

Revenue (1898) Department.

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[Despatch Abstract.]

Approving the Supt's proposal to
reduce the number of Survey divisions
from 6 to 5 by increasing the number
of districts in some of the divisions.

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Revenue (1898) Department.

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*On today
I send minute
to S. G. R. L.
29/4/98*

From The Superintendent
Madras Survey

Order misc. No. 1897 of 29.4.98

The Superintendent's
proposals are approved.

No. $\frac{43}{G}$

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To the Supt Madras Survey

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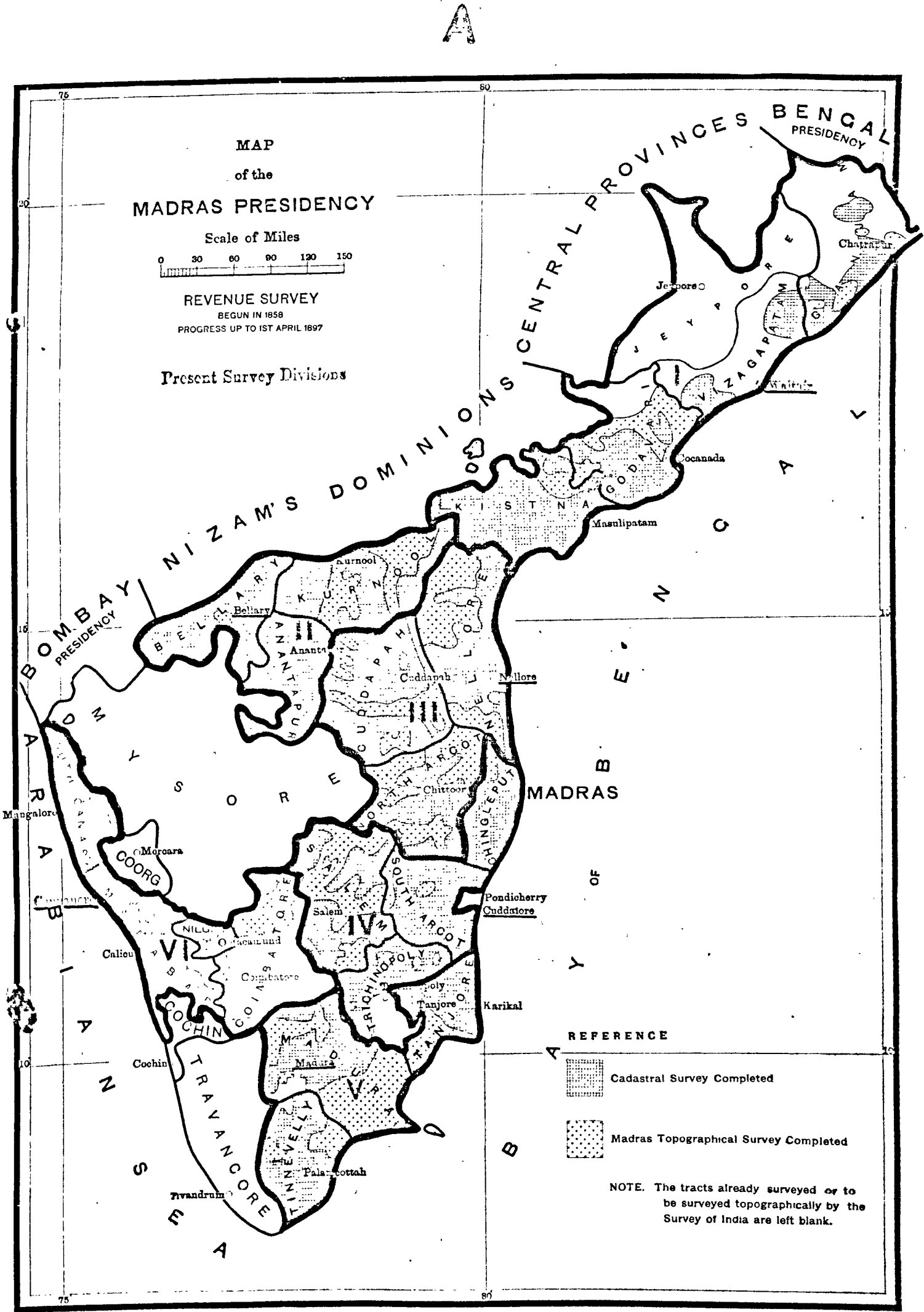
SUBJECT.
Reduction of number of
Survey Divisions from
6 to 5
submitting proposals for
by increasing the number of
Districts in some of the
Divisions.

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MAP
of the
MADRAS PRESIDENCY

Scale of Miles
0 30 60 90 120 150

REVENUE SURVEY
BEGUN IN 1858
PROGRESS UP TO 1ST APRIL 1897

Proposed Survey Divisions

BOMBAY PRESIDENCY
NIZAM'S DOMINIONS
CENTRAL PROVINCES
BENGAL PRESIDENCY

MADRAS

REFERENCE

Cadastral Survey Completed
 Madras Topographical Survey Completed

NOTE. The tracts already surveyed or to be surveyed topographically by the Survey of India are left blank.

Photo-Print Survey Office, Madras.
1897.

SURVEY OFFICE, MADRAS,

21 April 1898.

No. $\frac{43}{9}$

From

H. O' C. Cardozo, Esq., C.I.E.,

Superintendent, Madras Survey,

To

The Secretary to Government,

Revenue Department.

REFERENCE. G. O. No. 1592, Revenue, dated
23 April 1895, dividing the Presidency
into six Divisions, each containing
from three to four Districts.

Sir,

I have the honour to submit
for the consideration of Government
the desirability of reducing the
number of Survey Divisions from
6 to 5 by increasing the number of

Districts in some of the Divisions as shown in the enclosed map marked B.

2. At present, No. III Division contains 3 Districts, Nellore, North Arcot and Cuddapah. No special surveys are in progress in any of these Districts and the Officer in charge has much less work than any of the other Survey Divisional Officers.

He has in fact nothing to do but to superintend maintenance of Survey records and boundary marks which as reported in my note printed with Board's Proceedings (Land Revenue) No. 354 dated 18 September 1896, has fallen so hopelessly into arrears that a resurvey before resettlement will be necessary.

3. No. II Division and No. V Division

also contain only 3 Districts each and the work is comparatively light.

4. No. VI Division contains 4 Districts, South Canara, Malabar, Nilgiris and Coimbatore. The work is too heavy for one Officer.

5. I enclose two maps colored to show the 6 present Divisions and the 5 new Divisions which I would recommend.

6. This change will have the further advantage of decreasing the number of Gazetted Officers required, a measure which is rendered imperative by the reductions in the total amount of the budget grant of the Survey Department as shown below:

Year	Budget Grant Rupees
1896-97	5,71,500
1897-98	4,88,700
1898-99	3,13,910

If these proposals are approved, I
beg that the following postings
may be gazetted -

Mr Hatchell to charge of N^o I
Division, Ganjam, Vizagapatam,
Godavari and Kistna Districts.
Head Quarters - Waltair.

Mr Martin to charge of N^o II
Division, Bellary, Anantapur,
Kurnool, Buddaput and Nellore
Districts. Head Quarters - Bellary.

Mr Taylor to charge of N^o III
Division, Chingleput, North Arcot,
South Arcot, Salem and Coimbatore
Districts. Head Quarters - Salem.

Mr Narayana Aiyar to charge
of N^o IV Division, Trinnevelly,
Madurai, Trichinopoly and Tanjore Districts.
Head Quarters - Trichinopoly.

Mr Greene to charge
of N^o V Division, South
Canara, Malabar and Nilgiris.
Head Quarters - Calicut.

I have the honour to be
Sir
Your most obedient servant

Wm. G. G.
Superintendent
Madras Survey

Recd.
21/4/98

Read C. No. 3041 of 1898.
Letter from the Supt. Madras
Survey dated 21st April 1898.
No $\frac{43}{G}$

For orders

In L. No. 1592
dated the 23rd April 1895,
the Govt. approved of a scheme
submitted by Mr. Cardoso for
the maintenance of Survey records
and special surveys. Accord-
ing to that scheme, the whole
Presidency was divided into six
divisions and each division
was placed under the charge
of a Survey officer.

In the current read above,
Mr. Cardoso proposes to re-
duce the number of Survey
divisions from six to five
by increasing the number of
Districts in some of the Di-
visions.

The present grouping of the
Districts as well as that pro-
posed are shown below.

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<u>Present Grouping.</u>	<u>Proposed grouping</u>
<u>I.</u> Ganjam, Vizagapatnam, Godavari & Kistna Dst.	<u>I.</u> Ganjam, Vizagapatnam Godavari & Kistna Dst.
<u>II.</u> Kurnool, Bellary and Anantapur Districts.	<u>II.</u> Kurnool, Bellary, Anantapur, Ch. Sda. <u>Pah</u> and <u>Nellore Dst.</u>
<u>III.</u> Nellore, North Arcot and Cuddapah.	<u>III.</u> Chingleput, North Arcot, South Arcot, Salem and Coimbatore Dst.
<u>IV.</u> Chingleput, South Arcot, Salem and Trichinopoly.	<u>IV.</u> Tinnevely, Madurai Trichinopoly and Tanjore.
<u>V.</u> Tanjore, Madurai and Tinnevely.	<u>V.</u> South Canara, Malabar and Nilgiris.
<u>VI.</u> Malabar, Nilgiris Coimbatore and South Canara.	

Mr. Cardoso is of opinion that the officers in charge of the present Divisions No. II, III & V which ~~are~~ consist of only three Districts each have comparatively light work, and that the work in No VI Division which consists

of 4 Districts, S. Canara, Malabar, Nilgiris and Coimbatore is too heavy for one officer. Mr. Cardoso adds that the proposed reduction in the number of divisions will have the further advantage of decreasing the number of gazetted officers required, a measure which is rendered imperative by the reductions in the amount of the budget grant.

It is submitted that the proposal may be approved. A draft ^x minute of ^{the} postings proposed by the Supdt. for the five new divisions is submitted, as also a draft order on the docket of the current.

25/4/98.

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26/4/98

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S. K. B. B. B.

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