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*Proceedings of the Madras Government, Revenue Department,
16th August 1876.*

No. 156. Read the following Proceedings of the Board of Revenue, dated 24th July 1876, No. 1891 :—

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	RS.
Revenue demand prior to introduction.	7,49,649
Settlement demand for Fasli 1284 inclusive of the instalments of increase leviable for the first year ...	7,28,616
Decrease...	21,033

3. I may mention that the concession thus granted has reduced the settlement demand of Fasli 1284 by Rupees 21,033, but during the first two years more than this deficiency will be made up.

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Cuddapah	16,876	5,420	11,456
Total ...	90,068	29,017	61,051

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5. The addition that would be made to each year's demand, provided no change occurred in the occupation, is rendered in the subjoined abstract:—

Fasli.	Increase over preceding years.	Total.
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1284 ...	12,072	59,855
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1286 ...	11,972	
1287 ...	11,921	
1288 ...	11,874	
1289 ...	6,176	30,213
1290 ...	5,975	
1291 ...	6,042	
1292 ...	6,023	
1293 ...	5,997	
		90,068

6. It will thus be seen that by the end of five years two-thirds of the sum will be realized and the rest by the termination of ten years, after which the settlement assessment will be fully in force.

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From J. H. M. COX, Esq., Deputy Director of Revenue Settlement, Kistna, Kurnool, and Cuddapah Districts, to C. RUNDALL, Esq., Acting Director of Revenue Settlement, dated Cuddapah, 31st May 1876, No. 453-181.

Having now disposed of the statements of the Koilkuntla, Proddatur, and Cuddapah Taluqs and sent back to the Tashildars those which were returned for different corrections, I have the honor to submit herewith abstract statements of the same in the forms appended to your letter of the 15th January, embodied in Board's Proceedings of the 11th March, No. 692, showing how these increments have been apportioned in each taluq over the five and ten years' terms fixed by Government.

2. Increases below 50 per cent. have been spread over five years and all above that over 10, except where such increases are below 3 Rupees on the whole putta or where they resulted from the lands having been transferred from dry to wet, when, of course, the latter assessment would naturally show a great enhancement. In both these cases the increase was made leviable the very first year.

3. It will be seen that the settlement demand realizable in Fasli 1284 shows a very small percentage of decrease in every taluq as compared with the old Revenue assessment, the difference being more than made up in Koilkuntla and Proddatur in one year and Jammalamadugu and Cuddapah in two years.

4. The number of villages affected in each taluq is given below:—

Taluqs.	Total number of Villages in Taluq.	VILLAGES WITH GRADUATED ASSESSMENT.		
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Jammalamadugu ...	107	5	101	106
Proddatur ...	63	3	57	60
Cuddapah ...	124	4	111	115
Total...	378	12	353	365

5. I do not think the statements call for any more remarks.

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Statement showing the portion of the Settlement Demand to be realized gradually and the period over which distributed.

Taluqs.	Total Settlement assessment as introduced.	Settlement demand of the puttas graduated.	Assessment leviable at once.	Amount to be levied by gradual instalments.	DISTRIBUTION OF INSTALMENTS.	
					Five years.	Ten years.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
Kurnool District.						
1. Koilkuntla ...	2,17,497	62,735	36,040	26,695	8,564	18,131
Cuddapah District.						
2. Jammalamadugu ...	1,93,335	62,422	36,736	25,686	8,335	17,351
3. Proddatur ...	1,75,978	50,492	29,681	20,811	6,698	14,113
4. Cuddapah ...	2,19,802	39,730	22,854	16,876	5,420	11,456
Total ...	8,06,612	2,15,379	1,25,311	90,068	29,017	61,051

Cuddapah,
31st May 1876.

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ENCLOSURE 2 IN No. 1.

Statement showing for Puttas, on which the increase by Settlement may have been graduated for realization by yearly increments, the actual increase of assessment to be expected during the currency scale adopted.

Fasli and years.	Koilkuntla.	Jammalamadugu.	Proddatur.	Cuddapah.	Total.	Increase on preceding year.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
New Assessment ...	62,735	62,422	50,492	39,730	2,15,379	...
1284-1874-75 ...	39,634	40,173	32,461	25,115	1,37,383	12,072
1285-1875-76 ...	43,205	43,598	35,231	27,365	1,49,399	12,016
1286-1876-77 ...	46,758	47,013	37,992	29,608	1,61,371	11,972
1287-1877-78 ...	50,287	50,417	40,747	31,841	1,73,292	11,921
1288-1878-79 ...	53,799	53,812	43,480	34,055	1,85,166	11,874
1289-1879-80 ...	55,693	55,544	44,898	35,207	1,91,342	6,176
1290-1880-81 ...	57,000	57,070	46,005	36,345	1,97,317	5,975
1291-1881-82 ...	58,186	58,991	47,703	37,479	2,03,359	6,042
1292-1882-83 ...	60,964	60,710	49,100	38,608	2,09,382	6,023
1293-1883-84 ...	62,735	62,422	50,492	39,730	2,15,379	5,997
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Talugs.	Total Revenue Demand prior to introduction.	New assessment actually introduced.	AMOUNT TO BE REALIZED AT ONCE.			Amount to be realized by instalments.	Settlement Demand for Fasli 1284 as furnished to the Talugs.	DIFFERENCE.	
			Pattas charged in full.	Pattas charged in part.	Total.			Column 8 and 9.	Percentage.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
<i>Kurnool District.</i>									
1. Koilkuntla	1,06,549	2,17,497	1,54,762	36,040	1,90,802	26,695	1,94,396	2,153	— 1
<i>Cuddapah District.</i>									
2. Jammalamadugu	1,78,377	1,93,335	1,30,918	36,736	1,67,654	25,686	1,71,086	7,291	— 4
3. Proddatur	1,63,342	1,75,978	1,25,486	29,681	1,55,167	20,811	1,57,947	5,895	— 3
4. Cuddapah	2,11,381	2,19,802	1,80,072	22,864	2,02,936	16,876	2,03,187	6,194	— 3
Total	7,49,649	8,06,612	5,91,233	1,25,311	7,16,544	90,068	7,38,616	21,038	...

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3. It appears from the statements which accompany the Acting Director's letter that the enhanced assessment to be spread over five years in the above named talugs amounts to Rupees 29,017 and that which is gradually to be brought to account in the course of ten years to Rupees 61,051, the total postponed payments being equal to Rupees 90,068. Of this sum it is estimated that, supposing no

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change in the occupation of the land to occur, Rupees 59,855 or two-thirds will be brought to account by annual increments of the demand in five years and 30,213 the remaining third in ten years, so that in Fasli 1294 the settlement rates will be fully in force.

(True Copies and Extract.)

(Signed) C. A. GALTON,
Acting Secretary.

ORDER THEREON, 16th August 1876, No. 1,111.

Land Revenue, No. 8.

RECORDED.

(True Extract.)

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

Board of Revenue.
Director of Revenue Settlement.

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THE BOARD OF REVENUE,

No. 160-157.

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G.O. 160 August 1876, No. 1111.

16th August, 1876.

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Recd.

New Settlement introduced into certain taluqs of Cuddapah and Kurnool Districts.—According to the Board of Revenue submitting report as to how effect was given to the gradual imposition of increased rates of assessment in connection with the —

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Ch. J. M. Cox
Acting Secretary.

To the Secretary to Government, Revenue Department.

Copy to the Acting Director of Revenue Settlement.

.. to the Collector of Cuddapah.

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Exd. W. J. Lewis.

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