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No. 900. Read the following letter from H. E. STOKES, Esq., Acting Secretary to the Board of Revenue, to the Honorable D. F. CARMICHAEL, Secretary to Government, Revenue Department, dated Madras, 17th January 1877, Miscellaneous No. 569 :—

With *reference to G. O., dated 28th* November 1876, No. 2,842, I am directed to forward herewith the Board's review of the accounts of trade and navigation for 1875-76. A copy was forwarded to the Government of India direct on the 30th December last.

2. The annual volume for 1875-76 is not yet ready, and, should any slight alterations be necessary in the figures entered in the review when the volume is completed, the required corrections will be made before it is printed with the volume.

Review of the Accounts of Trade and Navigation of the Madras Presidency for 1875-76.

The total trade of the Presidency during the year, exclusive of Government Stores, compares with that of the preceding year as shown below :—

		1874-75.		1875-76.	
		Merchandise	Treasure.	Merchandise.	Treasure.
		Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
Trade with Foreign Countries...	Exports.	6,53,66,380	25,83,000	7,20,58,404	27,25,121
	Imports.	3,31,15,696	50,13,041	3,89,19,382	56,23,517
British Ports in other Presidencies.	Exports.	1,92,34,631	5,80,423	1,62,52,346	1,54,711
	Imports.	1,85,86,019	36,83,234	2,05,53,654	32,04,062
Indian Ports not British ...	Exports.	21,29,892	1,67,900	21,78,260	2,85,400
	Imports.	4,79,346	15,350	4,56,589	37,500
British Ports within the Presidency.	Exports.	1,67,16,589	25,86,842	1,61,76,078	23,70,753
	Imports.	1,75,06,940	18,24,896	1,67,02,923	16,39,141
Total Trade	Exports.	10,34,47,472	59,18,165	10,66,65,088	55,35,985
	Imports.	6,96,88,001	1,05,36,521	7,66,32,548	1,05,04,220
	Total ...	17,34,35,473	1,64,54,686	18,32,97,636	1,60,40,205

Trade with Foreign Countries.—The exports as well as imports have increased during the year under review.

Exports.—The following are the articles exported :—

		1874-75.		1875-76.	
		Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.
			Rs.		Rs.
Cotton, Raw	Cwt.	692,415	1,56,97,804	701,080	1,57,76,219
Coffee	Cwt.	301,240	1,26,82,171	357,594	1,57,20,608
Rice	Cwt.	2,471,076	21,20,176	2,325,559	84,16,581
Skins, Tanned	Cwt. or No.	... 5,974,062	29,85,423	70,390 8,140,229	74,53,073
Dyes, Indigo	Cwt.	24,631	56,56,917	22,559	46,87,685
Seeds, Gingelly	Cwt.	567,461	34,04,757	656,927	33,41,286
Hides, Tanned	Cwt. or No.	... 493,701	12,54,990	46,573 686,609	23,66,141

—		1874-75. Quantity.	1874-75. Value.	1875-76. Quantity.	1875-76. Value.
			Rs.		Rs.
Cotton Piece-goods	Yards.	6,868,784	20,40,377	6,368,238	20,41,607
	Doz.	44	220	...	...
	Pieces.	2,007	6,185	...	...
Spices	No.	...	...	3,81,418	2,03,697
	Lbs.	9,422,112	11,18,544	10,503,309	15,29,762
	or No.	263,000	526		
Oils, Vegetable	Gallons.	677,215	9,12,726	1,202,428	15,12,269
Sugar, &c.	Cwt.	370,602	19,37,315	302,633	14,16,690
Seeds, Other Sorts	Value.	...	7,96,909	...	8,95,392
Animals, Living...	No.	...	7,00,141	102,156	7,89,864
Coir	Cwt.	116,658	10,23,143	71,614	6,67,386
Grain, Paddy	Cwt.	263,322	6,37,997	258,840	6,10,423
Dyes, Other Sorts	Cwt.	283,790	7,90,833	166,527	4,77,390
Provisions	Value.	...	3,33,390	...	4,87,879
Grain, Other Sorts	Cwt.	...	4,99,187	...	3,94,787
Hides, Raw	Cwt. or No.	... 131,214	1,89,800	10,811 139,100	2,48,620
Skins, Raw	Cwt. or No.	... 16,873	15,621	491 21,936	16,319
Oils, Other Sorts	Value.	...	1,12,914	...	12,720
All Other Articles of Merchandise		...	24,75,506	...	25,30,430
	Total ...		3,48,94,120		7,15,45,978
	Value of Re-exports ...		9,72,251		5,12,426
	Total ...		6,53,66,380		7,20,58,404

From the above it will be observed that in the value of exports there was a gross increase of Rupees 1,03,10,795, and a gross decrease of Rupees 36,18,771, resulting in a net increase of Rupees 66,92,024.

The increase is chiefly under coffee, hides and skins, oils, vegetable, and spices.

Coffee.—The increase under coffee is attributed to the prevalence of better prices in Europe and to improved crops in this country. The countries to which the article was exported are shown below :—

—	1874-75. Quantity.	1874-75. Value.	1875-76. Quantity.	1875-76. Value.
	CWT.	Rs.	CWT.	Rs.
United Kingdom	1,70,569	77,50,621	1,69,709	81,45,489
France	1,14,349	42,89,471	1,01,596	48,23,959
Austria	2,198	87,750	36,399	15,41,955
Red Sea	1,643	56,710	1,380	53,042
Ceylon	880	34,354	4,047	1,51,755
Persia	2,341	92,925	3,392	1,35,530
Turkey	6,821	2,86,595	10,852	4,35,176
Other Countries	2,439	90,745	10,219	4,33,702
Total ...	3,01,240	1,26,82,171	3,57,594	1,57,20,608

Hides and Skins.—The exports are almost exclusively to the United Kingdom; and the increase is due to abolition of the duty on the article and to improved demand.

Oils, Vegetable.—As in the case of hides and skins, the exports are chiefly to the United Kingdom. The increase is ascribed to rise in price and increased demand.

Spices.—The countries to which the article is exported are shown below :—

—		1874-75. Quantity.	1874-75. Value.	1875-76. Quantity.	1875-76. Value.
			Rs.		Rs.
United Kingdom	Lbs.	2,579,696	4,05,528	2,301,580	5,46,174
France	,,	2,741,088	3,80,061	3,345,567	5,02,763
Mauritius	,,	530,544	35,467	513,488	41,038
Red Sea	,,	603,792	67,200	341,029	49,022
	No.	100,000			
Aden	lbs.	289,072	29,376	363,653	58,302
Ceylon	,,	2,397,136	1,66,017	2,727,793	201,032
Other Countries	,,	280,784	35,421	910,199	1,31,431
	No.	163,000			
Total ...	Lbs.	9,422,112	11,19,070	10,503,309	15,29,762
	No.	263,000			

The increase is owing to improved demand for pepper in France.

The decrease of exports occurred in coir indigo, sugar, and rice, and in re-exports of foreign articles. Under the 1st, 2nd, and 3rd items the falling off is attributed to decreased demand in Europe, and under the 4th item to unusually large exportation in 1874-75 owing to the failure of exportation from Bengal owing to famine there. The 1st, 2nd, and 3rd articles are exported chiefly to the United Kingdom, and the 4th to Ceylon.

The large decrease under re-exports, which is equivalent to an increase under imports, is chiefly under cotton piece-goods, colored, printed or dyed.

The subjoined statement shows the particulars of imports from foreign countries :—

—	1874-75. Quantity.	1874-75. Value.	1875-76. Quantity.	1875-76. Value.
		Rs.		Rs.
Cotton Piece-goods ... ... Yds.	60,497,547	1,02,60,371	67,002,348	1,06,35,879
Pieces.	7,634		No. 116,717	15,831
Doz.	11,012		...	...
„ Twist ... ... Lbs.	10,737,614	88,58,692	10,687,328	94,72,351
Railway Materials ... ... Value.	...	32,64,857	...	45,86,746
Metals, Iron Wrought ... ... Cwt.	162,722	7,00,217	294,264	19,29,787
Apparel ... ... Value.	...	12,21,246	...	15,31,151
Liquors, Spirits ... Gallons.	63,890	5,68,908	104,697	9,61,302
„ Wines and Liqueurs ... „	77,866	6,51,722	85,788	7,54,316
„ Ale, Beer, and Porter ... „	966,821	6,88,999	392,104	4,04,926
Timber and Wood ... ... Value.	...	4,29,806	...	2,86,111
Machines and Machinery ... „	...	6,60,738	...	1,80,911
All Other Articles of Merchandise	...	58,12,907	...	80,70,111
Total ...		3,31,15,696	...	3,89,19,382

The gross increase amounts to Rs. 66,18,554, and the gross decrease to Rs. 8,14,868, the net result being an increase of Rs. 58,03,686. The increase is chiefly under metals, railway materials, spirits, cotton twist and piece-goods, and apparel.

Metals, Iron Wrought.—The imports are chiefly from the United Kingdom. The increase is due to greater demand. No special cause is assigned.

Railway Materials.—The increase is owing to the extension of the South Indian Railway. The imports are almost exclusively from the United Kingdom.

	1874-75.		1875-76.	
	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.
	GALS.	RS.	GALS.	RS.
United Kingdom	55,769	4[illegible]	[illegible]5,693	[illegible]9,736
France	7,388	66,533	8,188	86,033
Ceylon	725	661	618	6,492
Other Countries	68	9,443	203	2,022
Total ..	63,890	5,08,998	101,697	9,61,303

Spirits.—There is an increase of a little more than a lakh of rupees in the value of imports from France, and [illegible] from the United Kingdom. The increase is ascribed to ordinary fluctuations in the trade. The countries from which the imports are made are shown in the margin.

Cotton Twist and Piece-goods.—The imports are chiefly from the United Kingdom. The increase is due to the re-action of the market in 1875-76.

	RS.
For the United Kingdom	1,69,06,750
For Ceylon	31,12,206
Other Countries	1,05,105
Total ...	2,01,24,061

Apparel.—The article is imported chiefly from the United Kingdom and France, and the increase is attributed to the large demand for valuable millinery.

The decrease in the imports is only prominent under machines and machinery and ale, beer, and porter. The decrease under the former is due to large imports on account of the South Indian Railway in 1874-75. The decrease under the other items is not attributed to any special cause.

The following statement shows the total trade, exclusive of treasure, with each foreign country in 1875-76 compared with that in the previous year :—

	1874-75.	1875-76.
	RS.	RS.
United Kingdom ... ... Exports ...	3,78,56,952	4,02,78,409
Imports ...	2,68,41,430	3,11,70,894
France ... ... Exports ...	95,11,416	1,07,98,380
Imports ...	6,77,009	11,29,063
Mediterranean Ports ... ... Exports ...	1,00,865	23,07,582
Imports ...	24,208	38,198
Other Countries in Europe ... Exports ...	10,48,775	19,60,586
Imports ...	90,045	1,06,388
America ... ... Exports ...	35,441	91,753
Imports ...	1,38,090	2,83,004
West Indies ... ... Exports ...	81,840	99,256
Imports ...	...	...
Mauritius ... ... Exports ...	7,59,241	4,74,530
Imports ...	3,866	1,048
Bourbon ... ... Exports ...	2,10,942	2,23,019
Imports ...	147	68
Other Countries in Africa ... Exports ...	69,566	58,531
Imports ...	6	150
Arabia ... ... Exports ...	3,02,220	2,21,225
Imports ...	14,859	22,587
Aden ... ... Exports ...	48,660	92,226
Imports ...	1,284	286
Persia ... ... Exports ...	1,85,921	2,42,549
Imports ...	33,960	3,927
Maldives ... ... Exports ...	7,703	17,551
Imports ...	23,131	23,212

	1874-75.	1875-76.
	RS.	RS.
Ceylon ... ... Exports ...	1,22,26,560	1,[illegible]0,706
Imports ...	[illegible]	[illegible]
Straits Settlements ... ... Exports ...	18,95,460	11,25,054
Imports ...	5[illegible]5,119	7,52,871
China ... ... Exports ...	1,63,321	9,32,749
Imports ...	39,240	34,900
Other Countries in Asia ... Exports ...	3,61,606	6,23,741
Imports ...	64,623	2,15,650
Australia ... ... Exports ...	19,891	2,41,507
Imports ...	2,24,045	3,23,760
Total Foreign Ports ... ... Exports ...	6,53,66,380	7,20,58,404
Imports ...	3,31,15,696	3,89,19,382

Coin and Bullion.—The total value of gold and silver coin and bullion imported and exported in 1875-76 and 1874-75 was as shown below :—

	1874-75.	1875-76.
	RS.	RS.
United Kingdom ... ... Exports ...	5,000	1,64,300
Imports ...	14,15,485	21,58,263
France ... ... Exports ...	...	...
Imports ...	75,180	76,735
Mauritius ... ... Exports ...	...	...
Imports ...	45,675	4,000
Other Countries in Africa ... Exports ...	...	...
Imports ...	...	5,625
Arabia ... ... Exports ...	...	...
Imports ...	15,539	...
Ceylon ... ... Exports ...	25,78,000	25,47,038
Imports ...	34,21,188	33,11,761
Straits Settlements ... ... Exports ...	...	13,783
Imports ...	21,812	6,650
China ... ... Exports ...	...	...
Imports ...	13,162	...
Other Countries in Asia ... Exports ...	...	...
Imports ...	5,000	10,483
Australia ... ... Exports ...	...	...
Imports ...	...	50,000
Total ... ... Exports ...	25,83,000	27,25,121
Imports ...	50,13,041	56,23,517

The particulars of the above values in gold and silver are as follows :—

	1874-75.	1875-76.
	RS.	RS.
Gold ... ... Exports ...	...	1,80,928
Imports ...	16,61,928	27,85,234
Silver ... ... Exports ...	25,83,000	25,44,133
Imports ...	33,51,113	28,38,283
Total ... ... Exports ...	25,83,000	27,25,121
Imports ...	50,13,041	56,23,517

Trade with other Presidencies.—The exports to other Presidencies have fallen as will be seen from the subjoined statement. The decrease is chiefly under rice, cotton, piece-goods, cocoanuts, hides, and skins, provisions, and oils, vegetable. The large decrease under rice is due to extraordinary exportation in 1874-75 in consequence of Bengal famine. The decrease under hides and kins is stated to be partly due to less loss of cattle during 1875-76 and partly to less demand in other Presidencies. The larger exports to foreign countries also account in part for decrease in the trade with the other Presidencies. The fall in the exports of cocoanuts is attributed to scarcity of produce in Malabar, and that in oils, vegetable, is due partly to the increase in the exports of seeds to other Presidencies and in the exports of oil to foreign countries. The decrease under provisions, which consist chiefly of cocoanut kernel, is due to the same cause as that assigned for the decrease under cocoanuts.

	1874-75.		1875-76.	
	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.
		Rs.		Rs.
Spices ... ... Lbs.	16,330,372	21,55,183	17,05,309	22,92,410
Spices ... ... No.	4,068,129	7,937	...	...
Provisions, including Cocoanut Kernel	...	21,55,320	...	19,12,759
Oils, Vegetable ... ... Gals.	1,864,827	19,70,659	1,860,127	17,53,174
Seeds, Other Sorts ... ... Cwt.	...	11,46,165	465,980½	15,76,480
Fruits, Cocoanuts ... ... Cwt. or No.	55,481,058	11,98,268	... 42,533,382	10,15,033
Coir, &c., ... Cwt.	115,080	7,51,658	144,469	9,66,916
Coffee ... ... ,,	25,620	2,18,709	23,213	8,77,096
Cotton, Raw ... ... ,,	25,174	5,66,826	31,850½	7,41,892
Cotton Piece-goods ... ... Yds.	1,789,735		1,099,306	4,55,143
Cotton Piece-goods ... ... Pieces.	21,445	7,95,185	No. 25,844	15,291
Cotton Piece-goods ... ... Doz.	464		...	...
Tobacco, Manufactured ... ... Cwt.	29,129	4,48,861	31,008½	4,43,987
Sugar ... ... ,,	58,346	4,38,853	48,519½	3,48,062
Skins, Tanned ... ... Cwt. or No.	... 760,242	3,87,699	3,725 530,171	2,95,234
Hides, Raw ... ... Cwt. or No.	... 228,822	4,02,049	10,440½ 1,58,804	2,15,042
Rice ... ... Cwt.	512,089	15,11,639	46,042	1,78,247
Tobacco, Unmanufactured ... ... ,, No.	2,067 500	1,49,626	2,087½ ...	°1,72,062
Teak Timber ... ... Tons.	2,918	1,37,039	2,077½	1,40,118
Skins, Raw ... ... Cwt. or No.	... 982,504	171,646	2,328½ 188,820	1,25,283
Hides, Tanned ... ... Cwt. or No.	... 79,159	1,99,145	2,971 44,846	96,137
Dyes, Other Sorts ... ... Cwt.	15,057	50,395	21,546	91,378
Seeds, Gingelly ... ... ,,	4,352	25,577	8,131	40,466
Indigo ... ... ,,	281	55,165	226	38,873
Paddy ... ... ,,	113	260	2,008	5,294
All other Articles	...	24,45,096	...	19,30,067
Total ...	...	1,80,79,105	...	1,57,25,439
Value of Re-exports	...	11,55,526	...	5,28,907
Total ...	...	1,92,34,631	...	1,62,52,346

The imports from other Presidencies consist of the following articles:—

	1874-75.		1875-76.	
	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.
		Rs.		Rs.
Cotton Piece-goods ... ... Yds.	18,488,059	32,93,597 5,509	21,508,929	36,50,783
Cotton Twist ... ... Lbs.	3,413,254	20,28,129	5,331,454	29,16,013
Grain, Paddy ... ... Cwt.	801,616	20,07,416	796,419	20,14,234
Rice ... ... ,,	366,544	13,48,176	410,102	15,41,611
Timber and Wood ... ... Tons.	...	10,34,687	...	11,43,960
Grain, Other Kinds ... ... Cwt.	...	10,27,627	256,057	9,89,578
Apparel ... ... ,,	...	2,24,898	...	2,76,077
All Other Articles	...	75,66,480	...	80,30,398
Total...	...	1,85,86,019	...	2,05,53,654

The increase in imports is conspicuous under Cotton Twist and Piece Goods, and is due to increased demand.

The exports and imports to and from each province are shown below :—

		1874-75.	1875-76.
Calcutta	Exports ...	66,18,759	46,15,882
	Imports ...	52,06,143	61,63,385
Bengal, other Ports	Exports ...	1,06,876	73,181
	Imports ...	10,10,795	7,56,055
Bombay	Exports ...	81,22,370	79,73,513
	Imports ...	83,98,695	94,18,512
Bombay, other Ports	Exports ...	17,16,271	16,41,413
	Imports ...	16,51,293	16,38,634
Scinde	Exports ...	62,929	1,34,106
	Imports ...	1,75,680	1,66,686
Rangoon	Exports ...	21,87,542	14,89,132
	Imports ...	9,50,475	9,41,302
British Burmah, other Ports ...	Exports ...	4,19,884	3,25,119
	Imports ...	11,92,939	14,59,080
Total...	Exports ...	1,92,34,631	1,62,52,346
	Imports ...	1,85,86,019	2,05,53,654

The value of gold and silver coin and bullion imported and exported during 1874-75 and 1875-76 from and to each of the Presidencies are shown below :—

		1874-75.	1875-76.
Calcutta	Exports...	4,68,986	35,121
Bengal, other Ports	Imports...	4,10,951	2,87,964
	Imports...	.....	.....
Bombay	Exports...	1,100	10,804
	Imports...	31,85,118	27,47,396
Bombay, other Ports...	Exports...	10,795	6,711
	Imports...	31,805	50,127
Scinde	Exports...	.....	.....
	Imports...	.....	1,400
Rangoon	Exports...	10,712	2,275
	Imports...	53,000	1,10,605
Other Ports in Burmah	Exports...	77,700	85,700
	Imports...	.....	6,570
Total ...	Exports...	5,80,423	1,54,711
	Imports...	36,83,234	32,04,062

The particulars of the above in gold and silver are as follow :—

		1874-75.	1875-76.
Gold	Exports ...	4,212	2,275
	Imports ...	5,71,244	3,11,605
Silver	Exports ...	5,76,211	1,52,436
	Imports ...	31,11,990	28,92,457
Total ...	Exports ...	5,80,423	1,54,711
	Imports ...	36,83,234	32,04,062

The subjoined statement shows the articles exported and imported to Indian Ports not British

Article.		Year.	Exports. Quantity.	Exports. Value.
Coffee	Cwt.	1874-75	399	Rs. 12,767
		1875-76	369	13,405
Cotton, raw ..	„	1874-75	166	4,153
		1875-76	490	10,380
Coir „		1874-75	33,468	2,80,058
		1875-76	22,397½	1,35,920
Cotton Piece Goods	Pieces	1874-76	145,307	26,108
	Yards		 25	.....
	Pieces	1875-76	267,411	55,653
	No.		 2,258	1,982
Dyes. Other Sorts ..	Cwt.	1874-75	17,503	53,947
		1875-76	4,795	17,686
Fruits Cocoanuts	No.	1874-75	5,103,476	1,19,438
		1875-76	4,771,035	1,25,987
Paddy	Cwt.	1874-75	6,323	4,681
		1875-76	.....	.....
Rice	„	1874-75	58,963	2,38,697
		1875-76	77,193	3,06,058
Oils, Vegetable	Gals.	1874-75	122,137	1,58,965
		1875-76	52,909	51,347
Provisions, including Cocoanut kernel		1874-75	..	27,928
		1875-76	..	30,014
Seeds, Gingelly	Cwt.	1874-75	79	473
		1875-76	726	3,412
Do. Other Sorts	„	1874-75	..	7,538
		1875-76	2,737	9,863
Sugar, &c.		1874-75	30,069	125,247
		1875-76	38,612½	1,76,675
Spices	lbs.	1874-75	2,020,816	1,49,513
	No.		 8,021,600	16,043
	lbs.	1875-76	2,914,048	2,29,958
Timber, Teak ..	Tons	1874-75	1,130	54,306
		1875-76	1,243½	63,794

Article.	Year.	Imports. Quantity.	Imports. Value.
Paddy .. .. Cwt	1874-75	5,926	Rs. 16,493
	1875-76	2,018	5,313
Rice .. .. „	1874-75	6,091	28,509
	1875-76	2,822½	11,250
Other Sorts .. „	1874-75	..	54,046
	1875-76	4,125	14,121
Timber and Wood, Val.	1874-75	..	66,061
	1875-76	..	87,551
Ap parel	1874-75	..	2,981
	1875-76	..	2,426
Cotton Piece Goods Yds	1874-75	3,134	1,029
	1875-76	52,010	18,263
Do do Val	1874-75	..	383
	1875-76	..	..
All other Articles ..	1874-75	..	3,00,839
	1876-76	..	3,17,166
Total..	1874-75	..	4,79,346
	1875-76	..	4,56,589

Article.	Year.	Exports. Quantity.	Exports. Value.	Article.	Year.	Imports. Quantity.	Imports. Value.
Tobacco, unmanufactured .. Cwt.	1874-75	1,756	Rs. 17,832				Rs.
	1875-76						
All other Articles ..	1874-76	..	2,59,634				
	1875-76	..	2,50,909				
Total ..	1874-75	..	15,08,028				
	1876-76	..	15,81,133				
Value of Re-export ..	1874-75	..	6,21,864				
	1875-76	..	6,17,122				
Total	1874-75	..	21,29,892				
	1876-76	..	21,78,260				

The fluctuations are ordinary, and call for no remark.

The places of exports and imports are given below :—

		1874-75.	1875-76.
Cutch	Exports ...	7,77,545	8,67,557
	Imports ...	82,930	33,299
Guzerat	Exports ...	26,574	14,955
	Imports ...	15	7,505
Goa, Damaun, and Dieu ...	Exports ...	1,35,173	2,62,190
	Imports ...	52,419	1,07,741
Karical	Exports ...	35,972	62,119
	Imports ...	72,490	40,617
Mahé	Exports ...	12,398	14,185
	Imports ...	6,284	5,432
Pondicherry	Exports ...	7,54,483	7,77,440
	Imports ...	1,17,885	97,403
Travancore	Exports ...	3,87,887	1,79,815
	Imports ...	1,47,328	1,62,024
Narakal	Exports ...	...	.....
	Imports ...	...	1,468
Cochin	Exports ...	...	.....
	Imports ...	...	1,100
Total ...	Exports ...	21,29,892	21,78,260
	Imports ...	4,79,346	4,56,589

The exports and imports of Treasure are as shown hereunder :—

		1874-75.	1875-76.
Cutch	Exports ...	.....	.....
	Imports ...	8,500	12,800
Goa, Damaun, and Dieu ...	Exports ...	.....	.....
	Imports ...	1,450	6,500
Karical	Exports ...	1,900	.....
	Imports ...	.....	7,000
Pondicherry	Exports ...	1,45,000	2,70,400
	Imports ...	5,000	7,900
Travancore	Exports ...	21,000	15,000
	Imports ...	.....	4,000
Total Silver ...	Exports ...	1,67,900	2,85,400
	Imports ...	15,350	37,500

No gold was exported or imported to or from Indian Ports not British.

The articles exported and imported to and from British Ports to Ports within the Presidency are given below :—

		Year.	Exports. Quantity.	Exports. Value.		Year.	Imports. Quantity.	Imports. Value.
				Rs.				Rs.
Coffee ..	Cwt.	1874-75	47,309	16,85,210	Apparel ..	Val.	1874-75 ..	1,28,165
		1875-76	21,436	8,16,516			1875-76 ..	1,03,770
Cotton, Raw ..		1874-75	7,093	1,63,697	Coffee ..	Cwt.	1874-75 44,606	13,75,783
		1875-76	1,695	35,214			1875-76 21,472	8,10,056
	Yds.	1874-75	..	11,94,764	Coir	,,	1874-75 18,826	1,37,939
Piece-goods	Yds.	1875-76	3,184,853	11,25,011			1875-76 15,118	1,09,120
	No.	1874-75	16,990	9,208	Cotton twist and yarn	Lbs.	1874-75 2,041,828	15,71,581
Fruits, Cocoanut.	No.	1875-76	1,375,068	26,166			1875-76 2,699,163	19,11,562
Grain, &c.—		1874-75	..	..	Manufac-	Yds.	1874-75 3,424,103	..
Paddy ..	Cwt.	1874-75	615,305	13,26,397	ture—	No.	1874-75 Pieces 600	15,00,969
		1875-76	763,221	13,68,115		Val.	1874-75 7,866	5,220
Rice ..	Cwt.	1874-75	633,338	23,44,793	Piece-goods	Yds.	.. ..	..
		1875-76	891,441	29,61,867		No.	1875-76 12,744,659	22,91,813
	Cwt.	..	..	..	Grain and Pulse—		1874-75 7,247	3,541
Hides, Raw ..	No.	1874-75	..	33,613	Paddy ..	Cwts.	1874-75 622,703	16,56,629
	Cwt.	..	2,041	..			1875-76 746,679	16,58,581
	No.	1875-76	33,647	37,902	Rice	,,	1874-75 696,301	26,85,750
	Cwt.	1874-75	..	25,468			1875-76 859,917	31,70,605
Do., tanned ..	Cwt.	..	1,548	..	Other Sorts	,,	1874-75 481,180	15,40,183
	No.	1875-76	22,639	62,158	Oils, vegetable not essential	Gals.	1875-76 330,297	9,96,398
	Cwt.	1874-75	..	..			1874-75 174,753	2,52,918
Skins, Raw ..	Cwt.	..	575	..	Seeds ..	Cwt.	1875-76 158,283	1,66,186
	No.	1875-76	20,750	18,474			1874-75 176,434	8,56,227
	Cwt.	1874-75	..	60,551			1875-76 173,879	7,76,819
Skins, tanned ..	Cwt.	..	1,053	..	Spices—Pepper.	Lbs.	1874-75 2,841,137	4,26,181
	No.	1875-76	103,418	67,771			1875-76 2,384,628	4,51,620
	Cwt.	1874-75	13,555	80,382	Other Sorts ..	..	1874-75 3,771,896	3,04,540
Coir ..	,,	1875-76	10,308	54,867			No. 6,000	..
		1874-75	190,183	2,72,850	Tobacco, &c. ..	Lbs.	1874-75 2,613,690	2,75,032
Sugar ..	Cwts.	1875-76	51,966	2,58,861			No. 10,500	..
		1874-75	4,295	67,922			1875-76 2,445,526	2,07,372
Tobacco, manu-factured ..	Cwt.	..	..	1,469			No. 4,000	..
		1875-76	2,820	51,162	All other Articles ..		1874-75 ..	34,30,124
Do., unmanu-factured. ..	Cwt.	1874-75	16,482	1,89,266			1875-76 ..	33,50,871
		1875-76	17,696	1,91,745				
Oils, Vegetable.	Gals.	1874-75	278,624	3,10,245	Total ..		1874-75 ..	1,75,06,949
		1875-76	175,332	1,65,694			1875-76 ..	1,67,02,923
Seeds, Gingely.	Cwt.	1874-75	29,368	1,77,141	Treasure ..		1874-75 ..	18,24,892
		1875-76	26,098	1,26,124			1875-76 ..	16,39,141
Seeds other than Gingely.	Cwt.	1874-75	171,493	7,01,829				
		1875-76	150,661	5,45,459	Grand Total ..		1874-75 ..	1,93,31,836
Spices ..	Lbs.	1874-75	6,228,194	7,36,697			1875-76 ..	1,83,42,064
		1875-76	5,811,346	8,71,699				
All other Articles of Merchandise ..		1874-75	..	28,12,195				
		1875-76	..	29,02,948				
Total ..		1874-75	..	1,23,75,810				
		1875-76	..	1,16,67,968				
Value of Re-exports ..		1874-75	..	43,41,259				
		1875-76	..	45,08,110				
Total ..		1874-75	..	1,67,16,569				
		1875-76	..	1,61,76,078				
Treasure ..		1874-75	..	25,86,842				
		1875-76	..	23,76,755				
Grand Total ..		1874-75	..	1,93,03,411				
		1875-76	..	1,85,46,821				

From the above it will be observed that in the trade within the Presidency, both imports and exports have fallen. The decrease in exports is chiefly under coffee, oils, vegetable, seeds other sorts, and sugar and other saccharine matter. Under the first three items the decrease is accounted for by the increase in the export of the same article to foreign countries.

Decrease in the Export of Sugar.

	Rs.
Trade with foreign countries	5,21,225
With E. P. in other Presidencies	96,791
With Indian Ports not British	51,428
Within the Presidency	1,64,710
Total ..	8,28,154

and the decrease under sugar which occurs both in the foreign and coasting trade is owing to dullness in the market. The decrease in imports within the Presidency calls for no remark. It is, of course, due to same causes as the decrease in the exports.

On the whole, the value of the external trade of this Presidency, inclusive of the trade with ports not British in this Presidency, amounted in 1875-76 to 688 lakhs in imports and 930 lakhs in exports, and compares with the trade in 1874-75 as shown below :—

Article.	Exports. 1874-75.	Exports. 1875-76.	Article.	Imports. 1874-75.	Imports. 1875-76.
Coffee	1,36,13,647	1,66,14,109	Cotton Piece-goods	1,35,60,894	1,43,20,756
Cotton, Raw	1,62,68,733	1,53,28,491	,, Twist	1,08,86,821	1,23,88,364
Rice	1,08,71,612	89,00,886	Railway Materials	32,64,857	45,85,746
Skins, tanned	55,73,324	77,48,367	Paddy	20,23,909	70,19,547
Indigo	57,12,682	47,26,508	Metals, Iron, wrought ..	7,00,217	19,22,787
Spices, ...	34,47,696	40,52,131	Apparel	14,48,025	18,10,154
Seeds, Gingelly	34,30,887	33,85,164	Rice	13,76,635	15,52,861
Oils, Vegetable	30,42,350	23,16,790	Timber and Wood	15,79,554	15,17,622
Cotton Piece-goods	28,68,125	27,72,143	Grain, Other Sorts	10,81,673	9,94,699
Seeds, Other Sorts	19,50,512	24,81,785	Spirits	5,68,908	9,61,302
Hides, tanned	14,54,135	24,62,278	Wines and liqueurs	6,51,722	7,54,316
Provisions	6,30,014	23,80,552	Ale, Beer, and Porter	6,86,222	4,94,886
Sugar	25,01,415	19,20,827	Machines and Machinery ..	6,50,738	1,80,911
Coir	20,04,854	17,70,222	All other Articles	1,36,86,226	1,04,17,674
Cocoanuts	13,17,706	11,41,020			
Animals, living	7,06,141	7,39,864			
Paddy	6,43,138	6,84,870			
Dyes, Other Sorts	8,95,180	5,86,449			
Hides, Raw	5,91,449	4,63,662			
Tobacco, Unmanufactured ..	4,60,443	4,52,923			
Grain, Other Sorts	4,99,187	3,94,787			
Wood, teak	1,81,286	2,09,912			
Skins, raw	1,87,257	1,41,602			
Oil, Other Sorts	1,12,914	12,720			
All other Articles	70,67,110	47,11,406			
Total ..	8,29,81,262	8,88,82,585			
Value of Re-exports	37,49,641	16,56,455			
Total ..	8,67,30,903	9,04,39,040	Total ..	5,21,81,961	5,09,29,625
Treasure ..	33,31,329	31,65,232	Treasure ..	87,11,625	88,65,079
Total ..	9,00,62,226	9,36,54,272	Total ..	6,08,93,786	5,97,94,704

The share borne by each district in the total value of trade, including Treasure and the trade within the Presidency, is shown below :—

District.	Total Exports.	Total Imports.
Madras (Chief Port) ...	3,82,52,151	4,41,66,498
[illegible]	2,63,93,685	1,66,28,821
Tanjore	86,93,964	74,36,553
Tinnevelly	90,13,232	57,46,766
South Canara ...	82,27,587	30,66,883
Godavery	88,70,263	25,51,490
Vizagapatam	35,46,417	24,09,737
Kistna	34,26,272	18,43,421
South Arcot	12,77,111	11,00,880
Madura	8,39,702	9,59,594
Ganjam	32,01,318	8,95,480
Nellore	4,83,421	3,30,645
Total ...	11,22,01,073	8,71,36,768

Government Stores.—The total transactions of the year under the head Government Stores were as shown in the annexed table in 1875-76 and 1874-75 :—

—	Exports.				Imports.			
	1874-75.		1875-76.		1874-75.		1875-76.	
	M.	T.	M.	T.	M.	T.	M.	T.
	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
From and to Foreign Countries.	165	..	10,594	..	33,93,403	..	33,92,806	..
British Ports in other Presidencies	87,275	64,28,642	8,068	12,05,305	2,83,102	8,90,000	8,91,322	6,97,000
Indian Ports not British	64	..	..	..	11,869	..	13,300	..
British Ports within the Presidency	1,99,655	2,54,050	1,36,194	6,21,000	6,43,373	3,47,000	6,56,758	7,70,000
Total ..	2,87,159	66,82,692	2,14,846	18,27,305	50,31,537	1,37000	48,54,186	14,67,000

The imports and exports from and to foreign countries consisted of the articles noted below :—

—		Exports.		Imports.	
		Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.
			Rs.		Rs.
Apparel ...	1874-75	...	...	...	1,40,723
	1875-76	...	...	...	98,838
Arms ...	1874-75	...	...	...	10,52,416
	1875-76	...	...	...	3,75,838
Drugs, Other Sorts ...	1874-75	...	10,594	...	1,47,037
	1875-76	...	...	...	1,65,375
Ale, Beer and Porter...	1874-75	...	...	684,780	5,02,722
	1875-76	...	...	731,305	5,19,975
Spirits	1874-75	...	...	99,378	99,380
	1875-76	...	...	67,040	2,11,773
Wines	1874-75	...	...	654	2,319
	1875-76	...	...	1,783	8,779
Railway Materials, &c.	1874-75	...	...	...	...
	1875-76	...	...	5,635	2,62,465
Woollen Piece-goods...	1874-75	...	...	38,412	82,695
	1875-76	...	...	163,922	3,46,320
All other Articles ..	1874-75	...	165	...	13,65,611
	1875-76	...	...	...	14,03,943
Total ...	1874-75	...	165	...	33,92,403
	1875-76	...	10,594	...	33,92,806

Customs Revenue.—The total Customs Returns during the year after deducting refunds and drawbacks amounted to:—

—	1874-75.	1875-76.
	Rs.	Rs.
On Exports	12,29,543	9,67,479
On Imports	16,69,690	18,71,399

The following are the articles on which duty was levied :—

Articles.	Exports.		Articles.	Imports.	
	1874-75.			1874-75.	1875-76.
				Rs.	Rs.
Rice	...	...	Piece-goods	4,76,140	4,72,569
Indigo	99,524	...	..., Twist, and Yarn	2,62,692	2,51,209
Paddy	67,903	...	Wines and Liqueurs	3,01,921	2,87,559
Hides and Skins	1,24,786	83,612	Salt	1,06,347	1,36,235
Seeds	1,26,427	55,186	Apparel	1,40,857	1,20,239
Oils	34,142	30,368	Metals	96,735	89,587
Cotton Piece-goods	61,710	17,735	Railway Materials	96,727	38,743
Spices	38,043	16,357	Spices	40,130	33,606
Grain and Pulse, Other Sorts	88,042	12,272	Provisions and Oilman Store ..	26,856	23,886
All other Articles not included in any of the above classes	441	69	Hardware and Cutlery*	24,918	27,551
			Drugs and Medicines	...	21,221
			Wool, Manufactures of Piece-goods	19,960	18,028
			Liquors, Ale, Beer, and Porter ..	11,534	13,683
			Cereals, real	16,992	12,140
			Glass, &c.	16,072	8,814
			Tobacco	8,782	8,621
			Stationery	11,067	7,123
			Arms	5,089	6,725
			Fruits and Vegetables	6,030	6,439
			Leather Manufactures	12,601	6,168
			Gums	6,197	6,102
			Oils	9,268	3,901
			Liquors, Other Sorts	5,169	3,372
			Tea	444	1,514
			All Other Articles	9,211	1,283
Total ..	12,29,534	9,67,479	Total ..	16,69,690	18,71,399

On the whole there is a decrease of Rupees 60,316 in the revenue realised, which is due to the new Tariff Act introduced in August 1875. The articles which chiefly contribute to the revenue are paddy and rice and indigo in exports, and cotton goods, spirits and wines, metals and salt under imports.

Shipping.—The subjoined statement shows the tonnage of vessels, sailing and steam, which entered and cleared at all ports in the Presidency from and to foreign countries with cargoes and in ballast compared with that of 1874-75.

—		1874-75.				1875-76.			
		Sailing Vessels.		Steamers.		Sailing Vessels.		Steamers.	
		V.	T.	V.	T.	V.	T.	V.	T.
British ...	Entered ...	283	143,143	98	155,117	136	100,646	112	162,014
	Cleared ...	355	191,639	79	120,457	202	142,446	107	159,166
Foreign ...	Entered ...	57	22,256	17	15,305	53	21,777	21	19,502
	Cleared ...	168	70,055	10	9,108	118	53,562	11	10,823
British Indian ...	Entered ...	2,178	210,378	3	768	1,333	202,810	4	934
	Cleared ...	2,064	193,511	...	...	1,637	181,010	5	2,627
Native Craft ...	Entered ...	1,132	44,614	...	...	1,334	75,037	...	...
	Cleared ...	952	41,956	...	...	1,291	76,886	...	...
Total ...	Entered ...	3,650	420,486	118	171,190	3,358	399,775	137	182,450
	Cleared ...	3,539	497,161	89	129,565	3,248	458,904	123	172,616

From the above it will be observed that steam transport is rapidly increasing, while that by sailing vessels is falling, which indicates the healthy condition of the trade. The total tonnage in 1875-76 is nearly the same as that in 1874-75.

The following figures show the share of each district in the movement of shipping during the years 1874-75 and 1875-76 from and to

		1874-75.				1875-76.			
		Sailing Vessels.		Steamers.		Sailing Vessels.		Steamers.	
		V.	T.	V.	T.	V.	T.	V.	T.
Madras	Entered ...	238	211,631	222	218,711				
	Cleared ...	223	172,337	211	188,775				
Ganjam	Entered ...	19	12,611	10	5,857				
	Cleared ...	75	44,135	49	41,908				
Vizagapatam	Entered ...	16	7,420	23	12,362				
	Cleared ...	80	49,776	53	38,701				
Godavery	Entered ...	43	23,205	24	12,184				
	Cleared ...	112	57,291	96	52,185				
Kistna	Entered ...	7	3,993	9	4,906				
	Cleared ...	8	2,483	20	8,429				
Nellore	Entered ...	...	...	1	167				
	Cleared ...	1	80	...	...				
South Arcot	Entered ...	149	15,201	142	17,608				
	Cleared ...	216	16,715	224	19,836				
Tanjore	Entered ...	1,398	127,697	1,283	119,814				
	Cleared ...	1,314	110,405	1,187	99,999				
Madura	Entered ...	1,217	111,473	1,192	126,549				
	Cleared ...	928	87,588	884	95,686				
Tinnevelly	Entered ...	608	54,970	555	42,101				
	Cleared ...	563	53,123	550	49,786				
South Canara	Entered ...	14	1,850	17	3,153				
	Cleared ...	15	1,997	15	3,045				
Malabar	Entered ...	80	21,625	26	10,212				
	Cleared ...	93	89,766	82	28,160				
Total ...	Entered ...	3,768	591,676	3,495	582,225				
	Cleared ...	3,628	626,726	3,071	626,520				

The shipping transactions coastwise are shown below :—

		1874-75.				1875-76.			
		Sailing Vessels.		Steamers.		Sailing Vessels.		Steamers.	
		V.	T.	V.	T.	V.	T.	V.	T.
In transactions with British Ports in other Presidencies.	Entered ...	3,452	210,293	671	803,451	3,340	194,514	843	1,074,328
	Cleared ...	3,045	204,217	853	1,032,689	3,228	215,779	1,061	1,338,240
Do. with Indian Ports not British.	Entered ...	1,177	80,045	87	43,158	1,158	76,675	56	68,963
	Cleared ...	1,331	63,046	34	41,415	1,167	60,472	55	68,264
Do. with Ports in the Presidency.	Entered ...	16,098	679,400	668	760,939	15,144	652,102	858	1,039,534
	Cleared ...	15,516	564,425	493	564,555	15,031	566,304	632	771,829
Total ...	Entered ...	20,727	969,738	1,376	1,621,598	19,642	923,291	1,757	2,182,825
	Cleared ...	19,892	831,688	1,380	1,638,659	19,426	842,555	1,748	2,178,333

As in the case of trade with foreign countries, the movements of steamers have increased, but the total tonnage of 1875-76 is considerably in excess of that of 1874-75.

The nationalities of the above vessels are as follows :—

		1874-75.		1875-76.	
		V.	T.	V.	T.
British ...	Entered ...	[illegible]	1,597,988	1,810	2,066,219
	Cleared ...	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
British Indian ...	Entered ...	1,318	1,546,735	1,728	2,005,860
	Cleared ...	1,070	274,244	950	340,963
Foreign ...	Entered ...	913	235,488	916	239,399
	Cleared ...	576	105,520	619	97,744
Native Craft ...	Entered ...	523	67,244	559	76,881
	Cleared ...	19,036	613,584	18,020	601,190
Total ...	Entered ...	18,488	590,880	17,971	598,754
	Cleared ...	22,103	2,591,336	21,399	3,106,116
		21,272	2,470,347	21,174	3,020,883

Ports.—The total number of ports in which there was trade in 1875-76 was 67 against 82 in 1874-75.

Impediments to Trade.—Collectors do not point out any impediments which require the interference of Government. The Collectors of South Canara and Kistna, however, suggest a few improvements. In South Canara the Collector suggests the improvements of the harbour and the bar, the construction of a canal along the coast, and of a tramway between the Mysore country and Mangalore. The Collector of Kistna states that good roads are necessary to the landing places of the Injurpalam and Nizampatam Ports. The Collectors concerned will be requested to submit special reports on each of the points suggested, and they will be disposed of separately.

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

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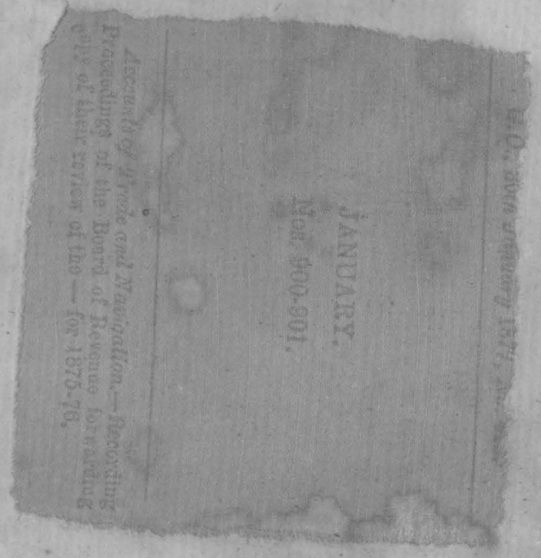
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(Signed) D. F. CARMICHAEL,
Secretary to Government.

To the Board of Revenue.

Exd. J. W. Fischer.
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Exd. A. F. Goodall.





MISCELLANEOUS No. 59

REVENUE BOARD OFFICE,
Madras, 17th January 1877.

From

The Acting Secretary to the Board of Revenue

To

The Acting Secretary to Government Revenue Department

Sir,

With reference to G.O. dated 28th December 1876 No. 2842. I am directed to forward herewith the Board's review of the Accounts of Ports and Navigation for 1875-76. A copy was forwarded to the Government of India direct on the 30th December last.

2. The annual Volume for 1875-76 is not yet ready and should any slight alteration be necessary in the figures entered in the review when the Volume is completed

the

the required corrections will be made before
it is printed with the Volume.

I have the honor to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient Servant

A. Watts
Acting Secretary

To
The Acting Secretary of Government
Revenue Department
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From

The Secretary to the
Board of Revenue,

To

The

Dated
Despatched

Review of the accounts of trade and Navigation of the Madras Presidency for 1875-76.

The total trade of the Presidency during the year exclusive of Government Stores compared with that of the preceding year as shown below.

		1874-75.		1875-76.	
		Merchandise	Treasure	Merchandise	Treasure
		Rs	Rs	Rs	Rs
Trade with Foreign Countries	Exports	6,53,66,380	25,83,000	7,20,58,404	27,26,121
	Imports	3,31,15,696	50,13,041	3,89,19,382	56,23,517
British Ports in other Presidencies	Exports	1,92,34,631	5,80,423	1,62,52,346	1,54,711
	Imports	1,85,86,019	36,83,234	2,05,63,654	32,04,662
Indian Ports not British	Exports	21,29,892	1,67,900	21,78,260	2,85,400
	Imports	4,79,346	15,350	4,56,589	37,500
British Ports within the Presidency	Exports	1,67,1656	25,86,842	1,61,76,078	23,70,753
	Imports	1,75,06,940	18,24,896	1,67,02,923	16,39,141
Total Trade	Exports	10,34,47,472	59,18,165	10,66,65,088	55,35,985
	Imports	6,96,88,001	1,05,36,521	7,66,32,548	1,05,04,220
Total		17,34,35,473	1,64,54,686	18,32,97,636	1,60,40,205

Trade with Foreign Countries.

The Exports as well as Imports have increased during the year under review.

Exports.

The following are the articles exported.

		1874-75. Quantity	1874-75. Value Rs	1875-76. Quantity	1875-76. Value Rs
Cotton, raw.	Cwt	6.92.415	1.56.97,804	7.01.080	1.57,76.2
Coffee	Cwt	3.01.240	1.26.82.171	3.57.594	1.57,20.6
Rice	Cwt	24.71.076	91.20.176	23.25.559	84,16.58
Skins, tanned	Cwt	"		70.390	
	or No.	59.74.062	29.85,425	81.40.229	74.53,0
Dyes - Indigo.	Cwt	24.631	56,56,917	22.659	46.87,6
Seeds - Gingelly -	Cwt	5.67.461	34.04,757	6.56.927	33.41,2
Hides, tanned	Cwt	"		46.573	
	or No.	4.93.701	12.54,990	6.86.609	23.66,
Cotton Piecegoods -	Yards	68.63.784	20.40.377	63.63.238	20.41,4
	Doz.	44	320		
	Pieces	2.007	6.135		
	No.	"	"	3.81.418	2.03,6
Spices	Cwt	94.22,112	1.18.544	1.05.03,309	15.29,762
	or No.	2.63.000	526	"	"
Oils - Vegetable	Gallons	6.77.215	9.12.726	12.02428	15.12269
Sugar raw	Cwt	3.70.602	19.37.315	3.09,633	14.16.090
Seeds - Other Sorts -	Value	"	7.96.909	"	8.95.392
Animals living	No.	"	7.00.141	1.02.156	7.89.864
Coir	Cwt	1.16.658	10.23,143	71.614	6.67,386
Grain Paddy.	Cwt	2,63.322	637,997	258,840	6.10.423
Dyes - Other Sorts -	Cwt	2.83.790	7.90.838	1.66.527	4.77.390
Provisions.	Value	"	3.33.890	"	437.879
Grain Other Sorts -	Cwt	"	4.99.187	"	3.94.787
Hides - Raw	Cwt	"		10.811	
	or No.	1.31,214	1.89.800	1.39.100	2.48.620
Skins - Raw	Cwt	"		491	
	or No.	16.873	15,621	21.936	16.319
Oils - Other Sorts -	Value	"	1.12.914	"	12,720
All other articles of Merchandise		"	24,75,506	"	25,30,430
	Total		6.43.94.139		7,15,45.978
Value of Re exports. —			9,72,251		5,12,426
	Total		6,53,66,380		7,20.58,404

From the above, it will be observed that in the value of exports there was a gross increase of Rupees 4,02,10,795 and a gross decrease of Rupees 36,18,771 resulting in a net increase of Rupees 66,92,024.

The increase is chiefly under Coffee, Hides and Skins, Oils Vegetable, and Spices.

Coffee. The increase under Coffee is attributed to the prevalence of better prices in Europe, and to improved crops in this country. The countries to which the article was exported are shewn below.

	1874-75		1875-76	
	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value
	cwts	Rs	cwts	Rs
United Kingdom	1,70,569	77,50,621	1,69,709	81,45,489
France	1,14,349	42,82,471	1,21,596	48,23,959
Austria	2,198	87,750	36,399	15,41,955
Red Sea	1,643	56,710	1,380	53,042
Ceylon	880	34,354	4,047	1,51,758
Persia	2,341	92,925	3,392	1,35,530
Turkey	6,821	2,86,595	10,852	4,35,176
Other Countries	2,439	90,745	10,219	4,33,702
Total	3,01,240	1,26,82,171	3,57,594	1,57,20,608

The increase in imports is conspicuous under cotton twist and Piece goods and is due to increased demand.

The exports and imports to and from each Province are shown below.

		1874-75	1875-76
Calcutta	Exports	66,18,759	46,15,882
	Imports	52,06,143	61,63,385
Bengal other Ports	Exports	1,06,876	73,181
	Imports	10,10,795	7,66,055
Bombay	Exports	81,22,370	79,73,513
	Imports	83,98,695	94,18,512
Bombay other Ports	Exports	17,16,271	16,41,413
	Imports	16,51,293	16,38,634
Sindu	Exports	62,929	1,34,106
	Imports	1,75,680	1,66,686
Rangoon	Exports	21,87,542	14,89,132
	Imports	9,50,475	9,41,302
British Burma other Ports	Exports	4,19,884	3,25,119
	Imports	11,92,939	14,59,080
Total	Exports	1,92,34,631	1,62,52,346
	Imports	1,85,86,019	2,05,63,654

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The value of gold and silver coin and bullion imported and exported during — 1874-75 and 1875-76 from and to each of the Presidencies are shown below.—

		1874-75	1875-76
Calcutta	Exports	4,68,986	36,121
	Imports	4,10,951	2,87,964
Bengal other Ports	Exports	11,200	14,100
	Imports	"	"
Bombay	Exports	1,100	10,804
	Imports	31,85,118	27,47,396
Bombay other Ports	Exports	10,725	6,711
	Imports	81,865	50,127
Sindes	Exports	"	"
	Imports	"	1,400
Rangoon	Exports	10,712	2,275
	Imports	5,3000	1,10,605
Other Ports in Burma	Exports	77,700	85,700
	Imports	"	6,570
Total	Exports	5,80,423	1,54,711
	Imports	36,83,234	32,04,062

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	1874-75		1875-76	
	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value
		Rs		Rs
Cotton Piece goods — Yds.	6,04,97,547		6,70,02,848	1,06,35,879
Pieces	7,634	1,02,6037	16,116,717	15,831
Wgt.	11,012			
Cotton Twist — lbs	1,07,37,614	88,68,692	1,06,87,228	9472,351
Railway Materials — Value	"	32,64,857	"	45,80,746
Metals — Iron Wrought. Cwt	1,62,722	7,00,217	294,264	19,29,787
Apparel — Value	"	12,21,246	"	15,31,151
Liquors. Spirits Gallons	63,890	5,68,908	1,04,697	9,61,302
" Wines & liqueurs "	77,866	6,51,722	85,788	7,54,316
" Ale, Beer & Porter "	2,66,331	6,86,232	193194	4,94,886
Timber and Wood — Value	"	4,29,806	"	2,86,111
Machines and Machinery "	"	6,60,738	"	1,80,911
All other articles of Merchandize	"	58,12907	"	80,70,111
Total		3,31,15,696		3,89,19,382

The gross increase amounts to Rs 66,18,554 and the gross decrease to Rs 8,14,868, the net result being an increase of Rs 58,03,686. The increase is chiefly under Metals, Railway Materials, Spirits, Cotton twist and piece goods and Apparel.

Metals. Iron Wrought.

The imports are chiefly from

from the United Kingdom. The increase is due to greater demand. No special cause is assigned.

Railway Materials.

The increase is owing to the extension of the South India Railway. The imports are almost exclusively from the United Kingdom.

Spirits.

There is an increase of a little more than a lac of Rupees in the value of imports from France, and the rest in that from the United Kingdom. The increase is ascribed to ordinary fluctuations in the trade. The countries from which the imports are made are shown in the margin.

	1874-75		1875-76	
	Quantity Gallons	Value Rs	Quantity Gallons	Value Rs
United Kingdom	557694	4,92,281	85,693	7,66,735
France "	7338	66,523	18,188	1,80,083
Ceylon "	715	9,661	613	6,492
Other Countries "	68	443	203	2622
Total	563890	5,68,908	104697	9,61,302

Cotton

Cotton Twist and Piece goods. The imports are chiefly from the United Kingdom. The increase is due to the reaction of the year. Not in 1875-76:

	Rs
The United Kingdom	1690750.
Ceylon	312206
Other Countries	105105
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Apparel. The article is imported chiefly from the United Kingdom and France, and the increase is attributed to the large demand for valuable millinery.

The decrease in the imports is only prominent under Machines and Machinery and Ale, beer and porter. The decrease under the former is due to large imports on account of the South India Railway in 1874-75. The decrease under the other items is not attributed to any special

cause

Cause.

The following statement shews the total trade exclusive of treasure with each Foreign Country in 1875-76. compared with that in the previous year.

		1874-75	1875-76
		Rs	Rs
United Kingdom	Exports	3,78,56,952	4,02,73,405
	Imports	2,68,41,430	3,11,74,894
France	Exports	95,11,416	1,07,98,380
	Imports	6,77,009	11,29,063
Mediterranean Ports	Exports	5,00,865	23,07,582
	Imports	24,208	38,198
Other Countries in Europe	Exports	10,48,775	19,60,586
	Imports	90,045	1,06,388
America	Exports	35,441	94,753
	Imports	1,38,090	2,83,004
West Indies	Exports	81,840	99,256
	Imports	"	"
Mauritius	Exports	7,49,241	4,74,580
	Imports	4,036	1,048
Bourbon	Exports	2,10,942	2,23,019
	Imports	47	68
Other Countries in Africa	Exports	69,566	58,631
	Imports	6	150
Arabia	Exports	3,92,220	2,21,225
	Imports	14,359	32,587
Aden	Exports	48,660	92,226
	Imports	1,284	286
Persia	Exports	1,85,921	2,42,549
	Imports	33,960	3,927
Maldives	Exports	7,703	17,551
	Imports	23,131	23,212
Ceylon	Exports	1,22,26,560	1,22,70,706
	Imports	43,84,964	48,03,376
Straits Settlements	Exports	18,95,460	11,25,054
	Imports	5,55,119	7,52,871
China	Exports	1,63,321	9,33,749
	Imports	39,240	34,900
Other Countries in Asia	Exports	3,61,606	6,23,741
	Imports	64,623	2,15,650
Australia	Exports	19,891	2,41,507
	Imports	2,24,045	3,23,760
Total Foreign Ports.	Exports	6,53,66,380	7,20,58,404
	Imports	3,31,15,696	3,89,19,382

Coin and bullion. The total value of gold and silver coin and bullion imported and exported in 1875-76 and 1874-75 was as shown

shown below.

		1874-75	1875-76
		Rs	Rs
United Kingdom	Exports	5,000	1,64,300
	Imports	4,15,485	21,58,263
France	Exports	"	"
	Imports	75,180	76,735
Mauritius	Exports	"	"
	Imports	45,675	4,000
Other Countries in Africa	Exports	"	"
	Imports	"	5,625
Arabia	Exports	"	"
	Imports	15,539	"
Ceylone	Exports	25,78,600	25,47,038
	Imports	34,21,188	33,11,761
Straits Settlements	Exports	"	13,783
	Imports	21,812	6,650
China	Exports	"	"
	Imports	13,162	"
Other Countries in Asia	Exports	"	"
	Imports	5,000	10,483
Australia	Exports	"	"
	Imports	"	50,000
Total	Exports	25,83,000	27,25,121
	Imports	50,13,041	56,23,517

The particulars of the above values in gold and silver are as follows.—

		1874-75	1875-76
Gold	Exports	"	1,80,988
	Imports	16,61,928	27,85,234
Silver	Exports	25,83,000	25,44,133
	Imports	33,51,113	28,38,283
Total.	Exports	25,83,000	27,25,121
	Imports	50,13,041	56,23,517

Trade with other Presidencies.

The exports to other Presidencies have fallen as will be seen from the subjoined Statement. The decrease is chiefly under rice, cotton, piece-goods, cocoanuts, hides and skins Provisions and oils vegetable. The large decrease under rice is due to extraordinary exportation in 1874-75 in consequence of Bengal famine. The decrease under

under hides and skins is stated to be partly due to less loss of cattle during 1875-76. and partly to less demand in other Presidencies. The larger exports to Foreign Countries also account in part for decrease in the trade with the other Presidencies. The fall in the exports of Cocoanuts is attributed to scarcity of produce in Malabar and that in oils, vegetable, is due partly to the increase in the exports of seeds to other Presidencies and in the export of oil to Foreign Countries. The decrease under provisions which consist chiefly of Cocoanut Kernel is due to the same cause as that assigned for the decrease under Cocoanuts.

		1874-75		1875-76	
		Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value
Provisions including Cocoanut Kernel	"		2,56,320	"	19,12,759
Oils - Vegetable	Gallons	18,64,827	17,70,659	18,60,127	17,53,174
Seeds other sorts	cwt.	"	11,46,165	4,65,969½	15,76,480
Fruits - Cocoanuts	cwt.	"		"	
	No.	5,64,81,658	11,98,268	4,25,33,392	10,15,033
Coir yarn	cwt	1,15,080	7,51,653	1,44,469	9,66,916
Coffee	"	25,620	9,18,709	23,213	8,77,096
Cotton - Raw	"	25,174	5,66,826	31,850¼	7,41,892
Cotton Piece goods	& do	17,89,735		10,99,306	4,54,143
	Pieces	21,445	7,95,185	No. 25,344	15,291
	Doz	464			
Tobacco - Unmanufactured	cwt	29,129	4,48,861	31,008¼	4,43,987
Sugar	"	58,346	4,38,853	49,519½	3,48,062
Skins - Tanned	cwt	"		3,725	
	No.	7,60,242	3,87,899	5,30,171	2,95,234
Hides - Raw	cwt	"		10,440¼	
	No.	2,28,822	4,02,049	1,58,304	2,15,042
Rice	cwt	5,12,089	15,11,639	46,042	1,78,247
Tobacco Manufactured	"	2067		2087½	
	No.	500	1,49,626	"	1,72,062
Teak Timber	Tons	2918	1,27,039	3077½	1,40,118
Skins Raw	cwt	"		2,328½	
	No.	2,83504	1,71,646	1,88,620	1,25,283
Hides Tanned	cwt	"		2971	
	No.	79,159	1,99,145	44,846	96,137
Dyes Other sorts	cwt	15,057	50,395	21,546	91,373
Seeds - Gingelly	"	4,352	25,577	8131	40,466

		1874-75		1875-76	
		Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value
Spices	lbs	1,63,30,272	21,55,133	1,70,51,309	22,92,410
	No	40,88,120	7,937		

		1874-75		1875-76	
		Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value
Indigo	cwt	281	55,165	226	38,873
Paddy	"	113	260	2,003	5,294
All other articles.		"	24,45,096	"	19,30,0
Total			1,80,79,105		1,57,25,4
Value of re exports			1155526		5,2690
Total			1,92,34,631		1,62,52

The Imports from other Presidencies consist of the following articles.

		1874-75		1875-76	
		Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value
Cotton Piece goods	Rds	1,84,88,059	32,93,597 / 5,509	2,15,08,929	36,50,78
Cotton Twist	lbs	34,13,254	20,28,129	53,31,454	29,16,01
Grain Paddy	cwt	8,01,616	20,07,416	7,96,419	20,14,23
Rice	"	3,66,544	13,48,176	4,10,102	15,41,61
Timber and Wood	Tons	"	10,84,687	"	11,43,960
Grain other kinds	cwt	"	10,27,627	2,56,057	9,80,578
Apparel		"	2,24,398	"	2,76,077
All other articles		"	75,66,480	"	8030,398
Total			1,85,86,019		2,05,53,69

Hides and Skins.

The exports are almost exclusively to the United Kingdom and the increase is due to abolition of the duty on the article and to improved demand.

Oils. Vegetable.

As in the case of Hides and Skins the exports are chiefly to the United Kingdom. The increase is ascribed to rise in price and increased demand.

Spices.

The countries to which the articles is exported are shown below.

		1874-75		1875-76	
		Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value
United Kingdom	lbs	25,79,696	4,05,528	23,01,580	5,46,174
France	"	27,41,088	3,80,061	3,345,567	5,02,763
Mauritius	"	5,30,544	35,467	5,13,488	41,038
Red Sea	"	6,03,792			
	No.	1,00,000	67,200	3,41,029	49,022
Aden	"	2,89,072	29,376	3,63,653	58,302
Ceylon	"	23,97,136	1,66,017	27,27,793	2,01,032
Other Countries	"	2,80,784			
	No.	1,63,000	35,421	9,10,199	1,31,431
Total	"	94,22,112		1,05,03,309	
	No.	2,63,000	11,19,070		15,29,762

The increase is owing to improved demand for pepper in France.

The decrease of Exports occurred in Coir, Indigo, Sugar and Rice and in re-exports of foreign articles. Under the 1st, 2nd and 3rd item, the falling off is attributed to decreased demand in Europe, and under the 4th item to unusually large exportation in 1874-75 owing to the failure of exportation from Bengal owing to famine there. The 1st, 2nd and 3rd articles are exported chiefly to the United Kingdom, and the 4th to Ceylon.

The large decrease under re-exports which is equivalent to an increase under imports, is chiefly under Cotton Piece-goods, colored, printed or dyed.

The subjoined Statement shows the particulars of Imports from foreign Countries.

The particulars of the above in gold and silver are as follows:—

		1874-75	1875-76.
Gold	Exports	4.212	2.275
	Imports	5.71.244	3.11.605
Silver	Exports	576.211	1.52.436
	Imports	31.11.990	28.92.457
Total	Exports	5.80.423	1.54.711
	Imports	36.83.234	32.04.062

The subjoined Statement shows the articles exported and imported to Indian Ports not British.

Exports				Imports			
Article	Year	Quantity	Value	Article	Year	Quantity	Value
Coffee cwt	1874-75	399	12.767				
	75-76	369	13.405	Paddy cwt	1874-75	3926	16.493
Cotton raw "	74-75	166	4153		75-76	2018	5313
	75-76	490	10.380	Rice	74-75	6.091	28509
Coir "	74-75	33.468	2,30,058		75-76	2822½	11.250
	75-76	22.397½	1.35.920	Other sorts.	74-75	"	64.046
					75-76	4125.	14.121
				Timber & wood	74-75	"	65061
					75-76	"	87.557

Exports

Article	Year	Quantity	Value
Cotton Piece goods	74-75	1,45,307 Pieces	26,108
		26 lbs	
	75-76	2,67,411 Pieces	55,653
		1,2288 lbs	1,982
Wearing apparel & other sorts	74-75	17,503	53,947
	75-76	4,795	17,686
Fruits	74-75	51,034 lbs	1,194,38
Cocoanuts	No.		
	75-76	4,71,035 lbs	13,987
Paddy cwt	74-75	6323	4,881
	75-76	29,156	69,159
Rice "	74-75	58,953	239,697
	75-76	77,193	306,058
Oils Vegetable & all.	74-75	122,137	158965
	75-76	52909	57347
Provisions including Cocoanut kernels	74-75	"	27928
	75-76	"	30014
Seeds Gingelly cwt	74-75	99	473
	75-76	726	3412
Do. other sorts "	74-75	"	7538
	75-76	2737	9863
Sugar raw "	74-75	30669	125247
	75-76	38612¼	17675
Spices	74-75 lbs	2020816	149513
	No.	8021500	16043
	75-76 lbs	2914048	229958
Timber Teak Logs	74-75	1130	54306
	75-76	1243½	63794

Imports

Article	Year	Quantity	Value
Apparel	74-75	"	2981
	75-76	"	2926
Cotton Piece goods	74-75	3134	1029
	75-76	52,010	18263
Do. Do. Val	74-75	"	388
	75-76	"	"
All other articles	74-75	"	300839
	75-76		317165
Total	74-75	"	4,79,346
	75-76	"	456589

Exports

Article	Year	Quantity	Value
Coco Nuts unascertained	1874-75	1759	17582
	75-76	708½	8936
All other articles	74-75	"	259384
	75-76	"	250909
Total	74-75	"	15,08028
	75-76	"	15,61,138
Values of re-exports	74-75	"	621864
	75-76		617122
Total	74-75	"	2129892
	75-76	"	2178260

Imports

The fluctuations are ordinary and call for no remarks.

The places of exports and imports are given below.

		1874-75	1875-76
Cutch	Exports	7.77.545	8.67.557
	Imports	82.930	33.299
Gujerat	Exports	26.574	14.955
	Imports	15	7.505
Goa Damaun & Diew	Exports	1.35.173	2.62.190
	Imports	52 419	107 741
Karical	Exports	35972	62. 118
	Imports	72490	40. 617
Mahe	Exports	12 308	14. 185
	Imports	6.284	5. 432
Pondicherry	Exports	7.54.483	7.77.440
	Imports	117. 885	97.403
Travancore	Exports	387.837	179 815
	Imports	147.323	162 024
Narakal	Exports	"	"
	Imports	"	14 68
Cochin	Exports	"	"
	Imports	"	1.100
Total	Exports	2129892	21.78.260
	Imports	479346	456.589

The exports and imports of Treasure are as shown hereunder.

		1874-75	1875-76.
Cutch	Exports	"	"
	Imports	8.600	12.800
Goa Damaun & Diew	Exports	"	"
	Imports	1750	6500
Karical	Exports	1900	"
	Imports	"	7.000
Pondicherry	Exports	1.45.000	2.70.400
	Imports	5.000	7.200
Travancore	Exports	21.000	15.000
	Imports	"	4.000
Total Silver	Exports	1.67.900	2.85.400
	Imports	15.350	37.500

No gold was exported or imported to or from Indian Ports not British.

The articles exported and imported to and from British Ports to Ports within the Presidency are given below.—

Exports

Year	Quantity	Value
Coffee cwt.	1874-75	47309¼	16852.10
	75-76	21436	8.16.515
Cotton raw "	74-75	7093	163.597
	75-76	1695	36.214
Piece goods yds	74-75	"	1194.764
	75-76	3,186,333	1125011
No.	75-76	15,990	9.268
Fruits & Vegetables No.	74-75	2346845	44305
	75-76	1375958	26166
Grain & Pulse cwt.	74-75	615,395	13,26,397
	75-76	763.221	1368.115
Rice cwt.	74-75	6.83.338	23.44.793
	75-76	8.96.441	29.57.867
Hides Raw cwt	74-75	"	28613
No.			
cwt	75-76	2041	37902
No.		3366	
No. Tanned cwt	74-75	"	25468
cwt		1548	
No.	75-76	22639	62.196
Skins Raw cwt	74-75	"	21,805
cwt		576	
No.	75-76	29,750	18.474

Imports

Year	Quantity	Value
Apparel Val	1874-75	"	1.48.16
	75-76	"	1.08.77
Coffee cwt	74-75	44.006	15.06.7
	75-76	21,472	8.10.08
Coir cwt	74-75	18,826	1.37.93
	75-76	15,118	109.120
Cotton twist & yarn Manufactures lbs	74-75	20418 20	15.71.581
	75-76	2599165	19.11.552
Drugs & Medicines Val	74-75		13.009
Dyes lbs	74-75	34,25,107	
Val		Pieces 560	
Fruits lbs	74-75	7.966	5,220
Val		"	9.70.85
Piece goods yds	75-76	1,27,41,186	22.21.81
lbs	75-76	7247	3,541
Grain & Pulse			
Paddy cwt	74-75	6,23,709	15,30,695
	75-76	7,45,579	16.29.581
Rice "	74-75	6,96,301	26.86,785
	75-76	8.59.917	31.70.605
Other sorts "	74-75	4,81,180	15,40,185
	75-76	3.30.297	9.96.374
Oils vegetable not enumerated Gallo	74-75	1.74.758	2,52,915
	75-76	1.38.238	159,186
Seeds cwt	74-75	1,76434	8,56,227
	75-76	1.73.879	7.76,310

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Exports

Year	Quantity	Value
cwt	74-76	"	60551
Spices			
Tanned cwt		1053	
No.	75-76	103418	67771
Pepper lbs	74-75	13556	80,382
cwt	75-76	10306	54,867
Other Sorts	74-75	106.136	3.92.080
Sugar cwt	74-75	"	11491
	75-76	51966	2.38.861
Tobacco manufactured cwt	74-75	4296	67022
	75-76	2820¼	51162
Tobacco unmanufactured cwt	74-75	16,482½	189266
	75-76	17,696¼	191745
Oils Vegetable lbs	74-75	2,78,624	310245
	75-76	178332½	165604
Seeds Gingelly cwt	74-75	29.398	177141
	75-76	26,098	126124
Seeds other than Gingelly cwt	74-75	171493¼	701829
	75-76	150661¾	5.45.459
Spices lbs	74-75	62,38,194	7.36,697
	75-76	68.11.346	8,71.699
All other articles of Merchandize	74-75	"	28,12,195
	75-76	"	29.02.948
Total	74-75	"	1.23.75.310
	75-76	"	116.67.968
Value of re-exports	74-75	"	43.41.259
	75-76	"	45.08.110
Total	74-75	"	1671569
	75-76	"	1617.078
Treasure	74-75	"	2586242
	75-76	"	2370.753
Grand Total	74-75	"	1.63.03.411
	75-76	"	1854.831

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Imports

Year	Quantity	Value
Spices		
Pepper lbs	1874-75	23,41,127	4.26.161
	75-76	23,84,628	4.51.520
Other Sorts	74-75	37.71.896	304540
		No. 6000	
	75-76	4429041	417594
Sugar cwt	74-75	114.814	5,32.832
	75-76	56.616	308.293
Tobacco unmanufactured lbs	74-75	26,13,590	
		No. 10500	2,75,032
Tobacco manufactured lbs	75-76	24,45,526	
		No. 4000	267.378
All other Articles	74-75	"	34.60.124
	75-76		3360 871¼
Total	74-75	"	1.75.06.940
	75-76	"	1.67.02.923
Treasure	74-75	"	18.24.896
	75-76	"	16.39.141
Grand Total	74-75	"	1.93.31.836
	75-76		1.83.42.064

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From the above it will be observed that in the trade within the Presidency, both imports and exports have fallen. The decrease in Exports is chiefly under Coffee, oilseeds, Hides other sorts and Sugar and other Saccharine Matter. Under the first three items the decrease is accounted for by the increase in the export of the same article to Foreign Countries, and the decrease under Sugar which occurs both in the Foreign and Coasting trade is owing to dullness in the Market.

The decrease in imports within the Presidency calls for no remark. It is of course due to same causes as the decrease in the Exports.

On the whole the value of the external trade of this Presidency inclusive of the trade with Ports not British in this Presidency

amounted in 1875-76 to 688 lacs in imports, and 936 lacs in Exports, and compares with the trade in 1874-75 as shown below:—

Articles	Exports 1874-75	Exports 1875-76	Articles	Imports 1874-75	Imports 1875-76
Coffee	136.13.647	166.11.109			
Cotton Raw	162.68.783	165.28.491	Cotton Piece goods	135.60.894	143.20.756
Rice	108.71.512	89.00.886	" Twists	108.86.821	123.88.364
Hides tanned	33.73.324	7748.307	Railway Materials	32.64.857	46.86.746
Indigo	5.71.208	24.26.568	Paddy	2023.909	2019.647
Spices	3447.696	4052.130	Metals Unwrought	7.00.217	19.29.787
Seeds Gingelly	3430.807	3385.164	Apparel	1448.625	18.10.194
Oils Vegetable	3042.350	3316.790	Rice	1376.685	1552.861
Cotton Piece goods	2868.125	27.72.143	Timber & Wood	1579.554	1517.622
Seeds Other Sorts	1950.612	24.81.735	Grain other Sorts	1091.673	994.699
Hides tanned	1454.135	24.62.278	Spirits	568.908	961.302
Provisions	6.30.014	23.80.652	Wines & liqueurs	651.722	7.54.316
Sugar	25.01.645	1940.827	Ale Beer & Porter	666.232	494.886
Coir	2004.854	1770.222	Machinery & Machinery	660.738	180.911
Cocoanuts	1317.706	1141.020			
Animals living	790.141	789.864			
Paddy	643.138	684.876	All other articles	136.80.226	164.17.674
Oils other Sorts	8.95.180	5.86.449			
Hides Raw	591.849	463.662			
Spices Unmanufd	466.443	452.923			
Grain other Sorts	499.187	3.94.787			
Wood Teak	1813.45	2031.912			
Tobacco Manufd	1496.26	172.062			
Skins Raw	1872.67	1416.02			
Oils other Sorts	1129.14	1272.0			
All other Articles	7067.110	47.11.406			
Total	839.81.262	888.32.585	Total	521.81.061	599.29.625
Value of re-exports	2749.641	1656.455			
Total	867.30.903	904.89.040			
Treasure	33.31.323	3165.232	Treasure	87.11.625	8865.079
Total	900.62.226	936.54.272	Total	608.92.686	687.94.704

Decrease in Export of Sugar

	Rs.
Trade with Foreign Countries	5.21.225
with B. P. in other Presidencies	90.791
with Indian Ports not British	51.428
within the Presidency	164.710
Total	8.28.154

The share borne by each District in the total value of ~~external~~ trade including Treasure and the trade within the Presidency is shown below. —

District	Total Exports	Total Imports
Madras (Chief Port)	3,82,52,151	1,41,66,498
Malabar	2,63,69,625	16628,821
Tanjore	869,364	74,36,553
Tinnevelly	90,3232	57,46,766
South Canara	8227587	30,66,883
Godavery	8870 263	2551490
Vizagapatam	3546417	2409,737
Kistna	3426272	1843,421
South Arcot	1277111	1100 880
Madura	839702	959,594
Ganjam	3201,318	8,95,480
Nellore	483,421	330 645
Total	11,22,01,073	8,71,36,768

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Government Stores.

The total transactions of the year under the head Government Stores are as shown in the annexed table in 1875-76 and 1874-75

	Exports			Imports			
	1874-75		1875-76		1874-75		1875-76
	M	T	M	T	M	T	M T
To and from Foreign Countries	165	"	10594	"	239,103	"	339206 "
B. P. in other Pres.	87,275	64,2842	8,058	12,4,342	983102	890,000	89,322 6,97,000
I. P. not British	64	"	"	"	11869	"	12300 "
B. P. in this Pres.	199,655	2,54,050	196,194	62,1000	6,43,373	347,000	5,56,758 7,70,000
Total	2,87,189	66,82,192	4,24,846	182,705	5,03,153	712 37,000	4,82,186 1,467,000

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The imports and exports from and to Foreign Countries consisted of the

the articles noted below.—

		Exports Quantity	Exports Value	Imports Quantity	Imports Value
Apparel	1874-75	"	"	"	1407
	75-76	"	"	"	
Arms	74-75	"	"	"	988
	75-76	"	"	"	1052
Drugs other sorts	74-75	"	10,594	"	375
	75-76	"	"	"	
Ale Beer & Porter	74-75	"	"	"	1470
	75-76	"	"	"	1653
Spirits	74-75	"	"	684780	502.7
	75-76	"	"	731315	519.7
Wines	74-75	"	"	99378	99.38
	75-76	"	"	67040	211.77
Railway Materials	74-75	"	"	654	281
	75-76	"	"	1.783	87.9
Woollen Piece goods	74-75	"	"	5635	262.46
	75-76	"	"	38.412	82.69
All other Articles	74-75	"	"	163.922	346.32
	75-76	"	165	"	1365.61
Total	74-75	"	165	"	1403.94
	75-76	"	10.594	"	3393.40
					3392.80

Customs Revenue.

The total customs revenue during the year after deducting refunds and drawbacks amounted to

	1874-75	1875-76
On Exports	12.29.543	9.67.479
On Imports	16.69.690	18.71.399

amounts

The following are the articles on which duty was levied.

Articles	Exports 1874-75	Exports 1875-76	Articles	Imports 1874-75	Imports 1875-76
	6.43.524	6.21.668	Cotton Piece goods	475.100	473869
	99.524	91.109	Spirits	252092	331.269
	67.903	63.162	Cotton twists & yarns	301.921	287.559
Iron & Steel	124.780	59.512	Wines & Liqueurs	106.247	136.235
	126.425	55.186	Salt	40.357	120.239
	31.142	30.368	Apparel	90.735	89.587
Piece goods	61.710	17.765	Metals	96.727	88.743
	36.043	16.367	Railway Materials	40.130	83.606
Spices other sorts	38.042	12.273	Spices	26.856	33.886
All other articles included in any of the two last Classes	441	69	Provisions & oilmans Store	24918	27.651
			Hardware & Cutlery ⊗		21.221
			Drugs & Medicines	19.960	18.028
			Metal Manufactures of Piece goods	11.514	13.683
Total	122.9634	9.67.479	Liquors Ale Beer & Porter	16.992	12.140
			Coals neat	15.072	8.814
			Glass ware	8782	8621
			Tobacco	1061	7123
			Stationery	6089	6728
			Arms	6030	6439
			Fruits & Vegetables	12.601	6.168
			Leather Manufactures	6197	5102
			Grain	9268	3901
			Oils	6169	3372
			Liquors other sorts	444	1514
			Tea	9911	1233
			All other articles	76.617	74.668
			Total	16.69.690	18.71.399

⊗ Last year this was included under Metals.

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On the whole there is a decrease of Rs 60,346 in the revenue realized which is due to the new tariff act introduced in August 1875. The articles which chiefly contribute to the revenue are paddy and rice, and indigo in exports, and cotton goods, spirits and wines, metals, and salt under imports.—

Shipping.

The subjoined Statement shews the tonnage of Vessels, Sailing and Steam, which entered and cleared at all ports in the Presidency from and to Foreign Countries with cargoes and in Ballast compared with that of 1874–75.

		1874–75				1875–76			
		Sailing Vessels		Steamers		Sailing Vessels		Steamers	
		No.	Tons	No.	Tons	No.	Tons	No.	Tons
British	Entered	283	143143	98	155117	136	100646	112	162014
	Cleared	355	191639	79	120457	202	142446	107	159166
Foreign	Entered	57	22256	17	15305	53	21777	21	19502
	Cleared	168	70055	10	9108	118	53562	11	10823
Coasting	Entered	2178	210473	3	768	1835	202316	4	934
	Cleared	2064	193511	"	"	1637	181010	5	2,627
Native Craft	Entered	1132	44614	"	"	1334	75037	.	
	Cleared	952	41956	"	"	1291	76,886	.	.
Total	Entered	3650	420486	118	171190	3358	399775	137	182,450
	Cleared	3539	497161	89	129565	3248	453904	123	172,616

From the above it will be observed that Steam transport is rapidly increasing while that by Sailing Vessels is falling. which indicates the healthy condition of the trade. The total tonnage in 1875–76 is nearly the same as that in 1874–75.

The following figures shew the share of Each District in the movement of Shipping during the years 1874–75 and 75–76 from and to Foreign

Foreign Countries.

		1874-75		1875-76	
		₹	₹	₹	₹
Madras	Entered	238	21,631	223	21,871
	Cleared	228	17235	211	188,77
Ganjam	Entered	19	1261	10	5,185
	Cleared	75	44196	49	41,908
Vizagapatam	Entered	16	7420	23	12,36
	Cleared	80	49,776	53	38,70
Godavery	Entered	43	23,205	24	12,18
	Cleared	112	57,291	96	52,13
Kistna	Entered	7	3,993	9	4900
	Cleared	8	2,483	20	8480
Nellore	Entered	"	"	1	163
	Cleared	1	30	"	
South Arcot	Entered	149	15,201	142	17,60
	Cleared	216	16,715	224	19,83
Tanjore	Entered	1394	127,697	1233	119,84
	Cleared	1314	116,465	1187	99,95
Madura	Entered	1217	111,473	1192	126,54
	Cleared	928	87,588	884	95,68
Tinnevelly	Entered	608	54970	555	42,10
	Cleared	563	53123	550	49,78
South Canara	Entered	14	1850	17	2150
	Cleared	15	1997	15	3040
Malabar	Entered	59	21,825	66	1881
	Cleared	93	30,766	82	28,16
Total	Entered	3768	591676	3495	5822
	Cleared	3628	626,726	3371	626,52

The shipping transactions coast-wise are shown below.—

		1874-75:				1875-76			
		Sailing Vessels		Steamers		Sailing Vessels		Steamers	
		₹	₹	₹	₹	₹	₹	₹	₹
Transactions with the Ports on the Coast.	Entered	3452	210293	671	808457	3340	196514	843	1074328
	Cleared	3045	204217	853	1132689	3228	215779	1061	1338240
Transactions with Ports in the Bay of Bengal.	Entered	1177	80045	37	43158	1158	76675	56	68963
	Cleared	1331	63046	34	41445	1167	60472	55	68,264
Transactions with Ports in the Arabian Sea.	Entered	1098	67900	68	76998	1544	65210	858	1039534
	Cleared	1516	56425	493	644555	1831	56304	632	771829
Total	Entered	20727	968738	1376	1215981	9423	91	1757	2182825
	Cleared	19892	831688	1380	1538691	8425	55	1748	2178333

As in the case of trade with Foreign Countries, the movements of Steamers have increased but the total tonnage of 1875-76 is considerably in excess

excess of that of 1874-75.

The nationalities of the vessels are as follows:—

		1874-75		1875-	
		No.	T.	No.	T.
British	Entered	1421	597988	1810	20
	Cleared	1318	546735	1728	20
British Indian	Entered	1070	274244	950	34
	Cleared	943	265488	916	33
Foreign	Entered	676	105520	619	9
	Cleared	523	67244	559	76
Native Craft	Entered	19036	613584	18020	60
	Cleared	18488	590880	17971	59
Total	Entered	22103	2591336	21399	316
	Cleared	21272	2470347	21174	302

Ports.—

The total number of ports in which there was trade in 1875-76 was 69 against 82 in 1874-75.

Impediments

Impediments to trade.

Collectors do not point out any impediments which require the interference of Government. The Collectors of South Canara and Kristna however suggest a few improvements. In South Canara, the Collector [illegible] suggests the improvement of the harbour and the Bar, the construction of a Canal along the coast; and of a trade way between the Mysore country and Mangalore.

The Collects of Kistna states that good roads are necessary to the landing places of the Sperpalem and Nizampatam ports. The Collectors concerned will be requested to submit Special reports on each of

of the points suggested, and they will be disposed of separately.

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Acting Secretary

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