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No. 33. Read the following Proceedings of the Board of Revenue, dated 22nd June 1875, No. 1,733 :—

Read the following letter from R. K. PUCKLE, Esq., Ag. Third Member, Board of Revenue, in charge of Settlement Department, to H. E. STOKES, Esq., Acting Secretary to the Board of Revenue, Madras, dated Chingleput, 3rd June 1875, No. 1,077E/30A.

I HAVE the honor to submit the scheme for the revision of the village establishments in a portion of the Chingleput District called for in Board's Proceedings, No. 703, dated 23rd March 1875.

2. I am unable to report on an entire taluq, as the revision of land assessment with which this following scheme is connected applies to only 69 villages; and I cannot speak authoritatively of the requirements of any villages that I have not personally inspected. For practical purposes, however, a scheme for 69 villages is as good as one for a larger number, for a taluq is but a conglomeration of villages thrown together for Magisterial and Revenue purposes, and many taluqs do not contain more villages than are here reported on.

3. It was ordered in the final paragraph of Government Proceedings, No. 707, dated 9th July 1873, that the village service cess should be expended on the payment of the establishment of the village in which it may be raised; and in paragraph 3 of Government Proceedings, No. 375, dated 23rd March 1874, it was added that the service cess might be supplemented in the case of the poorer villages from the general fund (resumed maniyams and ready-money allowances).

4. To carry out these orders, it was thought necessary in Tinnevely to club the smaller villages to raise funds sufficient to pay an establishment for each clubbed village; but, in Proceedings, No. 375, dated 23rd March 1874, the Government objected to this arrangement, and, in Proceedings, No. 696, dated 5th May 1875, with reference to the Nellore District, the Government called on the Board to state whether a scheme more in keeping with the actual conditions of the country cannot be devised for Nellore.

5. The 9 villages now reported on form the northern half of the old Sydapet Taluq, and lie between the Ennore Lake and the Kodambakam and Punamali Road. They have a present establishment of 46 Curnams, 55 Munsiffs, 28 Monegars, 11 Nottams, 88 Taliaries, and 56 Vettians, paid in lands and money Rs. 9,223 per annum, the equivalent of nearly one-seventh of the entire land assessment of these villages.

6. These service maniyam lands, enfranchised at five-eighths of their taram assessment, with the ready-money allowances now paid by Government, will yield

Rs. 8,021, and if to this be added a service cess of Rs. 4,385, at one Anna per rupee of assessment, there will be Rs. 12,406, or rather more than three Annas per rupee of assessment available to pay the establishments in these 69 villages.

7. It may not be necessary, however, to spend the whole of these available assets on a series of villages averaging less than 1,000 Rs. of revenue each; for it is hardly probable that the land maniyams and ready-money allowances will be found to exist throughout the district on the same liberal scale as in the villages under report, and the general fund will need husbanding if the village establishment everywhere is to be maintained, as I believe it can be maintained, from the service cess and the general fund without further cost to Government.

8. I have determined the number of Curnams required after a careful inspection of the ground and consideration of the circumstances of each village. The 40

These 40 vattams have 46 Curnams.

Curnams' vattams, as they now stand, can easily be reduced to 24, and no man will have too much to do; in fact, the demarcation, registry, and mapping of the ground, as made at settlement, the transfer of puttass, division of samudayam, and disposal of the long-standing mirasi question will lighten the Curnam's labors considerably, and the 24 Curnams proposed will have man for man less to do than the present establishment, and will be summoned away from their villages less frequently than at present.

9. I have lined out each Curnam's vattam in green, and have stamped it with a distinguishing number on the face of the accompanying map, and have shown the villages comprised in each vattam by name; the several establishments of Munsiffs, Monegars, Taliaries, and Vettiyan, that each of these villages seems to require, are shown in the enclosed tabular statement, and a full explanation of each case is given in the body of this report.

10. Though the establishment of Curnams proposed has been calculated on vattams or villages now specially clubbed for this purpose, the further establishment needed is calculated on the existing order of things, i.e., on the village unit for the Monegars, Taliaries, and Vettiyan, and for the Munsiffs also, except in the few instances in which the ancient custom of the country has amalgamated two or more villages to form one Munsiff's charge.

11. It is proposed to retain 51 of the 55 Munsiffs now holding office. Two are unavoidably parted with in villages that have each more than one Munsiff, and in two other villages (Vilakupatti and Jambuli) the total assets available will not pay a separate Munsiff. The former village, moreover, is uninhabited, and the latter has only a few dry fields.

12. The Act provides for Monegars as well as Munsiffs where needed, and in 13 large villages where one man cannot perform the onerous duties required, I have provided a Monegar to relieve the Munsiff of part at all events of the work of collecting the revenue, and to ensure the presence of an officer in the village during the frequent absence of the Munsiff at the courts and cutcherries. I think it very essential that wherever funds admit there should be a second officer, the more especially as there are now 28 Monegars in these villages, 15 of whom must be dismissed by this revision.

13. To frame a scale of rates for the remuneration of village-officers, I have taken the only village (Madavaram) that can just about pay a full establishment what might be adopted as maxima rates from its service cess alone, thus:—

		RS.	A.	P.
1 Curnam	...	at	8	0 0
1 Munsiff	...	at	6	0 0
1 Monegar	...	at	4	0 0
2 Taliaries	...	at	3	0 0 each.
2 Vettiyan	...	at	3	0 0 "

Total annual cost of proposed village establishment	...	...	360	0 0
Assets of service cess	...	...	357	12 0

and accepting this as a standard, I have apportioned the pay of establishment in each smaller village with reference to its aggregate assets (including service cess, resumed maniyams, and ready-money allowances), so that each village may be self-supporting, and yet, in some cases, leave a small surplus from resumed maniyams and ready-money allowances to credit to the general fund.

14. Kativakam (area 1,178 acres, population 2,040, revenue Rs. 502) has a Curnam, a Munsiff, a Monegar, two Taliaries, and a Vettiyan at present. A Curnam, a Munsiff, and a Taliary are all that this village can afford, as the cess is but Rs. 31 and the resumed maniyams and ready-money allowances Rs. 45; total assets Rs. 76. Calculating the ratable pay of these men with reference to the standard of Madavaram, the Curnam (No. 1 in the accompanying Map) should receive Rs. 3, the Munsiff Rs. 2, and the Taliary Rs. 1-4-0 per mensem; total Rs. 75 per annum. This village cannot afford a Vettiyan.

15. Tiruvottiyur (area 1,656 acres, population 4,283, revenue Rs. 2,061) has a half share in a Curnam, one Munsiff, one Monegar, two Taliaries, and one Vettiyan at present. The cess is Rs. 128-12-0 and the resumed maniyams and ready-money allowances Rs. 155-5-0; total Rs. 284-1-0.

The half share in a Curnam should receive Rs. 4, the Munsiff Rs. 6, a Monegar Rs. 4, a Taliary Rs. 3, and two Vettiyan Rs. 3 each per mensem; total Rs. 276 per annum.

16. Satankadu (area 2,043 acres, population 2,134, revenue Rs. 2,531) has a half share in a Curnam, a Munsiff, a Monegar, two Taliaries, and a Vettiyan at present. The cess amounts to Rs. 158-4-0 and resumed maniyams and ready-money allowances Rs. 134-7-0; total Rs. 292-11-0. An establishment as above, costing Rs. 276 per annum, will suit the requirements of this village also.

17. Sadayankuppam (area 1,656 acres, population 180, revenue Rs. 1,520) has a Curnam, a Munsiff, a Taliary, and a Vettiyan at present. A half share in a Curnam, a Munsiff, a Taliary, and a Vettiyan are all that this village can afford, as the cess is but Rs. 95, and resumed maniyams and ready-money allowances Rs. 71; total Rs. 166. The half share in a Curnam should receive Rs. 3, the Munsiff Rs. 5-8-0, the Taliary Rs. 2-8-0, and the Vettiyan Rs. 2-8-0 per mensem; total Rs. 162 per annum.

18. Kadapakam (area 769 acres, population 365, revenue Rs. 1,608) has a Curnam, a Munsiff, two Taliaries, and a Vettiyan at present. This village, however, needs but a half share in a Curnam, a Munsiff, a Taliary, and a Vettiyan. The assets are considerable: cess Rs. 100-8-0 and resumed maniyams and ready-money allowances Rs. 207-1-0; total Rs. 307-9-0. The half share in a Curnam should receive Rs. 5, the Munsiff Rs. 6, two Taliaries Rs. 3 each, and the Vettiyan Rs. 3 per mensem; total Rs. 240 per annum.

19. Kosapur (area 590 acres, population 244, revenue Rs. 692) has a Curnam, a half share in a Munsiff, two Taliaries, and a Vettiyan at present. This village, however, needs but one-third share of a Curnam, a half share in a Munsiff, a Taliary, and a Vettiyan. The cess is but Rs. 43-4-0 and resumed maniyams and ready-money allowances Rs. 89-9-0; total Rs. 132-13-0. The one-third share in a Curnam should receive Rs. 3, the half share in a Munsiff Rs. 3, a Taliary Rs. 2-8-0, and a Vettiyan Rs. 2-8-0 per mensem; total Rs. 132 per annum.

20. Manjambakam (area 221 acres, population 206, revenue Rs. 435) has a Curnam, a half share in a Munsiff, no Taliary, and no Vettiyan at present. This village, however, needs a third share in a Curnam, a half share in a Munsiff, a Taliary and a Vettiyan. The cess is but Rs. 27-3-0, and resumed maniyams and ready-money allowances Rs. 63-12-0; total Rs. 90-15-0. The one-third share in a Curnam should receive Rs. 2, the half share in a Munsiff Rs. 2-8-0, the Taliary Rs. 1-8-0, and the Vettiyan Rs. 1-8-0 per mensem; total Rs. 90 per annum.

21. Mattur (area 793 acres, population 436, revenue Rs. 948) has a one-third share in a Curnam, a Munsiff, and a Vettiyan at present. This village, however, needs a one-third share in a Curnam, a Munsiff, a Taliary, and a Vettiyan. The cess is Rs. 59-4-0 and resumed maniyams and ready-money allowances Rs. 124; total Rs. 183-4-0. The one-third share in a Curnam should receive Rs. 3, the Munsiff Rs. 6, the Taliary Rs. 3, and the Vettiyan Rs. 3 per mensem; total Rs. 180 per annum.

22. Sirugavur (area 317 acres, population 74, revenue Rs. 604) has a one-third share in a Curnam, a one-third share in a Munsiff, a one-third share in two Monegars, a one-fifth share in two Vettiyan, at present. The cess is Rs. 37-12-0 and resumed maniyams and ready-money allowances Rs. 68-3-0; total Rs. 105-15-0.

The one-third share in a Curnam should receive Rs. 1-4-0, one-third share in a Munsiff Rs. 1-4-0, a Taliary Rs. 3, and a Vettiyan Rs. 3 per mensem; total Rs. 102 per annum.

23. Velankadupakam (area 1,373 acres, population 1,326, revenue Rs. 3,322)—the present establishment is similar to that of Sirugavur. The cess is Rs. 207-10-0 and resumed maniyams and ready-money allowances Rs. 331-12-0; total Rs. 539-6-0. The one-third share of a Curnam should receive Rs. 5-12-0, the one-third share of a Munsiff Rs. 3-12-0, a Monegar Rs. 4, two Taliaries Rs. 3 each, and two Vettiyan Rs. 3 each per mensem; total Rs. 306 per annum.

24. Payasambakam (area 165 acres, population 5, revenue Rs. 510)—the present establishment is similar to that of Sirugavur and Velankadupakam. The cess is Rs. 31-14-0 and the resumed maniyams and ready-money allowances Rs. 66-6-0; total Rs. 98-4-0. The one-third share of a Curnam should receive Re. 1, the one-third share of a Munsiff Re. 1, a Taliary Rs. 3, and a Vettiyan Rs. 3 per mensem; total Rs. 96 per annum.

25. Palavayal (area 215 acres, population 43, revenue Rs. 367) has a half share in a Curnam, a half share in a Munsiff, a Monegar, a one-fifth share in two Taliaries, and a half share in a Vettiyan at present. The cess is Rs. 22-15-0 and resumed maniyams and ready-money allowances Rs. 64-1-0; total Rs. 87. A one-fifth share in a Curnam should receive Re. 1, a half share in a Munsiff Rs. 2, a Taliary Rs. 2, and a Vettiyan Rs. 2 per mensem; total Rs. 84 per annum.

26. Tirtagiriyanpattu (area 178 acres, population 309, revenue Rs. 270) has a half share in a Curnam, a half share in a Munsiff, a one-fifth share in two Taliaries, and a half share in a Vettiyan at present. The cess is Rs. 16-14-0 and the resumed maniyams and ready-money allowances Rs. 25-9-0; total Rs. 42-7-0. A one-fifth share in a Curnam should receive 8 Annas, a half share in the Munsiff Re. 1, and a Taliary Rs. 2 per mensem; total Rs. 42 per annum. This village cannot afford a Vettiyan.

27. Layan (area 507 acres, population 105, revenue Rs. 1,535) has a Curnam, a half share in a Munsiff, a one-sixth share in three Taliaries, and a one-eleventh share in three Vettiyan at present. The cess is Rs. 95-15-0 and resumed maniyams and ready-money allowances Rs. 147-8-0; total Rs. 243-7-0. One-fifth of a Curnam should receive Rs. 4, one-third of a Munsiff Rs. 4, two Taliaries Rs. 3 each, and a Vettiyan Rs. 3 per mensem; total Rs. 204 per annum.

28. Attipakam (area 175 acres, population 176, revenue Rs. 478) has a one-tenth share in four Curnams, a one-fourth share in a Munsiff, a one-sixth share in three Taliaries, and a one-eleventh share in three Vettiyan at present. The cess is Rs. 29-14-0 and resumed maniyams and ready-money allowances Rs. 48-4-0; total Rs. 78-2-0. A one-fifth share in a Curnam should receive 8 Annas, a one-third share in a Munsiff Re. 1, a Taliary Rs. 2-8-0, and a Vettiyan Rs. 2-8-0 per mensem; total Rs. 78 per annum.

29. Alinjipakam (area 133 acres, population 864, revenue Rs. 584) has a one-tenth share in four Curnams, a Munsiff, a one-sixth share in three Taliaries, and a one-eleventh share in three Vettiyan at present. The cess is Rs. 36-8-0, and

resumed maniyams and ready-money allowances Rs. 86-2-0; total Rs. 122-10-0. A one-fifth share in a Curnam should receive Rs. 2, a one-third share in a Munsiff Rs. 1, a Taliary Rs. 3, and a Vettiyan Rs. 3 per mensem; total Rs. 108 per annum.

30. Narivarikuppam (area 411 acres, population 250, revenue Rs. 797) has a one-tenth share in four Curnams, a one-fourth share in a Munsiff, a one-sixth share in three Taliaries, and a one-eleventh share in three Vettiyan at present. The cess is Rs. 4-15-0, and resumed maniyams and ready-money allowances Rs. 12-3-0; total Rs. 17-2-0. A one-fifth share in a Curnam should receive 4 Annas, a one-third share in a Munsiff 4 Annas, and a Taliary Rs. 1 per mensem; total Rs. 18 per annum. The balance of 14 Annas to be paid from the general fund. This village cannot afford a Vettiyan.

31. Tandalkeni (area 197 acres, population 751, revenue Rs. 737) has a one-tenth share in four Curnams, a half share in a Munsiff, a one-sixth share in three Taliaries, and a one-eleventh share in three Vettiyan at present. The cess is Rs. 46-1-0 and resumed maniyams and ready-money allowances Rs. 75-14-0; total Rs. 121-15-0. A one-fifth share in a Curnam should receive Rs. 2-12-0, a one-third share in a Munsiff Rs. 4-4-0, and a Taliary Rs. 3 per mensem; total Rs. 120 per annum. No Vettiyan is needed, as the village is almost entirely held by one puttadar.

32. Vadakarai (area 121 acres, population 675, revenue Rs. 299) has a one-tenth share in four Curnams, a Munsiff, a one-sixth share in three Taliaries, and a one eleventh share in three Vettiyan at present. The cess is Rs. 18-11-0 and resumed maniyams and ready-money allowances Rs. 31-7-0; total Rs. 50-2-0. A one-fifth share in a Curnam should receive 8 Annas, a one-third share in a Munsiff 8 Annas, and a Taliary Rs. 3 per mensem; total Rs. 48 per annum. This village cannot afford a Vettiyan.

33. Settitedu (area 143 acres, population 20, revenue Rs. 196) has an establishment as above at present. The cess is Rs. 12-4-0 and resumed maniyams and ready-money allowances Rs. 31-14-0; total Rs. 44-2-0. A one-fifth share in a Curnam should receive 8 Annas, a half; share in a Munsiff 8 Annas, and a Taliary Rs. 2-8-0 per mensem; total Rs. 42 per annum. This village cannot afford a Vettiyan.

34. Vadapurambakam (area 431 acres, population 370, revenue Rs. 1,253) has a one-tenth share in four Curnams, a Munsiff, a one-fifth share in two Taliaries, and a one-eleventh share in three Vettiyan. The cess is Rs. 78-5-0 and the resumed maniyams and ready-money allowances Rs. 141-12-0; total Rs. 220-1-0. A one-fifth share of a Curnam should receive Rs. 3-8-0, a half share in a Munsiff Rs. 4, a Monegar Rs. 3, a Taliary Rs. 2-8-0, and two Vettiyan Rs. 2-8-0 each per mensem; total Rs. 216 per annum.

35. Polal (area 4,091 acres, population 1,500, revenue Rs. 4,284) has a one-tenth share in four Curnams, a one-fourth share in a Munsiff, a one-fifth share in two Taliaries, and one-eleventh share in three Vettiyan. The cess is Rs. 267-12-0 and resumed maniyams and ready-money allowances Rs. 452-1-0; total Rs. 719-13-0. This village (No. 8 in the Map) can well afford a full establishment of its own at maxima rates, viz:—

	Rs.
1 Curnam... ..	at 8 per mensem.
1 Munsiff... ..	6 "
1 Monegar... ..	4 "
2 Taliaries... ..	3 each "
2 Vettiyan... ..	3 "

Total .. 360 per annum.

36. Kattirivedu (area 392 acres, population 63, revenue Rs. 386) has a Curnam, a Munsiff, a Taliary, and a Vettiyan at present. The cess is Rs. 24-2-0 and resumed maniyams and ready-money allowances Rs. 62-5-0; total Rs. 86-7-0. A one-third share in a Curnam should receive Rs. 2, a Munsiff Rs. 3, and a Taliary Rs. 2 per mensem; total Rs. 84 per annum.

37. Surapat (area 1,108 acres, population 573, revenue Rs. 1,144) has a one-tenth share in four Curnams, a Munsiff, a one-fifth share in two Taliaries, and a one-eleventh share in three Vettiyan at present. The cess is Rs. 71-8-0 and resumed maniyams and ready-money allowances Rs. 80-11-0; total Rs. 152-3-0. A one-third share in a Curnam should receive Rs. 4, a half share in a Munsiff Rs. 2-8-0, a Taliary Rs. 3, and a Vettiyan Rs. 3 per mensem; total Rs. 150 per annum.

38. Errankupam, area 254 acres, population 52, revenue Rs. 5. The cultivated lands are mostly sunk in the Red Hill Tank, but the village still remains; it has a one-tenth share in four Curnams, a one-fourth share in a Munsiff, a one-fifth share in two Taliaries, and a one-eleventh share in three Vettiyan at present. The cess is 5 Annas and resumed maniyams and ready-money allowances Rs. 6-10-0; total Rs. 6-15-0. A one-third share in a Curnam should receive 8 Annas, a half share in a Munsiff 8 Annas, and a Taliary Rs. 1 per mensem; total Rs. 24 per annum; Rs. 17 to be paid from the general fund. This village cannot afford a Vettiyan.

39. Pammadukulam (area 2,456 acres, population 899, revenue Rs. 1,091) has a Curnam, a Munsiff, two Monegars, three Taliaries, and a Vettiyan at present. The cess is Rs. 68-3-0 and resumed maniyams and ready-money allowances Rs. 164-7-0; total Rs. 232-10-0. A Curnam (No. 10 in the Map) should receive Rs. 7, a Munsiff Rs. 6, a Taliary Rs. 3, and a Vettiyan Rs. 3 per mensem; total Rs. 228 per annum.

40. Madavaram (area 4,693 acres, population 2,883, revenue Rs. 5,724) has two Curnams, a Munsiff, two Monegars, a half share in six Taliaries, and a one-third share in two Vettiyan at present. The cess is Rs. 357-12-0 and the resumed maniyams and ready-money allowances Rs. 641-6-0; total Rs. 999-2-0. This is the

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village (No. 11 in the Map) taken as the standard, and it should have a full establishment paid at the maxima rates, viz:—

	Rs.
1 Curnam	at 8 per mensem.
1 Munsiff	„ 6 „
1 Monegar	„ 4 „
2 Taliaries	„ 3 each „
2 Vettiyan	„ 3 „
Total	360 per annum.

41. Velukupatti (area 36 acres, population none, revenue Rs. 101) has a one-third share in a Curnam, a Munsiff, a half share in six Taliaries, and one-third share in two Vettiyan. The cess is Rs. 6-6-0 and the resumed maniyams and ready-money allowances Rs. 16-7-0; total Rs. 22-13-0. No separate establishment is proposed for this uninhabited village, as the cultivators live in Madavaram.

42. Selavayal (area 397 acres, population 158, revenue Rs. 652) has a Curnam, a Munsiff, a Taliary, and a one-third share in a Vettiyan at present. The cess is Rs. 40-12-0 and resumed maniyams and ready-money allowances Rs. 86-12-0; total Rs. 127-8-0. A quarter share in a Curnam should receive Re. 1, a Munsiff Rs. 3-8-0, a Taliary Rs. 3, and a Vettiyan Rs. 3 per mensem; total Rs. 126 per annum.

43. Kodingiyur (area 1,159 acres, population 1,179, revenue Rs. 1,825) has two Curnams, a Munsiff, a Monegar, two Taliaries, and a one-third share in a Vettiyan at present. The cess is Rs. 114 and resumed maniyams and ready-money allowances Rs. 221-2-0; total Rs. 335-2-0. A one-fourth Curnam should receive Rs. 5, a half share in a Munsiff Rs. 5-8-0, a Monegar Rs. 4, a Taliary Rs. 3, and two Vettiyan Rs. 3 each per mensem; total Rs. 282 per annum.

44. Jambuli (area 102 acres, population 77, revenue Rs. 129) has a one-third share in a Curnam, a Munsiff, a Taliary, and a one-third share in two Vettiyan at present. The cess is Rs. 8-1-0, and the resumed maniyams and ready-money allowances Rs. 15-14-0; total Rs. 23-15-0. A quarter share in a Curnam should receive 8 Annas, a half share in a Munsiff 8 Annas, and a Taliary Re. 1 per mensem; total Rs. 24 per annum; the balance of 1 Anna to be paid from the general fund.

45. Erukanjeri (area 268 acres, population 595, revenue Rs. 383) has a Curnam, a Munsiff, a Taliary, and one-third share in a Vettiyan. The cess is Rs. 23-15-0 and resumed maniyams and ready-money allowances Rs. 42-3-0; total Rs. 66-2-0. A one-fourth share in a Curnam should receive Re. 1, a Munsiff Rs. 2-8-0, and a Taliary Rs. 2 per mensem; total Rs. 66 per annum. This village cannot afford a Vettiyan.

46. Peruvalur (area 551 acres, population 1,267, revenue Rs. 824) has a one-fourth share in a Curnam, a Munsiff, a Monegar, a Taliary, and a Vettiyan at present. The cess is Rs. 51-8-0 and the resumed maniyams and ready-money allowances Rs. 137-4-0; total Rs. 188-12-0. A one-fourth share in a Curnam should receive Rs. 4-8-0, a Munsiff Rs. 5, a Taliary Rs. 3, and a Vettiyan Rs. 3 per mensem; total Rs. 186 per annum.

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47. Sembiyam (area 449 acres, population 1,633, revenue Rs. 439) has a one-fourth share in a Curnam, a half share in a Munsiff, a half share in a Taliary, and a half share in a Vettiyan at present. The cess is Rs. 27-7-0 and resumed maniyams and ready-money allowances Rs. 13-12-0; total Rs. 41-3-0. A one-fourth share of a Curnam should receive 8 Annas, a half share of a Munsiff Rs. 2, and a Taliary Re. 1 per mensem; total Rs. 42 per annum; the balance of 13 Annas to be paid from the general fund.

48. Seruvalur (area 231 acres, population 1,413, revenue Rs. 151) has an establishment as above. The cess is Rs. 9-7-0 and resumed maniyams and ready-money allowances Rs. 15-13-0; total Rs. 25-4-0. A one-fourth share of a Curnam should receive 8 Annas, a half share in a Munsiff 8 Annas, and a Taliary Re. 1 per mensem; total Rs. 24 per annum.

49. Sinna Sembrambakam (area 160 acres, population 558, revenue Rs. 175) has a one-fourth share in a Curnam, a Munsiff, a Taliary, and a Vettiyan. The cess is Rs. 10-15-0 and resumed maniyams and ready-money allowances Rs. 16-1-0; total Rs. 27. A one-fourth share in a Curnam should receive 8 Annas, a Munsiff Rs. 2, and a Taliary Re. 1 per mensem; total Rs. 42 per annum; the balance Rs. 15 to be paid from the general fund.

50. Konnur (area 616 acres, population 717, revenue Rs. 1,399) has a Curnam, a Munsiff, a Monegar, three Taliaries, and a one-third share in two Vettiyan. The cess is Rs. 87-7-0, and the resumed maniyams and ready-money allowances are Rs. 162-5-0; total Rs. 249-12-0. A one-third share in a Curnam should receive Rs. 5, a Munsiff Rs. 6, a Taliary Rs. 3, and a Vettiyan Rs. 3 per mensem; total Rs. 204 per annum.

51. Villivakam (area 689 acres, population 436, revenue Rs. 850) has a half share in a Curnam, a half share in a Munsiff, two Taliaries, and a one-third share in two Vettiyan at present. The cess is Rs. 53-2-0 and the resumed maniyams and ready-money allowances Rs. 108-11-0; total Rs. 161-13-0.

A one-third share in a Curnam should receive Rs. 2, a half share in a Munsiff Rs. 5, Taliary Rs. 3, and a Vettiyan Rs. 3 per mensem; total Rs. 156 per annum.

52. Mullam (area 272 acres, population 24, revenue Rs. 308) has a half share in a Curnam, a half share in a Munsiff, a Taliary, and a one-third share in two Vettiyan at present. The cess is Rs. 19-4-0 and resumed maniyams and ready-money allowances Rs. 26-9-0; total Rs. 45-13-0.

A one-third share in a Curnam should receive Re. 1, a half share in a Munsiff Re. 1, and a Taliary Rs. 1-12-0 per mensem; total Rs. 45 per annum.

53. Korattur (area 2,930 acres, population 1,969, revenue Rs. 4,169) has two Curnams, a Munsiff, a Monegar, five Taliaries, and four Vettiyan at present. The cess is Rs. 260-9-0 and resumed maniyams and ready-money allowances Rs. 802-11-0;

total Rs. 1,063-4-0. This village (No. 15 in the Map) can afford a full establishment of its own at the maxima rates, viz.:—

	RS.
1 Curnam	at 8 per mensem.
1 Munsiff	" 6 "
1 Monegar	" 4 "
2 Taliaries	" 3 each "
2 Vettiyan	" 3 "

Total... 630 per annum.

54. Menambedu (area 328 acres, population 139, revenue Rs. 432) has a half share in a Curnam, a Munsiff, a Monegar, a Taliary, and a Vettiyan at present. The cess is Rs. 27 and the resumed maniyams and ready-money allowances Rs. 56-15-0; total Rs. 83-15-0. A one-third share in a Curnam should receive Re. 1, a Munsiff Rs. 3, a Taliary Rs. 1-8-0, and a Vettiyan Rs. 1-8-0 per mensem; total Rs. 84 per annum; the balance of 1 Anna to be paid from the general fund.

55. Patravakam (area 338 acres, population 349, revenue Rs. 817) has a half share in a Curnam, a Munsiff, two Taliaries, and a Vettiyan at present. The cess is Rs. 51 and resumed maniyams and ready-money allowances Rs. 109-14-0; total Rs. 160-14-0.

A one-third share in a Curnam should receive Rs. 3, a Munsiff Rs. 4, a Taliary Rs. 3, and a Vettiyan Rs. 3 per mensem; total Rs. 156 per annum.

56. Ambattur (area 1,917 acres, population 722, revenue Rs. 2,316) has a Curnam, a Munsiff, a Monegar, two Taliaries, and a Vettiyan at present. The cess is Rs. 144-12-0 and the resumed maniyams and ready-money allowances Rs. 82-13-0; total Rs. 227-9-0. A one-third share in a Curnam should receive Rs. 4, a Munsiff Rs. 5, a Monegar Rs. 4, a Taliary Rs. 2, and two Vettiyan Rs. 2 each per mensem; total Rs. 228 per annum, the balance of 7 Annas to be paid from the general fund.

57. Mannur (area 356 acres, population 200, revenue Rs. 557) has a Curnam, a Munsiff, a Taliary, and a Vettiyan at present. The cess is Rs. 34-13-0 and resumed maniyams and ready-money allowances Rs. 65-6-0; total Rs. 100-3-0.

A quarter share in a Curnam should receive Re. 1, a Munsiff Rs. 3, a Taliary Rs. 2, and a Vettiyan Rs. 2 per mensem; total Rs. 96 per annum.

58. Attipattu (area 677 acres, population 378, revenue Rs. 1,141) has a Curnam, a Munsiff, a Monegar, two Taliaries, and a Vettiyan at present. The cess is Rs. 71-5-0 and resumed maniyams and ready-money allowances Rs. 72-1-0; total Rs. 143-6-0.

A quarter share in a Curnam should receive Rs. 1-8-0, a Munsiff Rs. 5, a Taliary Rs. 2-8-0, and a Vettiyan Rs. 2-8-0 per mensem; total Rs. 138 per annum.

59. Nolambur (area 631 acres, population 412, revenue Rs. 1,400) has a half share in a Curnam, a Munsiff, a Monegar, two Taliaries, and a Vettiyan at present. The cess is Rs. 87-8-0, and resumed maniyams and ready-money allowances Rs. 179-13-0; total Rs. 267-15-0.

A quarter share in a Curnam should receive Rs. 5, a Munsiff Rs. 6, a Taliary Rs. 3, and a Vettiyan Rs. 3 per mensem; total Rs. 204 per annum.

60. Adaiyalampattu (area 283 acres, population 97, revenue Rs. 346) has a half share in a Curnam, a Munsiff, a Taliary, and a Vettiyan. The cess is Rs. 21-10-0 and resumed maniyams and ready-money allowances Rs. 34-9-0; total Rs. 56-3-0. A quarter share in a Curnam should receive 8 Annas, a Munsiff Rs. 2-8-0, and a Taliary Rs. 1-8-0 per mensem; total Rs. 54 per annum. This village cannot afford a Vettiyan.

61. Perumalagaram (area 147 acres, population 142, revenue Rs. 313) has a half share in a Curnam, a Munsiff, a half share in three Taliaries, and a Vettiyan. The cess is Rs. 19-9-0 and resumed maniyams and ready-money allowances Rs. 32-1-0; total Rs. 51-10-0. A one-third share in a Curnam should receive 8 Annas, a Munsiff Rs. 2, and a Taliary Rs. 1-12-0 per mensem; total Rs. 51 per annum.

62. Ayanambakam (area 1,376 acres, population 1,189, revenue Rs. 2,669) has a half share in a Curnam, a Munsiff, a Monegar, a half share in three Taliaries, and three Vettiyan. The cess is Rs. 166-14-0 and resumed maniyams and ready-money allowances Rs. 430-7-0; total Rs. 597-7-0. A one-third share in a Curnam should receive Rs. 6-8-0, a Munsiff Rs. 6, a Monegar Rs. 4, two Taliaries Rs. 3 each, and two Vettiyan Rs. 3 each per mensem; total Rs. 342 per annum.

63. Koladi (area 687 acres, population 676, revenue Rs. 668) has a Curnam, a Munsiff, two Taliaries, and a Vettiyan. The cess is Rs. 41-12-0 and resumed maniyams and ready-money allowances Rs. 76-13-0; total Rs. 118-9-0. A one-third share of a Curnam should receive Re. 1, a Munsiff Rs. 4-8-0, a Taliary Rs. 2, and a Vettiyan Rs. 2 per mensem; total Rs. 114 per annum.

64. Mugaper (area 1,111 acres, population 898, revenue Rs. 2,290) has a half share in a Curnam, a Munsiff, a Monegar, four Taliaries, and one Vettiyan at present. The cess is Rs. 143-2-0 and resumed maniyams and ready-money allowances Rs. 177-3-0; total Rs. 320-5-0. A half share in a Curnam should receive Rs. 5, a Munsiff Rs. 6, a Monegar Rs. 4, a Taliary Rs. 3, and two Vettiyan Rs. 3 each per mensem; total Rs. 288 per annum.

65. Padi (area 763 acres, population 574, revenue Rs. 960) has a Curnam, a Munsiff, a Monegar, two Taliaries, and one Vettiyan at present. The cess is Rs. 60 and resumed maniyams and ready-money allowances Rs. 122-14-0; total Rs. 182-14-0. A half share in a Curnam should receive Rs. 3, a Munsiff Rs. 6, a Taliary Rs. 3, and a Vettiyan Rs. 3 per mensem; total Rs. 180 per annum.

66. Nadavakarai (area 324 acres, population 346, revenue Rs. 347) has a half share in Curnam, a one-third share in a Munsiff, a Taliary, and a Vettiyan at present. The cess is Rs. 21-11-0 and resumed maniyams and ready-money allowances Rs. 26-14-0; total Rs. 48-9-0. A one-fifth share in a Curnam should receive Re. 1, a one-third share in a Munsiff Re. 1, and a Taliary Rs. 2 per mensem; total Rs. 48 per annum.

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67. Arumbakam (area 475 acres, population 401, revenue Rs. 753) has a half share in a Curnam, a one-third share in a Munsiff, a Taliary, and a Vettiyan at present. The cess is Rs. 47-1-0 and resumed maniyams and ready-money allowances Rs. 105-11-0; total Rs. 152-12-0. A one-fifth share in a Curnam should receive Rs. 3, a one-third share in a Munsiff Rs. 3, a Taliary Rs. 3, and a Vettiyan Rs. 3 per mensem; total Rs. 144 per annum.

68. Vadaagaram (area 119 acres, population 31, revenue Rs. 112) has a one-third share in a Curnam, a one-third share in a Munsiff, a one-third share in a Taliary, and a one-third share in a Vettiyan at present. The cess is Rs. 7 and resumed maniyams and ready-money allowances Rs. 18-12-0; total Rs. 25-12-0.

A one-fifth share in a Curnam should receive 8 Annas, a one-third share in a Munsiff 8 Annas, and a Taliary Re. 1 per mensem; total Rs. 24 per annum.

69. Periyakudal (area 270 acres, population 28, revenue Rs. 342) has a one-third share in a Curnam, a half share in a Munsiff, a one-third share in a Taliary, and a one-third share in a Vettiyan at present. The cess is Rs. 21-6-0 and resumed maniyams and ready-money allowances Rs. 60-6-0; total Rs. 81-12-0.

A one-fifth share in a Curnam should receive Rs. 2, a half share in a Munsiff Rs. 2, and a Taliary Rs. 2-8-0 per mensem; total Rs. 78 per annum.

70. Aminjikarai (area 255 acres, population 1,176, revenue Rs. 358) has the same establishment as above at present. The cess is Rs. 22-6-0 and resumed maniyams and ready-money allowances Rs. 59; total Rs. 81-6-0.

A one-fifth share in a Curnam should receive Rs. 1-8-0, a half share in a Munsiff Rs. 2-8-0, and a Taliary Rs. 2-8-0 per mensem; total Rs. 78 per annum.

71. Senjeri (area 103 acres, population 21, revenue Rs. 94) has a half share in a Curnam, a half share in a Munsiff, a Taliary, and a half share in a Vettiyan at present. The cess is Rs. 5-13-0 and the resumed maniyams and ready-money allowances are Rs. 8-8-0; total Rs. 14-5-0.

A quarter share in a Curnam should receive 8 Annas, a half share in a Munsiff 8 Annas, and a Taliary Re. 1 per mensem; total Rs. 24 per annum, the balance of Rs. 9-11-0 to be paid from the general fund.

72. Viruganbakam (area 670 acres, population 931, revenue Rs. 1,254) has a Curnam, a half share in a Munsiff, a Monegar, two Taliaries, and a Vettiyan at present. The cess is Rs. 78-6-0 and resumed maniyams and ready-money allowances Rs. 154-15-0; total Rs. 233-5-0.

A quarter share in a Curnam should receive Rs. 4, a half share in a Munsiff Rs. 5-8-0, two Taliaries Rs. 3 each, and a Vettiyan Rs. 3 per mensem; total Rs. 222 per annum.

73. Saligramam (area 618 acres, population 963, revenue Rs. 983) has a Curnam, a Munsiff, a Monegar, two Taliaries, and three Vettiyan at present. The cess is Rs. 61-8-0 and resumed maniyams and ready-money allowances Rs. 70; total Rs. 131-8-0.

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A quarter share in a Curnam should receive Re. 1, a Munsiff Rs. 5, a Taliary Rs. 2-8-0, and a Vettiyan Rs. 2-8-0 per mensem; total Rs. 132 per annum, the balance of 8 Annas to be paid from the general fund.

74. Valasaravakam (area 736 acres, population 432, revenue Rs. 991) has a half share in a Curnam, a Munsiff, a Monegar, two Taliaries, and one Vettiyan at present. The cess is Rs. 61-15-0 and resumed maniyams and ready-money allowances Rs. 146-6-0; total Rs. 208-5-0.

A quarter share in a Curnam should receive Rs. 2-8-0, a Munsiff Rs. 6, a Taliary Rs. 3, and a Vettiyan Rs. 3 per mensem; total Rs. 174 per annum.

75. Maduravayal (area 1,180 acres, population 816, revenue Rs. 1,967) has two Curnams, a Munsiff, a Monegar, two Taliaries, and two Vettiyan at present. The cess is Rs. 120 and resumed maniyams and ready-money allowances Rs. 282-12-0; total Rs. 405-12-0.

This village (No. 22 in the Map) can afford a full establishment to itself paid at the maxima rates, viz:—

	RS.
1 Curnam	8 per mensem.
1 Munsiff	6 "
1 Monegar	4 "
2 Taliaries	3 each "
2 Vettiyan	3 " "

Total ... 360 per annum.

76. Vanagaram (area 617 acres, population 602, revenue Rs. 1,694) has a Curnam, a Munsiff, a Monegar, a half share in a Taliary, and a half share in two Vettiyan at present. The cess is Rs. 105-14-0 and resumed maniyams and ready-money allowances Rs. 168-5-0; total Rs. 274-3-0.

A one-fourth share in a Curnam should receive Rs. 3-8-0, a Munsiff Rs. 6, a Monegar Rs. 4, a Taliary Rs. 3, and two Vettiyan Rs. 3 each per mensem; total Rs. 270 per annum.

77. Sivabutam (area 161 acres, population 157, revenue Rs. 265) has a half share in a Curnam, a Munsiff, a half share in a Taliary, and a half share in two Vettiyan at present. The cess is Rs. 16-9-0 and the resumed maniyams and ready-money allowances Rs. 44-8-0; total Rs. 61-1-0.

A one-fourth share in a Curnam should receive 8 Annas, a Munsiff Rs. 2-8-0, and a Taliary Rs. 2 per mensem; total Rs. 60 per annum.

78. Settiyaragaram (area 160 acres, population 305, revenue Rs. 566) has a half share in a Curnam, a Munsiff, two Taliaries, and a Vettiyan at present. The cess is Rs. 35-6-0 and resumed maniyams and ready-money allowances Rs. 80; total Rs. 115-6-0.

A one-fourth share in a Curnam should receive Rs. 2, a Munsiff Rs. 3-8-0, a Taliary Rs. 2, and a Vettiyan Rs. 2 per mensem; total Rs. 114 per annum.

79. Karambakam (area 264 acres, population 195, revenue Rs. 531) has a Curnam, a Munsiff, a Monegar, a Taliary, and a one-third share in Vettiyan at

present. The cess is Rs. 33-3-0 and resumed maniyams and ready-money allowances Rs. 58-9-0; total Rs. 91-12-0.

A one-fourth share in a Curnam should receive Re. 1, a Munsiff Rs. 3-8-0, a Taliary Rs. 1-8-0, and a Vettiyan Rs. 1-8-0 per mensem; total Rs. 90 per annum.

80. Tundalam (area 218 acres, population 626, revenue Rs. 349) has a one-third share in a Curnam, a Munsiff, a Taliary, and a Vettiyan at present. The cess is Rs. 21-13-0 and resumed maniyams and ready-money allowances Rs. 40-13-0; total Rs. 62-10-0.

A one-third share in a Curnam should receive Re. 1, a Munsiff Rs. 2-8-0, and a Taliary Rs. 1-8-0 per mensem; total Rs. 60 per annum.

81. Aiyapantangal (area 340 acres, population 230, revenue Rs. 865) has a one-third share in a Curnam, a Munsiff, a Taliary, and a Vettiyan at present. The cess is Rs. 54-1-0 and resumed maniyams and ready-money allowances Rs. 118-7-0; total Rs. 172-8-0.

A one-third share in a Curnam should receive Rs. 4, a Munsiff Rs. 4, a Taliary Rs. 3, and a Vettiyan Rs. 3 each per mensem; total Rs. 168 per annum.

82. Telliagararam (area 180 acres, population 156, revenue Rs. 219) has a one-third share in a Curnam, a half share in a Munsiff, a Taliary, and a Vettiyan at present. The cess is Rs. 13-11-0 and resumed maniyams and ready-money allowances Rs. 41-15-0; total Rs. 55-10-0.

A one-third share in a Curnam should receive Re. 1, a Munsiff Rs. 2, and a Taliary Rs. 1-8-0 per mensem; total Rs. 54 per annum.

83. To summarise the foregoing, it is proposed to reduce 46 Curnams to 24, 55 Munsiffs to 51, 28 Monegars to 13, to dispense with 11 Nottams, to reduce 88 Taliaries to 77 and to add one to the 50 Vettiyan. It will be noted that whenever a Monegar has been retained, a second Vettiyan has been provided for him.

84. The full amount of the service cess has been expended in every village, and in 59 villages the deficiency of the cess has been more or less supplemented from the assets of resumed maniyams and ready-money allowances of those villages; in ten of the poorer villages there is still a deficiency after expending all available assets, and in these a trifle has been added from general savings.

85. Though the establishment provided is ample, and though the Munsiffs and Monegars are to be paid, it costs but Rs. 526 more than at present, and there is a net saving of Rs. 2,715 to the credit of the general fund.

86. With this the salaries of the lower paid subordinates can be supplemented, if needed, when the establishment for the entire district has been determined, and the total surplus is known.

87. No provision is here made for Nirkatties as they are not required in the poorly-irrigated villages reported on; but in some parts of every district the services of these men are important, and provision should be made for them in irrigated villages wherever the funds admit; their pay might be a trifle lower than that of the Vettiyan.

88. The following statement exhibits the present and proposed establishments for these sixty-nine villages:—

Designation.	FORMER ESTABLISHMENT.		PROPOSED ESTABLISHMENT.		
	Number.	Emoluments.	Number	Monthly Salary.	Annual Cost.
		RS.		RS. A.	RS.
Curnams			16	8 0	1,536
			2	7 8	180
			2	7 0	168
			1	6 8	78
			2	6 0	144
			1	3 0	36
	46	4,374	24		2,142
Munsiffs			21	6 0	1,512
			2	5 8	132
			5	5 0	300
			4	4 8	216
			2	4 0	96
			3	3 8	126
			5	3 0	180
			4	2 0	96
	55		51		2,808
Monegars			12	4 0	576
			1	3 0	36
	28		13		612
Taliaries			41	3 0	1,476
			9	2 8	270
			10	2 0	240
			2	1 12	42
			6	1 8	108
			1	1 4	15
	88	3,441	77		2,247
Vettiyan			41	3 0	1,476
			7	2 8	210
			6	2 0	144
			3	1 8	54
	56	1,178	57		1,884
Nottams	11	230			
Total	284	9,223	222		9,693

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PROPOSED EXPENDITURE.																							
VILLAGES.																							
Carnam's Charge.	1	2	3	Carnam.			Munsifs.			Monegars.			Taliars.			Vettiyans.			Total Annual Cost.	Savings from total Assets.	REMARKS.		
				Number.	Monthly Salary.	Annual Cost.	Number.	Monthly Salary.	Annual Cost.	Number.	Monthly Salary.	Annual Cost.	Number.	Monthly Salary.	Annual Cost.	Number.	Monthly Salary.	Annual Cost.				Number.	Monthly Salary.
Available Assets including Ser-vice Cases, ready-money Ad-vances and this of resum-ed Manjams.				ES. A.	ES.		ES. A.	ES.		ES. A.	ES.		ES. A.	ES.		ES. A.	ES.		ES. A.	ES.			
1	Kattivakam	...	...	76 10	36	1	2 0	24	...	...	...	...	1 1 4	15	...	...	...	...	...	75	1 10		11
2	Tiruvottiyur	...	...	284 1	48	1	6 0	72	1	4 0	48	1	3 0	36	2	3 0	72	276	8 1	276			
3	Sattankadu	...	...	292 11	48	1	6 0	72	1	4 0	48	1	3 0	36	2	3 0	72	276	16 11	276			
	Total...			576 12	96	2	...	144	2	...	96	2	...	72	4	...	144	852	34 12	852			
4	Sadayankupam	...	...	166 1	36	1	5 8	66	...	...	...	1	2 8	30	1	2 8	30	162	4 1	162			
5	Kadapakan	...	...	329 0	60	1	6 0	72	...	...	...	2	3 0	72	1	3 0	36	240	89 0	240			
	Total...			495 1	96	2	...	138	...	...	...	3	...	102	2	...	66	402	93 1	402			
6	Kosapur	...	...	182 18	36	1	3 0	36	...	...	...	1	2 8	30	1	2 8	30	132	0 13	132			
7	Manjambagam	...	...	90 15	24	1	2 8	30	...	...	...	1	1 8	18	1	1 8	18	90	0 15	90			
8	Matar	...	...	183 4	36	1	6 0	72	...	...	...	1	3 0	36	1	3 0	36	180	3 4	180			
	Total...			407 0	96	2	...	138	...	...	...	3	...	84	3	...	84	402	5 0	402			
9	Sirugarur	...	...	105 15	15	1	1 4	15	...	...	...	1	3 0	36	1	3 0	36	102	3 15	102			
10	Vilangadupakam	...	...	539 6	69	1	3 12	45	1	4 0	48	2	3 0	72	2	3 0	72	306	253 6	306			
11	Parasambakam	...	...	95 4	12	1	1 0	12	...	...	...	1	3 0	36	1	3 0	36	96	2 4	96			
	Total...			743 9	96	1	...	72	1	...	48	4	...	144	4	...	144	504	239 9	504			

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Statement showing the general Establishments of Carnams, Munsifs, Monegars, Taliaries and Vettigars proposed, with Assets and Expenditure for sixty-nine Villages of the Sydapet Taluq of the Chingleput District.

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2nd September 1875.

Statement showing the several Establishments of Curnams, Munsifs, Monegars, Taliares, and Vettiyan proposed, with Assets and Expenditure for sixty-nine Villages of the Sydapet Taluq of the Chingleput District.

VILLAGES.	1	2	PROPOSED EXPENDITURE.												REMARKS.
			Curnams.			Munsifs.			Monegars.			Taliares.			Total annual cost.
			Number.	Monthly salary.	Annual cost.	Number.	Monthly salary.	Annual cost.	Number.	Monthly salary.	Annual cost.	Number.	Monthly salary.	Annual cost.	
			3	Rs. A.	Rs.	5	Rs. A.	Rs.	6	Rs. A.	Rs.	7	Rs. A.	Rs.	9
23	Vanagaram	...	3	3 8	42	1	6 0	72	1	4 0	48	1	3 0	36	270
	Sivabutam	...	4	0 8	6	1	2 8	30	...	...	...	1	2 0	24	60
	Shetiyanagaram	...	4	2 0	24	1	3 8	42	...	...	...	1	2 0	24	114
	Karambakam	...	4	1 0	12	1	3 8	42	...	...	...	1	1 8	18	90
	Total	...	1	...	84	4	...	186	1	...	48	4	...	102	534
24	Tundalam	...	...	...	12	1	2 8	30	...	...	...	1	1 8	18	54
	Aiyapantangal	...	...	...	48	1	4 0	48	...	...	...	1	3 0	36	168
	Telliyanagaram	...	...	...	13	1	2 0	24	...	...	...	1	1 8	18	54
	Total	...	...	...	72	3	...	102	...	...	...	3	...	72	282
	Grand Total	...	24	...	2,142	51	...	2,808	13	...	612	77	...	2,247	9,693
															2,715 3

R. K. PUCKLE,
Acting 3rd Member, Rev. Board, in charge of the Settlement Office.

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2nd September 1875.

In this letter the Acting Director of Revenue Settlement submits a scheme for the revision of the village establishments in 69 villages of the Sydapet Taluq, intended to meet the recent orders of Government as to the mode in which such schemes are to be framed.

2. Mr. Puckle's proposals are made after careful consideration of the situation and circumstances of each village dealt with, and so as to do as little violence as possible to the existing distribution of, and vested rights in, village-offices. Every village which has hitherto enjoyed a separate existence, as a community under a separate village head, is retained as a separate unit, and clubbing of villages is proposed only as regards the office of Curnam. To this extent it is necessary, in order to obtain sufficient charges for these officers, and in order to provide for them adequate salaries.

3. The scheme of establishment and salaries is framed strictly with reference to the assets of each village, whether from service cess, proceeds of enfranchised Inams, or ready-money allowances hitherto made by Government to the village; the full salaries which such assets will admit of being assigned within a certain maximum which Mr. Puckle takes to be that which the village producing the largest sum in cess can maintain from cess proceeds alone. There is then no abstract scale with reference to population and revenue, such as have hitherto been kept in view in other districts, in which revisions have been proposed or carried out. Mr. Puckle's plan secures that there shall not be a surplus of cess in any village; but in districts or tracts in which large or wealthy villages are numerous, it will result in a large surplus in the general fund constituted from enfranchised Inams and ready-money allowances. The full establishment which Mr. Puckle takes as a maximum is given at paragraph 13 of his report. Where villages are clubbed to form a Curnam's charge, the contributions of each village towards his salary are roughly proportioned to the total assets in each. A surplus of Rs. 2,715 remains in the General Fund, to be apportioned hereafter should it not be required in other parts of the district.

4. The proposals are summarised in paragraph 88 and in the statement appended, and the report is so complete in detail that the Board have nothing to add. It is observed, however, that no reference is made to the requirement of G. O., 3rd April 1875, No. 523, viz., that the amount to be levied in cess shall not exceed that now paid in customary fees and on the introduction. This insisted on would probably render revision impracticable together.

(A t. Jopy and Extract.)

(Signed) H. E. STOKES,
Acting Secretary.

No. 34. ORDER THEREON, 2nd September 1875, No. 1,318.

Land Revenue, No. 2.

With these Proceedings the Board of Revenue submit a scheme drawn up by Mr. Puckle for the revision of village

establishments in a portion of the Chingleput District.

2. The scheme has been carefully framed so as to secure a minimum of disturbance to the existing village system compatible with the organisation of an efficient village establishment, and His Excellency the Governor in Council resolves to sanction it for adoption.

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3. With reference to paragraph 4 of their Proceedings, it is observed that the Board have placed an erroneous interpretation on G. O., 3rd April 1875, No. 523, which does not limit the cess to be imposed under the Act to fees as now paid, but expressly includes those which are *demandable*, even though at present withheld.

(True Extract.)

(Signed) A. MACGREGOR,
Acting Secretary to Government.

To the Board of Revenue.
„ the Officiating Director of Revenue Settlements.
„ the Accountant-General.

Exd. F. R. Bantleman.

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Village Establishments in a portion of the Chingleput District.—Sanctioning the adoption of Mr. Puckle's scheme for the revision of the—

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No. 33. Read the following Order of the Board of Revenue
Dated 28th June 1875. No. 1733

No. 1077 E.
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REVENUE SETTLEMENT OFFICE, ON CIRCUIT,
CHINGLEPUT, 3rd June 1875.

From
R. K. PUCKLE, Esq.,
Acting Third Member, Board of Revenue,
in charge of the Settlement Department.

To
H. E. STOKES, Esq.,
Acting Secretary to the Board of Revenue, Madras.

Sir,
I HAVE the honor to submit the scheme for the revision of the village establishments in a portion of the Chingleput District called for in Board's Proceedings, No. 703, dated 23rd March 1875.

2. I am unable to report on an entire Taluq, as the revision of land assessment with which this following scheme is connected applies to only 69 villages, and I cannot speak authoritatively of the requirements of any villages that I have not personally inspected. For practical purposes, however, a scheme for 69 villages is as good as one for a larger number, for a Taluq is but a conglomeration of villages, thrown together for Magisterial and Revenue purposes, and many Taluqs do not contain more villages than are here reported on.

3. It was ordered in the final para. of Government Proceedings, No. 707, dated 9th July 1873, that the village service cess should be expended on the payment of the establishment of the village in which it may be raised, and in para. 3 of Government Proceedings, No. 375, dated 23rd March 1874, it was added that the service cess might be supplemented in the case of the poorer villages from the general fund (resumed maniyams and ready-money allowances).

4. To carry out these orders, it was thought necessary in Tinnevely to club the smaller villages to raise funds sufficient to pay an establishment for each clubbed village, but in Proceedings, No. 375, dated 23rd March 1874, the Government objected to this arrangement, and in Proceedings, No. 696, dated 5th May 1875, with reference to the Nellore District, the Government called on the Board to state whether a scheme more in keeping with the actual conditions of the country cannot be devised for Nellore.

5. The 69 villages now reported on form the northern half of the old Sydapet Taluq, and lie between the Ennore lake and the Kodambakam and Punamali Road. They have a present establishment of 46 Curnams, 55 Munsiffs, 28 Manegars, 11 Notams, 88 Taliaries and 56 Vettiyan, paid in lands and money Rs. 9,223 per annum, the equivalent of nearly one-seventh of the entire land assessment of these villages.

6. These service maniyam lands, enfranchised at five-eighths of their taram assessment, with the ready-money allowances now paid by Government, will yield Rs. 8,021, and if to this be added a service cess of Rs. 4,335, at one anna per rupee of assessment, there will be Rs. 12,406, or rather more than three annas per rupee of assessment available to pay the establishments in these 69 villages.

7. It may not be necessary, however, to spend the whole of these available assets on a series of villages averaging less than 1,000 Rs. of revenue each, for it is hardly probable that the land maniyams and ready-money allowances will be found to exist throughout the District on the same liberal scale as in the villages under report, and the general fund will need husbanding if the village establishment everywhere is to be maintained, as I believe it can be maintained, from the service cess and the general fund without further cost to Government.

8. I have determined the number of Curnams required after a careful inspection of the ground and consideration of the circumstances of each village. These 40 vattams have 46 Curnams. The 40 Curnams' vattams as they now stand can easily be reduced to 24, and no man will have too much to do, in fact the demarcation, registry and mapping of the ground, as made at Settlement, the transfer of pattas, division of Samudayam and disposal of the longstanding Mirasi question will lighten the Curnam's labors considerably and the 9 Curnams proposed will have man for man less to do than the present establishment, and will be summoned away from their villages less frequently than at present.

9. I have lined out each Curnam's vattam in green, and have stamped it with a distinguishing number on the face of the accompanying map, and have shown the villages comprized in each vattam by name—the several establishments of Munsiffs, Manegars, Taliaries and Vettiyan, that each of these villages seems to require, are shown in the enclosed tabular statement, and a full explanation of each case is given in the body of this report.

10. Though the establishment of Curnams proposed has been calculated on vattams, or villages now specially clubbed for this purpose, the further establishment needed is calculated on the existing order of things, i. e., on the village unit for the Manegars, Taliaries and Vettiyan, and for the Munsiffs also, except in the few instances in which the ancient custom of the country has amalgamated two or more villages to form one Munsiff's charge.

11. It is proposed to retain 51 of the 55 Munsiffs now holding office. Two are unavoidably parted with in villages that have each more than one

Munsiff, and in two other villages, Vilakupatti and Jambuli, the total assets available will not pay a separate Munsiff. The former village, moreover, is uninhabited, and the latter has only a few dry fields.

12. The Act provides for Manegars as well as Munsiffs, where needed, and in 13 large villages where one man cannot perform the onerous duties required, I have provided a Manegar to relieve the Munsiff of part at all events of the work of collecting the revenue, and to ensure the presence of an officer in the village during the frequent absence of the Munsiff at the Courts and Cutcheries. I think it very essential that wherever funds admit there should be a second officer, the more especially as there are now 28 Manegars in these villages, 15 of whom must be dismissed by this revision.

13. To frame a scale of rates for the remuneration of village officers, I have taken the only village (Madavaram) that can just about pay a full establishment what might be adopted as maxima rates from its service cess alone, thus :

1 Curnam	at 8 Rs.
1 Munsiff	at 6 Rs.
1 Manegar	at 4 Rs.
2 Taliaries	at 3 Rs. each.
2 Vettiyan	at 3 Rs. „

Total annual cost of proposed

village establishment ... Rs. 360 0 0

Assets of service cess ... 357 12 0

and accepting this as a standard, I have apportioned the pay of establishment in each smaller village with reference to its aggregate assets (including service cess, resumed maniyams and ready-money allowances), so that each village may be self-supporting, and yet in some cases leave a small surplus from resumed maniyams and ready-money allowances to credit to the general fund.

14. Kativakam—area 1,178 acres, population 2,040, revenue Rs. 502, has a Curnam, a Munsiff, a Manegar, two Taliaries and a Vettiyan at present—a Curnam, a Munsiff and a Taliari, are all that this village can afford, as the cess is but Rs. 31 and the resumed maniyams and ready-money allowances Rs. 45, total assets Rs. 76. Calculating the rateable pay of these men with reference to the standard of Madavaram, the Curnam, No. 1 in the accompanying Map, should receive Rs. 3, the Munsiff Rs. 2, and the Taliari Rs. 1-4-0 per mensem, total Rs. 75 per annum. This village cannot afford a Vettiyan.

15. Tiruvottiur—area 1,656 acres, population 4,283, revenue Rs. 2,061, has a half share in a Curman, one Munsiff, one Manegar, two Taliaries and one Vettiyan at present. The cess is Rs. 128-12-0 and the resumed maniyams and ready-money allowances Rs. 155-5-0, total Rs. 284-1-0. The half share in a Curnam should receive Rs. 4, the Munsiff Rs. 6, a Manegar Rs. 4, a Taliari Rs. 3, and two Vettiyan Rs. 3 each per mensem, total Rs. 276 per annum.

Tiruvottiur and Satankadu, No. 2 in the Map, form one Curnam's charge at present, and it is proposed to retain it so—the full salary of the Curnam, Rs. 8, is apportioned between these 2 villages.

16. Satankadu—area 2,043 acres, population 2,134, revenue Rs. 2,531, has a half share in a Curnam, a Munsiff, a Manegar, two Taliaries and a Vettiyan at present. The cess amounts to Rs. 158-4-0, and resumed maniyams and ready-money allowances Rs. 134-7-0, total Rs. 292-11-0. An establishment as above, costing Rs. 276 per annum, will suit the requirements of this village also.

17. Sadayankuppam—area 1,656 acres, population 180, revenue Rs. 1,520, has a Curnam, a Munsiff, a Taliari and a Vettiyan at present. A half share in a Curnam, a Munsiff, a Taliari and a Vettiyan are all that this village can afford, as the cess is but Rs. 95, and resumed maniyams and ready-money allowances Rs. 71, total Rs. 166. The half share in a Curnam should receive Rs. 3, the Munsiff Rs. 5-8-0, the Taliari Rs. 2-8-0 and the Vettiyan Rs. 2-8-0 per mensem, total Rs. 162 per annum.

18. Kadapakam—area 769 acres, population 365, revenue Rs. 1,608, has a Curnam, a Munsiff, two Taliaries and a Vettiyan at present. This village, however, needs but a half share in a Curnam, a Munsiff, a Taliari, and a Vettiyan—the assets are considerable, cess Rs. 100-8-0 and resumed maniyams and ready-money allowances Rs. 207-1-0, total Rs. 307-9-0. The half share in a Curnam should receive Rs. 5, the Munsiff Rs. 6, two Taliaries Rs. 3 each, and the Vettiyan Rs. 3 per mensem, total Rs. 240 per annum.

19. Kosapur, area 590 acres, population 244, revenue Rs. 692, has a Curnam, a half share in a Munsiff, two Taliaries and a Vettiyan, at present. This village, however, needs but one-third share of a Curnam, a half share in a Munsiff, a Taliari and a Vettiyan. The cess is but Rs. 43-4-0 and resumed maniyams and ready-money allowances Rs. 89-9-0, total Rs. 132-13-0. The one-third share in a Curnam should receive Rs. 3, the half share in a Munsiff Rs. 3, a Taliari Rs. 2-8-0 and a Vettiyan Rs. 2-8-0 per mensem, total Rs. 132 per annum.

20. Manjambakam, area 221 acres, population 206, revenue Rs. 435, has a Curnam, a half share in a Munsiff, no Taliari and no Vettiyan at present. This village, however, needs a third share in a Curnam, a half share in a Munsiff, a Taliari and a Vettiyan. The cess is but Rs. 27-3-0, and resumed maniyams and ready-money allowances Rs. 63-12-0, total Rs. 90-15-0. The one-third share in a Curnam should receive Rs. 2, the half share in a Munsiff Rs. 2-8-0, the Taliari Rs. 1-8-0 and the Vettiyan Rs. 1-8-0 per mensem, total Rs. 90 per annum.

21. Mattur, area 793 acres, population 436, revenue Rs. 948, has a one-third share in a Curnam, a Munsiff and a Vettiyan at present. This village, however, needs a one-third share in a Curnam, a Munsiff, a Taliari and a Vettiyan. The cess is Rs. 59-4-0, and resumed maniyams and ready-money allowances Rs. 124-0-0, total Rs. 183-4-0. The one-third share in a Curnam should receive Rs. 3, the Munsiff Rs. 6, the Taliari Rs. 3, and the Vettiyan Rs. 3 per mensem, total Rs. 180 per annum.

Sirugavur, Velankadupakam and Payasambakam, No. 5 in the Map, form one Curnam and one Munsiff's charge at present, and it is proposed to retain them so; the full salaries of Curnam and Munsiff are apportioned between these 3 villages.

22. Sirugavur, area 317 acres, population 74, revenue Rs. 604, has a one-third share in a Curnam, a one-third share in a Munsiff, a one-third share in two Manegars, a one-fifth share in two Vettiyan, at present. The cess is Rs. 37-12-0 and resumed maniyams and ready-money allowances Rs. 68-3-0, total Rs. 105-15-0. The one-third share in a Curnam should receive Rs. 1-4-0, one-third share in a Munsiff Rs. 1-4-0, a Taliari Rs. 3 and a Vettiyan Rs. 3 per mensem, total Rs. 102 per annum.

23. Velankadupakam, area 1,373 acres, population 1,326, revenue Rs. 3,322,—the present establishment is similar to that of Sirugavur, the cess is Rs. 207-10-0, and resumed maniyams and ready-money allowances Rs. 331-12-0, total Rs. 539-6-0. The one-third share of a Curnam should receive Rs. 5-12-0, the one-third share of a Munsiff Rs. 3-12-0, a Manegar Rs. 4, two Taliaries Rs. 3 each, and two Vettiyan Rs. 3 each per mensem, total Rs. 306 per annum.

24. Payasambakam, area 165 acres, population 5, revenue 510, the present establishment is similar to that of Sirugavur and Velankadupakam. The cess is Rs. 31-14-0, and the resumed maniyams and ready-money allowances Rs. 66-6-0, total Rs. 98-4-0. The one-third share of a Curnam should receive Rs. 1, the one-third share of a Munsiff Rs. 1, a Taliari Rs. 3 and a Vettiyan Rs. 3 per mensem, total Rs. 96 per annum.

25. Palavayal, area 215 acres, population 43, revenue Rs. 367, has a half share in a Curnam, a half share in a Munsiff, a Manegar, a one-fifth share in two Taliaries and a half share in a Vettiyan, at present. The cess is Rs. 22-15-0 and resumed maniyams and ready-money allowances Rs. 64-1-0, total Rs. 87; a one-fifth share in a Curnam should receive Rs. 1, a half share in a Munsiff Rs. 2, a Taliari Rs. 2, and a Vettiyan Rs. 2 per mensem, total Rs. 84 per annum.

26. Tirtagiriyanpattu, area 178 acres, population 309, revenue Rs. 270, has a half share in a Curnam, a half share in a Munsiff, a one-fifth share in two Taliaries and a half share in a Vettiyan at present. The cess is Rs. 16-14-0 and the resumed maniyams and ready-money allowances Rs. 25-9-0, total Rs. 42-7-0,—a one-fifth share in a Curnam should receive 8 annas, a half share in the Munsiff Rs. 1, and a Taliari Rs. 2 per mensem, total Rs. 42 per annum. This village cannot afford a Vettiyan.

27. Layan, area 507 acres, population 105, revenue Rs. 1,535, has a Curnam, a half share in a Munsiff, a one-sixth share in three Taliaries and a one-eleventh share in three Vettiyan at present. The cess is Rs. 95-15-0, and resumed maniyams and ready-money allowances Rs. 147-8-0, total Rs. 243-7-0; and one-fifth of a Curnam should receive Rs. 4, one-third of a Munsiff Rs. 4, two Taliaries Rs. 3 each, and a Vettiyan Rs. 3 per mensem, total Rs. 204 per annum.

The former Munsiff of Layan has been retained in his other village of Tandalkeni, and it is proposed to place Layan under the Munsiff of Alanjipakam. Two Taliaries are needed, as Layan consists of two detached blocks of land some distance apart.

n a Munsiff, a one-fifth share in two Taliaries and a one-eleventh share in three Vettiyan at present; the cess is 5 annas and resumed maniyams and ready-money allowances Rs. 6-10-0, total Rs. 6-15-0; a one-third share in a Curnam should receive 8 annas, a half share in a Munsiff 8 annas, and a Taliari R. 1 per mensem, total Rs. 24 per annum; Rs. 17 to be paid from the general fund. This village cannot afford a Vettiyan.

39. Pammadukulam, area 2,456 acres, population 899, revenue Rs. 1,091, has a Curnam, a Munsiff, two Manegars, three Taliaries, and a Vettiyan at present. The cess is Rs. 68-3-0 and resumed maniyams and ready-money allowances Rs. 164-7-0, total Rs. 232-10-0; a Curnam No. 10 in the Map should receive Rs. 7, a Munsiff Rs. 6, a Taliari Rs. 3, and a Vettiyan Rs. 3 per mensem, total Rs. 228 per annum.

40. Madavaram, area 4,693 acres, population 2,883, revenue Rs. 5,724, has two Curnams, a Munsiff, two Manegars, a half share in six Taliaries and a one-third share in two Vettiyan at present. The cess is Rs. 357-12-0 and the resumed maniyams and ready-money allowances Rs. 641-6-0, total Rs. 999-2-0. This is the Village No. 11 in the Map taken as the standard, and it should have a full establishment paid at the maxima rates, viz. :—

1 Curnam	at 8 Rs.
1 Munsiff	at 6 "
1 Manegar	at 4 "
2 Taliaries	at 3 " each.
2 Vettiyan	at 3 " "

per mensem, total Rs. 360 per annum.

41. Velukupatti, area 36 acres, population none, revenue Rs. 101, has a one-third share in a Curnam, a Munsiff, a half share in six Taliaries and one-third share in two Vettiyan, the cess is Rs. 6-6-0 and the resumed maniyams and ready-money allowances Rs. 16-7-0, total Rs. 22-13-0. No separate establishment is proposed for this uninhabited village as the cultivators live in Madavaram.

42. Selavayal, area 397 acres, population 158, revenue Rs. 652, has a Curnam, a Munsiff, a Taliari and a one-third share in a Vettiyan at present. The cess is Rs. 40-12-0, and resumed maniyams and ready-money allowances Rs. 86-12-0, total Rs. 127-8-0; a quarter share in a Curnam should receive R. 1, a Munsiff Rs. 3-8-0, a Taliari Rs. 3, and a Vettiyan Rs. 3 per mensem, total Rs. 126 per annum.

Selavayal, Kodingiyur, Erukanjeri and Jambuli, No. 12 in the Map, have been amalgamated to form one Curnam's charge, the full salary of a Curnam Rs. 8 has been apportioned between these 4 villages.

43. Kodingiyur, area 1,159 acres, population 1,179, revenue Rs. 1,825, has two Curnams, a Munsiff, a Manegar, two Taliaries and a one-third share in a Vettiyan at present. The cess is Rs. 114 and resumed maniyams and ready-money allowances Rs. 221-2-0, total Rs. 335-2-0; a one-fourth Curnam should receive Rs. 5, a half share in a Munsiff Rs. 5-8-0, a Manegar Rs. 4, a Taliari Rs. 3, and two Vettiyan Rs. 3 each per mensem, total Rs. 282 per annum.

44. Jambuli, area 102 acres, population 77, revenue Rs. 129, has a one-third share in a Curnam, a Munsiff, a Taliari, and a one-third share in two Vettiyan at present. The cess is Rs. 8-1-0 and the resumed maniyams and ready-money allowances Rs. 15-14-0, total Rs. 23-15-0; a quarter share in a Curnam should receive 8 annas, a half share in a Munsiff 8 annas, and a Taliari R. 1 per mensem, total Rs. 24 per annum, the balance of 1 anna to be paid from the general fund.

45. Erukanjeri, area 268 acres, population 595, revenue Rs. 383, has a Curnam, a Munsiff, a Taliari, and one-third share in a Vettiyan. The cess is Rs. 23-15-0, and resumed maniyams and ready-money allowances Rs. 42-3-0, total Rs. 66-2-0; a one-fourth share in a Curnam should receive R. 1, a Munsiff Rs. 2-8-0, and a Taliari Rs. 2 per mensem, total Rs. 66 per annum. This village cannot afford a Vettiyan.

46. Peruvalur, area 551 acres, population 1,267, revenue Rs. 824, has a one-fourth share in a Curnam, a Munsiff, a Manegar, a Taliari, and a Vettiyan at present. The cess is Rs. 51-8-0 and the resumed maniyams and ready-money allowances Rs. 137-4-0, total Rs. 188-12-0; a one-fourth share in a Curnam should receive Rs. 4-8-0, a Munsiff Rs. 5, a Taliari Rs. 3, and a Vettiyan Rs. 3 per mensem, total Rs. 186 per annum.

Peruvalur, Sembiam, Seruvalur and Sinna Sembrambakam, No. 13 in the Map, form a Curnam's charge at present and it is proposed to retain them so.

47. Sembiam, area 449 acres, population 1,633, revenue Rs. 439, has a one-fourth share in a Curnam, a half share in a Munsiff, a half share in a Taliari and a half share in a Vettiyan at present. The cess is Rs. 27-7-0, and resumed maniyams and ready-money allowances Rs. 13-12-0, total Rs. 41-3-0; a one-fourth share of a Curnam should receive 8 annas, a half share of a Munsiff Rs. 2, and a Taliari R. 1 per mensem, total Rs. 42 per annum, the balance of 13 annas to be paid from the general fund.

Sembiam and Seruvalur form one Munsiff's charge at present, and it is proposed to retain them so.

48. Seruvalur, area 231 acres, population 1,413, revenue Rs. 151, has an establishment as above. The cess is Rs. 9-7-0, and resumed maniyams and ready-money allowances Rs. 15-13-0. Total Rs. 25-4-0, a one-fourth share of a Curnam should receive 8 annas, a half share in a Munsiff 8 annas, and a Taliari R. 1 per mensem, total Rs. 24 per annum.

49. Sinna Sembrambakam, area 160 acres, population 558, revenue Rs. 175, has a one-fourth share in a Curnam, a Munsiff, a Taliari and a Vettiyan. The cess is Rs. 10-15-0 and resumed maniyams and ready-money allowances Rs. 16-1-0, total Rs. 27. A one-fourth share in a Curnam should receive 8 annas, a Munsiff Rs. 2, and a Taliari R. 1 per mensem, total Rs. 42 per annum, the balance Rs. 15 to be paid from the general fund.

Konnur, Villivakam and Mullam, No. 14 in the Map, have been amalgamated to form a Curnam's charge, the full pay of a Curnam, Rs. 8, has been apportioned between these 3 villages.

50. Konnur, area 616 acres, population 717, revenue Rs. 1,399, has a Curnam, a Munsiff, a Manegar, three Taliaries and a one-third share in two Vettiyan. The cess is Rs. 87-7-0, and the resumed maniyams and ready-money allowances are Rs. 162-5-0, total Rs. 249-12-0; a one-third share in a Curnam should receive Rs. 5, a Munsiff Rs. 6, a Taliari Rs. 3 and a Vettiyan Rs. 3 per mensem, total Rs. 204 per annum.

51. Villivakam, area 689 acres, population 436, revenue Rs. 850, has a half share in a Curnam, a half share in a Munsiff, two Taliaries, and a one-third share in two Vettiyan at present. The cess is Rs. 53-2-0, and the resumed maniyams and ready-money allowances Rs. 108-11-0, total Rs. 161-13-0.

Villivakam and Mullam form one Munsiff's charge at present, and it is proposed to retain them so.

A one-third share in a Curnam should receive Rs. 2, a half share in a Munsiff Rs. 5, a Taliari Rs. 3, and a Vettiyan Rs. 3 per mensem, total Rs. 156 per annum.

52. Mullam, area 272 acres, population 24, revenue Rs. 308, has a half share in a Curnam, a half share in a Munsiff, a Taliari and a one-third share in two Vettiyan at present. The cess is Rs. 19-4-0, and resumed maniyams and ready-money allowances Rs. 26-9-0, total Rs. 45-13-0.

A one-third share in a Curnam should receive R. 1, a half share in a Munsiff R. 1, and a Taliari R. 1-12-0, per mensem, total Rs. 45 per annum.

53. Korattur, area 2,980 acres, population 1,969, revenue Rs. 4,169, has two Curnams, a Munsiff, a Manegar, five Taliaries and four Vettiyan at present. The cess is Rs. 260-9-0 and resumed maniyams and ready-money allowances Rs. 802-11-0, total Rs. 1,063-4-0. This village, No. 15 in the Map, can afford a full establishment of its own at the maxima rates, viz. :—

1 Curnam	...	...	at Rupees 8
1 Munsiff	...	...	do. 6
1 Manegar	...	...	do. 4
2 Taliaries	...	...	do. 3 each.
2 Vettiyan	...	...	do. 3 "

per mensem, total Rs. 360 per annum.

54. Menambedu, area 328 acres, population 139, revenue Rs. 432, has a half share in a Curnam, a Munsiff, a Manegar, a Taliari and a Vettiyan at present. The cess is Rs. 27, and the resumed maniyams and ready-money allowances Rs. 56-15-0, total Rs. 83-15-0; a one-third share in a Curnam should receive R. 1, a Munsiff Rs. 3, a Taliari Rs. 1-8-0 and a Vettiyan Rs. 1-8-0 per mensem, total Rs. 84 per annum; the balance of 1 anna to be paid from the general fund.

Menambedu, Patravakam and Ambattur, No. 16 in the Map, have been amalgamated to form one Curnam's charge, the full salary of a Curnam, Rs. 8, has been apportioned between these 3 villages.

55. Patravakam, area 333 acres, population 349, revenue Rs. 817, has a half share in a Curnam, a Munsiff, two Taliaries and a Vettiyan at present. The cess is Rs. 51, and resumed maniyams and ready-money allowances Rs. 109-14-0, total Rs. 160-14-0.

A one-third share in a Curnam should receive Rs. 3, a Munsiff Rs. 4, a Taliari Rs. 3, and a Vettiyan Rs. 3 per mensem, total Rs. 156 per annum.

56. Ambattur, area 1,917 acres, population 722, revenue Rs. 2,316, has a Curnam, a Munsiff, a Manegar, two Taliaries and a Vettiyan at present. The cess is Rs. 144-12-0, and the resumed maniyams and ready-money allowances Rs. 82-13-0, total Rs. 227-9-0; a one-third share in a Curnam should receive Rs. 4, a Munsiff Rs. 5, a Manegar Rs. 4, a Taliari Rs. 2, and two Vettiyan Rs. 2 each per mensem, total Rs. 228 per annum, the balance of 7 annas to be paid from the general fund.

57. Mannur, area 356 acres, population 200, revenue Rs. 557, has a Curnam, a Munsiff, a Taliari and a Vettiyan at present. The cess is Rs. 34-13-0, and resumed maniyams and ready-money allowances Rs. 65-6-0, total Rs. 100-3-0.

A quarter share in a Curnam should receive R. 1, a Munsiff Rs. 3, a Taliari Rs. 2, and a Vettiyan Rs. 2 per mensem, total Rs. 96 per annum.

58. Attipattu, area 677 acres, population 378, revenue Rs. 1,141, has a Curnam, a Munsiff, a Manegar, two Taliaries and a Vettiyan at present. The cess is Rs. 71-5-0, and resumed maniyams and ready-money allowances Rs. 72-1-0, total Rs. 143-6-0.

A quarter share in a Curnam should receive Rs. 1-8-0, a Munsiff Rs. 5, a Taliari Rs. 2-8-0, and a Vettiyan Rs. 2-8-0 per mensem, total Rs. 138 per annum.

59. Nolambur, area 631 acres, population 412, revenue Rs. 1,400, has a half share in a Curnam, a Munsiff, a Manegar, two Taliaries and a Vettiyan at present. The cess is Rs. 87-8-0, and resumed maniyams and ready-money allowances Rs. 179-13-0, total Rs. 267-15-0.

A quarter share in a Curnam should receive Rs. 5, a Munsiff Rs. 6, a Taliari Rs. 3, and a Vettiyan Rs. 3 per mensem; total Rs. 204 per annum.

60. Adaiyalampattu, area 283 acres, population 97, revenue Rs. 346, has a half share in a Curnam, a Munsiff, a Taliari, and a Vettiyan. The cess is Rs. 21-10-0, and resumed maniyams and ready-money allowances Rs. 34-9-0, total Rs. 56-3-0. A quarter share in a Curnam should receive 8 annas, a Munsiff Rs. 2-8-0, and a Taliari Rs. 1-8-0 per mensem, total Rs. 54 per annum. This village cannot afford a Vettiyan.

61. Perumalagaram, area 147 acres, population 142, revenue Rs. 313, has a half share in a Curnam, a Munsiff, a half share in three Taliaries and a Vettiyan, the cess is Rs. 19-9-0 and resumed maniyams and ready-money allowances Rs. 32-1-0, total Rs. 51-10-0. A one-third share in a Curnam should receive 8 annas, a Munsiff Rs. 2, and a Taliari Rs. 1-12-0 per mensem, total Rs. 51 per annum.

62. Ayanambakam, area 1,376 acres, population 1,189, revenue Rs. 2,669, has a half share in a Curnam, a Munsiff, a Manegar, a half share in three Taliaries and three Vettiyan. The cess is Rs. 166-14-0, and resumed maniyams and ready-money allowances Rs. 430-7-0, total Rs. 597-7-0, a one-third share in a Curnam should receive Rs. 6-8-0, a Munsiff Rs. 6, a Manegar Rs. 4, two Taliaries Rs. 3 each, and two Vettiyan Rs. 3 each per mensem, total Rs. 342 per annum.

63. Koladi, area 687 acres, population 676, revenue Rs. 668, has a Curnam, a Munsiff, two Taliaries and a Vettiyan. The cess is Rs. 41-12-0, and resumed maniyams and ready-money allowances Rs. 76-13-0, total Rs. 118-9-0. A one-third share of a Curnam should receive Rs. 1, a Munsiff Rs. 4-8-0, a Taliari Rs. 2, and a Vettiyan Rs. 2 per mensem, total Rs. 114 per annum.

64. Mugaper, area 1,111 acres, population 898, revenue Rs. 2,290, has a half share in a Curnam, a Munsiff, a Manegar, four Taliaries and one Vettiyan at present. The cess is Rs. 143-2-0, and resumed maniyams and ready-money allowances Rs. 177-3-0, total Rs. 320-5-0. A half share in a Curnam should receive Rs. 5, a Munsiff Rs. 6, a Manegar Rs. 4, a Taliari Rs. 3, and two Vettiyan Rs. 3 each per mensem, total Rs. 288 per annum.

65. Padi, area 763 acres, population 374, revenue Rs. 960, has a Curnam, a Munsiff, a Manegar, two Taliaries and one Vettiyan at present, the cess is Rs. 60 and resumed maniyams and ready-money allowances Rs. 122-14-0, total Rs. 182-14-0. A half share in a Curnam should receive Rs. 3, a Munsiff Rs. 6, a Taliari Rs. 3, and a Vettiyan Rs. 3 per mensem, total Rs. 180 per annum.

66. Nadavakarai, area 324 acres, population 23, revenue Rs. 347, has a half share in a Curnam, a one-third share in a Munsiff, a Taliari and a Vettiyan at present. The cess is Rs. 21-11-0, and resumed maniyams and ready-money allowances Rs. 26-14-0, total Rs. 48-9-0. A one-fifth share in a Curnam should receive Rs. 1, a one-third share in a Munsiff Rs. 1, and a Taliari Rs. 2 per mensem, total Rs. 48 per annum.

67. Arumbakam, area 475 acres, population 401, revenue Rs. 753, has a half share in a Curnam, a one-third share in a Munsiff, a Taliari and a Vettiyan at present. The cess is Rs. 47-1-0, and resumed maniyams and ready-money allowances Rs. 105-11-0, total Rs. 152-12-0. A one-fifth share in a Curnam should receive Rs. 3,

a one-third share in a Munsiff Rs. 3, a Taliari Rs. 3, and a Vettiyan Rs. 3, per mensem, total Rs. 144 per annum.

68. Vadaagaram, area 119 acres, population 31, revenue Rs. 112, has a one-third share in a Curnam, a one-third share in a Munsiff, a one-third share in a Taliari, and a one-third share in a Vettiyan at present. The cess is Rs. 7 and resumed maniyams and ready-money allowances Rs. 18-12-0, total Rs. 25-12-0.

A one-fifth share in a Curnam should receive 8 annas, a one-third share in a Munsiff 8 annas, and a Taliari Rs. 1 per mensem, total Rs. 24 per annum.

69. Periyakudal, area 270 acres, population 28, revenue Rs. 342, has a one-third share in a Curnam, a half share in a Munsiff, a one-third share in a Taliari, and a one-third share in a Vettiyan at present. The cess is Rs. 21-6-0 and resumed maniyams and ready-money allowances Rs. 60-6-0, total Rs. 81-12-0.

A one-fifth share in a Curnam should receive Rs. 2, a half share in a Munsiff Rs. 2, and a Taliari Rs. 2-8-0 per mensem, total Rs. 78 per annum.

70. Aminjikarai, area 255 acres, population 1,176, revenue Rs. 358, has the same establishment as above at present. The cess is Rs. 22-6-0 and resumed maniyams and ready-money allowances Rs. 59-0-0, total Rs. 81-6-0.

A one-fifth share in a Curnam should receive Rs. 1-8-0, a half share in a Munsiff Rs. 2-8-0, and a Taliari Rs. 2-8-0 per mensem, total Rs. 78 per annum.

71. Senjeri, area 103 acres, population 21, revenue Rs. 94, has a half share in a Curnam, a half share in a Munsiff, a Taliari, and a half share in a Vettiyan at present. The cess is Rs. 5-13-0 and the resumed maniyams and ready-money allowances are Rs. 8-8-0, total Rs. 14-5-0.

A quarter share in a Curnam should receive 8 annas, a half share in a Munsiff 8 annas, and a Taliari Rs. 1 per mensem, total Rs. 24 per annum, the balance of Rs. 9-11-0 to be paid from the general fund.

72. Viruganbakam, area 670 acres, population 931, revenue Rs. 1,254, has a Curnam, a half share in a Munsiff, a Manegar, two Taliaries and a Vettiyan at present. The cess is Rs. 78-6-0 and resumed maniyams and ready-money allowances Rs. 154-15-0, total Rs. 233-5-0.

A quarter share in a Curnam should receive Rs. 4, a half share in a Munsiff Rs. 5-8-0, two Taliaries Rs. 3 each, and a Vettiyan Rs. 3 per mensem, total Rs. 222 per annum.

73. Saligramam, area 618 acres, population 963, revenue Rs. 983, has a Curnam, a Munsiff, a Manegar, two Taliaries and three Vettiyan at present.

The cess is Rs. 61-8-0 and resumed maniyams and ready-money allowances Rs. 70-0-0, total Rs. 131-8-0.

A quarter share in a Curnam should receive R. 1, a Munsiff Rs. 5, a Taliari Rs. 2-8-0 and a Vettiyan Rs. 2-8-0 per mensem, total Rs. 132 per annum, the balance of 8 annas to be paid from the general fund.

74. Valasaravakam, area 736 acres, population 432, revenue Rs. 991, has a half share in a Curnam, a Munsiff, a Manegar, two Taliaries and one Vettiyan at present. The cess is Rs. 61-15-0 and resumed maniyams and ready-money allowances Rs. 146-6-0, total Rs. 208-5-0.

A quarter share in a Curnam should receive Rs. 2-8-0, a Munsiff Rs. 6, a Taliari Rs. 3, and a Vettiyan Rs. 3 per mensem, total Rs. 174 per annum.

75. Maduravayal, area 1,180 acres, population 816, revenue Rs. 1,967, has two Curnams, a Munsiff, a Manegar, two Taliaries and two Vettiyan at present. The cess is Rs. 120 and resumed maniyams and ready-money allowances Rs. 282-12-0, total Rs. 405-12-0.

This village, No. 22 in the Map, can afford a full establishment to itself paid at the maxima rates; viz.

1 Curnam 8 Rs.
1 Munsiff 6 „
1 Manegar 4 „
2 Taliaries 3 „ each
2 Vettiyan 3 „ „

per mensem, total Rs. 360 per annum.

76. Vanagaram, area 617 acres, population 602, revenue Rs. 1,694, has a Curnam, a Munsiff, a Manegar, a half share in a Taliari and a half share in two Vettiyan at present. The cess is Rs. 105-14-0 and resumed maniyams and ready-money allowances Rs. 168-5-0, total Rs. 274-3-0.

Vanagaram, Sivabutam, Settiyaragaram and Karambakam, No. 23 in the Map, have been amalgamated to form a Curnam's charge, the full salary of a Curnam, 8 Rs., has been apportioned between these 4 villages.

A one-fourth share in a Curnam should receive Rs. 3-8-0, a Munsiff Rs. 6, a Manegar Rs. 4, a Taliari Rs. 3 and two Vettiyan Rs. 3 each per mensem, total Rs. 270 per annum.

77. Sivabutam, area 161 acres, population 157, revenue Rs. 265, has a half share in a Curnam, a Munsiff, a half share in a Taliari and a half share in two Vettiyan at present. The cess is Rs. 16-9-0 and the resumed maniyams and ready-money allowances Rs. 44-8-0, total Rs. 61-1-0.

A one-fourth share in a Curnam should receive 8 annas, a Munsiff Rs. 2-8-0 and a Taliari Rs. 2 per mensem, total Rs. 60 per annum.

78. Settiyaragaram, area 160 acres, population 305, revenue Rs. 566, has a half share in a Curnam, a Munsiff, two Taliaries and a Vettiyan at present. The cess is Rs. 35-6-0 and resumed maniyams and ready-money allowances Rs. 80, total Rs. 115-6-0.

A one-fourth share in a Curnam should receive Rs. 2, a Munsiff Rs. 3-8-0, a Taliari Rs. 2, and a Vettiyan Rs. 2 per mensem, total Rs. 114 per annum.

79. Karambakam, area 264 acres, population 195, revenue Rs. 531, has a Curnam, a Munsiff, a Manegar, a Taliari and a one-third share in Vettiyan at present. The cess is Rs. 33-3-0 and resumed maniyams and ready-money allowances Rs. 58-9-0, total Rs. 91-12-0.

A one-fourth share in a Curnam should receive R. 1, a Munsiff Rs. 3-8-0, a Taliari Rs. 1-8-0 and a Vettiyan Rs. 1-8-0 per mensem, total Rs. 90 per annum.

80. Tundalam, area 218 acres, population 626, revenue Rs. 349, has a one-third share in a Curnam, a Munsiff, a Taliari and a Vettiyan at present. The cess is Rs. 21-13-0 and resumed maniyams and ready-money allowances Rs. 40-13-0, total Rs. 62-10-0.

Tundalam, Aiyapantangal and Settiyaragaram, No. 24 in the Map, are under one Curnam's charge at present and it is proposed to retain them so.

A one-third share in a Curnam should receive R. 1, a Munsiff Rs. 2-8-0, and a Taliari Rs. 1-8-0 per mensem, total Rs. 60 per annum.

81. Aiyapantangal, area 340 acres, population 230, revenue Rs. 865, has a one-third share in a Curnam, a Munsiff, a Taliari and a Vettiyan at present. The cess is Rs. 54-1-0 and resumed maniyams and ready-money allowances Rs. 118-7-0, total Rs. 172-8-0.

A one-third share in a Curnam should receive Rs. 4, a Munsiff Rs. 4, a Taliari Rs. 3, and a Vettiyan Rs. 3 each per mensem, total Rs. 168 per annum.

82. Telliagararam, area 180 acres, population 156, revenue Rs. 219, has a one-third share in a Curnam, a half share in a Munsiff, a Taliari and a Vettiyan at present. The cess is Rs. 13-11-0 and resumed maniyams and ready-money allowances Rs. 41-15-0, total Rs. 55-10-0.

A one-third share in a Curnam, should receive R. 1, a Munsiff Rs. 2, and a Taliari Rs. 1-8-0 per mensem, total Rs. 54 per annum.

83. To summarize the foregoing, it is proposed to reduce 46 Curnams to 24, 55 Munsiffs to 51, 28 Manegars to 13, to dispense with 11 Nottams, to reduce 88 Taliaries to 77 and to add one to the 50 Vettiyan. It will be noted that whenever a Manegar has been retained, a second Vettiyan has been provided for him.

84. The full amount of the service cess has been expended in every village, and in 59 villages the deficiency of the cess has been more or less supplemented from the assets of resumed maniyams and ready-money allowances of those villages; in ten of the poorer villages there is still a deficiency after expending all available assets and in these a trifle has been added from general savings.

85. Though the establishment provided is ample, and though the Munsiffs and Manegars are to be paid, it costs but Rs. 526 more than at present, and there is a net saving of Rs. 2,715 to the credit of the general fund.

86. With this the salaries of the lower paid subordinates can be supplemented if needed, when the establishment for the entire District has been determined, and the total surplus is known.

87. No provision is here made for nirkatties as they are not required in the poorly irrigated villages reported on, but in some parts of every District the services of these men are important, and provision should be made for them in irrigated villages, wherever the funds admit; their pay might be a trifle lower than that of the Vettiyan.

88. The following Statement exhibits the present and proposed establishments for these 69 villages.

Designation.	Former Establishment.		Proposed Establishment.			
	Number.	Emoluments.	Number.	Monthly Salary.		Annual Cost.
		Rs.		Rs.	As.	Rs.
Curnams	...	...	16	8	0	1,536
	...	...	2	7	8	180
	...	...	2	7	0	168
	...	...	1	6	8	78
	...	...	2	6	0	144
	...	...	1	3	0	36
	46	4,374	24	...	...	2,142
Munsiffs	...	...	21	6	0	1,512
	...	...	2	5	8	192
	...	...	5	5	0	300
	...	...	4	4	8	216
	...	...	2	4	0	96
	...	...	3	3	8	126
	...	...	5	3	0	180
	...	...	5	2	8	150
	...	...	4	2	0	96
	55	...	51	...	...	2,808
Manegars	...	...	12	4	0	576
	...	...	1	3	0	36
	28	...	13	...	...	612

Designation.	Former Establishment.		Proposed Establishment.			
	Number.	Emola-ments.	Number.	Monthly Salary.		Annual Cost.
		Rs.		Rs.	A.	Rs.
	...	...	41	3	0	1,476
	...	...	9	2	8	270
	...	...	10	2	0	240
Taliaries ...	...	...	2	1	12	42
	...	...	6	1	8	108
	...	...	1	1	4	15
	...	...	8	1	0	96
	88	3,441	77	...	...	2,247
Vettiyans ...	...	...	41	3	0	1,476
	...	...	7	2	8	210
	...	...	6	2	0	144
	...	...	3	1	8	54
	56	1,178	57	...	...	1,884
Nottams ...	11	230	...	...	...	...
Total ...	284	9,223	222	...	...	9,693

I have the honor to be,

Sir,

Your most obedient servant,

R. K. PUCKLE,

Ag. 3rd Member, Revenue Board,
in charge of the Settlement Department.

Statement showing the several Establishments of Curuams, Munsiffs, Manegars, Taluaries and Vettiyanas proposed, with Assets and Expenditure for 69 Villages of the Sydoptel Taluq of the Chingleput District.

Curram's charge.	VILLAGES.	3	PROPOSED EXPENDITURE.												REMARKS.
			Curuams.			Munsiffs.			Manegars.			Taluaries.			Total Annual cost.
			Number.	Monthly salary.	Annual cost.	Number.	Monthly salary.	Annual cost.	Number.	Monthly salary.	Annual cost.	Number.	Monthly salary.	Annual cost.	
1	2	Rs. A.	Rs. A.	Rs.	Rs. A.	Rs. A.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs. A.	Rs. A.	Rs.	Rs. A.	Rs. A.	Rs.	11
1	Kativrakem ...	76	10	1	3	0	36	1	2	0	24	1	4	15	Rs. A. 75 1 10
2	Tiruvotiur ...	284	1	4	0	48	1	6	0	72	1	3	0	36	Rs. 276 8 1
	Satanakadu ...	292	11	4	0	48	1	6	0	72	1	3	0	36	Rs. 276 16 11
	Total...	576	12	1	8	0	96	2	...	144	2	...	...	72	Rs. 552 24 12
3	Sadayankupam ...	166	1	3	0	36	1	5	8	66	...	1	2	8	Rs. 162 4 1
	Kadapakam ...	329	0	5	0	60	1	6	0	72	...	2	3	0	Rs. 240 89 0
	Total...	495	1	1	8	0	96	2	...	138	...	3	...	102	Rs. 402 93 1
4	Kosapur ...	132	13	3	0	36	1	3	0	36	...	1	2	8	Rs. 132 0 13
	Manjambakam ...	90	15	2	0	24	1	2	8	30	...	1	1	8	Rs. 90 0 15
	Matir ...	183	4	3	0	36	1	6	0	72	...	1	3	0	Rs. 180 3 4
	Total...	407	0	1	8	0	96	2	...	138	...	3	...	84	Rs. 402 5 0
5	Sirugavur ...	105	15	1	4	15	1	1	4	15	...	1	3	0	Rs. 102 3 15
	Vilangalupakam ...	539	6	5	12	69	1	3	12	45	1	4	0	48	Rs. 72 806 233 6
	Payasambakam ...	98	4	1	0	12	1	1	0	12	...	1	3	0	Rs. 96 2 4
	Total...	743	9	1	8	0	96	1	...	72	1	...	...	144	Rs. 504 239 9

		87	0	1	1	0	12	3	1	2	0	24	...	...	...	1	2	0	24	1	2	0	24	84	3	0
6	Palavoyal ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Tirugaiyanpattu ...	42	7	1	0	8	6	1	1	0	12	...	...	...	...	1	2	0	24	...	...	...	42	0	7	
	Layan ...	243	7	4	0	48	1	4	0	48	...	...	...	...	...	2	3	0	36	1	3	0	204	39	7	
	Attirakam ...	78	2	1	0	8	6	1	1	0	12	...	...	...	...	1	2	8	30	1	2	8	78	0	2	
	Alivakam ...	122	10	2	0	24	1	1	0	12	...	...	...	...	...	1	3	0	36	1	3	0	108	14	10	
	Total...	573	10	1	3	0	96	2	...	108	...	...	...	...	...	6	...	...	126	4	...	...	516	57	10	
7	Naravakupam	17	2	1	0	4	3	1	0	4	3	...	...	...	...	1	1	0	12	...	...	...	18	...	...	
	Tadakkalan	121	15	2	2	12	33	1	4	4	51	...	...	...	...	1	3	0	36	...	...	...	120	1	15	
	Vadakarai	60	2	1	0	8	6	1	0	8	6	...	...	...	...	1	3	0	36	...	...	...	48	2	2	
	Settinadu	44	2	1	0	8	6	1	0	8	6	...	...	...	...	1	2	8	30	...	...	...	42	2	2	
	Vadapurambakam	220	1	1	3	8	42	1	3	0	48	1	3	0	36	1	2	8	30	2	2	8	60	216	4	
	Total...	453	6	1	7	8	90	2	...	114	1	...	...	...	...	36	5	...	144	2	...	...	60	444	9	
8	Polal	719	13	1	8	0	96	1	6	0	72	1	4	0	48	2	3	0	72	2	3	0	360	339	13	
9	Kattirivedu	86	7	1	2	0	24	1	3	0	36	...	...	...	...	1	2	0	24	...	...	...	84	2	7	
	Surapattu	152	3	4	0	48	1	2	8	30	...	...	...	...	...	1	3	0	36	1	3	0	150	2	3	
	Eravakupam	6	15	1	0	8	6	1	0	8	6	...	...	...	...	1	1	0	12	...	...	...	24	...	...	
	Total...	245	9	1	6	8	78	2	...	72	...	...	...	...	...	3	...	...	72	1	...	...	36	258	12	
10	Pannadukulam	232	10	1	7	0	84	1	6	0	72	...	...	...	...	1	3	0	36	1	3	0	228	4	10	
11	Madavarani	389	2	1	8	0	96	1	4	0	72	1	4	0	48	2	3	0	72	2	3	0	360	639	2	
	Vilakurpatti	22	13	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	22	
	Total...	1,021	15	1	8	0	96	1	6	0	72	1	...	...	...	48	2	...	72	2	...	...	72	360	661	
12	Selavayal	127	8	1	1	0	12	1	3	8	42	...	...	...	...	1	3	0	36	1	3	0	36	126	1	
	Kodigaiyur	335	2	4	5	0	60	1	4	0	66	1	4	0	48	1	3	0	36	2	3	0	72	282	53	
	Jambuli	23	15	1	0	8	6	1	0	8	6	...	...	...	...	3	1	1	12	...	...	...	...	24	...	
	Eravakur	65	2	1	1	0	12	1	2	8	30	...	...	...	...	1	2	0	24	...	...	...	66	0		
	Total...	552	11	1	7	8	90	3	...	144	1	...	...	...	...	48	4	...	108	3	...	...	108	498	54	

Assets over-spent by 1 anna.

Assets over-spent by Rs. 17.1.

Assets over-spent by 14 annas.

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Statement showing the several Establishments of Curams, Munsiffs, Managers, Taluaries and Vettiyans proposed, with Assets and Expenditure for 69 Villages of the Sydapel Taluk of the Chingleput District.

VILLAGES.			PROPOSED EXPENDITURE.												REMARKS.								
			Curams.			Munsiffs.			Managers.			Tahsildars.				Vettiyans.							
			Number.		Annual cost.	Number.		Monthly salary.	Annual cost.	Number.		Monthly salary.	Annual cost.	Number.		Monthly salary.	Annual cost.						
			Rs.	A.	Rs.	A.	Rs.	A.	Rs.	A.	Rs.	A.	Rs.	A.		Rs.	A.	Rs.	A.				
1	Curam's charge.	2	3	Available assets including allowances, ready-money of resumed maniamams.*												10	11						
13	Pervalur ...	...	188 12	4	4 8	54	1	5 0	60	...	...	...	1	3 0	36	1	3 0	36	186	2	12	Assets over-spent by 13 annas.	
	Sembiyam ...	...	41 3	4	0 8	6	1	2 0	24	...	...	...	1	1 0	12	...	...	...	42	...	...		4
	Siruvallur ...	...	25 4	4	0 8	6	1	0 8	6	...	...	...	1	1 0	12	...	...	...	24	1	...		
	Sirua Sembrambakam ...	...	27 0	4	0 8	6	1	2 0	24	...	...	...	1	1 0	12	...	...	...	42	...	...		
	Total...	...	282 3	1	6 0	72	3	...	114	...	...	...	4	...	...	...	...	...	294	...	...		
14	Konnur ...	...	249 12	1	5 0	60	1	6 0	72	...	...	...	1	3 0	36	1	3 0	36	204	45	12	Assets over-spent by Rs. 15.	
	Villivakam ...	...	161 13	1	2 0	24	1	5 0	60	...	...	...	1	3 0	36	1	3 0	36	156	5	13		
	Mullam ...	...	45 13	1	1 0	12	1	1 0	12	...	...	...	1	1 12	21	...	...	...	45	0	13		
	Total...	...	457 6	1	8 0	96	2	...	144	...	...	...	3	...	...	...	...	...	405	52	6		
15	Korattur ...	...	1,063 4	1	8 0	96	1	6 0	72	1	4 0	48	2	3 0	72	2	3 0	72	360	703	4	Assets over-spent by 3 annas.	
16	Menambadu ...	...	83 15	1	0 12	12	1	3 0	36	...	...	...	1	1 8	18	1	1 8	18	84	...	...		
	Patravakam ...	...	160 14	1	3 0	36	1	4 0	48	...	...	...	1	3 0	36	1	3 0	36	156	4	14		
	Ambattur ...	...	227 9	1	4 0	48	1	5 0	60	1	4 0	48	1	2 0	24	2	2 0	48	228	...	...		
	Total...	...	472 6	1	8 0	96	3	...	144	1	...	48	3	...	...	...	...	...	468	4	6	Assets over-spent by 7 annas.	

17	Mannur ...	100 3	1	1 0	12	1	3 0	36	...	...	...	1	2 0	24	1	2 0	24	96	4	3	Assets over-spent by 13 annas.
	Atipattu ...	143 6	1	1 8	18	1	5 0	60	...	...	...	1	2 8	30	1	2 8	30	188	5	6	Assets over-spent by 13 annas.
	Kolombur ...	267 5	1	5 0	60	1	6 0	72	...	...	...	1	3 0	36	1	3 0	36	204	63	5	Assets over-spent by 13 annas.
	Adayalampattu ...	56 3	1	0 8	6	1	2 8	30	...	...	...	1	1 8	18	...	...	...	54	2	3	Assets over-spent by 13 annas.
	Total ...	567 1	1	8 0	96	4	...	198	...	...	...	4	...	...	...	...	...	492	75	1	Assets over-spent by 13 annas.
18	Perumalaguram ...	51 10	1	0 8	6	1	2 0	24	...	...	...	1	1 12	21	...	...	...	51	0	10	Assets over-spent by 13 annas.
	Ayanambakam ...	597 7	1	6 8	78	1	6 0	72	1	4 0	48	2	3 0	72	2	3 0	72	342	255	7	Assets over-spent by 13 annas.
	Koladi ...	118 9	1	1 0	12	1	4 8	54	...	...	...	1	2 0	24	1	2 0	24	114	4	9	Assets over-spent by 13 annas.
	Total ...	767 10	1	8 0	96	3	...	180	1	...	48	4	...	...	...	...	...	607	290	10	Assets over-spent by 13 annas.
19	Magaper ...	320 5	1	5 0	60	1	6 0	72	1	4 0	48	1	3 0	36	2	3 0	36	258	32	5	Assets over-spent by 13 annas.
	Padi ...	182 14	1	3 0	36	1	6 0	72	...	...	...	1	3 0	36	1	3 0	36	180	2	14	Assets over-spent by 13 annas.
	Total ...	503 3	1	8 0	96	2	...	144	1	...	48	2	...	...	...	...	...	408	35	3	Assets over-spent by 13 annas.
20	Nadavakur ...	48 9	1	1 0	12	1	1 0	12	...	...	...	1	2 0	24	...	...	...	48	0	9	Assets over-spent by 13 annas.
	Arumbakam ...	132 12	1	3 0	36	1	3 0	36	...	...	...	1	3 0	36	1	3 0	36	144	8	12	Assets over-spent by 13 annas.
	Vadagavan ...	25 12	1	0 8	6	1	0 8	6	...	...	...	1	1 0	12	...	...	...	24	1	12	Assets over-spent by 13 annas.
	Periyekudal ...	81 12	1	2 0	24	1	2 0	24	...	...	...	1	2 8	30	...	...	...	78	2	12	Assets over-spent by 13 annas.
	Aninjikarai ...	81 6	1	1 8	18	1	2 8	30	...	...	...	1	2 8	30	...	...	...	78	3	6	Assets over-spent by 13 annas.
	Total ...	350 3	1	8 0	96	2	...	108	...	...	...	5	...	...	...	...	...	372	18	3	Assets over-spent by 13 annas.
21	Senjeri ...	14 5	1	0 8	6	1	0 8	6	...	...	...	1	1 0	12	...	...	...	24	...	...	Assets over-spent by 13 annas.
	Virugambakam ...	233 5	1	4 0	48	1	5 8	66	...	...	...	2	3 0	72	1	3 0	36	232	11	5	Assets over-spent by 13 annas.
	Satigeman ...	131 8	1	1 0	12	1	5 0	60	...	...	...	1	2 8	30	1	2 8	30	132	...	...	Assets over-spent by 13 annas.
	Valasaravakam ...	208 5	1	2 8	30	1	6 0	72	...	...	...	1	3 0	36	1	3 0	36	174	34	5	Assets over-spent by 13 annas.
	Total ...	587 7	1	8 0	96	3	...	204	...	...	...	5	...	...	...	...	...	552	35	7	Assets over-spent by 13 annas.
22	Maduravayal ...	405 12	1	8 0	96	1	6 0	72	1	4 0	48	2	3 0	72	2	3 0	72	360	45	12	Assets over-spent by 13 annas.

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Statement showing the several Establishments of Curans, Muniffs, Manegars, Taluaries and Vettiyans proposed, with Assets and Expenditure for 69 Villages of the Sydapet Taluk of the Chingleput District.

PROPOSED EXPENDITURE.																	REMARKS.
VILLAGES.																	
Curans.			Munsifs.			Manegars.			Taliars.			Vettiyans.			Total Annual cost.	Saving from total assets.	
Number.	Monthly salary.	Annual cost.	Number.	Monthly salary.	Annual cost.	Number.	Monthly salary.	Annual cost.	Number.	Monthly salary.	Annual cost.	Number.	Monthly salary.	Annual cost.			
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18
23	Vanagaram ...	Rs. 274	Rs. 3 8	Rs. 42	Rs. 1 6	Rs. 72	Rs. 1 4	Rs. 48	Rs. 1 3	Rs. 36	Rs. 2 3	Rs. 0 72	Rs. 4 3	Rs. 1 1	Rs. 60	Rs. 1 1	Rs. 1 6
	Sivabaram ...	61	1 4	6	1 2	8 30	...	...	1 2	0 24	...	...	...	...	...	...	1 6
	Shettiyaagaram ...	115	6 4	24	1 3	8 42	...	...	1 2	0 24	1 2	0 24	1 1	8 90	1 18	1 12	1 12
	Karanbakam ...	91	12 4	1 0	12 1	3 8 42	...	...	1 1	8 18	1 1	8 18	1 1	8 90	1 18	1 12	1 12
	Total...	542	1 7	0 84	4 4	...	186	1	...	48	4	...	102	4	...	114	584
24	Tundakam ...	62	10 1	1 0	12 1	2 8 30	...	...	1 1	8 18	...	...	...	...	...	60	2 10
	Alyapantangal ...	152	8 3	4 0	48 1	4 0 48	...	...	1 3	0 35	1 3	0 36	163	...	...	...	...
	Teliyaaragaram ...	55	10 1	1 0	12 1	2 0 24	...	...	1 1	8 18	...	...	...	...	...	54	1 10
	Total...	270	12 1	6 0	72 3	...	102	...	3	...	72	1	...	...	...	36	...
	Grand Total...	12,408	3 24	...	2,132	51	...	2,808	13	...	612	77	...	2,247	57	...	1,884
																	9,693
																	2,715
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R. K. PUCKLE,
Acting 3rd Member, Rev. Board, in charge of the Settlement Office.

REVENUE SETTLEMENT OFFICE,
CHINGLEPUT, CHINGLEPUT,
3rd June, 1875.

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Proceedings of the Board of Revenue
Dated 22nd June 1875, No. 1733

Read letter from the
Director of Revenue Settlement
dated 3rd June 1875 No. 1077 E
reporting on the village
Establishments of 69 villages
of Sydapet Taluk, Chingleput
District.

In this letter the Acting
Director of Revenue Settlement
submits a scheme
for the revision of the
Village Establishments
in 69 villages of the Syd-
apet Taluk, intended
to meet the recent
orders of Govern-
ment as to the mode
in

in which such schemes
are to be framed.

2. Mr Puckle's proposals
are made after care-
ful considerations
of the situation and
circumstances of
each Village dealt
with, and so as to
do as little violence
as possible to the exis-
ting distribution
of and vested rights
in village Offices.

Every village which
has hitherto en-
joyed a separate
existence as a
Community.

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Community under
a separate village
head is retained
as a separate unit,
and clustering
of villages is pro-
posed only as
regards the office
of karnam. To
this extent it is
necessary in or-
der to obtain suf-
ficient charges
for these offi-
cers and in or-
der to provide
for

for their adequate
salaries.

3. The scheme of Es-
tablishment and
salaries is framed
strictly with reference
to the assets of each
village whether from
service cess, proceeds
of enfranchised
inams, or ready
money allowances &
hitherto made by
Government to the
village; the full
salaries which
such assets will
admit

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with admit of being assigned
within a certain maximum which
Mr Puckle takes to be that which
the village producing the largest
sum in cess can maintain from
cess proceeds alone. There is then
no abstract scale with reference
to population and revenue, such
as have hitherto been kept in view
in other Districts in which revisions
have been proposed or carried out.
Mr Puckle's plan secures that
there shall not be a surplus of
cess in any village; but in dis-
tricts or tracts in which large
or wealthy villages are numerous
it will result in a large surplus
in the general fund constituted
from enfranchised inams and
ready money allowances. The
full establishment which Mr
Puckle takes as a maximum is given as

para. 13 of his report. Where the villages are clubbed to form a Karanam's charge, the contributions of each village towards his salary are roughly proportioned to the total assessed in each. A surplus of Rs. 2715 remains in the general fund, to be apportioned hereafter should it not be required in other parts of the district.

4. The proposals are summarized in para 88, and in the statement appended, and the report is so complete in detail that the Board have nothing to add. It is observed however that no reference is made to the requirement of G. O. 3rd April 1875 No. 523, Viz, that the amount to be levied in cess shall

shall not exceed that now paid in customary fees superseded on the introduction. This is insisted on, would probably render revision impracticable altogether.

/True Extract/

H. H. H.
City Secretary.

To

The Secretary to
Government R. D.
with a map and printed
copy of Director's Report.

[Signature]
Oct 13 1875

No. 2560

From

Date _____

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FOR ORDERS

These proposals seem
 fair. The objection
 and may be sanctioned
 for adoption.

I agree with Mr. Gadsden
and do sanction Mr.
Puckler's proposal

RM

We sanction - as
regards the double
entry - the same does

for application.
that he has the right
the provision for himself
in addition to his wife
and also in the right
the small farm of the
18th Dec. 1850 & 3
Apr. 75. I do not
performed uprice
in the act. n. of the
57 is not put up with

6-0 7 July 1898 #71-72
 93 March 74 - 208-6
 7 April 75 - 645 lbs
 2 May - 43
 5 May - 46-47

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Proceedings of the
Board of Directors

Dated. 22nd June 1895
 Dated. 22nd " "
 Paid 5th July
 Paid.

Vol. 13182. September 1875

Village Etahliumth

in 09 village of Syddet-
taby Chief of the District
letter from Smith of House
of Lords submitting a plan
for the revision of — so as to
meet the recent orders of
Government as to the mode
in which such returns
are to be framed, submit-
ted to Government with
remarks.

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the papers.

It will be standing
rule that the
depends on the construction
or application of the Act.
App. will be cited to the
the papers (not a massive
vol. of the Acts from 1800
down).

The Village of
in Chinghapah. Law
fallen into such a state
of disorder that the
income from fees is
almost a small sum.
I suppose the S.D. must
have a special order
for the possibility of reform
or amendment. I don't

know of it - as
frequently reported
to me - The Pro: of
Govt. has included
the minutes of
members of the
tribe - This will
settle matter has been
fully discussed & the
minutes on 21st March
in 1871 - The Pro: 30

Thanks to the letter of the Act
I have the first of the
H.A.

Not I think forbid - Mr. Smith & Co.
instruct the Pro: that as a rule the
the Act of the Congress & one
more known we have been
more useful than revolutionary
subject of the Clay Park
of S.D. 3rd April (as I have seen in
previous minutes) & will draw it

The law was passed because the cash
(50 years ago) fees had ceased

I will add - The Pro: of the Act
the Pro: as to the effect of the 2nd of Feb.
3 April 1871 & will no longer insist
the condition of the Act.

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Proceedings of the Madras Forum

Madras date the 2nd Sep 1875

Read the following Resolution

Resolved

H. E. 22nd June 1875

With them Proceedings

the Board of Res.

submit a scheme

drawn up by

Mr. Puckle for the

revision of village

establishments in a

portion of the Chingleput

District

The scheme has been

carefully framed so

as to secure a minimum

of disturbance to the

existing village system

compatible with the

organization of the

district village

submitting a scheme for the revision of village establishments in 65 villages of Chingleput District. To be

FOR ORDERS.

Village Establishments
of Chingleput
District

The Board has
placed on my
order papers
in the order
which is
demandable
to be worked
to include
where just
had been
the Chingleput

Establishment; this
Meeting the Governor
in Council resolves
transmission it for adoption

with reference
para 4. of their Res.
it is observed that
the Board have
placed an erroneous
interpretation on p. 2

3^d April 1895
No 523. which does
not limit the cap
to imposed under
the act 5 per
an hour paid, but

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Expendt includes those
which are demanded
even though at
present with held

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14 To the Board of Revenue
13 To the Officer of Revenue
8 To the Accountant General

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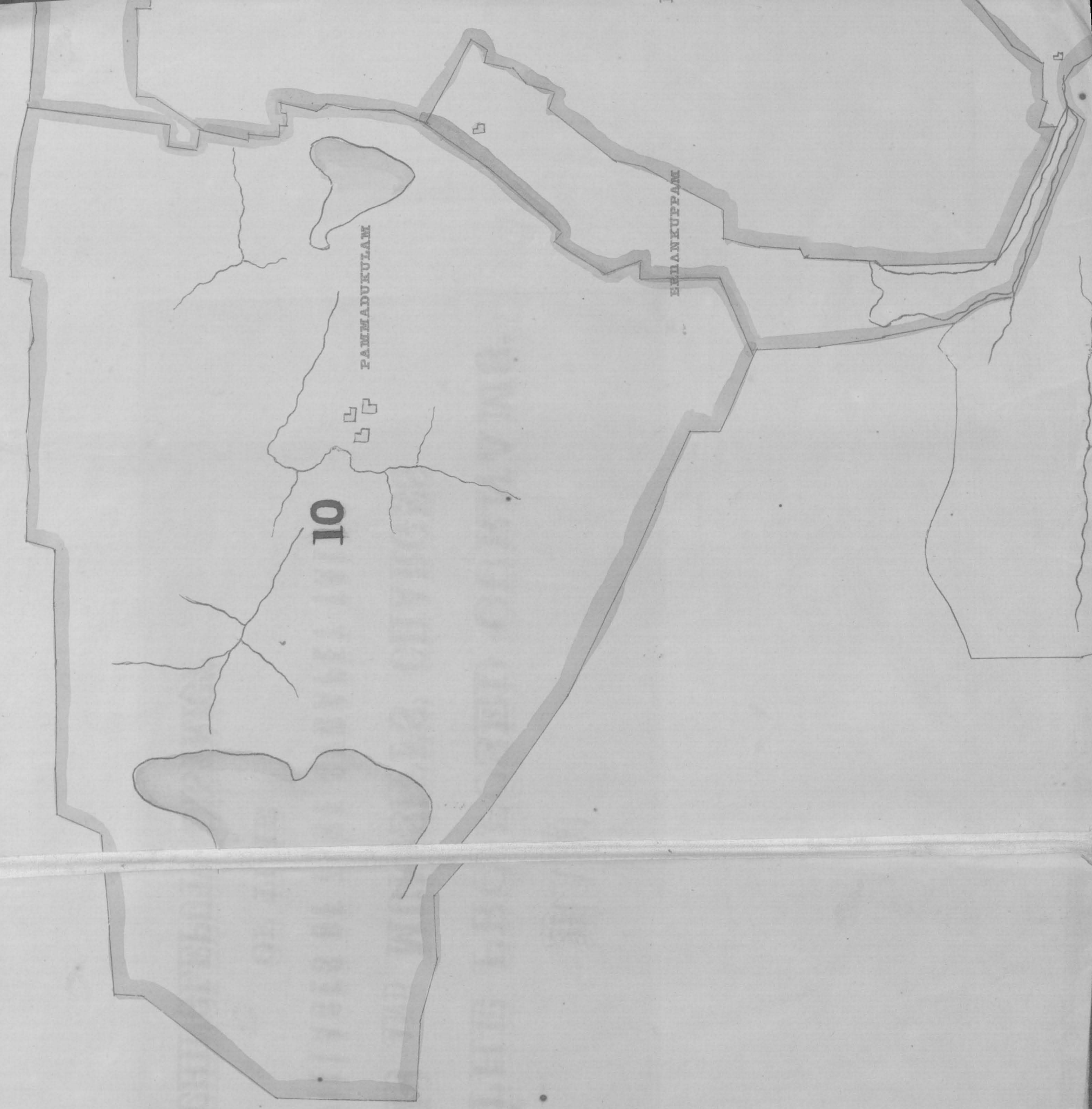
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**SHOWING THE PROPOSED CURNAM'S
VATTAMS AND MUNISIFFS' CHARGES
FOR 69 VILLAGES OF THE SYDAPET TALUQ
OF THE
CHINGLEPUT DISTRICT**





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SIRUGAVUR

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VILANKADUPAKAM

PALAVAYAL

TIETAGIRIYANPATTU

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ATTIPAKAM

LAYAM

LAYAN GRANT

ALINJIPAKAM

PAYASAMBAKAM

LAYAN

LAYAN GRANT

7

VADAKARAI

TANDAKKALANE

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FROM NELLORE

KARAVARIYUPPAN

KOSAPPUR

AMULAVAYAL
(SHEO)

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MATTUR

SETTIMEDU

VADAPURAMBAKKAM

MANJAMBAKAM

VILAKKUPPATTI

MADAVARAM

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RED HILLS

9

SURAPATTU

KATTIVERDU

JEMBULI

SELAVAYAL

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KATTIVAKAM

ERANAVUR

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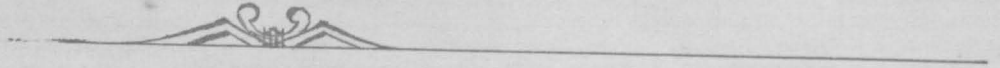
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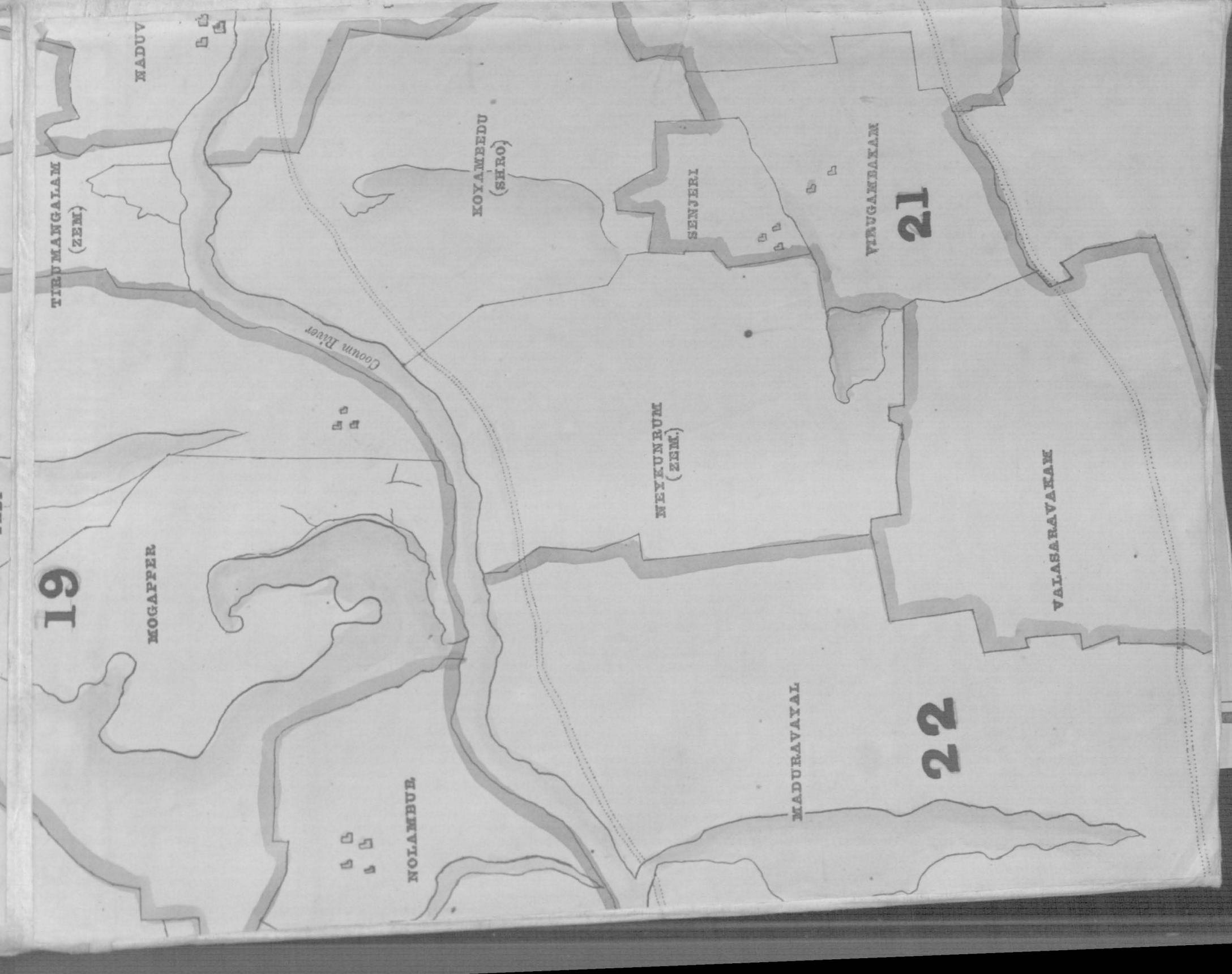
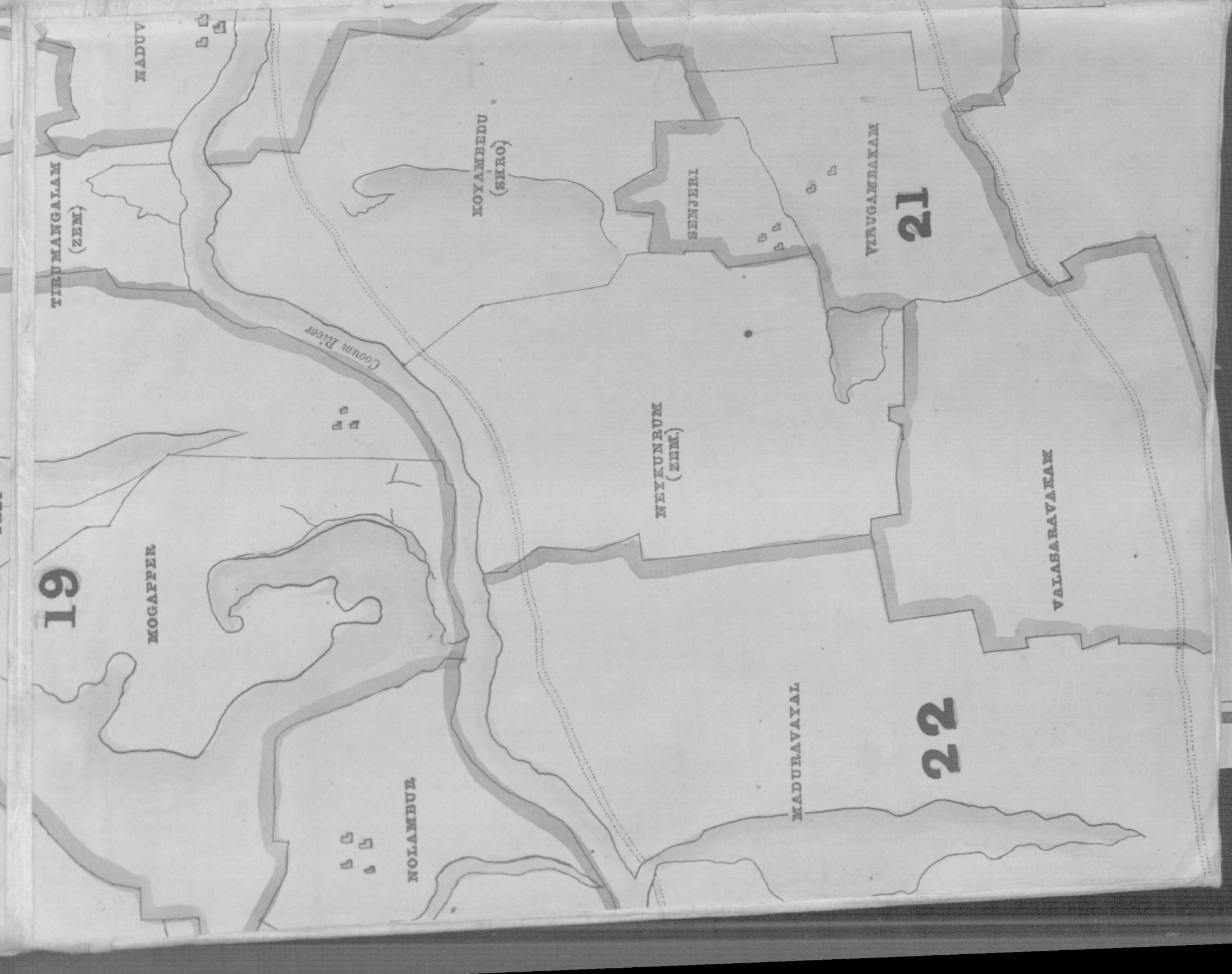
TUNDALAM

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KARAMBAN

KOLADI







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SURAPATTU



Rev 517/75

In a letter from the ag. :
Memb. Board of Rev. in charge
of the ~~mission~~ ^{to the ag. being}
to the B. of November dated
3rd June 1875 No. 1077 E
30th 1875

Rev 2560/75

In Re N 4254/5
2/9/75 - No 1588

