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[Despatch Abstract.]

Recording G. O. Financial Department, accepting
with remarks, the budget estimate of receipts
under VII Customs for 1899-1900.

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Budget Estimate.

Accepting, with remarks, the — of receipts under VII. Customs for 1899-1900.

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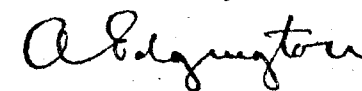
READ—the following paper:—

Proceedings of the Board of Revenue (Separate Revenue), No. 295, dated 28th September 1898.

ORDER—No. 1026, Financial, dated 8th November 1898.

Pending final orders on the question of the transfer of the custody of goods from the Collector of Madras to the Harbour Trust Board, the Government considers that the estimates under "Warehouse and Wharf Rents" should be based on existing facts. The revised and budget estimates under that head will accordingly be fixed at Rs. 37,900 and Rs. 38,300, respectively. With this modification the Board's estimates under "VII. Customs" are accepted.

(True Extract.)



for Chief Secretary.

To the Revenue Department. ✓
 „ Board of Revenue (Separate Revenue).
 „ Accountant-General.
 Editors' Table.

RECEIPTS.

VII.—CUSTOMS.

IMPERIAL.	Detailed Account No.	Budget Estimate, 1899-1900.	Revised Estimate, 1898-99.	Budget Estimate, 1898-99.	Accounts, 1897-98.
Sea Customs—Imports	VIIA	Rs. 30,09,500	Rs. 29,41,500	Rs. 30,14,300	Rs. 32,44,574
Sea Customs—Exports	(a)	5,00,000	5,00,000	6,00,000	7,45,717
Sea Customs—Miscellaneous	VIIB	500	500	500	287
Land Customs	VIIC	1,24,000	1,24,000	2,10,200	2,31,254
Excise duty on Cotton Manufactures	(b)	70,000	74,000	50,000	66,474
TOTAL IMPERIAL.		37,04,000	36,40,000	33,75,000	42,88,006
PROVINCIAL.					
Warehouse and Wharf Rents	VIID	38,300	37,900	30,000	37,677
Miscellaneous		38,700	37,100	37,000	32,103
TOTAL PROVINCIAL		75,000	75,000	67,000	70,030
TOTAL		37,79,000	37,15,000	39,42,000	43,58,336

DETAILED ACCOUNT NO. VIIA.—CUSTOMS.—Sea Customs—Imports.

IMPERIAL.				
Arms, Ammunitions and Military Stores	(c)	30,000	30,000	50,640
Liquors—				
1. Spirits and Liqueurs	(d)	10,18,000	9,55,000	10,12,700
2. Ale, Beer, Porter and other fermented liquors	(e)	30,700	30,700	31,500
3. Wines	(f)	52,800	53,300	56,300
Articles of Food and Drink	(g)	1,80,000	2,08,800	1,54,000
Chemicals, Drugs, Medicines and Narcotics and Dyeing and Tanning	(h)	1,10,000	1,34,000	1,04,000
Materials	(i)	5,60,000	5,00,000	6,50,000
Cotton Manufactures	(j)	3,800	3,800	1,530
Metals and Manufactures of Metals—	(k)	2,11,500	2,11,500	2,06,000
Silver Bullion and Coin	(l)	4,05,000	4,05,000	3,26,150
Other Metals and Manufactures of Metals	(m)	3,85,000	3,85,000	3,98,000
Oils	(n)	22,700	24,400	23,120
Manufactured Articles	(o)			
Raw Materials and Unmanufactured Articles	(p)			
TOTAL		30,09,500	29,41,500	30,14,300

DETAILED ACCOUNT NO. VIIB.—CUSTOMS.—Sea Customs—Miscellaneous.

IMPERIAL.				
Commission on Little Besses' Light Dues		450	450	450
Commission on Straits Light Dues		50	50	50
TOTAL		500	500	500

DETAILED ACCOUNT NO. VIIC.—CUSTOMS.—Land Customs.

IMPERIAL.				
Import Duty on Cotton Goods	(q)	3,000	3,000	2,700
Import Duty on other Goods	(r)	63,000	63,000	57,000
Export Duty	(s)	58,000	58,000	1,50,000
Other Duties	(t)			
TOTAL		1,24,000	1,24,000	2,10,200

DETAILED ACCOUNT NO. VIID.—CUSTOMS.—Miscellaneous.

PROVINCIAL.				
SEA CUSTOMS—				
Fees for Registration of Cargo Boats		70	70	120
Fees, Fines and Forfeitures		7,530	7,530	7,270
Fees for Clerks for doing duty out of office hours		21,860	21,560	22,130
Sale of Smuggled Goods		340	340	180
Other Items		6,000	5,900	6,600
TOTAL, SEA CUSTOMS		35,800	35,400	36,200
LAND CUSTOMS—				
Fees, Fines and Forfeitures		780	10	10
Sale of Smuggled Goods		120	1,620	490
Other Items		900	70	200
TOTAL, LAND CUSTOMS		1,800	1,700	700
TOTAL		36,700	37,100	37,000

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Accounts, first five months, 1898-99.

EXPLANATORY REMARKS.

Rs.
10,53,483
2,06,099
108
57,378
37,248

(a) From December 1897, there has been a falling off in the export of rice. Assuming that the collections in the last seven months of the current year will be at the same rate as in the first five, those for the whole year will amount to five lakhs. This figure will accordingly be adopted in the ensuing year's budget.
(b) The estimate of the Collector of Sea Customs, Madras, which is the only district in which this duty is collected, is Rs. 65,000 for each of the current and the ensuing years. The actuals of the first five months of the current year ended to those of the last seven months of the past year amount to Rs. 78,543. Considering the increases in the collections of the first five months of the current year over those of the corresponding period of the past year, the estimate for the current year may be fixed at Rs. 74,000 and that for the ensuing year at Rs. 70,000.

13,57,310

21,529

15,059

36,538

13,93,893

9,288

3,41,183

12,972

17,793

71,000

62,110

1,51,019

1,644

81,313

1,42,196

1,53,049

12,956

10,53,483

97

9

108

1,105

1,011

2,260

57,378

3,478

8,288

184

1,703

13,623

4

1,389

43

1,436

15,059

(l) The Collectors' estimates under this head are justified by the actuals of the first five months of the current year and the last seven months of the past year.
(m) The estimates under this head will be fixed at Rs. 58,000 on the same principle as in the case of Sea Customs Exports.

STATEMENT showing the average Customs receipts for the three years from 1895-96 to 1897-98 and the actuals of the first five months of the same three years and of the current year.

Heads.	Actuals, 1895-96.		Actuals, 1896-97.		Actuals, 1897-98.		Average of three years.		Actuals, 1898-99, first five months.
	First five months.	Whole year.	First five months.	Whole year.	First five months.	Whole year.	First five months.	Whole year.	
Imperial.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	
Sea Customs—Imports	16,01,798	33,93,491	10,29,729	28,31,808	13,03,246	32,44,574	13,11,591	31,56,624	10,56,483
Do. —Exports	1,90,744	4,36,386	2,79,188	8,06,146	4,06,352	7,46,717	2,92,095	6,62,416	2,06,099
Do. —Miscellaneous	200	390	322	375	139	287	220	351	166
Land Customs	54,152	1,31,986	84,162	1,87,106	1,28,363	2,31,254	88,899	1,85,449	57,376
Excise duty on cotton manufactures	11,188	20,194	29,559	56,295	25,177	66,474	21,874	47,654	37,246
Total, Imperial	18,58,082	39,82,447	14,22,660	38,80,730	18,53,267	42,88,306	17,14,669	41,50,494	13,57,310
Provincial.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.
Warehouse and Wharf Rents	25,746	50,205	12,534	30,873	20,575	37,977	19,619	39,685	21,529
Miscellaneous	10,751	32,618	18,045	37,580	12,809	32,103	13,868	31,034	15,059
Total, Provincial	36,497	82,823	30,579	68,453	33,384	70,080	33,487	73,719	36,588
Total	18,94,579	40,65,270	14,53,239	39,48,983	18,96,651	43,58,386	17,48,156	41,24,213	13,93,898
Detailed Account—Sea Customs—Imports.									
Imperial.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.
Arms, Ammunitions and Military Stores	22,311	58,948	18,985	46,252	21,070	51,926	20,789	52,375	9,283
Liquors—Spirits and liquors	4,16,962	10,23,810	3,89,945	10,13,639	4,06,381	10,18,425	4,04,426	10,18,625	3,41,183
Ale, beer porter and other fermented liquors	36,860	91,004	30,035	86,884	22,536	53,869	36,021	86,215	12,972
Wines	45,555	1,70,462	44,624	1,83,969	67,329	2,10,186	52,603	1,78,206	71,000
Articles of food and drink	39,888	97,664	43,870	1,00,546	68,370	1,30,148	47,376	1,09,453	62,110
Chemicals, drugs, medicines and narcotics, and dyeing and tanning materials	6,57,726	10,42,700	1,90,739	5,31,529	2,82,542	6,32,253	3,77,002	7,55,161	1,51,099
Cotton manufactures	113	318	549	1,405	1,831	4,089	831	1,937	1,644
Metals and manufactures of metals—Silver, bullion and coin	1,08,650	2,22,429	79,590	2,06,662	88,204	2,48,983	92,148	2,23,791	81,313
Other metals and manufactures of metals	81,118	2,62,015	53,875	2,25,531	1,79,899	4,50,953	1,04,964	3,12,449	1,42,196
Oils	1,92,325	4,09,221	1,63,679	3,94,026	1,53,613	3,83,649	1,75,431	3,96,299	1,53,009
Manufactured articles		24,920	7,838	21,365	8,838	22,904	1,75,431	23,763	12,966
Raw materials and unmanufactured articles									
Total, Sea Customs—Imports	16,01,798	33,93,491	10,29,729	28,31,808	13,03,246	32,44,574	13,11,591	31,56,624	10,56,483
Detailed Account—Land Customs.									
Imperial.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.
Import duty on cotton goods	2,345	6,963	967	2,704	1,574	3,348	1,628	4,338	1,105
Do. on other goods	22,894	51,344	27,630	58,204	21,823	51,395	24,116	53,648	32,111
Export duty	28,913	73,513	55,565	1,25,876	1,04,956	1,76,347	63,145	1,23,246	24,269
Miscellaneous	54,152	164	84,162	322	1,28,353	2,31,254	88,899	1,83,449	57,376
Total, Land Customs		1,31,986		1,87,106		2,31,254			

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