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Season Reports.

Rainfall.

There has been some rain in the north western parts of Ganjam and the Agency tracts of Vizagapatam have also got some rain. There have been scattered showers on the Vizagapatam littoral amounting to 1.10 at Narasapatam There has been practically no rain in Godavari and Kistna; but good showers have fallen at Atmakur and Pattikonda in Kurnool ~~in Guntur~~. The western part of Bellary and the northern have also received some showers. There has been a light fall in Tadpatri taluk in Anantapur. Cuddapah, Nellore, Chingleput, South Arcot, North Arcot and Salem have received practically ~~receive~~ no rain. In Coimbatore there have been some showers as also in Madura and there has been somewhat general rain in Tinnevelly The eastern part of the Nilgiris had goo rain. There have been heavy falls in pa of Malabar, but elsewhere the rainfall has been unimportant.

Prices.

Prices have fallen in 7 districts, risen in 15, and are stationary in 2. Prices have fallen on 21 quotations, risen on 39 and are stationary on 15 out of 75. Rice shows a tendency to rise, but this is in the southern districts. It has fallen ~~in one~~ or is stationary in all the districts of the Circars and Deccan except one. It is nowhere above the scarcity rate. Ragi may be said to be stationary ~~in Nellore~~ this week, having risen in 8 districts and fallen in 9. The fall ~~how-ever~~, in ~~this~~ the case of this grain too is almost confined to the Circars and Deccan. Everywhere in the Deccan districts ragi shows a fall this week. It is nowhere above the scarcity rate. Cholam shows a slight tendency to rise, but like the other grains this tendency is in the South. In the Circars and Deccan the price of cholam shows little variation. It is above the scarcity rate in the four Deccan districts. Cumbu too shows a slight tendency to rise. ~~It~~ which tendency is also found in the southern districts. It is only above the scarcity rate in the ~~four~~ Deccan districts.

Will this affect the grant of famine batta in jails?

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No. The present price is 11·1 seers per rupee which is higher than the limit of 12 seers in article 72 of the Civil Acct Code

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Public Health.

Public health is everywhere good and the number of deaths from cholera shows a very great~~er amount of~~ diminution compared with what it was a few months ago. The Deccan ~~4~~ districts are completely free of it and the number of cases in Ganjam and Vizagapatam is trifling.

Numbers on Relief.

The numbers on relief show a startling increase of 25,000 this week of which 21,000 is in the Deccan districts. Of course a considerable increase must be expected at this season when people are otherwise altogether idle. But no doubt, the very large number now pressing on to the relief works is due not only to that fact but also to the relaxed ~~wage~~ system. The number of weavers relieved and the number gratuitously relieved shows no very great increase.

Hardly I should say. The G.O. on the subject is only just out

BS

The system was relaxed by the B^d before the order in question issued.

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Prospects

Prospects.

Prospects are reported unchanged in Ganjam. The Collector reports that a test work opened near Chattrapur has succeeded but that a test work opened in Biridi zemindari and another opened in the Rushi-Canal kulya in the senior Asst. Collector's Division have failed. Vizag. reports "prospects improved in the northern and inland "taluks, still bad on the coast." Godavari reports season not unfavourable except in Badrachallam. Kurnool reports condition of people generally fair. Bellary ~~shows no~~ does not report prospects. Anantapur ~~shews~~ says "prospects grown worse." Cuddapah does not report prospects. Nellore reports prospects fair, but the ~~price of~~ rice at Podili, Adanki and Kanigiri ~~is above the scarcity rate. The price of~~ ragi at Nellore and Adanki and cholam at Nellore are selling at scarcity rates. Elsewhere prospects are good or fair and call for no remark.

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FORT ST. GEORGE GAZETTE SUPPLEMENT.

TUESDAY EVENING, APRIL 13, 1897.

OFFICIAL PAPERS.

ABSTRACT OF SEASON REPORTS FOR THE WEEK ENDING 10TH APRIL 1897.

RAINFALL AND PRICES OF THE STAPLE FOOD-GRAINS.

District.	Rainfall in inches			Prices in Seers (of 80 tolas) per Rupee.											
	In the week ending 3rd April 1897.	Up to the end of the week from 1st April		Rice.			Ragi.			Cholam.			Cumbu.		
		1897–98.	Average of 25 years.	Average for April.*	Last week.	This week.	Average for April.*	Last week.	This week.	Average for April.*	Last week.	This week.	Average for April.*	Last week.	This week.
Circars.															
Ganjam ..	0·3	1·1	0 3	18·0	11·0	11·1	29·3	15·3	15 5	..	..	..	..	..	..
Vizagapatam. A.	0·3	1·1	0·3	15·5	9·7	9·7	28·0	× ~~18·1~~ 17·2/.	17·0	..	15·0	15·5	28·9	17·2	16·8
Vizagapatam. L.	0·3	1·2	0·2												
Godavari ..	..	0·3	..	15 6	9 9	10 0	28·3	14 9	15 0	27·6	16·4	16·4	27·4	15·3	15·5
Kistna ..	..	0·1	0·1	14·8	9 9	9·9	28·8	19·2	19·2	23·2	15 9	15·7	22·3	13·1	13·1
Deccan.															
Kurnool ..	0·1	0·2	0·2	13·0	9·2	9·3	27·8	15·4	15·6	28·6	13 7	13·3	23·9	12 0	12 0
Bellary ..	0·2	0·2	0·2	12·5	9·0	9 0	35·7	14·8	15·5	29·0	11·6	11·8	..	..	..
Anantapur.	0·1	0·1	0·1	14·0	9·4	9 4	32·9	17·4	17·5	30·2	13·8	13·7	26·3	13·1	13·4
Cuddapah ..	..	..	0·1	13·9	9·1	8·8	31·9	17·7	18·1	28·2	12·7	13·8	28·4	13·4	13·1
Carnatic.															
Nellore ..	..	0·1	0·1	14·2	10·9	10·5	27·5	18·3	16·9	24·8	16·4	15·6	22·5	14·0	14·2
Chingleput.	..	0·1	0·1	15·5	12·3	12·1	25·5	16·0	16·0	..	..	..	..	..	..
Madras ..	..	0·1	0·3	12·4	10·6	10·2	24·8	16·4	16·4	..	..	..	..	..	..
South Arcot.	..	..	0 1	15·4	14·1	13·6	26 9	20·9	21·0	..	..	..	26·5	21·0	20·8
Central.															
North Arcot.	..	0·5	0·1	15·4	11·6	11·4	29·6	18·1	18·1	25·9	16·6	16·5	25·5	16·8	16·8
Salem ..	..	0·3	0·3	14·0	11·8	11·8	30·3	21·3	21·2	25·4	19 2	19·1	24·7	18·6	18·7
Coimbatore.	0·1	0·3	0·6	13·6	11·5	11·1	27·9	20·2	20·5	22·8	16·4	16·5	26·1	20·0	20 2
Trichinopoly.	..	0·1	0·1	14·7	12·5	11·9	27·8	24·4	22·7	35 8	18·2	17·7	26·3	24·0	22·5
South.															
Tanjore ..	0·1	0·3	0·1	15·1	13·2	12·8	26·7	24·7	23·8	..	..	..	..	..	..
Pudukkottai.	..	0·1	..	..	12·7	12·7	..	25·6	25·0	..	26·8	27·1	..	25·7	25·5
Madura ..	0·5	0·7	0·7	14·9	13·1	12·7	28·9	22·4	22·2	31·2	18 6	17·9	26·7	19·9	19·5
Tinnevelly.	0·9	1·2	0·8	14·0	12·0	11·7	25·7	21·6	20·7	22·8	17·5	16·7	22·3	20·4	19 1
Nilgiris ..	0·8	2·1	1·0	11·1	9·4	8·9	21·2	17·8	17·5	..	..	..	..	..	..
West Coast.															
Malabar ..	1·0	1·0	1·1	13·1	10·5	10·3	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
South Canara.	..	..	0·3	14·1	11·0	10·1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Travancore.	0·3	0·4	1·3	..	9·6	9·6	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..

A. Agency, L. Littoral, tracts.

* Averages for ten normal years previous to fasli 1305 (1895–96).

× Revised figure.

DISTRICT REPORTS.

GANJAM.

Water-supply not sufficient for irrigation and moderate for drinking, but insufficient at Chatrapur Ploughing and manuring in progress. Ragi and gingelly in moderate condition Ragi and green- gram being harvested in places; outturn ragi fair to middling and greengram midding to bad. Pasture generally improved, but insufficient in places; fodder available. Condition of cattle generally good. Public health generally good. General prospects unchanged. Markets well supplied. No deaths from starvation. One kitchen opened in Bodagada during the week. 1,203 maunds of food-grains and pulses exported by sea; exports and imports of food-grains by rail 3,721 and 460 maunds, respectively. 114 emigrants, including children under the Act, and 243 free emigrants, including children, to ports beyond Presidency but within British India. 337 free emigrants including children, to ports in British Burma. Test work at hill quarry near Chatrapur opened on 9th instant. Test work at Potnara in Biridi zemindari, opened on 7th instant, failed; another on the Rushikulya canal, in the Senior Assistant Collector's division, also failed.

VIZAGAPATAM.

Water for cultivation insufficient; drinking water supply ample except coast taluks. Sown gingelly, ragi and cumbu in one taluk, transplanted sugarcane and ragi in one taluk; wet crops *nil*; dry crops, where standing, doing fairly. Harvested chillies with outturn poor to middling; ragi middling; tobacco poor. Pasture improved; fodder very dear but procurable. Inferior cattle thin, but can now get pasture. Prospects improved in northern and inland taluks, still bad on coast. Want of work felt in parts; condition of labouring classes generally good. There are four test relief works and six Government kitchens opened at present besides four kitchens of Raja Gajapati Rao. Loan operations *nil*. Food-grains exported by sea 1,420 maunds; imported from Jeypore 2,443 carts; also considerable local import from Godavari by road. Exported by rail 81 and imported 4,015 maunds. Emigrants to Burma 236.

GODAVARI.

Water-supply sufficient for drinking purposes except in Yernagudem and parts of Ramachandrapur and Amalapur; insufficient for agricultural operations except in Bhimavaram and parts of Ramachandrapur and Amalapur. Godavari 4·2 feet over upper sill of Dowlaishweram lock; discharge sufficient for 23 per cent. of irrigable area. Sugarcane being transplanted; cumbu being sown; fields being ploughed for seed-beds and for sowing gingelly; and fields being manured Standing crops good. Tobacco, cholam, ragi, gingelly and sugarcane being harvested; outturn of tobacco and cholam fair, rest middling Pasture generally insufficient; fodder sufficient. Condition of cattle good generally. Season not unfavourable except in Bhadrachalam. Condition of labouring classes generally good, but they have not sufficient work in Yernagudem and Rajahmundry.. No loans granted; no wells dug; no relief works. Cocanada—exports rice 6,241, paddy 36 and cholam 712 bags of 164 pounds; no imports.

KISTNA.

Drinking-water supply getting scarce in parts of Nuzvid, Vinukonda and Palnad; sufficient elsewhere. Manuring fields, preparing seed-beds, and irrigating millet and korra under tanks in progress. Standing crops generally good. Harvested maize, ragi, cholam, chillies, tobacco, turmeric, cotton, onions and garlic; outturn generally middling. Pasture scarce; fodder generally sufficient. Condition of cattle generally good. People generally healthy. Labour and grain generally available. Season fair. Trade by sea, exports 139; by rail, imports 26, exports 638 hundred maunds.

KURNOOL.

Water-supply insufficient, except for drinking, which is also diminishing in parts. 4·7 feet below Sunkesala anikat; discharge sufficient for 9 per cent. of irrigable area and insufficient for second-crop cultivation. No agricultural operations. Standing crops under canal, wells and spring channels good. Harvests—paddy under canal middling Ramallakot, fair to middling Nandikotkur, average Nandyal; cholam fair to middling in parts of Nandyal Pasture scanty; fodder insufficient except in Nandikotkur and Cumbum. Cattle weak in Koilkuntla and parts of Sirvel, and moderate elsewhere Public health generally good. Condition of people generally fair. Demand for employment not locally met in parts. Loans disbursed Rs. 3,075.

BELLARY.

Drinking water sufficient except in parts of Alur, Bellary, Kudligi, Harpanahalli and Hadagalli. Ploughing and removing *nuth* grass in Adoni, parts of Bellary, Rayadrug and Hadagalli. Planting sugarcane and sowing paddy in Hospet, weeding in Sandur. Crops under channels and wells good, others fair in greater parts of Rayadrug and Harpanahalli Harvests—sugarcane-crushing in Bellary, Hospet, Kudligi; yield middling to fair; paddy in Rayadrug middling, bengal-gram, white cholam and cotton in Harpanahalli; yield bad to middling. Practically no pasture; fodder insufficient except in Adoni, Harpanahalli and Sandur; hill grass and prickly-pear used in some places. Cattle generally healthy, but deteriorating in Alur, Bellary and parts of Hospet. Health of public and relief workers generally good. Demand for employment locally met in Rayadrug, Harpanahalli and parts of Kudligi. Land improvement loans sanctioned up to date Rs. 1,68,875; disbursed Rupees 1 37,445. Agriculturists loans sanctioned Rs. 6,282, disbursed Rs. 6,117. One well constructed, 41 under construction.

ANANTAPUR.

Water-supply insufficient for drinking in parts. Standing wet crops under wells and nalas fair to good, except in Kalyandrug and Hindupur, where they are suffering from want of water; dry crops fair in parts, bad in others. Harvests—paddy, ragi and cholam under wells and nalas in parts, outturn middling to fair; dry crops, castor and cotton bad to middling. Pasture *nil*; fodder insufficient; non-working cattle emaciated and gradually reducing for want of sufficient fodder. Condition of workers generally fair, some in Tadpatri weak; working classes find little employment except in southern taluks. About 5,500 coolies employed on loans works Prospects growing worse. Land improvement loans sanctioned Rs. 6,220, disbursed Rs. 6,740; agriculturists loans sanctioned Rs. 765, disbursed Rs. 200; wells under construction 686.

CUDDAPAH.

Tanks are mostly empty. Channels flow slightly in places. Wells contain fair supplies except in parts of affected taluks. Standing crops under all sources are fair, though cholam under channels is reported to be fading in parts of Vayalpad. Baling water, ploughing, sowing, weeding and deepening water-sources in progress. Paddy, ragi, sugarcane, turmeric and cholam harvested; outturn fair to middling. Pasture scarce; fodder available though dear. Condition of cattle fair though deteriorating in places for want of pasture and fodder. Public health is good. 6,761 weavers were relieved in Jammalamadugu. Land improvement loans sanctioned Rs 7,445, disbursed Rs. 4,665. Agriculturist loans sanctioned and disbursed Rs. 650. Forty-two wells under construction.

NELLORE.

Tank-supply insufficient for standing crops in parts. No flow over the Nellore and Sangam anikats. Discharge at the Nellore anikat and Kanigiri reservoir sufficient for 1 and 20·29 per cent., respectively, of the irrigable areas. Supply inadequate at the former and adequate at the latter. Standing crops generally fair, but paddy fading in parts. Harvests—paddy and ragi; outturn middling to fair; cholam bad; cotton and oil-seeds middling. Pasture getting scarce in parts, but fodder sufficient. Condition of cattle generally good. Prices rising throughout owing to short supplies and large exports. Rice, ragi and cholam selling at scarcity rates in parts.

CHINGLEPUT.

Ploughing, sowing, weeding and transplanting continue. Standing crops generally in good condition. Harvested paddy, ragi and groundnuts; outturn middling. Pasture generally sufficient and fodder available. Condition of cattle generally good.

MADRAS.

Water-supply and fodder sufficient and pasture good. Imports by sea—rice 69 tons, other grains 231 tons. By rail—imports 42,000 tons and exports 2,400 tons.

SOUTH ARCOT.

Water-supply generally insufficient. Ploughing, baling and transplanting under tanks and wells and weeding in progress. Standing crops good. Harvests—paddy, gingelly, indigo and sugarcane; outturn fair; ragi, groundnut and cotton, outturn middling. Pasture and fodder sufficient. Condition of cattle good.

NORTH ARCOT.

Water-supply insufficient in Gudiyattam taluk and Punganur and Kangundi divisions. Ploughing, sowing, weeding, transplanting, baling water and harvesting going on. Standing crops generally fair but paddy fading in parts of Nellore taluk and cholam in parts of two taluks. Paddy, groundnut, cholam, ragi, sugarcane, gingelly and oil-seeds harvested; outturn middling to fair. Pasture and fodder generally available, but insufficient in parts. Condition of cattle generally good. Prospects generally good, except in Punganur, west Chendragiri and east Gudiyattam.

SALEM.

Water-supply insufficient for irrigation except in parts. Ploughing, manuring, sowing and transplanting under tanks and wells having supplygoing on in parts. Standing crops generally fair. Paddy, cholam and ragi harvested; outturn middling to full. Pasture decreasing everywhere except in Salem and Atur; fodder available. Condition of cattle good. Prospects fair.

COIMBATORE.

Standing crops generally good, but cotton requires rain in Erode taluk. Paddy harvested; outturn average. Pasture scanty, but fodder available. Condition of cattle generally good.

TRICHINOPOLY.

No flow over the anikats. Sowing in parts. Standing crops good. Paddy harvested; outturn bad to average. Pasture decreasing, but fodder sufficient. Condition of cattle good.

TANJORE.

Water-supply for drinking and irrigation insufficient in Kumbakonam. Discharge at the Grand anikat into the Cauvery regulator was not sufficient to irrigate even one per cent. of the irrigable area. No discharge into the Vennar regulator and no flow over the crest of the Lower anikat. One foot of water in the South Rajan channel. Paddy still being transplanted in parts of Pattukkottai. Standing crops good or fair. Paddy, gingelly and tobacco being harvested; outturn fair. Pasture and fodder generally sufficient. Condition of cattle generally good.

PUDUKKOTTAI.

Transplanting, manuring and garden cultivation in parts. Standing crops good. Paddy harvested; outturn poor to average. Pasture and fodder generally sufficient. Condition of cattle good.

MADURA.

Water-supply insufficient for irrigation in parts. Periyar discharge stopped. Ploughing, sowing, transplanting and weeding going on under tanks and wells. Standing crops generally good and fair in parts. Paddy, cotton and cumbu harvested in places; outturn fair. Pasture sufficient generally, but getting scanty in places; fodder available. Condition of cattle good.

TINNEVELLY.

Water-supply insufficient for irrigation in parts of Srivilliputtur. No flow over Srivaikuntam anikat; discharge sufficient to irrigate 18 per cent. of irrigable area and sufficient for standing crops. Ploughing, sowing and transplanting continue in parts. Standing crops good. Paddy, gingelly and cotton harvested; outturn middling. Pasture sufficient and fodder available. Condition of cattle good.

NILGIRIS.

Water-supply sufficient on plateau, but scanty in Gudalur. Ploughing and sowing going on. Standing crops good generally. Pasture and fodder sufficient on plateau; no pasture, but fodder available in Gudalur. Condition of cattle good. Prospects fair.

MALABAR.

Water-supply insufficient in parts. Ploughing for first crop continues. Pasture scanty, but fodder available. Condition of cattle generally good. Prospects generally good.

SOUTH CANARA.

Water-supply insufficient in parts. Watering the third rice crop and preparing seed-beds for first crop of the next season going on. Standing crops in a fair condition, but suffering in parts for want of more water. Pasture scanty; fodder sufficient. Condition of cattle generally good. Prospects fair.

TRAVANCORE.

Harvest over. Water-supply sufficient. Pasturage normal. Condition of cattle good.

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

Week ending 10th March. Rainfall—Local showers Circars and Deccan; one inch Malabar, Nilgiris and Tinnevelly; half inch Madura. Water-supply for drinking purposes generally insufficient Deccan and affected parts Ganjam and Vizagapatam; elsewhere generally sufficient, but failing in parts. For irrigation generally insufficient. Agricultural operations progressing in parts. Standing crops in Deccan poor except under canal, channels and wells; elsewhere generally fair to good, but fading in parts. Harvests—yield poor outturn Deccan; elsewhere middling to fair. Pasture practically *nil* Deccan, generally available elsewhere, but insufficient in parts. Fodder insufficient Deccan, but elsewhere generally available. Condition of cattle deteriorating Deccan; generally good elsewhere. Prices slightly easier Ganjam and parts Deccan; elsewhere rising slightly. Relief workers—~~27,062 men, 54,327 women, 21,661 children, *plus* 2,998 no details,~~ total 106,048 Deccan. Weavers—5,041 men, 4,140 women, 78 children, total 9,259 relieved at their own trade in Deccan. Total relief workers 115,307 Deccan. Test-workers 7,962 Ganjam and Vizagapatam; weavers Ganjam 216. Kitchen inmates—Deccan and Circars dependants 169 men, 261 women, ~~5,789~~ children, ~~*plus* 102 no details,~~ total 6,32[illegible]; others 28[illegible] men, 450 women, 1,108 children, total 1,84[illegible]; otherwise gratuitously relieved Ganjam 104 men, 180 women, 126 children, total 410; grand total gratuitously relieved 8,57[illegible]. Prices by which wages regulated—Bellary 11½, Ganjam 12, Kurnool and Cuddapah 13, Anantapur 14, Vizagapatam 16. Loans disbursed Rs. 1,62,317.

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27576 men, 55,291 women, 23181 children,

APPENDIX.

STATEMENT showing the number of persons on famine relief.

—		—	Men.	Women.	Children.	Total.	Total last week.
		Deccan.					
Relief workers		Kurnool	7,669	14,820	6,220	28,709	21,627
		Bellary	13,083	27,316	11,370	51,769	46,540
		Anantapur	2,251	4,865	2,179	9,295	7,334
		Cuddapah	~~4,050~~	~~7,220~~	~~2,552~~	~~11,177~~	~~8,160~~
		~~Do.~~	..	..	..	~~2,998~~	..
		Total ..	~~27,062~~	~~54,327~~	~~21,661~~	~~106,048~~	85,201
Weavers working		Kurnool	761	789	78	1,628	1,328
		Bellary	416	434	..	850	800
		Anantapur	20	..	..	20	..
		Cuddapah	3,844	2,917	..	6,761	6,907
		Total ..	5,041	4,140	78	9,259	9,035
Gratuitously relieved in kitchens.	Dependants ..	Kurnool	21	20	1,547	1,588	1,461
		Bellary	89	218	2,796	3,103	2,639
		Anantapur	2	1	489	492	412
		Cuddapah	34	4	~~496~~	~~534~~	488
		~~Do.~~	..	..	..	~~102~~	..
		Total ..	146	243	~~5,328~~	~~5,819~~	5,000
	Others ..	Kurnool	28	35	47	110	156
		Bellary	44	55	356	455	119
		Anantapur	84	67	124	275	243
		Cuddapah	.. 1	..	..	.. 1	..
		Total ..	15[illegible]	157	527	84[illegible]	518
Total ..		....	302	400	~~5,855~~	6,6[illegible]	5,518
		Circars.					
Test-workers		Ganjam	..	..	..	* 773	185
		Vizagapatam	1,385	4,032	1,772	7,189	3,868
		Total ..	1,385	4,032	1,772	7,962	4,053
Weavers working		Ganjam	..	..	..	* 216	..
Gratuitously relieved in kitchens.	Dependants ..	Ganjam	2	4	8	14	..
		Vizagapatam	21	14	453	488	231
		Total ..	23	18	461	502	231
	Others ..	Ganjam	68	205	442	715	638
		Vizagapatam	60	88	139	287	197
		Total ..	128	293	581	1,002	835
Gratuitously relieved otherwise (in villages).		Ganjam	104	180	126	410	82
		Vizagapatam	..	..	..	..	..
		Total ..	104	180	126	410	82
Total, Gratuitous relief ..		....	255	491	1,168	1,914	11·48
		Grand Total ..	~~[illegible]~~	~~[illegible]~~	~~[illegible]~~	132,03[illegible]	104,955

* Details not reported.

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34,560/ 64,354/ 32,159/.

R. V. Srinivasan
Secretary.

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Statement showing the quantity of rainfall at the several authorised rain-registering stations of the Madras Presidency during the week ending the 10th April 1897.

	Stations at which tested rain-gauges are kept.	Quantity of rainfall in inches.
	GANJAM.	
1	Balliguda	0·40
2	Russelkonda	0·10
3	Suradá	0·70
4	A-ka	1·30
5	Udayagiri	0·60
6	Ramagiri	2·30
7	Parlákimedi	〃
8	Rambah	〃
9	Purushottapur	0·50
10	Chatrapur	〃
11	Gopálpur	0·10
12	Berhampur	0·10
13	Ichápur	〃
14	Sómpet	〃
15	Púndi	〃
16	Tekkali	〃
17	Narsannapet	〃
18	Calingapatam	〃
19	Chicacole	〃
	Total ..	6·10
	*Average .	0·3
	VIZAGAPATAM.	
	AGENCY TRACTS.	
1	Nowrangapur	1·05
2	Jeypore	〃
3	Koraput	0·07
4	Malkanagiri	
5	Bissemcuttack	0·71
6	Gunupur	0·70
7	Royaghada	0·28
8	Pottanghi	〃
9	Padwa	〃
	Total ..	2·81
	* Average ..	0·3

	Stations at which tested rain-gauges are kept.	Quantity of rainfall in inches.
	VIZAGAPATAM—*cont.*	
	LITTORAL.	
1	Párvatipur	0·50
2	Pálkonda	0·02
3	Bbbili	0·80
4	Sálúr	0·60
5	Gajopatinagar	〃
6	Chípurupalli	〃
7	Kuppili	〃
8	Vijayanagram	〃
9	Srungavarapukóta	〃
10	Bimilipatam	〃
11	Konada	0·41
12	Waltair	〃
13	Chodavaram	0·35
14	Anakápalle	0·52
15	Balacheruvu	〃
16	Polavaram	0·16
17	Yellamanchili	0·28
18	Narasapatnam	1·10
	Total ..	4·74
	* Average ..	0·3
	GODAVARI.	
1	Bhadrachalam	No report
2	Chodavaram	0·76
3	Yellavaram	〃
4	Tuni	0·22
5	Pittapuram	〃
6	Prattipadu	〃
7	Peddapuram	〃
8	Rajahmundry	〃
9	Cocanada	〃
10	Coringa	〃

on Tue/10th ~~0·76~~

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

Godavari 4·2 ft. over upper sill of Dhowleswaram Lock.

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.
	GODAVARI—*cont.*	
11	Alamur	
12	Ramachandrapuram	
13	Kottapeta	
14	Amalapuram	
15	Razole	
16	Narsapuram	
17	Bhimavaram	
18	Pentapad	nil
19	Tanuku	
20	Chintalapudi	
21	Ellore	
22	Polavaram	
23	Tallapudi	
	Total	0·98
	* Average	"
	KISTNA.	
1	Tiruvur	"
2	Nandigáma	"
3	Bezváda	"
4	Gannavaram	"
5	Gudiváda	"
6	Masulipatam	"
7	Guntúr	"
8	Sattenapalle	0·03
9	Gurizala	"
10	Vinukonda	"
11	Narsaraopet	"
12	Bápatla	"
13	Tenali	"
14	Répalle	"
	Total	0·03
	* Average	"
	KURNOOL.	
1	Markapur	"
2	Giddalore	"
3	Allágada	"
4	Koilkuntla	"

	Stations at which tested rain-gauges are kept.	Quantity of rainfall in inches.
	KURNOOL—*cont.*	
5	Owk	"
6	Kalwa	"
7	Nandyál	"
8	Atmakur	0·76
9	Nandikótkur	"
10	Kurnool	0·05
11	Pattikonda	0·79
12	Piyapalli	"
	Total	1·60
	* Average	0·1
	BELLARY.	
1	Yemmiganur	0·15
2	Adóni	0·42
3	Alúr	0·28
4	Sirugappa	"
5	Bellary	"
6	Ráyadrug	"
7	Kampili	"
8	Hospet	"
9	Hadagalli	0·72
10	Harpanahalli	0·35
11	Kúdligi	0·03
	Total	1·95
	* Average	0·2
	ANANTAPUR.	
1	Uravakonda	0·03
2	Gooty	"
3	Yadaki	0·50
4	Tadpatri	0·25
5	Anantapur	"
6	Kályandrúg	0·15
7	Dharmavaram	"
8	Penukonda	"
9	Hindupur	"
10	Madakasira	"
	Total	0·93
	* Average	0·1

4·7 ft below Sunkesala anicut

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

No flow over Nellore & Sangam anicuts

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.
	CUDDAPAH.	
1	Jammalamadugu	
2	Produttur	
3	Badvél	
4	Sidhout	
5	Chitvél	
6	Rajampet	
7	Ráyachóti	nil
8	Cuddapah	
9	Kamalápur	
10	Pulivendla	
11	Kadiri	
12	Madanapalle	
13	Váyalpád	
14	Pilér	
	Total	
	* Average	
	NELLORE.	
1	Addanki	
2	Darsi	
3	Podili	
4	Kanigiri	
5	Udayagiri	
6	Kanuparti	
7	Ongole	
8	Pakala	
9	Kandukur	
10	Kávali	
11	Iskapalle	nil
12	Nellore	
13	Kristnapatnam	
14	Kota	
15	Dugarajapatam	
16	Sulurpet	
17	Tada	
18	Monapalayam	
19	Atmakúr	

	Stations at which tested rain-gauges are kept.	Quantity of rainfall in inches.
	NELLORE—*cont.*	
20	Rápúr	
21	Gúdúr	nil
22	Venkatagiri	
	Total	
	* Average	
	CHINGLEPUT.	
1	Sathiavédu	
2	Ponneri	
3	Trivellore	
4	Sríperumbudur	
5	Poonamallee	
6	Saidápet	nil
7	Conjeeveram	
8	Utramerur	
9	Chingleput	
10	Madurántakam	
	Total	
	* Average	
	MADRAS.	
1	Madras	"
	SOUTH ARCOT.	
1	Gingee	
2	Tindivanam	
3	Merkanam	
4	Vanúr	
5	Viluppuram	
6	Panruti	
7	Cuddalore	nil
8	Bhuvanagiri	
9	Chidambaram	
10	Mannárgudi	
11	Chengam	
12	Thiruvannámalai	
13	Thirukoilúr	

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* 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.
	SOUTH ARCOT—*cont.*	
14	Ulundurpet	nil
15	Kallakurichi	
16	Vridháchalam	
17	Thittagudi	
	Total ..	
	* Average ..	
	NORTH ARCOT.	
1	Kálahasti	nil
2	Thirupathi	
3	Chandragiri	
4	Puthur (*Náráyanavanam*) ..	
5	Tirutani	
6	Arkónam	
7	Wálájah	
8	Arcot	
9	Vellore	
10	Gudiyátam	
11	Chittoor	
12	Tiruvattur	
13	Wandiwash	
14	Arni	
15	Pólúr	
16	Kangundi	
17	Venkatagirikota	
18	Palamanér	
19	Punganúr	
	Total	
	* Average ..	
	SALEM.	
1	Vániyambádi	"
2	Thirupathúr	"
3	Kristnagiri	"
4	Rayakóta	"
5	Hosúr	"
6	Thalli	"
7	Denkanikóta	"

	Stations at which tested rain-gauges are kept.	Quantity of rainfall in inches.
	SALEM—*cont.*	
8	Palakodu	"
9	Pennagaram	"
10	Dharmapuri	"
11	Uttankarai	"
12	Harur	"
13	Omalúr	"
14	Salem	"
15	Athúr	"
16	Thammampatti	"
17	Razipur	"
18	Sankaridrug	"
19	Thiruchengód	0·27
20	Námakal	"
21	Paramathi	"
22	Erkád	"
	Total ..	0·27
	* Average { Excluding Erkád ..	"
	Including Erkád ..	"
	COIMBATORE.	
1	Kollegál	"
2	Gopichettipalayam	0·24
3	Satyamangalam	"
4	Bhaváni	1·00
5	Erode	0·16
6	Perundurai	"
7	Karúr	"
8	Aravakurichi	"
9	Dhárápuram	"
10	Kángayam	"
11	Palladam	0·17
12	Avanáshi	"
13	Coimbatore	0·35
14	Mettupálayam	0·02
15	Pollàchi	0·15
16	Udamalpet	"
	Total ..	2·09
	* Average { Excluding Kollegál ..	0·1
	Including Kollegál ..	0·1

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

no flow over Upper Grand anicut

No water passed over the Lower anicut
[illegible] in the South Rajan channel [illegible]

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.
	TRICHINOPOLY.	
1	Perambalúr	nil
2	Jayankonda Solapuram ..	
3	Ariyalúr	
4	Kilpaluvúr	
5	Thuraiyúr	
6	Musiri	
7	Kulitalai	
8	Lálgudi	
9	Trichinopoly	
10	Manappárai	
11	Iluppúr	0·43
	Total ..	0·43
	* Average ..	"
	TANJORE.	
1	Shiyáli	"
2	Neidavasal	"
3	Máyavaram	"
4	Tranquebar	"
5	Nannilam	"
6	Kodavasal	Not reported
7	Negapatam	0·08
8	Tiruválúr	"
9	Tiruturaipúndi	0·04
10	Vedaranyam	"
11	Kumbakónam	"
12	Nidámangalam	"
13	Mannárgudi	0·07
14	Tiruvádi	"
15	Tanjore	"
16	Vallam	0·13
17	Patukóttai	"
18	Thambikinallavankottai ..	Not reported
19	Magilankottai	"

	Stations at which tested rain-gauges are kept.	Quantity of rainfall in inches.
	TANJORE—*cont.*	
20	Muthupettai	"
21	Adirampatnam	Not reported
22	Kattumavdi	0·04
23	Arantángi	0·98
	Total ..	1·34
	* Averge ..	0·1
	PUDUKOTA STATE.	
1	Pudukota	"
2	Alangudi	0·02
3	Karambakudi	nil
4	Tirumiem	
5	Kilanilai	
6	Kulathur	
7	Viralimalai	
	Total ..	0·02
	* Average ..	"
	MADURA.	
1	Palni	"
2	Védasendur	"
3	Dindigul	0·83
4	Nélakotai	"
5	Periyakulam	0·05
6	Uthamapalayam	"
7	Usilampatti	"
8	Thirumangalam	0·03
9	Thirushuli	"
10	Muthukulathur	0·51
11	Muthuraghunathapatnam ..	0·64
12	Morekulam	1·29
13	Pámban	1·17
14	Ramnad	0·24

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* 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.
	MADURA—*cont.*	
15	Manakkudi	1·50
16	Theethandathanam	0·64
17	Vattanam	0·33
18	Thiruvadanai	0·18
19	Thirupattur	0·30
20	Sivagunga	〃
21	Melúr	〃
22	Madura	0·65
23	Kodaikánal	2·67
24	Paramakudi	0·23
	Total ..	11·26
	* Average { Excluding Kodaikánal.	0·4
	* Average { Including Kodaikánal.	0·5
	TINNEVELLY.	
1	Viruthuppatti	0·15
2	Sátúr	1·07
3	Vilatikulam	0·24
4	Otapidaram	0·22
5	Arasadi	0·~~70~~ 67
6	Tuticorin	1·45
7	Vartirayiruppu	〃
8	Srívilliputtur	0·25
9	Sankaranainárkoil	2·49
10	Tenkási	1·07
11	Ambásamudram	1·56
12	Palamcottah	0·69
13	Srivaikuntam	0·31
14	Káyalpatnam	1·32
15	Kulasegarapatnam	1·20
16	Nánguneri	0·76
17	Radhapuram	1·79
18	Kuttanguli	0·30
	Total ..	15·54
	* Average ..	0·9

Stations at which tested rain-gauges are kept.		Quantity of rainfall in inches.
	NILGIRIS.	
1	Devála	0·09
2	Gúdalúr	0·62
3	Naduvattam	0·08
4	Pykara	〃
5	Kaity	Not recd
6	Ootacamund	0·10
7	Kodanad	2·77
8	Kótagiri	2·42
9	Wellington	0·68
10	Coonoor	1·26
11	Kilkundahs	0·12
	Total ..	8·14
	* Average ..	0·8
	MALABAR.	
1	Cannanore	0·10
2	Tellicherry	0·56
3	Badagara	0·21
4	Quilandi	0·19
5	Calicut	1·81
6	Tirurangádi	0·51
7	Ponáni	0·77
8	Chevakad	4·55
9	Cochin	3·89
10	Taliparamba	〃
11	Nilamlúr	2·10
12	Manjeri	0·38
13	Angádipuram	0·22
14	Pálaghat	〃
15	Manantoddy	〃
16	Vayitri	0·76
	Total ..	16·05
	* Average ..	1·0

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* 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.—*concluded.*

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

Stations at which tested rain-gauges are kept.		Quantity of rainfall in inches.
	TRAVANCORE STATE.	
1	Trivandrum	0·3

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

Rev. Board Office,
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Madras, . 189 .

Secretary.

To

The Secretary to Government, R. D.
The Chamber of Commerce.

1897.

Board of Revenue

(Revenue Settlement, Land Records
and Agriculture),

MADRAS.

Dated 13th
Despatched
Received } April 1897.

Subject.

Statement showing the quantity of rainfall at the several authorised rain-registering stations in the Madras Presidency during the week ending the 10th April 1897.

STATEMENT OF PRICES FOR THE WEEK ENDING 10th april 1897.

(Sett. 51—50- 22-8-96.

PRICES IN SEERS OF 80 TOLAS PER RUPEE.

Group.	District.	Rice.						Ragi.						Cholum.						Cumbu.						Remarks.
		Last week.	This week.	* Average for april	Normal rates. †	Warning rates. †	Scarcity rates. †	Last week.	This week	* Average for april	Normal rates. †	Warning rates. †	Scarcity rates. †	Last week.	This week.	* Average for april	Normal rates. †	Warning rates. †	Scarcity rates. †	Last week.	This week.	* Average for april	Normal rates. †	Warning rates. †	Scarcity rates. †	
Circars..	Ganjam	11.0	11.1	18.0	17.0	13.6	10.2	15.3	15.5	29.3	30.0	22.5	15.0	〃	〃	〃	..	..	..	〃	〃	〃	..	..	..	−
	Vizagapatam	9.7	9.7	15.5	~~16.0~~ 15.0	~~12.8~~ 12.0	~~9.6~~ 9.0	18.1	17.0	28.0	28.0	21.0	14.0	15.0	15.5	〃	..	..	..	17.2	16.8	28.9	30.0	22.5	15.0	+
	Godavari	9.9	10.0	15.6	~~16.0~~ 15.0	~~12.8~~ 12.0	~~9.6~~ 9.0	14.9	15.0	28.3	28.0	21.0	14.0	16.4	16.4	27.6	28.0	21.0	14.0	15.3	15.5	27.4	28.0	21.0	14.0	−
	Kistna	9.9	9.9	14.8	15.4	12.3	9.2	19.2	19.2	28.8	..	..	..	15.9	15.7	23.2	26.0	19.5	13.0	13.1	13.1	22.3	26.0	19.5	13.0	✓
Deccan .	Kurnool	9.2	9.3	13.0	13.2	10.6	7.9	15.4	15.6	27.8	..	..	..	13.1	13.3	28.6	30.0	22.5	15.0	12.0	12.0	23.9	28.0	21.0	14.0	+
	Bellary	9.0	9.0	12.5	13.2	10.6	7.9	14.8	15.5	35.7	..	..	..	11.6	11.8	29.0	30.0	22.5	15.0	〃	〃	〃	..	..	..	−
	Anantapur	9.4	9.4	14.0	13.2	10.6	7.9	17.4	17.5	32.9	32.0	24.0	16.0	13.8	13.7	30.2	30.0	22.5	15.0	13.1	13.4	26.3	28.0	21.0	11.0	+
	Cuddapah	9.1	8.8	13.9	13.2	10.6	7.9	17.7	18.1	31.9	32.0	24.0	16.0	12.7	13.8	28.2	30.0	22.5	15.0	13.4	13.1	28.4	28.0	21.0	14.0	✓
Carnatic.	Nellore	10.9	10.5	14.2	11.0	11.2	8.4	18.3	16.9	27.5	28.0	21.0	14.0	16.4	15.6	24.8	26.0	19.5	13.0	14.0	14.2	22.5	24.0	18.0	12.0	+
	Chingleput	12.3	12.1	15.5	14.0	11.2	8.4	16.0	16.0	25.5	24.0	18.0	12.0	〃	〃	〃	..	..	..	〃	〃	〃	22.0	16.5	11.0	+
	Madras	10.6	10.2	12.4	12.0	9.6	7.2	16.4	16.4	24.8	24.0	18.0	12.0	〃	〃	〃	..	..	..	〃	〃	〃	..	..	..	+
	South Arcot	14.1	13.6	15.4	14.0	11.2	8.4	20.9	21.0	26.9	28.0	21.0	14.0	〃	〃	〃	..	..	..	21.0	20.8	26.5	26.0	19.5	13.0	+
Central..	North Arcot	11.6	11.4	15.4	14.0	11.2	8.4	18.1	18.1	29.6	32.0	24.0	16.0	16.6	16.5	25.9	26.0	19.5	13.0	16.8	16.8	25.5	27.0	20.0	13.5	+
	Salem	11.8	11.8	14.0	13.6	10.9	8.2	21.3	21.2	30.3	31.0	23.0	15.5	19.2	19.1	25.4	26.0	19.5	13.0	18.6	18.7	24.7	27.0	20.0	13.5	+
	Coimbatore	11.5	11.1	13.6	13.0	10.4	7.8	20.2	20.5	27.9	28.0	21.0	14.0	16.4	16.5	22.8	24.0	18.0	12.0	20.0	20.2	26.1	26.0	19.5	13.0	−
	Trichinopoly	12.5	11.9	14.7	14.0	11.2	8.4	24.4	22.7	27.8	28.0	21.0	14.0	18.2	17.7	35.8	24.0	18.0	12.0	24.0	22.5	26.3	26.0	19.5	13.0	+
South ..	Tanjore	13.2	12.8	15.1	15.0	12.0	9.0	24.7	23.8	26.7	28.0	21.0	14.0	〃	〃	〃	..	..	..	〃	〃	〃	..	..	..	+
	Pudukota	12.7	12.7	〃	..	..	..	25.6	25.0	〃	..	..	..	26.8	27.1	〃	..	..	..	25.7	25.5	〃	..	..	..	+
	Madura	13.1	12.7	14.9	14.0	11.2	8.4	22.4	22.2	28.9	28.0	21.0	14.0	18.6	17.9	31.2	24.0	18.0	12.0	19.9	19.5	26.7	26.0	19.5	13.0	+
	Tinnevelly	12.0	11.7	14.0	13.4	10.7	8.0	21.6	20.7	25.7	26.0	19.5	13.0	17.5	16.7	22.8	23.0	17.0	11.5	20.4	19.1	22.3	22.0	16.5	11.0	+
	Nilgiris	9.4	8.9	11.1	11.0	8.8	6.6	17.8	17.5	21.2	21.0	16.0	10.5	〃	〃	〃	..	..	..	〃	〃	〃	..	..	..	+
West Coast	Malabar	10.5	10.3	13.1	13.4	10.7	8.0	〃	〃	〃	..	..	..	〃	〃	〃	..	..	..	〃	〃	〃	..	..	..	+
	South Canara	11.0	10.1	14.1	14.0	11.2	8.4	〃	〃	〃	..	..	..	〃	〃	〃	..	..	..	〃	〃	〃	..	..	..	+
	Travancore	9.6	9.6	〃	..	..	..	〃	〃	〃	..	..	..	〃	〃	〃	..	..	..	〃	〃	〃	..	..	..	

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* Average for ~~ten years ending~~ normal years previous to fasli 1305 (1895-96).

† Vide G. O. No. 306 of 2nd July 1896.

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Board of Revenue

(Revenue Settlement, Land Records
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MADRAS.

PRICES OF the staple FOOD GRAINS for week ending
10th April 1897.

1897.

Board of Revenue

(Revenue Settlement, Land Records
and Agriculture),
MADRAS.

Rainfall for the week ending 10th April
1897.

(Sett. 110—30-4-96.)

RAINFALL.

Week ending 10th April 1897.

Official year 1897-98.

	DISTRICT.		Annual.		Average up to the end of corresponding week for past 25 years.	1897-98. From 1st April to 10th April	Corresponding period of 1896-97.	During week ending 10th April 1897-98.	Average for corresponding period during the past 15 years.	Deaths from Cholera.			Remarks.
			Average of 25 years ending 1894.	1895-96.						From 1st April to 10th April 1897-98	During the last week.	During the present week.	
			Inches.	Inches.	Inches.	Inches.	Inches.	Inches.	Inches.	No.	No.	No.	
1	Ganjam		45·0	54·8	0·3	1·1	0·2	0·3	0·2	190	91	99	
2	Vizagapatam ..	Agency	57·5	70·9	0·3	1·1	„	0·3	0·1	107	55	52	
		Littoral	42·0	44·7	0·2	1·2	„	0·[illegible]	0·1				
3	Godavari		38·9	47·7	„	0·3	„	„	„	31	9	22	
4	Kistna		33·6	42·4	0·1	0·1	„	„	0·1	15	2	13	
5	Kurnool		27·6	26·1	0·2	0·2	„	0·1	0·1	„	„	„	
6	Bellary		22·7	27·0	0·2	0·2	„	0·2	0·1	„	„	„	
7	Anantapur		23·3	25·1	0·1	0·1	„	0·1	0·1	„	„	„	
8	Cuddapah		28·6	31·5	0·1	„	„	„	0·1	„	„	„	
9	Nellore		34·6	30·9	0·1	0·1	„	„	0·1	„	„	„	
10	Chingleput		44·5	47·5	0·1	0·1	„	„	0·1	29	17	12	
11	Madras		* 49·0	47·8	* 0·3	0·1	„	„	* 0·1	„	„	„	
12	South Arcot		42·0	58·1	0·1	„	„	„	0·1	67	39	28	
13	North Arcot		37·4	39·8	0·1	0·5	„	„	0·1	17	11	6	
14	Salem		31·3	38·5	0·3	0·3	[illegible]	„	0·2	78	49	29	
15	Coimbatore		25·5	29·9	0·6	0·3	0·1	0·1	0·4	203	88	115	
16	Trichinopoly		33·7	41·2	0·1	0·1	0·1	„	0·1	22	17	5	
17	Tanjore		42·8	54·6	0·1	0·3	0·3	0·1	0·1	181	100	81	
18	Pudukkottai		..	37·4	„	0·1	0·6	„	„	„	„	„	
19	Madura		29·9	36·1	0·7	0·7	0·8	0·5	0·5	„	„	„	
20	Tinnevelly		26·3	32·0	0·8	1·2	2·1	0·9	0·4	136	76	60	
21	Nilgiris		62·6	69·5	1·0	2·1	0·2	0·8	0·7	1	„	1	
22	Malabar		113·5	111·8	1·1	1·0	0·9	1·0	0·8	297	218	79	
23	South Canara		142·0	146·0	0·3	„	„	„	0·2	„	„	„	
24	Travancore		† 65·7	49·6	† 1·3	0·4	1·5	0·3	† 0·7	8	5	3	

* 80 years' average—1813—1892.

† 53 years' average ending December 1890.

Comparative Statement Showing the number of persons on famine relief for the week ending 10th April 1897

District	Taluk	Relief workers		Weavers		Gratuitously relieved	
		Last Week	This Week	Last Week	This Week	Last Week	This Week
Ganjam	Gumsoor		-	.	.	12	27
	Purushottapur	185	211	:			
	Berhampur	~~185~~	-		.	95	437
	Chatrapur		562		.	51	82
	Chicacole				.	562	593
	Sompet	–	–	–	216	–	–
	Total	185	773		216	720	1,139
Vizagapatam	Vizagapatam						
	Bimlipatam						
	Parvatipur						
	Total	3,868	7,189	.	.	428	775
Kurnool	Sirvel	3,313	4,083	.	.	277	266
	Koilkuntla	7,287	8,012	.	.	373	347
	Nandyal	3,042	3,206	-	.	327	237
	Ramallakot	-	480	72	122	-	.
	Pattikonda	7,985	12,828	1,256	1,506	640	848
	Total	21,627	28709	1,328	1628	1617	1,698
Bellary	Adoni	15,693	17,412	800	850	1,099	1,146
	Alur	22,101	23,920			1,050	1,711
	Bellary	4,334	5,317			241	303
	Hospet	2,992	3,522			290	336
	Hadagalli	1,420	1,598			78	62
	Total	46,540	51,769	800	850	2,758	3,558
Anantapur	Penukonda	-	-			54	54
	Anantapur	20	533			14	22
	Dharmavaram	746	937			61	143
	Gooty	2,083	2,319			244	243
	Tadpatri	4,485	5,506		20	282	305
	Total	7,334	9,295		20	655	767
Cuddapah	Pulivendla	4,119	5,188			81	120
	Jammalamadugu	3,487	4,867	6907	6761	255	169
	Proddatur	1,099	2,098			74	102
	Cuddapah	995	4,122			78	245
	Total	9,700	16,275	6907	6761	488	636
	Total for Deccan	85,201	106,048	9,035	9,259	5518	6,659
	Grand Total	89,254	114,010	9,035	9,475	6,666	8,573

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