar.	319 6 4½	.....	207 8 6½	0 6 0½	527 5 2	17,899 10 4	1,135 6 4	16,764 4 0
South Malabar.	468 5 8	619 15 0	318 9 11	3 10 12	1,410 8 15	1,50,519 0 9	27,290 0 0	1,22,529 0 9
Total....	787 11 12½	619 15 0	526 2 1½	4 1 2½	1,937 14 1	1,68,418 11 1	29,125 6 4	1,39,293 4 9

3. This amount has been made payable in instalments as noted below:—

Years.	North Malabar.			South Malabar.			Total.		
	RS.	A.	P.	RS.	A.	P.	RS.	A.	P.
1868-69	...	...	...	8,595	8	9	12,510	4	9
1869-70	...	...	...	2,096	8	0	25,033	0	0
1870-71	...	...	...	19,367	8	0	22,033	8	0
1871-72	...	...	...	17,714	8	0	20,072	8	0
1872-73	...	...	...	14,920	0	0	16,931	0	0
1873-74	...	...	...	12,171	0	0	13,071	0	0
1874-75	...	...	...	9,987	0	0	10,407	0	0
1875-76	...	...	...	7,361	0	0	7,631	0	0
1876-77	...	...	...	5,676	0	0	5,836	0	0
1877-78	...	...	...	3,114	0	0	3,114	0	0
1878-79	...	...	...	2,654	0	0	2,654	0	0
Total ...	16,764	4	0	1,22,529	0	9	1,39,293	4	9

	SETTLEMENT IN					
	1867-68.		1868-69.		Decrease.	
	RS.	A. P.	RS.	A. P.	RS.	A. P.
North Malabar.	27,351	4 0	16,764	4 0	10,587	0 0
South do. ...	3,19,293	3 5	1,22,529	0 9	1,96,766	2 8
Total...	3,46,644	7 5	1,39,293	4 9	2,07,353	2 8

Vide Board's Pros., dated 21st May 1869, No. 3,560.

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4. The settlement of the year, compared with that of 1867-68, shows a decrease of Rupees 2,07,353. This is due mainly to the doubt and difficulty in determining the rights of Government to most of the lands concerned, as already fully reported on in Mr. Ballard's letter to the Board, dated 2nd November 1868, No. 318 A.

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Almost all the less intricate cases in which Government rights were undisputed and acknowledged have been disposed of in previous years. As the Board are aware the settlement is now drawing to a close, and the number of estates to be inquired into are few and of small value.

5. A few new items of charges contributed to swell the total expenditure of the year, namely, the extra establishment entertained throughout the year for collection, and the registration charges incurred according to the Board's orders, dated 25th March 1868, No. 2,124. The expenditure amounted to Rupees 22,080-0-7, bearing a per-centage of 15-13-6 on the net value of the sales, which is greater than the per-centage of 1867-68, owing to larger expenditure as above explained and to smaller sales accounted for in paragraph 4 of the report.

6. The total amount of Jenmi Shistom or proprietors' share relinquished in consequence of the sales of the year was Rupees 628-3-11, which represents, at the rate of 5 per cent., a capital of Rupees 12,565. Deducting the cost of establishment and other charges noted in paragraph 5, and the amount above shown, representing the capital of the interest relinquished, there remains a balance of Rupees 1,04,648-4-2, which is the net gain to Government in the transactions of the year.

7. An abstract of sales from the commencement is given below :—

	Particulars.	Number of lands.	Extent in acres.	Gross proceeds.		Deduct compensation paid to holders.		Net proceeds.	
				RS.	A. P.	RS.	A. P.	RS.	A. P.
North Malabar.	Official year 1863-64	1,127	1,050 3 11	2,86,306	14 10	19,325	6 10	2,16,810	8 0
	Do. 1864-65	1,537	2,238 0 21	3,61,117	15 0	37,719	7 10	3,23,399	8 0
	Do. 1865-66	845	878 3 71	1,21,203	6 0	6,263	10 0	1,15,939	12 0
	Do. 1866-67	674	751 3 81	1,48,691	8 1	7,938	14 1	1,40,753	10 0
	Do. 1867-68	813	590 13 31	28,163	14 0	811	10 9	27,351	4 0
	Do. 1868-69	876	527 5 2	17,899	10 4	1,135	6 4	16,764	4 0
	Total...	4,872	6,038 12 101	9,13,382	4 8	72,561	6 8	8,40,821	14 6
South Malabar.	From 1853 to 1863-64	7,719	8,572 8 0	9,80,793	7 6	2,35,940	6 3	7,44,853	1 3
	Do. 1864-65	3,062	4,173 8 11	8,10,447	9 7	36,772	14 0	7,73,674	11 7
	Do. 1865-66	290	207 0 5	26,301	7 7	3,806	0 0	22,495	7 7
	Do. 1866-67	612	1,094 7 0	2,21,291	13 6	25,793	0 0	1,95,498	13 6
	Do. 1867-68	2,205	2,355 2 0	4,05,463	3 5	88,167	0 0	3,17,296	3 5
	Do. 1868-69	657	1,410 6 15	1,50,519	0 3	27,990	0 0	1,22,529	0 3
	Total...	14,545	17,813 2 15	25,94,815	9 4	4,16,471	4 8	21,78,344	5 1
Add Cochin sales		539	439 12 0	3,16,306	4 0	21,118	0 0	2,95,188	4 0
Increase as shown in the Sheristadar's report .....		.....	.....	259	0 0	.....	.....	259	0 0
Total...		539	439 12 0	3,16,565	4 0	21,118	0 0	2,95,447	4 0
Grand total...		15,084	182,52 14 15	29,11,380	13 4	4,37,589	4 8	24,73,791	9 1
Deduct refunds as per paragraph 7 of the Sheristadar's report		2	0 1 5	6,165	0 0	.....	.....	6,165	0 0
Net...		15,082	182,52 13 10	29,05,215	13 4	4,37,589	4 8	24,67,626	9 1
Grand Total...								83,09,144	7 1

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	RS.	A.	P.
Of this the amount collected up to 1868-69	5,40,968	2	0
1868-69	11,99,422	0	1
Total collections...	17,40,390	2	1
Balance outstanding	2,99,549	12	0
1868-69	12,68,204	9	0
Total...	15,67,754	5	0

This balance is recoverable in the following instalments :—

Instalments in which payable.	North Malabar.			South Malabar.			Total.		
	RS.	A.	P.	RS.	A.	P.	RS.	A.	P.
Arrears balance remaining to be collected in 1869-70	59,080	8	0	5,20,541	9	0	5,79,622	1	0
Instalments fixed for 1869-70	61,667	8	0	1,84,073	8	0	2,45,741	0	0
Total...	1,20,748	0	0	7,04,615	1	0	8,25,363	1	0
Instalments fixed for 1870-71	42,890	0	0	1,48,677	0	0	1,91,567	0	0
Do. do. 1871-72	28,565	12	0	1,12,368	0	0	1,40,933	12	4
Do. do. 1872-73	25,311	0	0	81,406	8	0	1,06,717	8	0
Do. do. 1873-74	18,612	0	0	64,507	8	0	83,119	8	0
Do. do. 1874-75	17,365	0	0	52,921	8	0	70,286	8	0
Do. do. 1875-76	10,074	0	0	44,568	8	0	54,642	8	0
Do. do. 1876-77	8,761	0	0	25,817	8	0	34,578	8	0
Do. do. 1877-78	4,928	0	0	16,122	0	0	21,050	0	0
Do. do. 1878-79	4,860	0	0	8,166	0	0	13,026	0	0
Do. do. 1879-80	4,428	0	0	4,535	0	0	8,963	0	0
Do. do. 1880-81	4,428	0	0	1,500	0	0	5,928	0	0
Do. do. 1881-82	4,428	0	0	1,500	0	0	5,928	0	0
Do. do. 1882-83	4,148	0	0	1,500	0	0	5,648	0	0
Total...	2,99,549	12	0	12,68,204	9	0	15,67,754	5	4

8. The total collections during the year amounted to Rupees 3,14,630. The Demand, Collection, and Balance, is shown in the statement hereunder annexed :—

	Demand.		Collection.		Balance.	
	RS.	A. P.	RS.	A. P.	RS.	A. P.
On account of previous years, inclusive of those appertaining to Cochin sales	5,82,347	5 8	2,13,480	8 8	3,68,866	13 0
Kists due in 1868-69 on account of Settlement up to 1867-68	2,95,597	8 0	92,696	8 0	2,02,901	0 0
Kists due in 1868-69 on account of Settlement of that year	12,510	4 9	4,656	0 9	7,854	4 0
Total...	8,90,455	2 5	3,10,833	1 5	5,79,622	1 0
Collections in advance .....	.....	.....	2,755	0 0	.....	.....
Interest .....	.....	.....	1,050	14 5	.....	.....
Total...	.....	.....	3,14,638	15 10	.....	.....

The collections of the year have not fallen materially short of the amount estimated last year, (Rupees 3½ lacs.—*Vide* paragraph 9 of Mr. Ballard's report, dated 4th August 1868, No. 228.)

The balance above noted has been reduced by Rupees 1,33,146 by collections made since the close of the year and up to August last.

* This excludes a few items in which refunds had to be made, and others transferred to future years in virtue of extensions of instalments granted.

† This amount is less than the amount in the Treasury account by Rupees 113-12-0, being the sale proceeds of the Estates in Wynad that lapsed to Government from failure of heirs.—*Vide* Board's Proceedings, dated 5th June 1868, No. 4,178.

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The amount to be collected in 1869-70 is the 8½ lacs shown in paragraph 7 of this report, *plus* the amount that may have to be collected on account of the settlement of 1869-70.

9. Two hundred and fifty-five acres of land, of the aggregate value of Rupees 14,878, have been discovered during the year to be Government Eschcats.

10. In the North Malabar the cases remaining for settlement are as follows:

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I have the honour to annex copy of the report of Mr. S. J. ...

I have the honour to annex copy of the report of my Sheristadar, O. Kannam, on his settlement of Escheats during the year.

From the Huzoor Sheristadar, in charge of the Escheat Settlement, to the Officiating Collector of Malabar, dated Calicut, 16th September 1869.

I have the honour to report on the settlement of Escheats in South Malabar during the past official year 1868-69.

2. The following Statement shows the progress of the work :—

Names of Escheats.	PARTICULARS OF LANDS SOLD.										TOTAL.	
	Wet.		Dry.		Garden.		Sites for houses, etc.		Acres.	Joint value.		
	Acres.	Value.	Acres.	Value.	Acres.	Value.	Acres.	Value.				
												RS.
Mepia, Rebels, etc., escheated to Govern- ment.....	35 13 4	4,870 0 0	13 4 0	120 0 0	...	...	...	...	0 0 5	211 3 6	48 1 9	5,201 3 6
More than 50 years since Chuenat Nair Pal- ghat Rajah's Minis- ter, who died heirless, etc.....	183 13 9	37,558 0 0	383 0 14	5,712 0 0	53 12 11	5,552 0 0	2 15 11	790 0 0	...	...	...	49,613 0 0
Betm Rajah, who died heirless.....	22 14 5	1,785 0 0	69 6 7	3,979 0 0	3 13 4	646 0 0	...	7 6 0	...	...	96 2 0	6,417 6 0
Duch Escheats in Co- chin and Manaprou,	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Villages acquired by British Government.	223 12 6	41,395 0 0	135 3 11	2,477 0 0	255 15 12	45,189 0 0	0 10 12	227 7 3	...	...	637 10 9	89,388 7 8
Total...	463 5 8	85,608 0 0	619 15 0	12,388 0 0	318 9 11	51,387 0 0	3 10 12	1,236 0 0	...	...	1,410 8 15	1,50,519 0 9
Deduct.	Kulikanom, or compensation for improvements											15,692 0 0
	Vettukanom, or expenses for bringing lands into cultivation...											4,302 0 0
	Kancm or mortgage											4,772 0 0
	Relinquished on account of poverty											8,224 0 0
	Total...											27,990 0 9
	Net value...											1,22,529 0 9

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The net amount settled in the year under reference is Rupees 1,22,529-0-9, which is less than that of last year by Rupees 1,96,766.

The cases settled were comparatively petty ones. Many of them were involved in disputes, and had to be contended with to satisfy the holders thereof, consequently more time than is necessary in ordinary cases had to be employed; whereas those sold in former years were extensive.

3. The purchasers of the Jenm lands have agreed to pay the instalments as shown below, and they have been fixed according to their circumstances. All the cases settled in the year under review have been sold to the original tenants themselves without disturbing their possession of the property.

To succeed in this object I was obliged to extend the payment of the instalments to somewhat longer periods. Tenants involved in petty cases are of low circumstances in life, and unless a longer grace is allowed, it would be out of their power to pay up the purchase-money. On the contrary, it will result in the accumulation of arrears.

In three or four cases only have the limits for paying up the instalments been extended to ten years. This was found indispensable upon consideration of the circumstances of the parties and the large sums involved.

Of the amount of the first instalment Rupees 3,233-4-9 have been collected, and the balance, Rupees 5,362-4-0, is in arrears.

Statement No. 2.										RS.	A.	P.
Official year	1868-69	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	8,595	8	9
Do.	1869-70	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	20,968	8	0
Do.	1870-71	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	19,367	8	0
Do.	1871-72	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	17,714	8	0
Do.	1872-73	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	14,920	0	0
Do.	1873-74	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	12,171	0	0
Do.	1874-75	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	9,987	0	0
Do.	1875-76	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	7,361	0	0
Do.	1876-77	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5,676	0	0
Do.	1877-78	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3,114	0	0
Do.	1878-79	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2,654	0	0
Total										1,22,529	0	9

Total amount of Jenmi Shistom or proprietors' share relinquished in consequence of sales is Rupees 389-4-3, at 4 per cent. This sum represents a capital of...	9,731 10 3
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Deducting which there remains a profit of	...	...	...	...	1,12,797	6	6
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4. The following statement shows the total amount of Demand, Collection, and Balance in the year under reference :—

Particulars.			Demand.			Collection.			Balance.		
			RS.	A.	P.	RS.	A.	P.	RS.	A.	P.
Amount which had fallen in arrears											
		in 1863-64...	13,852	0	0	8,770	0	0	5,082	0	0
Do.	do.	in 1864-65...	38,110	15	0	6,929	8	0	31,181	7	0
Do.	do.	in 1865-66...	1,15,537	8	0	33,324	0	0	82,213	8	0
Do.	do.	in 1866-67...	1,47,854	10	0	47,319	10	0	1,00,533	0	0
Do.	do.	in 1867-68...	1,79,381	8	0	50,323	14	0	1,29,057	10	0
Do.	do.	in 1868-69...	2,20,341	8	0	53,231	12	0	1,67,109	12	0
Instalments payable in the year under review on account of settlements of the year...			8,595	8	9	3,233	4	9	5,362	4	0
Total ..			7,23,673	9	9	2,03,132	0	9	5,20,541	9	0
Interest...			169	3	5	169	3	5	.....		
Grand Total...			7,23,842	13	2	2,03,301	4	2	5,20,541	9	0

The balance shown is to be realized from the talooks—

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From the above balance Rupees 1,04,635 have been collected during the preparation of the report.

There is an increase of Rupees 54,543 in the amount of collection in this as compared with that of last year, and Rupees 72,718 with that of 1866-67.

If the Cochin balance, namely, Rupees 1,90,121, be deducted from the outstanding amount the net balance will be Rupees 3,32,166, which is less by Rupees 32,378 as compared with the balance of last year.

5. The annexed is an abstract Statement of sales from the commencement :—

Statement No. 4.

Particulars.	No.	Acres.	Total Jenm value	Deduction.	Net value.	Collection.	Balance.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
from official year 1853-54 to 1867-68.....	14,427	16,843 6 0	27,60,860 4 7	4,09,599 4 3	*23,51,261 0 4	9,97,202 11 4	.....
Deduct:— On account of refund, etc., as per annexed Statement No. 6...	2	0 1 5	6,165 0 0	.....	6,165 0 0	914 4 0	.....
Balance...	14,425	16,843 4 11	27,54,695 4 7	4,09,599 4 3	23,45,096 0 4	9,96,288 7 4	.....
Settlement in the year under reference...	657	1,410 8 15	1,50,519 0 9	27,900 0 0	1,22,629 0 9	2,03,182 0 0	.....
Total...	15,082	18,253 13 10	29,05,214 5 4	4,37,599 4 3	24,67,625 1 1	11,99,420 8 1	12,68,204 9 0

Amount of Jenmi Shikam or Proprietors' shares received in Rupees 15,728-0-3, at 4 per cent. This sum represents a capital of.....

Deducting which there remains a profit of.....

* Rupees 259 and 53-12-0 in columns 6 and 7, respectively, will be found in excess of that shown in last year's report and were omitted to be included as increase in former years. This was now discovered on scrutinizing the accounts.

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6. The above balance is expected to be realized in the following years :—
Statement No. 5.

	RS.	A.	P.
Amount of arrears uncollected, as shown in Statement No. 3 of this report ...	5,20,541	9	0
Instalments fixed to be paid in 1869-70 ...	1,84,073	8	0
Do. do. in 1870-71 ...	1,48,677	0	0
Do. do. in 1871-72 ...	1,12,368	0	0
Do. do. in 1872-73 ...	81,406	8	0
Do. do. in 1873-74 ...	64,507	8	0
Do. do. in 1874-75 ...	52,921	8	0
Do. do. in 1875-76 ...	44,568	8	0
Do. do. in 1876-77 ...	25,817	8	0
Do. do. in 1877-78 ...	16,122	0	0
Do. do. in 1878-79 ...	8,166	0	0
Do. do. in 1879-80 ...	4,535	0	0
Do. do. in 1880-81 ...	1,500	0	0
Do. do. in 1881-82 ...	1,500	0	0
Do. do. in 1882-83 ...	1,500	0	0
Total...	12,68,204	9	0

7. Particulars of deductions as shown in Statement No. 4.

Statement No. 6.

Particulars.	Amount.
Amount refunded to the original purchaser from Government, being the Jenm value of the price of land situated to the north of the Culvetty bridge in Cochin, taken up by the Municipal Commissioners— <i>Vide</i> Order of Government, dated 24th April 1868, No. 1,103 ...	900 0 0
Amount remitted to the Edwana Tirumulpad from the original valuation fixed on certain Escheat lands purchased by him.— <i>Vide</i> Proceedings of the Board of Revenue, dated 22nd February 1869, No. 1,191...	4,670 0 0
Amount refunded to Rama Krishna Pattar for O.Shangara Nair of Palghat Talook, on account of mortgage claim due to him ...	14 4 0
Difference between the original value and the sale proceeds by public auction of certain lands, owing to the original purchasers having failed to pay the purchase-money ...	580 12 0
Total...	6,165 0 0

8. The following statement exhibits the concealed lands discovered and their value :—
Statement No. 7.

In what year sold.	PARTICULARS OF LANDS SOLD.								TOTAL.			
	Wet.		Dry.		Garden.		Tanks, wells, etc.		Acres.	Value.	Deductions.	Net Value.
	Acres.	Value.	Acres.	Value.	Acres.	Value.	Acres.	Value.				
In the year under review.	47 15 5	8,183	112 11 0	1,843	31 5 10	3,459	...	10	191 15 15	13,495	3,543	9,946

Cases involved in this item were disputed ones, the tenants questioning the right of Government, and such could not have been brought to settlement unless recourse was had to law; but the holders thereof had to be persuaded to believe the validity of Government right thereon, and to the improbability of the tenants being able successfully to resist the claim in a Court of Justice.

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3. The work done has naturally decreased as compared with previous years for the great bulk of the cases has been disposed of, and the rest are more intricate and difficult to settle. The relative cost of establishment has of course risen proportionately. It was about 15 per cent. of the sum realized during the year. However, deducting the cost of establishment and the capitalized Jenmon shist (Rupees 628-3-11) which has been relinquished, the transactions of the year show a net profit to the State of Rupees 1,04,648.

4. In paragraph 7 the Collector gives a statement showing the whole escheat transactions up to date, from which it appears that 19,954 lots of land have been disposed of, comprising about 24,291 acres, for Rupees 33,08,144. Of this sum Rupees 17,40,390 have been realized, and Rupees 15,67,754 remain to be made good by the stipulated instalments.

5. The demand for the year was fairly realized and collections amounted to Rupees 3,14,639.

6. Every endeavour is being made to close the settlement during the current year.

No. 185.

ORDER THEREON, 14th January 1870, No. 89.

Land Revenue.

THE report on the operations of the Escheat Settlement in 1868-69 above recorded shows that 1,938 acres of land were sold during the year for the gross sum of Rupees 1,68,418-11-1, and, deducting the sum of Rupees 29,125-6-4 on account of compensation for improvements, payments of tenants' liens, etc., the net value was Rupees 1,39,293-4-9 against Rupees 3,46,646-7-5, the similar proceeds for 1867-68. The extent of land sold in 1867-68 was Acres 2,946, and the large decrease in the net realizations is attributed to the difficult character of the cases remaining for disposal as the settlement draws to a close.

2. The *bona fide* demand of the year was Rupees 8,90,455-2-5, and the amount thereof actually collected was Rupees 3,10,833-1-5, or about 35 per cent. The total collection, inclusive of "collections in advance" and "interest," amounted to Rupees 3,14,639.

3. The Government hope that the work connected with the Settlement will be completed in the current year.

(True Extract.)

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

To the Board of Revenue.

Yad. F. R. Bantleman.

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Under date the 14th December 1869.

Read the following
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of Revenue.

Sub. Malabar Collectr
Report on operations of Escheat
Settlement during 1868/69. (H.C. 28th October/69 Rs. 8015)

The report on the
operations of the Escheat
Settlement in 1868/69 above
recorded shows that 1938
acres of land were sold
during the year for the
gross sum of Rs. 1,68,418-11-1,
and deducting the sum
of Rs. 29,125-6-1, on account
of

A/A

Colt. of 18703 Mins.

REVENUE.

To

THE BOARD OF REVENUE.

Dated January, 14th.

Recd.

For.

G. O., 14th January 1870, No. 80.

JANUARY.

Nos. 184-185.

Escheat Settlement in Malabar.—Report
of the Collector on its operations during 1868-69.
REVISED.

of compensation for im-
provements, payments
of tenants' liens &c., the
net value was Rs. 1,39,293-4-9
against Rs. 3,46,646-7-5, the
similar proceeds for 1867/68.
The extent of land sold in
1867/68 was acres 2946 and the
large decrease ^{in the net realizations} is attributed
to the difficult character of
the cases remaining for dis-
posal at the settlement
drawn to a close.

2 The bonafide demand
of the year was Rs. 890,455-2-5
and amount thereof actually
collected was Rs. 310,833-1-5
or about 35 per cent. The
Government do not concur
with the Board in considering
this

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this to be a ^{satisfactory} result. The total
collection inclusive of "collections
in advance", and "interest", ac-
mounted to Rs. 3,14,639. The
Board will instruct the Collectors
to realize the large outstanding
balance of more than 5 1/4 lakhs
~~as early as possible.~~

3 The Government
hope that the work
connected with the settle-
ment will be completed
in the current year.

11. To the Secy of Civil Dept. 17. Received Copy of the B. Board Dec. 16 Feb 70.

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G. H. B. S. L.