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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.
1		2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
1	Ganjam ...	738079	532371	"	205708	34154	53210	49056	"
2	Vizagapatam...	770470	738152	"	32318	56415	102074	45659	"
3	Godavery ...	2703500	2777547	74081	"	134559	229425	94765	"
4	Kistna ...	2476069	2263588	"	212481	79784	133289	73505	"
5	Nellore ...	949678	905753	"	43925	414912	518875	103963	"
6	Cuddapah ...	1220273	1088500	"	131773	102722	153916	453194	"
7	Bellary ...	1752435	1615553	"	136782	19670	71608	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...	512275	980404	468129	"	1007281	866628	"	206553
12	South Arcot	1377814	1486211	108397	"	571002	484044	"	86958
13	Tanjore ...	1928635	1783981	"	144654	84501	109125	24624	"
14	Trichinopoly	1652500	975681	"	676819	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	25487	"	2998	499	297	"	202
19	Salem ...	1339757	1236382	"	103375	225666	345884	120218	"
20	South Canara	784421	755565	"	28856	17971	33840	15869	"
21	Malabar ...	1352403	1214564	"	137839	37204	54014	16810	"
	Superintendent of Stamps...	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"
	Total...	24377548	23110571	364836	1631813	4235809	4968948	1122014	388875
	Net Increase or Decrease...	"	"	"	1266977	"	"	733129	"

Remarks.

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 for March 1871. In Europe diminished cultivation was an additional cause for the decrease.

E. Decrease due to the non-punctual payment of rights by the ryots 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.)				Abkurry.		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	615581		156652	62423	53616	44576	12242			89840	37875			1050838	1219060	43307	43364	19620	78957	2012537	2000335		12502	
2 Vizagapatam	832883	840226	7341		130262	129824	95563	828431			42316	553125			268070	208808	65389	66217	33179	35344	146700	155975		11689	
3 Godavery	283823	307072	108847		114061	124016	129485	84393			106477	60847	415	272	1122361	442807	109071	122504	50943	53988	5781040	384999	73959		
4 Kistna	255353	241877		138976	131157	120668	98222	838932	16		2939	1128			1044187	1088039	68091	73145	37970	37959	398435	3084705	24368		
5 Nellore	1364590	1424628	60038		78304	69230	88127	826061			4	17			868418	1037246	46717	53403	33972	36593	2180162	244770	167018		
6 Cuddapah	1422995	1244416		178579	168235	153640	94953	836182	8								96025	83665	51517	51490	1833783	1508391		261372	
7 Bellary	1802045	1686261		115784	526165	51992	140656	839702																	
8 Kurnool	1152325	1106480		45845	273208	257811	45641	815725							6143	5865	85150	80387	49891	53052	2610050	257239		3779	
9 Chingleput	726223	830374	104151		94647	119657	25223	114972							958	1829	49101	41378	54214	34549	1537247	162777		15075	
10 Madras	53805	76515	16710		86229	831701	338527	135871			14685	1311771					141054	139834	71570	67893	266870	256858		10208	
11 North Arcot	1817558	1781032		36524	218215	220675	73193	822368	1861	241							59554	60673	48130	50369	220599	215558		51151	
12 South Arcot	1943816	1970283	21439		205390	210736	27654	14454			2998	55541	59524	85973	476262	533166	50848	6347	35398	37258	282990	277220	140010		
13 Tanjore	2013136	1893106		120030	374509	358391	218514	159795			3771	365886	67105	66515	936769	1030062	231600	257822	121275	121875	1321159	1447452		13707	
14 Trichinopoly	1216648	1044767		171881	108890	108023	15211	67215									52912	59622	25760	26062	144800	125587		177702	
15 Madurai	1100070	1333077	164207		104292	98819	100472	945377			1291	16976					477393	39392	754534	143358	82612	78650	2103164	210269	6195
16 Tinnevely	1502661	1574118	71457		112173	119401	76570	40006	16		8778	101409			477393	39392	754534	143358	82612	78650	2103164	210269	6195		
17 Coimbatore	1637885	1544701		93184	213045	208330	6577	15313							657194	793163	146867	144152	86263	75767	2609728	2889416	179168		
18 Nilgherries	28784	26784		3200	66725	62787	16160	85286									64698	67541	44538	41958	2027443	1878843		157900	
19 Salem	1565423	1582266	16843		213543	235988	49432	16435									2974	2871	3363	3027	116176	99758		16421	
20 South Canara	802392	789405		12987	103743	743106	46345	13449			5171	48079					65010	64852	37779	39047	1981187	1938358		42599	
21 Malabar	1389607	129578		91029	199150	193942	77743	53984			7445	135540	7315	2942	784536	811312	228118	238721	151970	145353	2973854	2860572		32282	
Superintendent of Stamps...																	89185	75960	80877	93482	170062	169442		620	
Total...	2861337	2807957	630833	106671	4317175	4332375	190520	672523	1901	241	365487	2187834	134359	149702	944602	965945	1735577	2007793	1162336	1162354	1958133	18122575	123875	1762634	
Net Increase or Decrease...				533838																				1158737	

Land Revenue Current (contd.)

1. Decrease due to Salug & Village officials having been engaged in Samudandi work.

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

3. Decrease partly due to slow payment of arrears, not having been completed.

4. Decrease due to the delay in the payment of kist for the current Fasli under the new settlement recently introduced.

5. Not explained.

Land Revenue Arrears.

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

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

3. Decrease due to slow payment of arrears at the beginning of the current Fasli.

4. Decrease in consequence of the kist not having been paid in full during the current.

5. Decrease due to loss resulting from the resale of the kist farm as also to irregular payment of kist.

J. P. M. Secretary.

Notes (Contd.)

- P. Decrease due to the non-payment of the February risk for the entire countenance.
- Q. Decrease attributed to the reduced amount for which the Ramakrishna Farm was sold, partly also to delay in the collection of risks in some Taluqs.
- R. Decrease attributed to large sales.
- S. Increase due to the more punctual payment of risk this year owing to the favorable outcome of the season.
- T. Decrease due to unpunctual payments.
- U. Increase due to the non-payment of the risk for the Bangalore & Udipi farms from some agents.

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Comparative Statement of the Collections of Revenue in the several Districts of the Madras Presidency, up to the 31st of March 1872, in Fasil 1281.

From The Secretary to the Board of Revenue,
To The Secretary to Government,
Fort Saint George.

Dated 1st May 1872.
Despatched 1st " "
Received 29 " "

No. 1536 A.

General Comparative Abstract of the Collections in the various Items.

Items	Last Fasil	Current Fasil	Inc.	Dec.
Land Revenue ...	286,13,357	280,99,519	5,13,838	
Alkary ...	43,77,735	43,02,375	75,360	
Income Tax ...	1,40,05,220	8,25,523	1,31,79,697	
License Tax ...	1,19,01	241	1,18,760	
Sea Customs ...	2,65,487	2,07,034	58,453	
Land Customs ...	1,34,339	1,49,702	15,363	
Salt ...	9,44,652	9,35,456	9,196	
Stamps (Court Fee and Non-Judicial) ...	3,63,935	3,79,947	16,012	
Total...	49,50,334	40,42,253	9,08,081	
Collection to the end of Fasil 1281	4,01,04,227	4,02,75,479	1,71,252	
Do. in, Current Fasil	93,97,107	8,46,116	85,50,991	
Total...	49,50,334	40,42,253	9,08,081	

Decrease due to the non-payment of the risk for the Bangalore & Udipi farms from some agents.

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- m. Increase due to the development of the trade by the Great Southern of India Railway between Erode, Coimbatore & Salem.
- n. Decrease due to large purchases made by the Madras merchants at Subic in whither 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 large demand for Home & India 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.

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 Lignon.

e. Increase due to an increase in the exportation of Piece goods, Indigo, Coconut oil & into, & in the importation of copper.

f. Increase stated to be due to the resumption of bandy trade 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 Churnia Gungam as freely as last year.

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

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

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