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Comparative Statement of the Collections of Revenue in

Districts.	Land Revenue.							
	Current.				Arrears.			
	Last Fasli.	Current Fasli.	Increase.	Decrease.	Last Fasli.	Current Fasli.	Increase.	Decrease.
	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
1	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
1 Ganjam ...	738079	532571	"	205708	34154	83210	49056	"
2 Vizagapatam...	776470	738152	"	38318	56415	102074	45059	"
3 Godavery ...	2703500	2777647	74051	"	134659	229425	94766	"
4 Kistna ...	2476069	2263588	"	212481	79784	153289	73505	"
5 Nellore ...	949678	905753	"	43925	414912	518875	103963	"
6 Cuddapah ...	1320273	1088500	"	231773	102722	155910	53194	"
7 Bellary ...	152435	1015053	"	136782	19070	70608	20998	"
8 Kurnool ...	1140162	1079341	"	60821	12163	27139	14976	"
9 Chingleput...	427659	420372	"	7287	298564	410002	111438	"
10 Madras ...	19216	31445	12229	"	34589	39070	4481	"
11 North Arcot...	810275	980404	169129	"	1007281	800628	"	206653
12 South Arcot	1377814	1486211	108397	"	571002	484044	"	86958
13 Tanjore ...	1228635	1703981	"	475346	84501	109125	24624	"
14 Trichinopoly	1052500	975681	"	76819	164148	69056	"	95062
15 Madura ...	700966	623780	"	77186	468104	709297	241193	"
16 Tinnevely ...	1189694	1162347	"	27347	312967	411771	98804	"
17 Coimbatore...	1508991	1383347	"	125644	128894	161354	32460	"
18 Neilgherries	28485	28487	"	22	499	297	"	202
19 Salem ...	1339757	1236382	"	103375	225666	345884	120218	"
20 South Canara	784421	755565	"	28856	17971	33840	15869	"
21 Malabar ...	1352403	1244564	"	107839	37204	54014	16810	"
Superintendent of Stamps...	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"
Total...	24377548	23110571	364836	1631813	4235809	4968948	1122014	388875
Net Increase or Decrease...	"	"	"	1266977	"	"	733139	"

Remarks.

Land Revenue Current.

A. Increase due to punctual realization of the Current Revenue.

B. Increase owing to the favorable character of the season.

C. Decrease due to failure of crops.

D. The accounts for March 1872 were closed earlier than those for March 1871. In Coimbatore diminished cultivation was an additional cause for the decrease.

E. Decrease due to the non punctual payment of Rists by the cultivators in consequence of the fall in prices.

the several Districts of the Madras Presidency, up to the

31st of March

1872, Fasli 128/

Districts.	Land Revenue—(concluded.)				Abkarry.		Income Tax.		License Tax.		Sea Customs.		Land Customs.		Salt.		Court Fee Stamps.		Non-Judicial Stamps.		Grand Total.			
	Total.				Last Fasli.	Current Fasli.	Last Fasli.	Current Fasli.	Last Fasli.	Current Fasli.	Last Fasli.	Current Fasli.	Last Fasli.	Current Fasli.	Last Fasli.	Current Fasli.	Last Fasli.	Current Fasli.	Last Fasli.	Current Fasli.	Last Fasli.	Current Fasli.	Increase.	Decrease.
	Last Fasli.	Current Fasli.	Increase.	Decrease.																				
	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	31	32	33
	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
1 Ganjam	772233	815581		156652	62423	53616	44576	12242			49840	37515			105838	121960	43307	43364	19620	18957	201237	200033		12502
2 Vizagapatam	832885	810226	7341		130262	129824	95563	928431			42316	53125			268070	208808	65389	60217	33179	35344	146766	135575		11689
3 Godavery	283825	300702	16877		114061	124016	129485	143493			10647	60817	415	272	162236	142307	109071	122504	50943	53988	3781040	3871999	73959	
4 Kistna	255353	241687		138976	131157	120668	98222	93932	10		2939	1128			1044187	1008039	68091	73145	37970	37959	3938135	3694745		243689
5 Nellore	1364590	1421628	60038		78304	69230	88127	926061			4	17			808418	1037246	467117	53403	33972	36593	2480162	2617178	167016	
6 Cuddapah	1422995	1244416		178579	168235	153640	94953	936182	8								96625	83663	51567	51490	1833783	1609391		261392
7 Bellary	1502045	1686261		16784	526165	511992	140656	839702							6143	5865	85150	80387	49891	55052	2610050	2371259		238791
8 Kurnool	1152325	1106480		45845	270008	257811	45641	16725							958	1829	49101	41378	59214	34549	165727	1456772		180475
9 Chingleput	726223	830374	104151		94647	119657	25223	14972							2034474	1878140	35180	26390	21076	20859	2936823	2900392		36431
10 Madras	53805	70515	16710		86229	831701	338527	138871			16685	131771					59554	60673	46130	50369	2261509	2153358		51151
11 North Arcot	1317556	1781032		36524	208215	210675	73193	822368	1861	241							59554	60673	46130	50369	2261509	2153358		51151
12 South Arcot	1948816	1970288	21439		205390	210726	27654	14454			2998	55541	59524	85973	476262	533466	50848	65347	36398	37258	2832990	2973430	140010	
13 Tanjore	2013126	1893106		120030	374509	338391	218514	159795			371	365886	67105	60515	936749	1030062	231600	257822	121275	121875	4321159	4117452		183707
14 Trichinopoly	1216618	1044767		171881	106899	108013	15011	67415							52912	59642	25769	26062	1048631	1255327				192702
15 Madura	1160070	1333077	164007		104292	98819	100472	745377			1291	16976			477393	39392	164334	143388	82612	78630	2103464	2109459	6195	
16 Tinnevely	1302661	1574118	71657		112173	119401	76576	100606	16		8978	101409			657194	795163	146867	144152	86263	75767	2669708	2618916		151900
17 Coimbatore	1037885	1544701		93184	213045	208330	87577	813313									64698	67541	44538	41958	2027743	1875843		151900
18 Neilgherries	28984	26784		3200	66725	62787	10160	85286									2974	2871	3363	3027	116176	99755		16421
19 Salem	1565423	1582266	16843		213543	235988	49432	16435									65010	64852	37779	39047	1981187	1938588		42599
20 South Canara	802392	789405		12987	103743	103106	46315	13449			38171	48079			377019	197267	88481	192259	35349	35452	1511500	1569017	57517	
21 Malabar	1389607	1298578		91029	199150	193942	77743	33984			75415	135340	7315	2942	784336	811312	228118	238921	151470	145353	293884	2800572		33282
Superintendent of Stamps...																	89185	75960	80877	9482	170062	169112		620
Total...	23613357	28079579	630833	104671	1317175	1302373	1900520	672523	1901	241	205487	2187234	134359	149712	944602	9859150	1973597	2007993	1160336	1162754	19581334	18122595	123875	1762634
Net Increase or Decrease...				533838																				1158739

Land Revenue Current (contd.).

F. Decrease due to Salug & Village officials having been engaged in Lammabundi work.

G. Decrease due to diminished cultivation this Fasli. The fact that the Settlement was made later this year was also partly the cause in Trichinopoly.

H. Decrease partly due to stoppage in payment of the Lammabundi not having been completed.

I. Decrease resulted to the delay in the payment of Kists for the current Fasli under the new Settlement recently introduced.

J. Not explained.

Land Revenue Arrears.

K. Increase due to comparatively large arrears outstanding at the beginning of the current Fasli having been collected.

L. Increase due to the prompt collection of arrears from proprietary estates this year.

M. Decrease resulted to small arrears outstanding at the beginning of the current Fasli.

N. Decrease in consequence of the renters not having paid their instalments in full during the month.

O. Decrease due to loss resulting from the resale of the Malabar farm as also to irregular payment of Kists.

P. M. S.
Secretary.

Notes (Contd.)

- P. Decrease due to the nonpayment of the February risk for the entire countenance.
- Q. Decrease attributed to the reduced amount for which the Ramalotta Farm was resold, partly also to delay in the collection of risks in some Taluqs.
- R. Increase ascribed to large sales.
- S. Increase due to the more punctual payment of risk this year owing to the favorable return of the season.
- T. Decrease due to unpunctual payments.
- U. Decrease due to the nonpayment of the risk for the Diangalra & U. & P. Farms from January last.

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From The Secretary to the Board of Revenue,	To The Secretary to Government, Fort Saint George.
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Dated 1st May 1872.

Despatched 1st " "

Received 22nd " "

Comparative Statement of the Collections of
Revenue in the several Districts of the Madras
Presidency, up to the 31st of March
1872, in Fall 1871.

W. Cooper

6th May 1872

- m. Increase due to the development of the trade by the Great Southern & India Erode, Coimbatore & Salem.
- n. Decrease due to large purchases made by the Madras merchants at Lubeck whether they had taken cotton.
- o. Increase partly due to the facilities afforded to the traffic by the absence of heavy rain and partly to the large purchases made by Madras merchants.
- p. Increase due to a large demand for Home & Indian Consumption.
- q. Court Fee Stamps.
- r. Increase due to an increased litigation.
- s. Decrease owing to less sales.
- t. Not explained.
- u. Non Judicial Stamps.
- v. Decrease due to money dealings having decreased in consequence of depreciation in the value of lands.

General Comparative Abstract of the Collections in the various Items.

Items.	Last Fash.	Current Fash.	Inc.	Dec.
Land Revenue ...	Rs. 286,123.57	209,795.19	Rs. 76,328.38	Rs. 14,802
Abkary ...	43,171.75	4,302.37	38,869.38	127,927
Income Tax ...	1,900,670	6,255.23	1,894,414.77	1,806
License Tax ...	1,901	241	1,660	
Sea Customs ...	200,548.7	207,034	6,485.3	
Land Customs ...	134,359	149,702	15,343	
Salt ...	4,14,652	9,594.56	4,13,057.44	
Stamps (Court Fee and Non-Judicial) ...	3,13,933	3,70,947	57,014	
Total...	4,95,01,334	4,94,22,595	78,739	1,15,073.9
Collection to the end of March 1872.	4,01,04,227	4,02,76,479	1,721,252	
Do. in March 1871.	93,97,107	81,40,116	12,566,991	

Decrease due to the reduced amount for which the Ramalotta Farm was resold, partly also to delay in the collection of risks in some Taluqs.

Decrease due to unpunctual payments.

Decrease due to the nonpayment of the risk for the Diangalra & U. & P. Farms from January last.

Decrease due to large sales.

Decrease due to the more punctual payment of risk this year owing to the favorable return of the season.

Decrease due to unpunctual payments.

Decrease due to the nonpayment of the risk for the Diangalra & U. & P. Farms from January last.

Decrease due to large purchases made by the Madras merchants at Lubeck whether they had taken cotton.

Decrease due to a large demand for Home & Indian Consumption.

Decrease due to an increased litigation.

Decrease owing to less sales.

Not explained.

Non Judicial Stamps.

Decrease due to money dealings having decreased in consequence of depreciation in the value of lands.

c. Decrease partly due to the small quantity of salt imported from Goa this year and partly to the depression of trade.

d. Increase due to large exports of coconut oil to Europe & rice to Arabia, as also to imports of Sugar.

e. Increase due to an increase in the exportation of Rice goods, Indigo, Ground nut oil & unto, & in the importation of copper.

f. Increase stated to be due to the resort of bandy trades in larger numbers to the Pans than last year.

g. Decrease owing to less sales.

h. Increase due to large purchases made in former months in anticipation of certain channels being closed for traffic.

i. Decrease due partly to deficiency of Salt for sale at 2 stations and also to traders not having resorted to Chinnia Gungam as freely as last year.

j. Increase due to the diversion of the Krishna trade to some of the stations of this District.

k. Decrease due to the falling off in the sales at the Gundras Kotar in consequence of the large quantity in the heaps exposed for sale at that station.

l. Increase partly due to increase of demand and partly to the inferiority of the salt sold in the neighbouring pans of Chinnia Gungam.