Proceedings of the Madras Government, Revenue Department, *10th July* 1871.

No. 100. Read the following letter from the Acting Secretary to the Board of Revenue, to the Acting Secretary to Government, Revenue Department, Fort Saint George, dated Madras, 21st June 1871, No. 2,493 :—

With reference to Government Order dated 14th February 1871, No. 281, I am directed to submit the accompanying memorandum on the ten forms proposed by the Government of India for exhibiting the results of the November Census.

2. The Board think Statements Nos. I. and IV. can be materially improved, and submit amended forms. They think two new statements will be required ; one to show the occupations, and the other the religions of the population divided (but not minutely) into castes and classes, but the exact form of these statements must be left to the Census officer.

3. The population generally fixed for the standard of a town in this Presidency is 5,000 as assumed in the forms.

No. 101. Order thereon, 10th July 1871, No. 1,187.

Miscellaneous.

The Proceedings of the Board and the tabular forms as drawn up by them are approved by Government with the following modifications :—

2. Statement I.—A column headed "Average population per square-mile" should be introduced between columns 13 and 14. The words "statistics relating to infirmity and disease" should be substituted for "incapacitated," (columns 14—17).

3. Statement III.—The remarks of the Board are also applicable to the column having reference to children of ages not exceeding 12 years.

4. Statement IV.—The Board have not provided for the entry of the data on which the returns of area and assessment were prepared—(*vide* G. O. dated 24th February 1870, No. 288, Revenue Department; also the Board's "Instructions" to the enumerators). Between columns 6 and 7 should be introduced four columns headed "Data of measurement" and sub-headed respectively "Survey," "Curnum's measurement," "Pymash measurement," and "Rough estimate."

5. Statements V. and VI. should extend to talooks.

6. In Statements VIII. and IX. the word "district" should be substituted for "division" and "talook" for "district."

7. In the opinion of Government there should be an eleventh statement having reference solely to Municipal towns, in which, it must be remembered, half the cost of the Census is borne by the Municipality. This statement should contain particulars of the population under the several heads of sex, race, ability or inability to read and write, caste and occupation. The Government are not as yet prepared to prescribe the divisions of caste which should be observed in tabulating the returns, and therefore the form cannot now be drawn up. The remarks of the Board in their concluding paragraph are approved ; it is particularly

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advisable that the relation between caste, religion, and occupation, should be exhibited in the returns.

8. Drafts of Statements I. and IV. revised in the respects noted above will be forwarded to the Government of India.

(True Extract.)

(Signed) D. F. CARMICHAEL,
Acting Secretary to Government.

To the Board of Revenue.
,, the Public Department.
,, the Military

REVENUE DEPARTMENT,
FORT SAINT GEORGE,
10*th July* 1871.

No. 102.

No. 1,188.

To

THE SECRETARY TO THE GOVERNMENT OF INDIA,
HOME DEPARTMENT.

Miscellaneous.

Procs. of Govt., 10th July 1871, Nos. 100, 101.

SIR,—Adverting to your letter dated 23rd January 1871, No. 434, I am directed to submit the marginally noted Proceedings of this Government, having reference to the forms to be employed for exhibiting the results of the impending general Census.

2. Amended forms of Statements I. and IV. are forwarded herewith. I am especially to call the attention of the Government of India to the remarks of this Government in paragraph 7 of their Order relative to the more elaborate tabulation of the Census Returns from Municipal towns, and also regarding the exhibition, as part of the result of the Census, of the connection between religion, caste, and occupation.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient servant.

(Signed) D. F. CARMICHAEL,
Acting Secretary to Government.

Exd. F. R. Banlteman.

No 102

No. 1.—General Statement of Area and Population in the districts of the Madras Presidency.

District.	Area in square-miles.	Number of Villages.	NUMBER OF HOUSES.				TOTAL POPULATION.			PERCENTAGE ON TOTAL POPULATION		Average number in a house.	STATISTICS, ETC.					HINDOOS.					
			Terraced.	Tiled.	Thatched.	Total.	Male.	Female.	Total.	Male.	Female.		Average population per square-mile.	Blind.	Deaf and dumb.	Insane and idiotic.	Lepers.	Male.	Female.	Total.	Percentage on the whole population.	Percentage on the Hindoo population of the Presidency.	Average number in a house.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24
Total...																							

MAHOMEDANS.						EUROPEANS, EURASIANS, ETC.						OTHERS.						Remarks
Male.	Female.	Total.	Percentage on the whole population.	Percentage on the Mahomedan population of the Presidency.	Average number in a house.	Male.	Female.	Total.	Percentage on the whole population.	Percentage on the European Eurasian, etc., population of the whole Presidency.	Average number in a house.	Male.	Female.	Total.	Percentage on the whole population.	Percentage on the remaining population of the whole Presidency.	Average number in a house.	
25	26	27	28	29	30	31	32	33	34	35	36	37	38	39	40	41	42	43

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No. IV.—General Statement of Population with reference to Land-revenue.

Districts.	Talooks.	Population.	Number of persons engaged as Agriculturists.	Area in square-miles.	Area in acres.	Data of measurement.				Area of Government Land.				Area of Inam land.	Area of estates paying Peishcush.	Demand on account of Land-revenue for Fusly 1279.	Average rate per acre on occupied Government Land.		Quit-rent on Inams.	Peishcush on estates.
										Assessed.		Unassessed.								
						Survey.	Curnum's measurement.	Pymash measurement.	Rough estimate.	Occupied.	Unoccupied.	Cultivable.	Unculitvable, including village-sites, roads, etc.				Wet.	Dry.		
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21
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No. 2,493.

From J. GROSE, Esq., Acting Secretary to the Board of Revenue,

To the Acting Secretary to Government, Revenue Department.

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3. The population generally fixed for the standard of a town in this Presidency is 5,000, as assumed in the forms.

Revenue Board Office,
Madras,
21st June 1871.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient Servant,
J. Grose
Acting Secretary.

To the Acting Secretary to Government, Revenue Department,
with a Memorandum and two amended forms of Statements Nos. I. and IV.

Exd J. Tulloch.

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Census—of Madras Presidency, to be taken in November 1871,—Memorandum on ten forms proposed by Government of India for exhibiting results of, submitted to Government, together with amended forms of Statements Nos. I. and IV.

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No. 100

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No 1.—*General Statement of Area and Populat*[illegible]*n in the Districts of the Madras Presidency.*

District.	Area in square miles.	Number of villages.	Number of Houses.				Total Population.			Percentage on Total Population.		Average number in a house.	Statistics .. Incapacitated.				Hindoos.						Mahomedans.						Europeans, Eurasians, etc.						Others.						Remarks.
			Terraced.	Tiled.	Thatched.	Total.	Male.	Female.	Total.	Male.	Female.		Blind.	Deaf and dumb.	Insane and idiotic.	Lepers.	Male.	Female.	Total.	Percentage on the whole population.	Percentage on the Hindoo population of the Presidency.	Average number in a house.	Male.	Female.	Total.	Percentage on the whole population.	Percentage on the Mahomedan population of the Presidency.	Average number in a house.	Male	Female	Total	Percentage on the whole population	Percentage on the European [illegible] population of the Presidency	Average number in a house	Male	Female	Total	Percentage on the whole population	Percentage on the [illegible] population of the Presidency	Average number in a house	
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	31	32	33	34	35	36	37	38	39	40	41	42
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No. IV.—*General Statement of Population with reference to Land Revenue.*

						Area of Government Land.							Average rate per Acre on occupied Government Land.			
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Districts.	Talooks.	Population.	Number of persons engaged as Agriculturists.	Area in square miles.	Area in acres.	Occupied.	Unoccupied.	Cultivable.	Uncultivable, including village sites, roads, etc.	Area of Inam land.	Area of estates paying Peishcush.	Demand on account of Land Revenue for Fusly 1279.	Wet.	Dry.	Quit-rent on inams.	Peishcush on estates.
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Under date the July 1871

Read the following letter
from the Ag. Secretary
~~Secy.~~ to the Board of Revenue

Submg. Memo. on ten forms proposed by Govt. of India for exhibiting results of Census of Madras Presidency, to be taken in Nov. /71, together with amended forms of Statements No. 1 and 11.

R.E. 21st June 1871, No. 2493.

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To
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Home Department

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10th July/71

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To

THE BOARD OF REVENUE,

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Dated July 10th.

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