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Recording statement showing Price.
Current (retail) of Food grain and salt
in the districts of the Madras Pres^y during
the fortnight ending 31st July 97

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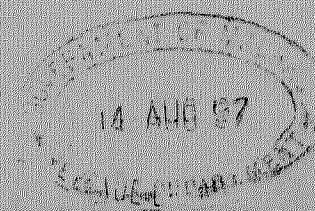
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~~THE SECY. TO THE GOVT. OF INDIA,~~

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THE SECY. TO THE GOVT. OF MADRAS,

REVENUE DEPARTMENT.

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Subject.

Prices current (retail) of food-grains, ~~fire-~~
~~wood~~ and salt in the several Districts of the
Madras Presidency during the fortnight ending

31st July 189

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1897.

QUANTITIES PER RUPEE IN SEERS OF 80 TOLAS.

DISTRICTS.	Rice, common.			Jowar or Cholam (<i>Sorghum Vulgare</i>).			Bajra or Cumbu (<i>Pennisetum Tiphoides</i>).			Marua or Ragi (<i>Eleusine Corocana</i>).			Firewood.			Salt.			REMARKS.
	Present fortnight.	Past fortnight.	Corresponding fortnight of the previous year.	Present fortnight.	Past fortnight.	Corresponding fortnight of the previous year.	Present fortnight.	Past fortnight.	Corresponding fortnight of the previous year.	Present fortnight.	Past fortnight.	Corresponding fortnight of the previous year.	Present fortnight.	Past fortnight.	Corresponding fortnight of the previous year.	Present fortnight.	Past fortnight.	Corresponding fortnight of the previous year.	
1	2			3			4			5			6			7			8
1 Ganjam	7.0	8.5	15.0							9.5	10.0	28.0				11.0	11.0	11.0	Rise is due to the short supply to the market.
2 Vizagapatam	6.9	7.9	13.6				8.7	10.9	25.7	10.5	11.0	25.3				13.4	12.6	12.0	
3 Godavari	8.0	7.5	13.0	11.5	11.0	25.0				10.9	10.5	27.3				12.1	12.1	12.1	Fall is due to the recent harvest and large importation from the neighbour- ing villages and also to ample stock.
4 Kistna	8.8	8.8	13.2	x	13.7	19.0	x	x	x	12.9	12.9	25.8				13.2	13.2	13.2	
5 Kurnool	7.9	7.9	10.7	10.1	8.2	27.0				14.2	11.5	x				11.5	11.5	11.5	Rise not explained. Explanation called for.
6 Bellary	7.6	8.1	10.8	8.8	9.5	30.4				14.6	13.6	29.1				12.7	12.7	12.7	
7 Anantapur	8.1	7.2	11.9	10.8	10.3	27.3				13.8	13.6	28.1				11.5	11.5	11.5	Rise not explained. Explanation called for.
8 Cuddapah	8.3	7.9	10.4	11.1	12.6	22.1	7.4	11.6	x	14.3	18.0	27.0				12.2	12.2	11.8	
9 Nellore	11.7	11.7	14.8	12.4	12.9	24.7	11.3	x	x	15.8	15.4	25.9				12.8	12.8	12.8	Rise not explained. Explanation called for.
10 Madras	9.1	9.1	11.3	11.5	11.5	20.2				14.4	14.0	23.3				12.5	12.5	13.3	
11 Chingleput	8.3	8.7	12.1							13.0	13.0	20.6				12.3	13.3	12.9	Rise not explained. Explanation called for.
12 South Arcot	10.9	11.4	14.4				15.4	14.6	24.6	15.9	15.1	25.4				12.8	12.8	12.8	
13 North Arcot	9.8	9.8	13.5	10.9	12.7	21.8	x	x	20.6	13.7	14.5	24.8				11.5	11.5	11.5	Rise not explained. Explanation called for.
14 Salem	10.3	10.3	12.2	14.6	13.8	21.6	19.3	16.0	18.9	18.4	16.7	23.1				10.4	10.4	10.9	
15 Coimbatore	9.5	9.5	11.8	12.2	13.1	20.0	17.5	14.3	22.3	16.4	14.8	23.0				10.3	10.7	10.7	Rise not explained. Explanation called for.
16 Trichinopoly	9.4	9.6	12.7	15.4	14.7	20.0	15.2	16.5	22.2	17.0	17.0	24.9				11.6	11.6	10.9	
17 Tanjore	10.4	11.3	13.8				16.7	18.9	21.4	17.4	17.4	27.2				12.9	12.9	12.9	Rise not explained. Explanation called for.
18 Madura	11.0	11.0	12.7	16.2	16.2	19.4	11.8	13.2	19.1	15.5	15.5	21.7				12.7	12.7	13.1	
19 Tinnevely	9.4	10.1	12.1	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x				13.5	13.0	13.8	Rise not explained. Explanation called for.
20 Nilgiris	7.6	8.0	9.6													9.7	9.7	10.6	
21 Malabar	7.7	7.7	11.3													11.2	11.2	11.6	Rise not explained. Explanation called for.
22 South Canara	8.7	8.7	13.7													11.9	11.9	11.9	

* Not sold.

M. de. Madras salt
B. Bombay salt
G. Goa salt
A. Vizagapatam salt
V. Vedaranniyam salt

13/8 Fairman Secretary.

BOARD OF REVENUE,

Rev Sett., L. R. and Agr., Madras,

Dated 11th August 1897

Cuo. 6988/97.

So. R. No. 1608 of 27th Aug. 1897
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Note The following state-
ment will show the comparative
rise & fall in the prices of
food grains ^{in the several dists.} during the
fortnight under review, as
compared with the prece-
ding fortnight.

Food grains.	Dists. in which prices have risen	Dists. in which prices have fallen
Rice —	Ganjam Vizagapatam Bhargava Chungabettu S. Arcot Trichinopoly Tanjore Tumacavelly Nilgiris	Godavari Mantapam Cuddapah
Cholam —	Bhargava Cuddapah Nellore S. Arcot Coimbatore	Godavari Kurnool Mantapam Cuddapah Salem Trichy
Cumbe —	Vizagapatam Cuddapah Trichy Tanjore Madura	S. Arcot Salem Coimbatore

Foodgrains	Disto. method the price has risen	which the price has fallen
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Ragi — Gangam
Vizagapatnam
Cuddapah
Narsiah
Tanjore
Madras
A. A. S.
Salem
Coimbatore.

Salt — Bellary — Vizagapatnam
Coimbatore — Innevelly.

X Explanation of heavy rise called for by the
Board.

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