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PROCEEDINGS OF THE BOARD OF REVENUE, dated 2nd September 1873.

Read the following letter from H. E. SULLIVAN, Esq., Acting Collector of South Arcot, to J. GROSE, Esq., Secretary to the Board of Revenue, dated Cuddalore, 4th August 1873, No. 276:—

IN continuation of paragraph 3 of my letter, No. 204, dated 16th June last, recorded in Board's Proceedings, dated 16th July 1873, No. 4,428, I have the honour to forward, herewith, a Statement showing the Abkári collections from 1st July 1872 to 30th June 1873, from which it will be seen that the collections exceed Rupees 1,75,000 at the close of the Fasli 1282, as required in Government Order, No. 539, dated 2nd April 1872.

2. The total Abkári revenue from 1st July 1872 to 30th June 1873 amounted to Rupees 1,91,067-2-5, of which a sum of Rupees 1,79,947-8-3 was paid into the Treasury within the year, and the balance Rupees 11,119-10-2 has been paid subsequently.

ENCLOSURE No. 1.

Statement showing the collections of the Abkári revenue for Fasli 1282 *ending* 30*th June* 1873.

Months.	On account of Arrack.	On account of Toddy.	Total.
	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.
July 1872 ...	5,998 13 7	5,250 0 0	11,248 13 7
August ,, ...	11,770 7 10	5,250 0 0	17,020 7 10
September ,, ...	10,212 11 11	5,250 0 0	15,462 11 11
October ,, ...	6,540 4 9	5,250 0 0	11,790 4 9
November ,, ...	13,440 3 2	5,250 0 0	18,690 3 2
December ,, ...	4,446 9 2	5,250 0 0	9,696 0 2
January 1873 ...	12,211 7 7	5,250 0 0	17,461 7 7
February ,, ...	14,001 12 11	5,250 0 0	19,251 12 11
March ,, ...	7,700 13 9	5,250 0 0	12,950 13 9
April ,, ...	10,901 0 5	5,250 0 0	16,151 0 5
May ,, ...	11,663 10 10	5,250 0 0	16,913 10 10
June ,, ...	8,060 1 4	5,250 0 0	13,310 1 4
Total...	1,16,947 8 3	63,000 0 0	1,79,947 8 3

(Signed) H. E. SULLIVAN,
Acting Collector.

SUBMITTED for the information of Government.

2. The Collector will be good enough to furnish a full report on the general working of the system throughout the district and will state whether there is a reasonable prospect of the revenue improving in future years.

(True Copies and Extract.)

H Ettokes
Acting Secretary.

To the Acting Secretary to Government, Revenue Department.
,, the Acting Collector of South Arcot.

Exd. G. A. Turton.

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Abkári collections—in South Arcot District from 1st July 1872 to 30th June 1873.—Letter from Collector forwarding Statement showing —— submitted to Government. Collector to report fully on general working of Abkári system throughout district, and to state whether there is a reasonable prospect of revenue improving in future years.

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