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Revenue **DEPARTMENT.**

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28th August 1867.

No. 542. Read the following letter from the Sub-Secretary to the Board of Revenue, to the Secretary to Government, Revenue Department, Fort St. George, dated Madras, 7th August 1867, No. 5,064:—

1. I am directed by the Board of Revenue to submit the accompanying Comparative Statement of salt sales for Home and Inland consumption for the past three official years, viz., 1864-65, 1865-66, and 1866-67, agreeably to the instructions contained in a letter from the Government of India, under date the 4th June, received with the Order of Government, dated 2nd July 1852, No. 639.

2. The sales of the past three official years are given in the margin. The falling off in 1866-67, as compared with the sales in 1865-66, is entirely owing to the transactions for the former year having comprised eleven months only as against twelve months in 1865-66. The sales in April 1867 were Indian Maunds 6,14,068, and the amount realized was Rupees 10,00,328; making the sales of the twelve months ending April 30th, 1867, Indian Maunds 69,24,848, or Rupees 113,62,700. Thus the bulk of salt sold (about 69¼ lacs of Maunds) was still below the quantity sold in 1864, though the enhanced price has increased the revenue at the sacrifice of the quantity thrown into consumption. Allowance must, however, be made for the drought in part of the year when the price of food was extremely high, and pasturage and water for cattle generally deficient.

	In. Mds.	Rupees.
1864-65	69,46,048	101,90,602
1865-66	66,81,202	98,96,768
1866-67, 11 months...	63,10,840	103,62,372

Comparative Statement shewing the quantity of salt sold for Home and Inland consumption, the Madras Presidency for the official years ending 30th

Districts.	From 1st May 1864 to 30th April 1865.			From 1st May 1865
	Quantity.	Rate per Indian Maund.	Amount.	Quantity.
1	2	3	4	5
	I. M. S. C.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	I. M. S. C.
	.....	.....	.....	28,872 0 0
	.....	.....	.....	52,800 0 0
Ganjam	4,77,417 4 3	1 8 0	7,16,125 10 6	2,75,695 3 7½
	4,23,600 0 0	1 6 9⅗	6,03,630 0 0	4,47,600 0 0
Total...	9,01,017 4 3	.....	13,19,755 10 6	9,04,967 3 7½
	.....	.....	.....	18,829 0 0
Vizagapatam ...	1,89,913 34 7	1 8 0	2,84,870 12 7	1,93,952 27 0
Total...	1,89,913 34 7	.....	2,84,870 12 7	2,12,781 27 0
	.....	.....	.....	7,733 0 0
Godavery ...	2,74,849 0 0	1 8 0	4,10,819 11 0	2,47,355 0 0
Total...	2,74,849 0 0	.....	4,10,819 11 0	2,55,088 0 0
	.....	.....	.....	23,980 20 0
	.....	.....	.....	1,200 0 0
Kistna	2,63,259 20 0	1 8 0	3,94,889 4 0	2,20,897 20 0
	.....	.....	.....	2,400 0 0
	72,000 0 0	1 6 9⅗	1,02,600 6 0	2,84,000 0 0
	1,30,800 0 0	1 5 1¹¹⁄₂₅	1,72,656 0 0	15,600 0 0
Total...	4,66,059 20 0	.....	6,70,145 4 0	4,98,078 0 0
	.....	.....	.....	40,458 0 0
	.....	.....	.....	2,407 15 8
Nellore	3,84,835 8 5	1 8 0	5,77,252 13 0	3,57,009 0 0
	4,56,000 0 0	1 6 9⅗	6,49,800 0 0	3,18,200 0 0
Total...	8,40,835 8 5	.....	12,27,052 13 0	7,18,074 15 8
	.....	.....	.....	22,864 0 0
	.....	.....	.....	1,09,200 0 0
Madras	1,77,430 25 3	1 8 0	2,66,146 5 2	1,29,067 12 15
	14,29,273 23 6	1 6 9⅗	20,22,179 13 0	10,83,600 0 0
Total...	15,97,704 18 9	.....	22,88,326 2 11	13,45,631 12 16
	3,31,987 25 0	1 8 0	4,97,981 10 0	3,39,583 4 5
South Arcot ...	.....	.....	.....	19,364 4 0
Total...	3,31,987 25 0	.....	4,97,981 10 0	3,58,947 8 5
	.....	.....	.....	8,468 10 0
	.....	.....	.....	36,000 0 0
	.....	.....	6,99,019 0 10	2,26,082 10 0
Tanjore	4,66,012 27 12	1 8 0	*2,78,730 0 0	3,75,600 0 0
	1,95,600 0 0	1 6 9⅗	.....	19,200 0 0
	.....	.....	.....	3,600 0 0
Total...	6,61,612 27 12	.....	9,77,749 0 10	6,68,950 20 0

its price per maund, and proceeds realized from the sale in all the Maritime Districts under April 1865, 1866, and 31st March 1867, respectively.

to 30th April 1866.		From 1st May 1866 to 31st March 1867.			Remarks.
Rate per Indian Maund.	Amount.	Quantity.	Rate per Indian Maund.	Amount.	
6	7	8	9	10	11
Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	I. M. S. C.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	
1 11 0	48,721 8 0	3,49,393 1 14	1 11 0	5,89,600 12 3	
1 9 7⅘	84,645 0 0	5,22,000 0 0	1 9 7½	8,36,831 4 0	
1 8 0	5,63,542 10 1	.....	.....	.....	
1 6 9⅗	6,37,830 0 0	.....	.....	.....	
.....	13,34,739 2 1	8,71,393 1 14	.....	14,26,432 0 3	
1 11 0	31,773 15 0	1,89,967 5 9	1 11 0	3,20,569 8 9	
1 8 0	2,90,929 0 2	.....	.....	.....	
.....	3,22,702 15 2	1,89,967 5 9	.....	3,20,569 8 9	
1 11 0	13,049 7 0	2,35,582 13 0	1 11 0	3,97,545 3 0	
1 8 0	3,71,032 8 0	3,600 0 0	1 9 7½	5,771 4 0	
.....	3,84,081 15 0	2,39,182 13 0	.....	4,03,316 7 0	
1 11 0	40,467 1 6	1,78,101 20 0	1 11 0	3,00,546 4 6	
1 9 7⅘	1,923 12 0	4,91,013 0 0	1 9 7½	7,87,155 3 6	
1 8 0	3,31,346 4 0	.....	.....	.....	
1 7 9²⁄₂₅	3,564 0 0	.....	.....	.....	
1 6 9⅗	3,33,450 0 0	.....	.....	.....	
1 5 1¹¹⁄₂₅	20,592 0 0	.....	.....	.....	
.....	7,31,343 1 6	6,69,114 20 0	.....	10,87,701 8 0	
1 11 0	68,272 14 0	3,95,001 0 0	1 11 0	6,66,564 3 0	
1 9 7⅘	3,858 4 3	1,94,522 31 12	1 9 7½	3,11,844 9 5	
1 8 0	5,35,513 8 0	.....	.....	.....	
1 6 9⅗	4,46,310 0 0	.....	.....	.....	
.....	10,53,954 10 3	5,89,523 31 12	.....	9,78,408 12 5	
1 11 0	38,583 0 0	1,36,314 36 11	1 11 0	2,30,031 7 0	
1 9 7⅘	1,75,061 4 0	11,60,400 0 0	1 9 7½	18,60,266 4 0	
1 8 0	1,94,950 15 9	.....	.....	.....	
1 6 9⅗	15,44,130 0 0	9,600 0 0	1 6 9⅗	13,680 0 0	
.....	19,52,725 3 9	13,06,314 36 11	.....	21,03,977 11 0	
1 8 0	5,09,374 10 1	39,005 0 0	*1 7 0	56,069 11 0	*A discount of 10 per cent. to wholesale purchasers of salt on hand at the outlying pans near Moreanum was authorized in the Board's Proceedings, dated 27th July 1866, No. 5,191.
1 11 0	32,676 14 9	2,97,053 30 11	1 11 0	5,01,278 3 9	
.....	5,42,051 8 10	3,36,058 30 11	.....	5,57,347 14 9	
1 11 0	14,290 2 9	1,03,496 10 0	1 11 0	1,74,649 14 10	
1 9 7⅘	57,712 8 0	5,32,800 0 0	1 9 7½	8,54,145 0 0	
1 8 0	3,39,123 6 0	.....	.....	.....	
1 6 9⅗	5,35,230 0 0	.....	.....	.....	
1 5 1⅘	25,380 0 0	.....	.....	.....	
1 4 1½	4,530 0 0	.....	.....	.....	
.....	9,76,266 0 9	6,36,296 10 0	.....	10,28,794 14 10	

Comparative Statement shewing the quantity of salt sold

Districts.	From 1st May 1864 to 30th April 1865.			From 1st May 1865 to 30th April 1866.			From 1st May 1866 to 30th March 1867.			Remarks.
	Quantity.	Rate per Indian Maund.	Amount.	Quantity.	Rate per Indian Maund.	Amount.	Quantity.	Rate per Indian Maund.	Amount.	
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11
	I. M. S. C.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	I. M. C. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	I. M. S. C.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	
Madura ...	3,80,272 20 0	1 8 0	5,70,408 12 0	26,642 0 0	1 11 0	44,958 6 0	3,06,248 19 0	1 11 0	5,16,794 3 9	
	2,400 0 0	1 6 9⅗	3,420 0 0	3,79,493 10 0	1 8 0	5,69,239 14 0	21,721 0 0	1 9 7⅘	34,812 5 6	
Total ...	3,82,672 20 0	.....	5,73,828 12 0	4,06,135 10 0	.....	6,14,198 4 0	3,27,969 19 0	.....	5,51,606 9 3	
Tinnevelly ...	.....	.....	.....	20,094 0 0	1 11 0	33,908 10 0	2,67,561 0 0	1 11 0	4,51,509 3 0	
	.....	.....	.....	7,260 0 0	1 9 7⅘	11,542 8 0	1,29,600 0 0	1 9 7⅘	2,07,765 0 0	
	4,08,541 0 0	1 8 0	6,12,811 8 0	3,63,797 0 0	1 8 0	5,45,695 8 0	.....	.....	.....	
	.....	.....	.....	2,400 0 0	1 6 9⅗	3,420 0 0	.....	.....	.....	
Total ...	4,08,541 0 0	.....	6,12,811 8 0	3,93,491 0 0	.....	5,94,566 10 0	3,97,161 0 0	.....	6,59,274 3 0	
South Canara ...	.....	.....	.....	47,808 2 9	1 11 0	80,676 1 10	2,79,655 26 6½	1 11 0	4,71,918 15 6	
	3,65,020 29 1	1 8 0	5,47,546 1 8	3,45,876 10 13	1 8 0	5,18,814 6 10	.....	.....	.....	
	931 5 5	0 8 11⅖	519 14 1	753 15 14	0 11 2⅔	527 6 1	239 0 0	0 11 2⅘	167 4 10	For Amindevi Islands (at prime cost).
	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
Total ...	3,65,957 34 6	.....	5,48,059 15 9	3,94,437 29 3	.....	6,00,017 14 9	2,79,894 26 6⅗	.....	4,72,086 4 4	
Malabar ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
	.....	.....	.....	30,689 23 12	1 11 0	51,586 3 0	2,79,871 33 0	1 11 0	4,72,283 11 0	
	4,16,308 30 12	1 8 0	6,24,463 2 5	3,65,035 12 0	1 8 0	5,47,552 15 2	11,360 0 0	1 8 0	17,040 0 0	
	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1,76,733 0 0	1 9 7⅘	2,83,532 13 8	
	.....	.....	.....	26 11 8	1 7 8	30 1 2	.....	.....	.....	
	1,08,588 9 0	1 6 9⅗	1,54,783 2 9	1,33,875 0 0	1 6 9⅗	1,90,951 14 1	.....	.....	.....	
Total ...	5,24,896 39 12	.....	7,79,201 5 2	5,29,620 7 4	.....	7,90,121 1 5	4,67,964 33 0	.....	7,72,856 8 8	
Grand Total ...	69,46,047 32 6	.....	101,90,602 8 11	66,81,202 13 10¼	.....	98,96,768 7 6	63,10,840 27 15½	.....	103,62,372 6 3	

for Home and Inland consumption, &c.—*(Concluded.)*

(True Copy.)

(Signed) F. H. WILKINSON,
Acting Under Secretary to Government.

REVENUE DEPARTMENT,
FORT SAINT GEORGE,
28th August 1867.

No. 2,019.

No. 543.
To

THE SECRETARY TO THE GOVERNMENT OF INDIA,
FINANCIAL DEPARTMENT.

SIR,

Separate Revenue, No. 36.
Salt.

With reference to your letter dated 4th June 1852, No. 1,139, I am directed to forward, for submission to the Government of India, the accompanying letter from the Board of Revenue, dated 7th instant, No. 5,064, giving cover to a comparative Statement of the sales of Salt for the official years ending 30th April 1865, 1866, and 31st March 1867.

I have the honor to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient servant,
(Signed) W. HUDLESTON,
Secretary to Government.

Exd. S. T. Augustin.

28th Aug. 1863

REVENUE DEPARTMENT.

No. 2019

To

THE SECRETARY TO THE GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

SIR,

I have the honor to forward, by order of the Government of Sweden, the accompanying letter from the Board of Revenue, dated 7th instant, No. 5064, giving copies and translations of the orders of Sept. 1862, No. 1639, and 31st March 1863.

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To
The Commissioner of Inland Revenue
Inland Revenue

Dated 28th August 1867.

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