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ABSTRACT OF SEASON REPORTS FOR THE WEEK ENDING 6TH MARCH 1897.

RAINFALL AND PRICES OF THE STAPLE FOOD-GRAINS.

District.	RAINFALL IN INCHES			PRICES IN RUPEES (OF 80 TOLAS) PER RUPEE.											
	In the week.	Up to the end of the week from 1st April		Rice.			Ragi.			Cholam.			Cumbu.		
		1896-97.	Average of 25 years.	Average for March.	Last week.	This week.	Average for March.	Last week.	This week.	Average for March.	Last week.	This week.	Average for March.	Last week.	This week.
<i>Circars.</i>															
Ganjam ..	..	34.5	44.4	18.2	10.3	10.5	29.4	14.9	15.2	..	..	..	..	..	..
Vizaga- patam. { A.	..	55.3	56.8	15.5	9.7	9.7	28.3	16.6	16.6	..	15.9	15.8	29.9	16.9	17.0
{ L.	..	24.7	41.4												
Godavari ..	..	24.2	38.6	15.6	9.9	9.8	28.4	14.7	14.8	27.5	16.6	16.6	27.6	15.5	15.5
Kistna ..	..	26.3	33.1	14.8	10.2	10.2	29.2	19.8	19.7	23.6	16.1	16.2	22.5	13.2	13.1
<i>Deccan.</i>															
Kurnool ..	..	15.8	27.6	13.0	9.2	9.2	28.3	15.2	15.3	27.9	14.1	14.0	23.8	12.0	12.0
Bellary ..	..	14.3	22.6	12.7	9.2	9.2	35.2	16.4	16.6	29.0	13.2	13.3	..	..	..
Anantapur ..	..	14.9	23.1	13.9	9.4	9.4	33.0	17.4	17.5	29.7	13.9	13.9	26.5	12.8	12.8
Cuddapah ..	..	18.0	28.3	14.0	9.1	9.0	31.4	17.7	17.8	28.2	14.3	14.4	28.3	14.1	14.0
<i>Carnatic.</i>															
Nellore ..	..	35.8	31.3	14.1	11.2	11.2	27.0	20.4	20.2	24.2	19.1	19.0	22.5	14.8	14.6
Chingleput ..	..	54.0	44.3	15.3	12.1	12.2	25.3	16.5	16.3	..	..	..	..	..	..
Madras ..	..	69.6	48.8	12.2	10.9	10.8	24.7	16.4	16.4	..	..	..	..	..	..
South Arcot ..	..	43.9	41.9	15.3	14.5	14.5	27.5	21.8	22.0	..	..	..	27.3	22.1	22.3
<i>Central.</i>															
North Arcot ..	..	34.1	37.0	15.2	11.6	11.7	29.6	18.4	18.4	25.9	15.9	15.7	25.4	16.8	16.6
Salem ..	..	31.1	30.8	13.9	12.0	12.0	29.6	21.3	20.9	24.8	19.4	19.6	25.1	19.2	19.0
Coimbatore ..	..	28.7	24.9	13.6	11.6	11.7	27.8	21.1	21.1	22.5	18.2	18.0	26.2	22.0	22.2
Trichinopoly ..	..	37.0	33.3	14.7	12.0	12.1	28.1	24.6	24.5	35.6	18.9	18.9	26.5	23.2	23.2
<i>South.</i>															
Tanjore ..	..	48.7	43.5	15.3	13.3	13.5	27.7	25.0	25.2	..	..	..	..	..	..
Pudukkottai ..	..	35.8	..	..	12.4	12.4	..	25.0	25.1	..	26.2	26.2	..	25.6	26.8
Madura ..	..	41.6	29.2	14.9	13.0	13.1	29.0	23.2	22.6	30.4	23.2	19.8	27.2	21.0	20.8
Tinnevely ..	..	38.1	25.1	13.9	12.3	12.6	26.2	21.1	22.0	22.6	19.5	19.8	24.9	21.7	21.7
Nilgiris ..	..	68.5	61.3	11.2	8.8	9.1	21.4	16.2	16.0	..	..	..	..	..	..
<i>West Coast.</i>															
Malabar ..	..	134.8	112.7	13.3	10.9	10.9	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
South Canara ..	..	158.0	141.9	14.1	11.9	11.8	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Travancore ..	..	67.9	64.1	..	10.2	10.2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..

A. Agency, L. Littoral, tracts.

• Average for ten normal years previous to Isali 1305 (1895-96).

TINNEVELLY.

No flow over Srivaikuntam anikat; discharge sufficient to irrigate 37 per cent. of irrigable area and sufficient for standing crops. Ploughing and transplanting continue in parts. Paddy sown on wet land in parts and cholam and gingelly on dry and under wells in parts. Standing crops generally good. Paddy and cumbu harvested; outturn middling. Pasture sufficient and fodder available. Condition of cattle good.

NILGIRIS.

Ploughing going on. Standing crops good. Coffee, tea and barley harvested; outturn fair. Pasture and fodder sufficient on plateau and scanty in Gudalur. Condition of cattle generally good.

MALABAR.

Ploughing for first crop in parts. Standing crop good. Harvest in progress; outturn generally fair. Pasture scanty but fodder available. Condition of cattle generally good.

SOUTH CANARA.

Water-supply insufficient in many places. Ploughing for first crop in parts. Standing third crop generally good. Harvesting of second crop in progress; outturn fair to average. Pasture scanty, but fodder sufficient. Condition of cattle generally good.

TRAVANCORE.

Harvest over. Pasture normal. Condition of cattle good.

SEASON TELEGRAM TO THE GOVERNMENT OF INDIA, REVENUE AND AGRICULTURAL DEPARTMENT, CALCUTTA.

Week ending March 6th. No rain. Water-supplies decreasing and difficulties as to supply for people and cattle felt in parts Circars and Deccan; elsewhere supply normal to season. Tilling land for next season on West Coast, and to some extent under wells and irrigation works in other parts. Standing crop in fair condition Southern, Central and Carnatic districts; elsewhere poor, bad or lost. Harvest proceeding in first-named districts with fair to middling outturn and of second crop on West Coast average. Pasture disappearing rapidly, and none remains parts of Deccan; improved parts Circars by late rainfall. Fodder scarce and dear parts Deccan and Circars; elsewhere sufficient. Cattle generally in good condition, but in parts Deccan suffering severely for want of food and water. Prices easier Ganjam and parts Deccan; elsewhere almost stationary, though rather dearer Carnatic and parts Central districts. Relief particulars in supplementary telegram.

APPENDIX.

STATEMENT showing the number of persons on famine relief.

		Men.	Women.	Children.	Total.	Total last week.
<i>Deccan.</i>						
Relief workers	Kurnool	..	..	..	..	10,064
	Bellary	9,278	19,631	7,956	36,865	34,515
	Anantapur	..	..	..	..	4,294
	Cuddapah	915	1,802	797	3,514	2,559
	Total	..	..	..	..	51,432
Weavers working	Kurnool	..	..	..	..	..
	Bellary	352	371	..	723	751
	Cuddapah	4,023	3,162	..	7,185	7,485
	Total	..	..	..	..	8,236
Dependants gratuitously relieved.	Kurnool	..	..	..	..	633
	Bellary	55	209	1,985	2,269	2,272
	Anantapur	..	..	..	..	327
	Cuddapah	3	..	188	191	181
	Total	..	..	..	..	3,413
Gratuitously relieved otherwise	Kurnool	..	..	..	..	..
	Anantapur	..	..	..	..	84
	Cuddapah	..	..	..	..	4
	Total	..	..	..	..	88
Test workers	Ganjam	869	930	38	1,837	1,494
	Do.	30	64	267	361	1,391

* Reports not yet received.

OFFICE OF THE BOARD OF REVENUE
(REV. SETT., LAND RECORDS AND AGRI.),
9th March 1897.

Secretary.

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Lunar Report

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Mon. M. S. L. L. C. 18.

Tues. M. S. L. L. C. 18.

Sun. 4.54

10.3.97

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Thurs.

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Prices:

Prices are falling on 27 quotation, rising on 22 and are stationary on 24 out of 73. They are falling in 9 districts, rising in 6 and stationary in 8. Prices are nowhere above the scarcity rates, except for Cholam in the Dekkan districts and for Ambu in Anantapur and Hurm. Prices both of rice and raggi are just under the scarcity rate in Ganjam.

Rainfall:

There has been no rainfall during the week, in the Presiding Public Health.

Public Health is good everywhere. Cholera shows no signs of increasing, except perhaps in Malabar. The Dekkan districts and Ellore are practically free of it.

Works. The details as to the number on works will be found in Statement flagged by. The numbers on works are not reported in Hurm and from Anantapur, this week. In Bellary, there is a slight increase, also in Cuddapah but

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but a slight decrease in Gaujam.
The numbers on gratuitous re-
lief in Gaujam have fallen
very ~~far~~ materially and are now
only 361. Weavers' relief shows
no signs of suspension.

Prospects:

Prospects show little change
from last week.

Drinking-water supply ^{is}, if
anything, improved. The Collector
of Vizagapatam says that
fratuitous relief to destitute
non-workers is advisable in
large ~~cities~~ ^{Centres}; he also proposes
to open test-works in several
localities. No report has
been received from Badra-

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appears uninvolved which there stat-
— the works have "failed" —

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Board of Revenue

(Revenue Settlement, Land Records
and Agriculture),

MADRAS.

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PRICES OF FOOD GRAINS for week ending

6th March 1897

ENDING 6th March

1897.

(No. 81-50. 22-8-5)

OF 80 TOLAS PER RUPEE.

	CHOLUM.						CUMBU.						REMARKS.
	Last week.	This week.	Average for March	Normal rates.	Warning rates.	Scarcity rates.	Last week.	This week.	Average for March	Normal rates.	Warning rates.	Scarcity rates.	
5-0	"	"	"	..	..	..	"	"	"	..	..	..	-
4-0	15-9	15-8	"	..	..	..	16-9	17-0	27-9	30-0	22-5	15-0	✓
4-0	16-6	16-6	27-5	28-0	21-0	11-0	15-5	15-5	27-6	28-0	21-0	14-0	✓
..	16-1	16-2	23-6	26-0	19-5	13-0	13-2	13-1	22-5	26-0	19-5	13-0	+
..	14-1	14-0	27-9	30-0	22-5	(13-0)	12-0	12-0	23-8	28-0	21-0	(14-0)	✓
..	13-2	13-3	29-0	30-0	22-5	(15-0)	"	"	"	..	..	..	-
6-0	13-9	13-9	29-7	30-0	22-5	(15-0)	12-8	12-8	26-5	28-0	21-0	(14-0)	✓
6-0	14-3	14-4	28-2	30-0	22-5	(15-0)	14-1	14-0	28-3	28-0	21-0	14-0	-
4-0	19-1	19-0	24-2	26-0	19-5	13-0	14-8	14-6	22-5	24-0	18-0	12-0	+
2-0	"	"	"	..	..	..	"	"	"	23-0	16-5	11-0	-
2-0	"	"	"	..	..	..	"	"	"	..	..	..	✓
4-0	"	"	"	..	..	..	22-1	22-3	27-3	26-0	19-5	13-0	-
3-0	15-9	15-7	25-9	26-0	19-5	13-0	16-8	16-5	25-4	27-0	20-0	13-5	+
5-5	19-4	19-6	24-8	26-0	19-5	13-0	19-2	19-0	25-1	27-0	20-0	13-5	+
4-0	18-2	18-0	22-5	24-0	18-0	12-0	22-0	22-2	26-2	26-0	19-5	13-0	-
4-0	18-9	18-9	35-5	24-0	18-0	12-0	23-2	23-2	26-5	26-0	19-5	13-0	✓
4-0	"	"	"	..	..	..	"	"	"	..	..	..	report not received
4-0	26-2	26-2	"	..	..	..	25-6	26-8	"	..	..	..	-
10-0	23-2	19-3	30-4	24-0	18-0	12-0	21-0	20-8	27-2	26-0	19-5	13-0	+
3-0	19-5	19-8	22-6	23-0	17-0	11-5	21-7	21-7	22-9	22-0	16-5	11-0	-
0-5	"	"	"	..	..	..	"	"	"	..	..	..	-
..	"	"	"	..	..	..	"	"	"	..	..	..	✓
..	"	"	"	..	..	..	"	"	"	..	..	..	✓
..	"	"	"	..	..	..	"	"	"	..	..	..	✓

also previous to
ending Jaldi 1305 (1895 96).

of 2nd July 1896

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RAINFALL.

(Sett. 110-30-4-96.)

Week ending *6th March* 1897.
Official year 1896-97.

DISTRICT.			ANNUAL.		Average up to the end of corresponding week for past 25 years.	1896-97. From 1st April to 6 th March	Corresponding period of 1895-96.	During week ending 6 th March 1896-97.	Average for corresponding period during the past 14 years.	DEATHS FROM CHOLERA.			REMARKS.
			Average of 25 years ending 1894.	1895-96.						From 1st April to 6 th March 1896-97.	During the last week.	During the present week.	
			Inches.	Inches.	Inches.	Inches.	Inches.	Inches.	Inches.	No.	No.	No.	
1	Ganjam		45.0	54.8	44.4	34.5	56.4	0.2	1430	94	57		
2	Vizagapatam ..	Agency	57.5	70.9	56.8	55.3	72.4	0.1	776	57	70		
		Littoral	42.0	44.7	41.4	24.7	44.4	0.1	118		26		
3	Godavari		38.9	47.7	38.6	24.2	47.8	0.2	554	20	29		
4	Kistna		33.6	42.4	33.1	26.3	40.9	0.2	138	"	38		
5	Kurnool		27.6	26.1	27.6	15.8	25.7	0.1	1248	"	"		
6	Bellary		22.7	27.0	22.6	14.3	26.3	0.1	2236	"	"		
7	Anantapur		23.3	25.1	23.1	14.9	24.9	0.1	2088	"	"		
8	Cuddapah		28.6	31.5	28.3	18.0	31.5	0.2	1004	14	13		
9	Nellore		34.6	30.9	31.3	35.8	31.1	0.2	197	1	"		
10	Chingleput		44.5	47.5	44.3	54.0	46.9	0.2	528	16	12		
11	Madras		49.0	47.8	48.8	69.6	47.5	0.1	128	5	2		
12	South Arcot		42.0	58.1	41.9	43.9	58.3	0.1	5074	146	144		
13	North Arcot		37.4	39.8	37.0	34.1	39.6	0.1	2914	49	35		
14	Salem		31.3	38.5	30.8	31.1	37.8	0.1	4713	127	83		
15	Coimbatore		25.5	29.9	24.9	28.7	29.8	0.1	9201	50	102		
16	Trichinopoly		33.7	41.2	33.3	37.0	41.3	0.1	4960	40	34		
17	Tanjore		42.8	54.6	43.5	2.1	54.8	0.2	341			report not received	
18	Pudukkottai		..	37.4	2.1	35.8	37.4	0.1	102	"	"		
19	Madura		29.9	36.1	29.2	41.6	36.1	0.2	294	"	"		
20	Tinnevely		26.3	32.0	25.1	38.1	29.8	0.5	3728	119	140		
21	Nilgiris		62.6	69.5	61.3	88.5	69.6	0.6	23	"	"		
22	Malabar		113.5	111.8	112.7	134.8	110.8	0.1	2494	184	247		
23	South Canara		142.0	146.0	141.9	158.0	146.1	0.1	236	"	"		
24	Travancore		† 65.7	49.6	† 64.1	57.9	49.6	† 0.1		6	17		

STATEMENT OF PRICES FOR THE WEEK

Group.	DISTRICT.	PRICES IN SEERS										
		RICE.						RAGI.				
		Last week	This week.	Average for March	Normal rates †	Warning rates. †	Scarcity rates †	Last week.	This week.	Average for March	Normal rates. †	Warning rates. †
Circars..	Ganjam ..	10.3	10.5	18.2	17 0	13.6	10.2	14.9	15.2	29.4	30.0	22.5
	Vizagapatam ..	9.7	9.7	15.5	15.0	12.0	9.0	16.6	16.6	28.3	25.0	21.0
	Godavari ..	9.9	9.8	15.6	15.0	12.0	9.0	14.7	14.8	28.4	28.0	21.0
	Kistna ..	10.2	10.2	14.8	15.4	12.3	9.2	19.8	19.7	29.2	..	...
Deccan .	Kurnool ..	9.2	9.2	13.0	13.2	10.6	7.9	15.2	15.3	28.3	..	..
	Bellary ..	9.2	9.2	12.7	13.2	10.6	7.9	16.4	16.6	35.2	..	..
	Anantapur ..	9.4	9.4	13.9	13.2	10.6	7.9	17.4	17.5	33.0	32.0	24.0
	Cuddapah ..	9.1	9.0	14.0	13.2	10.3	7.9	17.7	17.8	31.4	32.0	24.0
Carnatic.	Nellore ..	11.2	11.2	14.1	11.0	11.2	8.4	20.4	20.2	27.0	28.0	21.0
	Chingleput ..	12.1	12.2	15.3	14.0	11.2	8.4	16.5	16.3	25.3	24.0	18.0
	Madras ..	10.9	10.8	12.2	12.0	9.6	7.2	16.4	16.4	24.7	24.0	18.0
	South Arcot ..	14.5	14.5	15.3	14.0	11.2	8.4	21.8	22.0	27.5	28.0	21.0
Central..	North Arcot ..	11.6	11.7	15.2	14.0	11.2	8.4	18.4	18.4	29.6	32.0	24.0
	Salem ..	12.0	12.0	13.9	13.6	10.9	8.2	21.3	20.9	29.6	31.0	23.0
	Coimbatore ..	11.6	11.7	13.6	13.0	10.4	7.8	21.1	21.1	27.8	28.0	21.0
	Trichinopoly ..	12.0	12.1	14.7	14.0	11.2	8.4	24.6	24.5	28.1	28.0	21.0
South ..	Tanjore ..	13.3	13.3	15.3	15.0	12.0	9.0	25.0	25.1	27.7	28.0	21.0
	Pudukota ..	12.4	12.4	-	..	..	..	25.0	25.1	-	..	..
	Madura ..	13.0	13.1	14.9	14.0	11.2	8.4	23.2	22.6	29.0	28.0	21.0
	Tinnevelly ..	12.3	12.6	13.9	13.4	10.7	8.0	21.1	22.0	26.2	26.0	19.5
West Coast	Nilgiris ..	8.8	9.1	11.2	11.0	8.8	6.6	16.2	16.0	21.4	21.0	16.0
	Malabar ..	10.9	10.9	13.3	13.4	10.7	8.0	-	-	26.4	..	..
	South Canara ..	11.9	11.8	14.1	14.0	11.2	8.4	-	-	-	..	..
	Travancore ..	10.2	10.2	-	..	..	..	-	-	-	..	..

OFFICE OF THE COMM. OF REV. SETT., AND DIR. OF THE

DEPT. OF L. RECORDS AND AGRICULTURE,

Dated 9th March 1897.

* Average for ten years

† File G. O. No., 30

Comparative Statement showing the number of persons
in famine relief for the week ending 6th March 1877.

District	Taluk.	Relief Workers		Weavers		Gratuitously	
		Last week.	This week	Last week	This week	Last week	This week
Ganjam.	Gumsoor.	"	"	"	"	73	17
	Berhampore	"	"	"	"	854	90
	Chhatrapur	1494	1337	"	"	185	"
	Chheacock	"	"	"	"	279	254
	Total	1494	1337	"	"	1391	361
Deccan -							
Kurnool	Siruel	1655	Sunder- M.	"	"	145	Sunder- M.
	Kodkuntla	3134		"	"	254	
	Nandyal	1515		"	"	113	
	Pattikonda	3760		"	"	121	
	Total	10064		"	"	633	
Bellary	Adoni	10073	10664	751	723	827	849
	Ahur	18200	19122	"	"	892	918
	Bellary	3266	3810	"	"	203	175
	Hospet.	2230	2349	"	"	333	296
	Hadagalli	746	920	"	"	17	31
	Total	34515	36865	751	723	2272	2269
Anantapur	Penukonda	"	Sunder- M.	"	"	50	Sunder- M.
	Dharmavaram	223		"	"	76	
	Gooty	1183		"	"	124	
	Tadpatri	2888		"	"	161	
	Total	4294		"	"	411	
Cuddapah	Pulincudla	1013	1320	"	"	37	43
	Jammalamadugu	525	739	7485	7185	30	41
	Proddatur	672	782	"	"	68	73
	Kunddappa	349	673	"	"	45	34
	Total	2559	3514	7485	7185	180	191
Total for Deccan		51,432	40379	8236	7906	3,496	2460
Grand Total		52926	41716	8236	7906	4,887	2421

Statement showing the quantity of rainfall at the several authorised rain-registering stations of the Madras Presidency during the week ending the 6th March 1897.

Stations at which tested rain-gauges are kept.			Quantity of rainfall in inches.	Stations at which tested rain-gauges are kept.			Quantity of rainfall in inches.
GANJAM.				VIZAGAPATAM—cont.			
1	Balliguda	..	..	LITTORAL.			
2	Russelkonda	..	..	1	Párvatipur	..	..
3	Suradá	..	..	2	Pálkonda	..	..
4	A-ka	..	..	3	Bbbili	..	..
5	Udayagiri	..	..	4	Sálúr	..	..
6	Ramagiri	..	..	5	Gajopatinagar	..	..
7	Parlákimedi	..	..	6	Chipurupalli	..	..
8	Rambah	..	..	7	Kuppili	..	..
9	Purushottapur	..	..	8	Vijayanagram	..	..
10	Chatrapur	..	..	9	Srungavarapukóta	..	..
11	Gopálpur	..	..	10	Bimilipatam	..	..
12	Berhampur	..	..	11	Konada	..	..
13	Ichápur	..	..	12	Waltair	..	..
14	Sómpet	..	..	13	Chodavaram	..	..
15	Pándi	..	..	14	Anakápalle	..	..
16	Tekkali	..	..	15	Balacheruvu	..	..
17	Narsannapet	..	..	16	Polavaram	..	..
18	Calingapatam	..	..	17	Yellamanchili	..	..
19	Chiacole	..	..	18	Narasapatnam	..	..
Total			..	Total			..
* Average			..	* Average			..
VIZAGAPATAM.				GODAVARI.			
AGENCY TRACTS.							
1	Nowrangapur	..	..	1	Bhadrachalam	..	..
2	Peypore	..	..	2	Chodavaram	..	..
3	Koraput	..	..	3	Yellavaram	..	..
4	Malkanagiri	..	..	4	Tuni	..	..
5	Bissemcuttack	..	..	5	Pittapuram	..	..
6	Gunupur	..	..	6	Prattipadu	..	..
7	Royaghada	..	..	7	Peddapuram	..	..
8	Pottanghi	..	..	8	Rajahmundry	..	..
9	Padwa	..	..	9	Cocanada	..	..
Total *			..	10	Coringa	..	..
* Average			..				..

* With reference to the number of stations for which reports were received.

Statement showing the quantity of rainfall at the several authorised rain-registering stations, &c.—continued.

Stations at which tested rain-gauges are kept.				Quantity of rainfall in inches.	Stations at which tested rain-gauges are kept.				Quantity of rainfall in inches.
GODAVARI—cont.					KURNOOL—cont.				
11	Alamur	..	..	nil	5	Owk	..	..	nil
12	Ramachandrapuram	..	..		6	Kalwa	..	..	
13	Kottapeta	..	..		7	Nandyál	..	..	
14	Amalapuram	..	..		8	Atmakur	..	..	
15	Razole	..	..		9	Nandikótkur	..	..	
16	Narsapuram	..	..		10	Kurnool	..	..	
17	Bhimavaram	..	..		11	Pattikonda	..	..	
18	Pentapad	..	..		12	Piyapalli	..	..	
19	Tanuku	..	..		Total ..				
20	Chintalapudi	..	..		• Average ..				
21	Ellore	..	..	BELLARY.					
22	Polavaram	..	..	1	Yemmiganur	..	..	nil	
23	Tallapudi	..	..	2	Adóni	..	..		
Total ..				3	Alúr	..	..		
• Average ..				4	Sirugappa	..	..		
KISTNA.					5	Bellary	..		..
1	Tiruvur	..	..	6	Ráyadrug	..	..		
2	Nandigáma	..	..	7	Kampili	..	..		
3	Bezváda	..	..	8	Hospet	..	..		
4	Gannavaram	..	..	9	Madagalli	..	..		
5	Gudiváda	..	..	10	Harpanahalli	..	..		
6	Masulipatam	..	..	11	Kúdligi	..	..		
7	Guntúr	..	..	Total ..					
8	Sattenapalle	..	..	• Average ..					
9	Gurizala	..	..	ANANTAPUR.					
10	Vinnukonda	..	..	1	Uravakonda	..	..	nil	
11	Narsaraopet	..	..	2	Gooty	..	..		
12	Bápatla	..	..	3	Yadaki	..	..		
13	Tenali	..	..	4	Tadpatri	..	..		
14	Répalle	..	..	5	Anantapur	..	..		
Total ..				6	Kályandrug	..	..		
• Average ..				7	Dharmavaram	..	..		
KURNOOL.					8	Penúkonda	..		..
1	Markapur	..	..	9	Hindupur	..	..		
2	Giddalore	..	..	10	Madakasira	..	..		
3	Allágada	..	..	Total ..					
4	Koilkuntla	..	..	• Average ..					

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Statement showing the quantity of rainfall at the several authorised rain-registering stations, &c.—continued.

Stations at which tested rain-gauges are kept.				Quantity of rainfall in inches.	Stations at which tested rain-gauges are kept.				Quantity of rainfall in inches.
CUDDAPAH.					NELLORE—cont.				
1	Jammalamadugu	..	..	nil	20	Rápúr	..	..	4
2	Produttur	..	..		21	Gúdúr	..	..	4
3	Badvél	..	..		22	Venkatagiri	..	..	4
4	Sidhout	..	..		Total				4
5	Chitvél	..	..		• Average				4
6	Kampet	..	..		CHINGLEPUT.				
7	Ráyachóti	..	..		1	Sathiavédu	..	..	nil
8	Cuddapah	..	..		2	Ponneri	..	..	
9	Kamalápur	..	..		3	Trivellore	..	..	
10	Pulivendla	..	..		4	Sríperumbudur	..	..	
11	Kadiri	..	..		5	Poonamallee	..	..	
12	Madanapalle	..	..		6	Saidápet	..	..	
13	Váyalpád	..	..		7	Conjeeveram	..	..	
14	Pilér	..	..		8	Utramerur	..	..	
Total				9	Chingleput	..	..		
• Average				10	Madurántakam	..	..		
NELLORE.					Total				
1	Addanki	..	..	• Average					
2	Darsi	..	..	MADRAS.					
3	Podili	..	..	1	Madras	..	..		
4	Kanigiri	..	..	SOUTH ARCOT.					
5	Udayagiri	..	..	1	Gingee	..	..		
6	Kanuparti	..	..	2	Tindivanam	..	..		
7	Ongole	..	..	3	Merkanam	..	..		
8	Pakala	..	..	4	Vanúr	..	..		
9	Kandukur	..	..	5	Viluppuram	..	..		
10	Kávali	..	..	6	Pánruti	..	..		
11	Iskapalle	..	..	7	Cuddalore	..	..		
12	Nellore	..	..	8	Bhuvanagiri	..	..		
13	Kristnapatnam	..	..	9	Chidambaram	..	..		
14	Kota	..	..	10	Mannárgudi	..	..		
15	Dugarajapatam	..	..	11	Chengam	..	..		
16	Sulurpet	..	..	12	Thiruvannámalai	..	..		
17	Tada	..	..	13	Thirukoilúr	..	..		
18	Monapalayam	..	..	Total					
19	Atmakúr	..	..	• Average					

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Statement showing the quantity of rainfall at the several authorised rain-registering stations, &c.—continued.

Stations at which tested rain-gauges are kept.			Quantity of rainfall in inches.	Stations at which tested rain-gauges are kept.			Quantity of rainfall in inches.
SOUTH ARCOT—cont.				SALEM—cont.			
14	Ulundurpet		nil	8	Palakolu		nil
15	Kallakurichi			9	Pennagaram		
16	Vridhachalam			10	Dharmapuri		
17	Thittagudi			11	Uttankarai		
	Total			12	Harur		
	* Average			13	Omalūr		
NORTH ARCOT.				14	Salem		
1	Kalahasti		nil	15	Athūr		
2	Thirupathi			16	Thammampatti		
3	Chandragiri			17	Razipur		
4	Puthur (Nārdyanan)			18	Sankaridrug		
5	Tirutani			19	Thiruchengōl		
6	Arkōnam			20	Nāmakal		
7	Wāljah			21	Paramathi		
8	Arcot			22	Erkād		
9	Vellore				Total		
10	Gudiyātam				* Average { Excluding Erkād		
11	Chittoor				{ Including Erkād		
12	Tiruvattur		COIMBATORE.				
13	Wandiwash		1	Kollegāl		nil	
14	Arni		2	Gopichettipalayam			
15	Pōlūr		3	Satyamangalam			
16	Kāngundi		4	Bhavāni			
17	Venkatagirikota		5	Erode			
18	Palamanér		6	Perundurai			
19	Punganūr		7	Karūr			
	Total		8	Aravakurichi			
	* Average		9	Dhārāpuram			
SALEM.				10	Kāngayam		
1	Vāniyambādi		nil	11	Palladam		
2	Thirupathūr			12	Avanāshi		
3	Kristnagiri			13	Coimbatore		
4	Payakōta			14	Mettupālayam		
5	Hosūr			15	Pollāchi		
6	Thalli			16	Udamalpet		
7	Denkanikōta				Total		
	* Average				* Average { Excluding Kollegāl		
					{ Including Kollegāl		

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Stations at which tested rain-gauges are kept.			Quantity of rainfall in inches.	Stations at which tested rain-gauges are kept.			Quantity of rainfall in inches.
TRICHINOPOLY.			nil	TANJORE—cont.			
1	Perambalūr	..		20	Muthupettai	..	
2	Jayankonda Solapuram	..		21	Adirampatnam	..	
3	Ariyalūr	..		22	Kattumavdi	..	
4	Kilpalavūr	..		23	Arattangi	..	
5	Turaiyūr	..		Total			
6	Musiri	..		• Average			
7	Kolitalai	..		PUDUKOTA STATE.			
8	Lalgudi	..		1	Padakota	..	nil
9	Trichinopoly	..		2	Alangudi	..	
10	Manappārai	..		3	Karambakudi	..	
11	Iluppūr	..	4	Tirumiem	..		
Total			5	Kilnilai	..		
• Average			6	Kulathur	..		
TANJORE.			7	Viralimalai	..		
1	Shiyāli	..	Total				
2	Neidavasal	..	• Average				
3	Māyavaram	..	MADURA.				
4	Tranquebar	..	1	Palui	..	7	
5	Nannilam	..	2	Vēdasēndur	..	4	
6	Kodavasal	..	3	Dindigul	..	4	
7	Negapatam	..	4	Nēlakotai	..	2	
8	Tiruvālūr	..	5	Periyakulam	..	2	
9	Tiruturaipūndi	..	6	Uthamapalayam	..	2	
10	Vedaranyam	..	7	Usilampatti	..	4	
11	Kumbakonam	..	8	Thirumangalam	..	2	
12	Nidamangalam	..	9	Thirushuli	..	2	
13	Mannārgudi	..	10	Muthukulathur	..	2	
14	Tiruvādi	..	11	Mūthureghunathapatnam	..	2	
15	Tanjore	..	12	Morekulam	..	2	
16	Vallam	..	13	Pāmban	..	2	
17	Patukōttai	..	14	Ramnād	..	2	
18	Thambikinallavankottai	..					
19	Magilankottai	..					

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Stations at which tested rain-gauges are kept.			Quantity of rainfall in inches.	Stations at which tested rain-gauges are kept.			Quantity of rainfall in inches.
MADURA— <i>cont.</i>				NILGIRIS.			
15	Manakkudi	..	..	1	Devála	..	..
16	Theethandathanam ..	..	..	2	Gúdalúr	..	..
17	Vattanam	..	..	3	Naduvattam	..	..
18	Thiruvadanai	..	..	4	Pykara	..	..
19	Thirupattur	..	..	5	Kaity	..	..
20	Sivagunga	..	..	6	Ootacamund	..	..
21	Melúr	..	..	7	Kodanad	..	..
22	Madura	..	..	8	Kótagiri	..	..
23	Kodaikáanal	..	..	9	Wellington	..	..
24	Peramakudi	..	..	10	Coonoor	..	..
Total ..			..	11	Kilkundabs	..	..
* Average { Excluding Kodaikáanal ..			..	Total ..			..
{ Including Kodaikáanal ..			..	* Average ..			..
TINNEVELLY.				MALABAR.			
1	Viruthuppatti	..	..	1	Cannanore	..	..
2	Sátúr	..	..	2	Tellicherry	..	..
3	Vilatikulam	..	..	3	Badagara	..	..
4	Otapidaram	..	..	4	Quilandi	..	..
5	Arasadi	..	..	5	Calicut	..	..
6	Tuticorin	..	..	6	Tirurangádi	..	..
7	Vartirayiruppu	..	..	7	Ponáni	..	..
8	Srivilliputtur	..	..	8	Chevakad	..	..
9	Sankaranainárkoil ..	..	..	9	Cochin	..	..
10	Tenkási	..	..	10	Taliparamba	..	..
11	Ambásamudram	..	..	11	Nilamlúr	..	..
12	Palamcottah	..	..	12	Manjeri	..	..
13	Srivaikuntam	..	..	13	Angádipuram	..	..
14	Káyalpatnam	..	..	14	Pálaghat	..	..
15	Kulasegarapatnam ..	..	..	15	Manantoddy	..	..
16	Nángunéri	..	..	16	Vayitri	..	..
17	Radhapuram	..	..	Total ..			..
18	Kuttanguli	..	..	* Average ..			..
Total ..			..	Total ..			..
* Average ..			..	* Average ..			..

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Statement showing the quantity of rainfall at the several authorised rain-registering stations, &c.—*concluded*.

Stations at which tested rain-gauges are kept.			Quantity of rainfall in inches.	Stations at which tested rain-gauges are kept.			Quantity of rainfall in inches.
SOUTH CANARA.				TRAVANCORE STATE.			
1	Coondapur	..	..	1	Trivandrum	..	..
2	Udipi	..	..	Total ..			..
3	Mangalore	..	..	* Average ..			..
4	Kássergód	..	..	Total ..			..
5	Mosdrug	..	..	* Average ..			..
6	Karakal	..	..	Total ..			..
7	Bantvál	..	..	* Average ..			..
8	Beltangadi	..	..	Total ..			..
9	Puttur	..	..	* Average ..			..
Total ..			..	Total ..			..
* Average ..			..	* Average ..			..

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Statement showing the no. of persons on famine relief.

		Men	Women	Children	Total	Total last week
<i>Deccan</i>						
Relief workers	<i>Kurnool</i>	2894	6174	2758	11821	10064
	<i>Bellary</i>	9278	19631	7956	36865	34515
	<i>Anantapur</i>	1005	2285	1074	4364	4275
	<i>Buddapah</i>	915	1802	797	3514	2559
	<i>Total</i>	14092	29892	12580	56564	51413
Weavers working	<i>Kurnool</i>	72	72	"	144	"
	<i>Bellary</i>	352	371	"	723	751
	<i>Buddapah</i>	4023	3162	"	7185	7485
	<i>Total</i>	4447	3605	"	8052	8236
Dependants gratuitously relieved.	<i>Kurnool</i>	8	9	792	809	633
	<i>Bellary</i>	75	209	1985	2269	2272
	<i>Anantapur</i>	"	"	336	336	346
	<i>Buddapah</i>	3	"	188	191	181
	<i>Total</i>	86	218	3301	3605	3432
Others	<i>Kurnool</i>	11	15	"	26	"
	<i>Anantapur</i>	25	41	53	119	84
	<i>Buddapah</i>	"	"	"	"	4
	<i>Total</i>	36	56	53	145	88
Test workers gratuitously relieved	<i>Ganjam</i>	369	930	38	1337	1494
	<i>do</i>	30	64	267	361	1391

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