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The usual detailed statement of salt receipts and of Government salt in store and of customs receipts and refunds and drawbacks, for 1895–96, forwarded to the Accountant-General, Madras, with explanation for the difference in the figures of the total receipts under salt, and stated that the detailed accounts under excise receipts will be furnished on receipt of annual statements from Collector and the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division.—A statement explaining certain differences under customs receipts for 1895–96 between the Board's figures as revised and those of the Accountant-General, forwarded to the Accountant-General, Madras.—A revised statement of salt receipts and of Government salt in store for 1895–96, forwarded to the Accountant-General, Madras.—A revised account of customs revenue for the year 1895–96 in the usual form, forwarded to the Accountant-General, Madras.—A detailed statement of excise receipts for the year 1895–96, forwarded to the Accountant-General, Madras.—A detailed statement of excise receipts for the year 1895–96 with certain alterations made as required by him, forwarded to the Accountant-General, Madras.	11th June, No. 2406, Mis. 17th July, „ 2985, Mis. 30th „ „ 3171, Mis. 30th „ „ 3172, Mis. 3rd Aug., „ 3242, Mis. 8th „ „ 3312, Mis.
Negapatam Sub-division.—The action of the Assistant Commissioner in increasing the opening balance of excise salt in the account current of the, in 1895–96 by 100 maunds, approved.	17th June, „ 2529, Mis.
Maintenance of accounts by toddy shopkeepers in the mofussil.—Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, informed that the, need not be insisted on at present and that the receipt of toddy into a shop may be ascertained from the number of trees licensed for the shop and the permits filed.	29th „ „ 2699, Mis.
Report relating to stamp duty in pauper suits payable to Government under section 412 of the Civil Procedure Code for the triennial period ending with 1895–96, submitted, and the sanction of Government requested for writing off the accounts the sum of Rs. 20,951–5–11 reported to be irrecoverable.—Government Order according sanction to write off the accounts the sum of Rs. 20,951–5–11, communicated to all Collectors for information and guidance with the request to give their personal attention to the collection of stamp duty that may be payable to Government in pauper suits.	3rd July, „ 249. 13th Aug., „ 319.
Statement received from the Nizam's Government showing the quantity of salt imported into Hyderabad territory during the period ending 4th April 1896.—Government Order communicating letter from the Resident at Hyderabad forwarding translation of, recorded.—Government Order communicating letter from the Resident at Hyderabad forwarding a statement for the period ending 7th July 1896, recorded.	8th July, „ 2872, Mis. 22nd Sept., „ 4077, Mis.

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A certain sum of money stolen from the Villupuram Circle office.—Sanction of Government for writing off, solicited and remarked upon certain irregularities on the part of the Inspector and his Head Clerk.—Report on certain points in regard to, submitted to Government.—Government Order passing orders on Board's proposal as regards, communicated to the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, and Assistant Commissioner, Negapatam Sub-division.	9th July, No. 2836, Mis. 2nd Sept., „ 3662, Mis. 19th „ „ 3976, Mis.
Anantapur.—Collector of, requested to state why in the case of unimportant arrack shops he insists on the shopkeepers being men who can keep accounts if he finds that it prevents his selling the shops advantageously.—The attention of the Collector of Anantapur invited to paragraph 8 of Board's Standing Order No. 155 (new edition) and Board's Proceedings, No. 332, dated 12th July 1895, which gives discretionary power to the Collectors in the matter of enforcing the rule that arrack shopkeepers shall keep accounts.	28th July, „ 3094, Mis. 15th Aug., „ 3444, Mis.
Writing off the accounts the amount of stamp duty awarded to Government in pauper appeal suit No. 485 of 1895 on the file of the District Court, Tanjore.—The recommendation made by the Collector of Tanjore for, approved.	28th July, „ 3136, Mis.
Sanction of Government for writing off the accounts Rupees 201-4-0 being the cost of certain palmyra leaves which were purchased for recovering certain heaps of excise salt in the Covelong Circle, but which became useless before they could be utilised for that purpose, solicited.—Government Order according sanction, communicated to the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, for information.	30th „ „ 3196, Mis. 27th Aug., „ 3623, Mis.
Consumption of country spirits and the rates of supply in force in the excise tracts of the Kistna district during the current lease.—The Manager, Arcot Sugar Works and Distilleries, furnished with information as to the, and informed that similar information in respect of the Ganjám and Vizagapatam districts may if necessary be applied for by him later on.—M.R.Ry. T. Ratnasawmy Nadar furnished with information as to the,	10th „ „ 3336, Mis. 12th „ „ 3385, Mis.
Recording destination of salt in the distribution statements.—The attention of the Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, and Assistant Commissioners, Chatrapur, Chicacole and Cocanada Sub-divisions, to certain discrepancies in the matter of, drawn.	10th „ „ 3353, Mis.
Muttupet fish-curing yard.—The sanction of Government for writing off the accounts certain amount being the value of salt and cash stolen in the, solicited and the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, requested to direct the Inspector, Adirámpatnam Circle, to draw the pay due to the late Petty officer attached to the yard and to credit it to Government.—Government Order according sanction for writing off the accounts the sum of Rs. 20-6-11 being the value of salt and cash stolen from the, communicated to the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, and Assistant Commissioner, Negapatam Sub-division, with remarks.	2nd Sept., „ 3669, Mis. 3rd Oct., „ 4173, Mis.
Adirámpatnam extension.—The sanction of Government for writing off the accounts the sum of Rs. 105-11-0 being the irrecoverable balance of kudivaram advances granted to	7th Sept., „ 3763, Mis. 28th „ „ 4094, Mis.

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manufacturers of the, in 1889-90 and 1890-91, requested.—Government Order according sanction for writing off the accounts, communicated to the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, and Assistant Commissioner, Negapatam Sub-division.	
Charges incurred by it for the packing and conveyance of the articles of clothing ordered to be issued to the several circles.—The Clothing Committee requested to maintain an account of the, and to report at the end of each year the charge incurred on account of each suit supplied.	24th Sept., No. 4012, Mis.
Stationery accounts.—Deputy Commissioners requested to report whether they are maintaining and checking the, as ordered.	26th „ „ 407.
Instructions for the maintenance at the frontier chowkies of the Kurnool district of a rough cash-book and abstract permit register relating to the collection of duty for the transport of Hyderabad toddy, issued.	3rd Oct., „ 4123, Mis.
Instructions to the Collector of Kurnool for exhibiting in his monthly demand, collection and balance statements the collections of transport duty levied on Hyderabad toddy imported into the district, issued.	3rd „ „ 4127, Mis.
A statement showing the particulars of cash and credit transactions of salt for the three years ending 1895-96, forwarded to the Accountant-General, Madras, with remarks.	5th „ „ 4133, Mis.
A statement showing the incidence of taxation per head of population under Salt, Abkári and Opium in 1895-96, furnished to the Accountant-General, Madras.	14th „ „ 4235, Mis.
Payment of Rs. 5 to a Muhammadan who was temporarily employed by him for examining the Arabic accounts of the one of the income-tax assessees for 1895-96.—Letter from the Collector of Malabar applying for sanction for the, submitted to Government.—Government Order sanctioning the, communicated to the Collector of Malabar.	14th „ „ 4250, Mis. 10th Nov., „ 4689, Mis.
The procedure of the Inspector, Krishnapatam Circle, in having sent an advice in Form A-29 to the Treasury Deputy Collector, Nellore, regarding a bill for Rs. 145-5-0 *received in triplicate from the Forest Department for adjustment on account of the cost of certain pegs supplied.*—Pointed out with remarks that, was incorrect.	21st Oct., „ 4369, Mis.
Statement of excise receipts and charges of the Presidency for the year 1895-96, submitted to Government.—Government Order forwarding the statement to the Government of India, recorded.	21st „ „ 421. 25th Nov., „ 5022, Mis.
D-22 *Statement.*—The Collector of Anantapur informed that particulars of consumption in the, may be furnished for each taluk or division provided that the system of separate sale of shops is in force throughout such taluk or division.	28th Oct., „ 4496, Mis.
Checks daily made in Factory circles by Inspectors and Assistant Inspectors in the various series of accounts.—Assistant Commissioners requested to furnish the Deputy Commissioners with their views on the possibility of dispensing with or	31st „ „ 4554, Mis.

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reducing the, without any risk to the revenue and the Deputy Commissioners to forward them with their own suggestions and remarks.	
Receipt of money from Orissa salt traders into the Cuttack treasury for the purchase of salt from the Naupada Factory.—The Accountant-General, Madras, requested to arrange with the Accountant-General, Bengal, for the,	4th Nov., No. 4606, Mis.
Delay in the submission of the T.T.-9 (a) Statements to the Collector of North Arcot and to the inattention to the orders on the subject.—Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, requested to call upon the Inspector, Ránipéttai Circle, to submit an immediate and full explanation for the,	17th „ „ 4821, Mis.
Encashment of the bills of Preventive circles.—Memorandum No. 8, dated 28th September 1896, from the Accountant-General, Madras, making certain additions to his list of nearest Land Revenue treasuries for the, communicated to all Deputy and Assistant Commissioners.	20th „ „ 466.
Abkári and Income-tax collections for the year 1895–96.—Collectors and the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, requested to furnish certain figures of,	20th „ „ 4786, Mis.
Instructions as to the method of exhibiting in the stock accounts the quantity supplied to the French Government at Pondicherry, issued.	2nd Dec., „ 5001, Mis.
Statements showing the duty realised on account of beer imported from Bangalore.—Letter from the Accountant-General, Madras, forwarding, and stating that the Treasury officer in Bangalore has been instructed to credit, in future, such amounts to V. Excise, recorded.	3rd „ „ 5092, Mis.
Writing off of undetected scrapings and cases.—Government informed that certain revised statements called for in connection with the, have not yet been received and that a consolidated statement will be submitted on receipt of those statements.	12th „ „ 5128, Mis.
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Tariff Amendment Act III of 1896.—An error in the, published in the *Fort St. George Gazette*, dated 18th February 1896, pointed out to Collectors.	20th Feb., „ 681, Mis.
Act XVI of 1863.—Reported to Government on the necessity of amending, and certain information on certain other points regarding methylated spirits in the Presidency, furnished.	7th Mar., „ 914, Mis.
Working of the Indian Merchandise Marks Act for 1895–96.—Letter from the Collector of Tanjore submitting report on the, recorded.—Report on the, submitted to Government.—Government Order ordering that Board's Proceedings submitting report on the, be forwarded to the Government of India, recorded.—An erratum to Board's Proceedings, No. 297, dated 27th July 1896, submitted to Government.—Government Order communicating resolution of the Government of India reviewing the reports on the, communicated to the Collector of Sea Customs, Madras, and to the Collectors of all other Maritime districts.	22nd May, „ 2174, Mis. 27th July, „ 297. 24th Aug., „ 3599, Mis. 12th Sept., „ 3861. 17th Nov., „ 460.

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Indian Merchandise Marks Act IV of 1889.—Government Order communicating resolution of the Government of India issuing executive instructions for the guidance of Customs officers in the administration of the, communicated to the Collector of Sea Customs, Madras, and to Collectors of all other Maritime districts for information and guidance.	20th Aug., No. 332.
Section 47 *of the Madras Salt Act IV of* 1889 *and Section* 31 *of the Madras Abkári Act I of* 1886.—Reported to Government on the necessity for amending,	18th Oct., „ 4360, Mis.
Indian Stamp Act I of 1879.—Government Order ordering that a letter be despatched to the Government of India regarding certain proposals for the amendment of the, recorded.	20th „ „ 4361, Mis.
ADMINISTRATION.	
Tree-tax system.—Letter from the Collector of Kistna submitting proposals for the extension of the, in thedistrict, recorded.—Letter from the Collector of Cuddapah submitting proposals for the introduction of the, into the district,recorded.—Letter from the Collector of Vizagapatam submitting proposals for the extension of the, in the district, recorded. —Letter from the Collector of Anantapur submitting certain information in connection with the introduction of the, in the district, recorded.—Letter from the Collector of Kurnool submitting proposals for the extension of the, in the district, recorded.—Endorsement of the Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, submitting copy of the Chicacole Assistant Commissioner's letter furnishing information as to the number of toddy-producing trees in certain taluks of the Vizagapatam district, recorded.—Certain further information from the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, in connection with his proposals for the extension of the, in his division, called for.—Proposals for the extension of the, to certain tracts of the Madras Presidency from 1st October 1896, submitted to Government.—Official memorandum from Government requesting the Board to expedite its proposals for the administration of the toddy revenue in the Presidency for the lease commencing on 1st October 1896, recorded.—Letter from the Collector of South Canara submitting arrack and toddy proposals for the lease commencing from 1st October 1896, recorded. —Letter from the Collector of Cuddapah stating that there is no objection to the separate sale of toddy shops throughout the district from 1st October 1896, recorded.—The reports in original of Collectors and the officers of the department containing proposals for the extension of the, to certain tracts in the Presidency, forwarded to the Under Secretary to Government, Revenue Department.—Letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, submitting certain statements in connection with the, introduction of the, into certain taluks of the division, recorded.—Letter from the Collector of Ganjám submitting proposals for the management of toddy revenue in the district for the lease commencing with 1st October 1896, recorded.——Assistant Commissioner, Chatrapur Sub-division, requested to submit certain information regarding the extension of the, into certain parts of his sub-division.—Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, informed by wire that Government has approved of the Board's proposals regarding the	9th Jan., „ 50, Mis. 6th „ „ 57, Mis. 9th „ „ 76, Mis. 8th „ „ 77, Mis. 9th „ „ 78, Mis. 11th „ „ 139, Mis. 29th „ „ 348, Mis. 13th Feb., „ 62. 24th „ „ 753, Mis. 3rd Mar., „ 838, Mis. 3rd „ „ 839, Mis. 10th „ „ 1012, Mis. 25th „ „ 1285, Mis. 21st „ „ 1287, Mis. 16th April, „ 1512, Mis. 23rd „ „ 1594, Mis. 28th „ „ 159. 8th May, „ 1901, Mis. 8th „ „ 2325, Sub. 11th „ „ 1971, Mis. 21st „ „ 195. 22nd „ „ 2122, Mis. 29th „ „ 2267, Mis. 6th June, „ 2354, Mis. 10th „ „ 2402, Mis. 16th „ „ 2510, Mis. 24th „ „ 2613, Mis. 24th „ „ 2630, Mis. 25th „ „ 2647, Mis. 1st July, „ 2710, Mis. 3rd „ „ 2744, Mis. 3rd „ „ 250. 15th „ „ 2990, Mis. 22nd „ „ 3067, Mis. 23rd „ „ 3093, Mis. 4th Aug., „ 3258, Mis. 21st „ „ 3532, Mis. 7th Oct., „ 4208, Mis. 20th Nov., „ 4789, Mis 10th „ „ 4803, Mis. 12th Dec., „ 5179, Mis.

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extension of the, into Ganjám and Vizagapatam districts during 1896–97 and requested to submit revised proposals for additional establishments accompanied by certain statements.—Government Order on Board's proposals regarding the extension of the, to certain tracts in the Presidency from 1st October 1896, communicated with remarks to all Collectors and Deputy Commissioners, and reports from the Collectors of Anantapur and Bellary and the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, called for in connection with the subject.—Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, requested to furnish certain further information in the matter of the additional establishments required in connection with the introduction of the, into certain parts of the Ganjám and Vizagapatam districts.—Report of the Assistant Commissioner, Chatrapur Sub-division, on the subject of establishments required in connection with introduction of the, in certain parts of his sub-division, recorded.—Letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, recommending that the system of selling toddy shops separately be introduced throughout the T.T. area in his division, recorded.—Proposals for the extension of the system of selling toddy shops separately, for the enhancement of the rates of tree-tax in force in certain districts from 1st October 1896, submitted to Government.—Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, requested to expedite the report called for regarding the establishments required for guarding the Hyderabad frontier.—Letter from the Collector of Nellore stating that the separate sale of toddy shops should be extended concurrently with the extension of the, and that shops may be sold by groups where separate sale proves unsatisfactory, recorded.—Letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, furnishing certain further information called for in Board's Proceedings, Mis. No. 1901, dated 8th May 1896, recorded.—Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, requested to report correctly certain information regarding the extension of the, to the Cuddapah and Kurnool districts from 1st October 1896.—Collector of Anantapur informed that the, is not to be introduced into his district for the lease 1896–97.—Letters from the Assistant Commissioners, Nellore and Arcot Sub-divisions, submitting revised statements showing the area, population, &c., of the taluks in their sub-divisions into which the, is to be introduced from October 1896, recorded.—Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, requested with remarks to call on Mr. Platts to explain certain figures furnished in connection with the introduction of the, into the Cuddapah and Kurnool districts.—Copy of letter from the Assistant Commissioner, Masulipatam Sub-division, submitting certain statements in connection with the extension of the, into the remaining portions of the Kistna district, recorded.—Assistant Commissioner, Bellary Sub-division, requested to forward to the Board the office copy of a certain statement and a letter of the Inspector, Cuddapah Circle, giving his estimate of the number of trees likely to be tapped under the T.T. system in the Proddatur taluk.—Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, requested to inform Mr. Platts that his report on the inspection of the Anantapur Circle will be submitted to Government with a report on the matter referred to in Board's Proceedings, Mis. No. 2630, dated 24th June 1896, and called for a list showing the halts and marches made by the Assistant Commissioner in April and May last.—Government Order	

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passing orders on the Board's proposals in Board's Proceedings, No. 195, dated 21st May 1896, communicated to all Collectors except Madras and the Nilgiris and all Deputy and Assistant Commissioners.—Letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, submitting certain proposals for the abkári management of the Bellary and Anantapur districts, recorded with remarks.—Orders passed on letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, submitting proposals for guarding the Anantapur and Bellary frontiers.—Assistant Commissioner, Bellary Subdivision, requested with remark to submit the statement of the Inspector, Madanapalle Circle, furnishing figures in connection with the introduction of the, into the circle.—Letter from the Collector of Anantapur reporting on the question of introducing the, into the district, recorded.—Remarked on Mr. Platts' explanation regarding certain errors and omissions in the matter of his proposals for the additional subordinate establishment required in the Cuddapah and Kurnool districts with reference to the introduction of the, into them from 1st October 1896.—Official memorandum from Government informing that proposals for the management of the abkári revenue in the two districts should reach the Government office in print not later than the middle of February 1897, communicated to the Collectors of Anantapur and Bellary, and the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, with the request to report on the additional establishments that may be required if the tree-tax system is to be extended to the two districts.—Permission of Government to postpone the submission of proposals for the abkári management of the Bellary and Anantapur districts until early in March 1897, applied.—Letter from the Collector of Anantapur stating that special proposals for the management of abkári revenue were submitted with his office Dis. Nos. 2745 and 3726 of 1896, recorded.—Government Order extending the date to 10th March 1897, recorded.	
Working of the arrangements sanctioned for the management of the arrack revenue in the Avanigadda division during the lease beginning with the 1st October 1894.—Government Order calling for a report on the, recorded.—Government Order recording Board's Proceedings submitting report on the, recorded.	9th Jan., No. 65, Mis 1st Feb., „ 41.
Messrs. Parry and Company informed that the question of the arrangements to be made for the administration of the abkári revenue in the Kistna district for the year 1896–97 has not yet come up for consideration.—Letter from Messrs. Parry and Company, Madras, requesting the Board to give due consideration in the matter of the extension of their present lease for another three years when the matter comes before it, recorded.	9th Jan., „ 74, Mis. 29th „ „ 414, Mis.
Foreign liquor proposals for the year 1896–97.—Government Order approving the, communicated to all Collectors and the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division.	15th „ „ 10.
Proposals for the administration of arrack revenue for 1896–97.—Collector of Ganjám informed, by wire, that no orders have yet been received from Government on the,	16th „ „ 152, Mis.
Management of arrack revenue in the Masulipatam, Guntúr and Bezwada towns and in the Bandur and Répalle taluks.—Letter from the Collector of Kistna submitting a supplemental	16th „ „ 156, Mis. 7th Feb., „ 47. 13th Mar., „ 1117, Mis.

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report regarding the system of arrack administration in the Bandur taluk, communicated to the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, with the request to see that the consumption of licit liquor in the Bandur taluk is not affected by illicit practices.—Government Order sanctioning, with remarks, the proposals regarding the, communicated to the Collector of Kistna with remarks, and the Collector informed of the same by wire.—Board's Proceedings, No. 47, dated 7th February 1896, recorded by Government.—Letter from the Collector reporting that there is no necessity to enhance the rate of remuneration to the arrack shopkeepers in the Masulipatam, Guntúr and Bezwada towns and in the Bandur taluk, recorded with remarks.—Letter from the Collector recommending that the toddy-arrack system may be entirely abolished in the district except in the Munagala and Lingagiri zemindaries, recorded with remarks.—Collector of Kistna requested by wire to report with reasons whether he recommends contract or private distillery supply system in the district for 1896–97.—Proposals for the administration of the abkári revenue in the Kistna district for the lease commencing on the 1st October 1896, submitted to Government.—Letter from the Collector of Kistna submitting a statement showing the financial results of the proposals made for the management of arrack revenue in the district during 1896–97, recorded.—Remarked on the proposal of the Assistant Commissioner, Masulipatam Subdivision, submitted by the Collector of Kistna for the introduction of the private distillery supply system into the district in connection with the administration of the arrack revenue.—Telegram from the Collector regarding the introduction of the private distillery supply system into the Kistna district from 1st October 1896, recorded pending receipt of report promised.—Government requested by wire to telegraph its approval of the notice calling for tenders for the supply of arrack in the Kistna district for the next lease, submitted with Board's Proceedings, No. 220, dated 8th June 1890.—Government Order on Board's Proceedings, No. 220, dated 8th June 1896, communicated to the Collector of Kistna the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, and the Assistant Commissioner, Masulipatam Sub-division, for information and guidance, and the Deputy Commissioner requested to submit proposals for guarding the Kistna-Gódávari frontier.—Collector of Kistna requested with remark to consider the advisability of reducing the number of vend areas in the Bandur, Répalle and Bápatla taluks for the next lease and to report what rate of duty may be levied on surplus stocks of toddy-arrack in those taluks at the end of the current lease.—Government Order approving the notice calling for tenders for the supply of country spirits to the excise tracts of the Kistna district recorded.—Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, informed that a two-mile belt of country devoid of arrack shops and stills has been constituted in the Gódávari district along the Kistna-Gódávari frontier and that a special establishment for guarding the frontier will be hardly necessary at present and the Assistant Commissioner, Masulipatam Sub-division, requested to watch the frontier and see if there is much indication of smuggling.—Government Order recording Board's Proceedings, Mis. No. 4228, dated 12th October 1896, communicated to the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, with the request to submit a report on the effect of the arrangement after the close of six months.	1st April, No. 1371, Mis. 1st „ „ 1372, Mis. 13th May, „ 1994, Mis. 8th June, „ 220. 18th „ „ 2607, Mis. 8th July, „ 2830, Mis. 29th June, „ 2869, Mis. 24th July, „ 3096, Mis. 24th „ „ 295. 27th „ „ 3108, Mis. 30th „ „ 3268, Mis. 12th Oct., „ 4228, Mis. 6th Nov., „ 4692, Mis.

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Management of arrack revenue in certain districts, the arrack contracts in which expire on the 31st March 1896.—Government Order approving the proposals for the, subject to certain modifications, communicated to all Collectors and the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division.	20th Jan., No. 18.
Extension of the toddy tree-tax license fee system to additional areas in the Madras Presidency.—Government Order communicating copy of despatch from the Secretary of State for India approving the, and sanctioning the additional establishment required therefor, communicated to Deputy and Assistant Commissioners, Central and Southern Divisions.	16th ,, ,, 19.
Ganjám.—Collector's proposal to fix the minimum guarantee amounts for the arrack vend farms in the district at 10 per cent. in excess of the annual average consumption, disapproved, and the Collector requested by wire to fix them at 25 per cent. below the average consumption and stated that the sale notices should be published on the lines of the Board's general arrack sale notices and copies forwarded as usual.	24th ,, ,, 289, Mis.
Administration of arrack revenue in the South Canara and Malabar districts for the lease commencing from the 1st October 1896.—Letter from the Collector of South Canara submitting arrack and toddy proposals for the lease commencing from 1st October 1896, recorded.—Letter from the Collector of Malabar reporting on the proposals for the, recorded.—Proposals for the, submitted to Government.—Collectors of South Canara and Malabar requested to submit draft abkári sale notices for the lease commencing from 1st October 1896.—Letter from the Collector of Malabar recommending the extension of the joint arrack and toddy renting system to four more pattoms attached to British Cochin from the 1st October 1896, submitted to Government for sanction.—Government Order passing orders on the proposals made in Board's Proceedings, No. 195, dated 21st May 1896, communicated to all Collectors except Madras and the Nilgiris and all Deputy and Assistant Commissioners.—Amended abkári sale notices for the lease 1896–97 to be published in the South Canara District Gazette, submitted to Government with the request to communicate its approval of them to the Collector of South Canara by wire.—Amended abkári sale notices for the lease 1896–97 to be published in the Malabar District Gazette, submitted to Government with the request to communicate its approval to the Collector of Malabar by wire.—Government Order sanctioning the extension of the joint arrack and toddy renting system to four additional pattems attached to British Cochin, communicated to the Collector of Malabar, Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, and Assistant Commissioner, Calicut Sub-division.—Letter from the Collector of Malabar requesting early orders on the proposals made to add four more outlying pattoms of British Cochin to the list of pattoms sold under the combined arrack and toddy renting system, recorded with reference to Board's Proceedings, No. 259, dated 6th July 1896.—Government Order communicating to the Collector of Malabar by wire approval of Government of the amended abkári sale notices submitted with Board's Proceedings, Mis. No. 2775, dated 4th July 1896, recorded.—Government Order, Revenue Department, communicating	3rd Mar., ,, 838, Mis. 13th May ,, 2005, Mis. 21st ,, ,, 195. 11th June, ,, 2408, Mis. 22nd ,, ,, 237. 3rd July, ,, 250. 4th ,, ,, 2774, Mis. 4th ,, ,, 2775, Mis. 6th ,, ,, 259. 9th ,, ,, 2879, Mis. 15th ,, ,, 2997, Mis. 15th ,, ,, 2998, Mis.

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to the Collector of South Canara, by wire, approved by Government of the amended abkári sale notices submitted with Board's Proceedings, Mis. No. 2774, dated 6th July 1896, recorded.	
Changes in the administration of the arrack revenue in the Tindivanam, Villupuram and Cuddalore taluks from 1st April 1896.—The attention of the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, to the, drawn and he is requested to issue the necessary instructions for the efficient working of the forces stationed on the French frontier.	13th Mar., No. 1056, Mis.
Proposals for the management of the arrack revenue and toddy revenue for the next lease.—Collector of Gódávari requested by wire to expedite his,—Certain further information on certain portions of his, called for.—Proposals for the administration of the abkári revenue in the Gódávari district for the lease commencing from the 1st October 1896, submitted to Government.—Government Order passing orders on the, communicated to the Collector of Gódávari, Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, and Assistant Commissioner, Cocanada Sub-division, for information and guidance.	17th April, ,, 1518, Mis. 9th May, ,, 1918, Mis. 12th June, ,, 224. 24th July, ,, 296.
Scheme for the separation of the Cinchona and Botanical Department.—Government Order ordering the introduction of the, recorded.	1st June, ,, 2366, Mis.
Udipi Circle.—The transfer of certain villages from the Kota to the Coondapoor Range in the, sanctioned.	17th ,, ,, 1835, R.
Supervision and efficient administration of distilleries in the Presidency.—Government Order concurring in the Board's views that it is of great importance to obtain the services of an officer of the Inland Revenue Department in England for the, communicated to Deputy and Assistant Commissioners.	19th ,, ,, 235.
Mysore.—The Excise Commissioner requested to report when the T.T. system is to be introduced into, and into what districts.—Letter from the Excise Commissioner stating that the T.T. system will be introduced into the whole Province from 1st July 1897 if the results of preliminary enquiries on the subject appear favourable, recorded.	30th July, ,, 3189, Mis. 25th Sept., ,, 4104, Mis.
Vizagapatam. — Collector requested to state whether the reasons given by him against introducing the T.T. system into the Agency portion of the Golgonda taluk apply to certain villages.—Collector requested to report next year on the question of introducing the Madras Abkári Act I of 1886 into certain agency villages in the district.	7th Aug., ,, 3313, Mis. 12th Sept., ,, 3840, Mis.
Administration of the Indian Merchandise Marks Act IV of 1889.— Government Order communicating resolution of the Government of India issuing executive instructions for the guidance of Customs officers in the, communicated to the Collector of Sea Customs, Madras, and to the Collectors of all other Maritime districts for information and guidance.	20th Aug., ,, 332.

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Management of foreign liquor revenue during the year 1897-98.—All Collectors and the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, requested to submit their reports on the foreign liquor rules for the current year and their proposals for the,—Letter from the Collector of Coimbatore submitting proposals for the, recorded.—Letter from the Collector of Cuddapah submitting proposals for the, recorded.—Letter from the Collector of Ganjám submitting proposals for the, recorded.—Letter from the Collector of Chingleput submitting proposals for the, recorded.—Letter from the Collector of North Arcot submitting proposals for the, recorded.—Letter from the Collector of Nellore submitting proposals for the, recorded.—Letter from the Collector of South Arcot submitting proposals for the, recorded.—Letter from the Collector of Madura submitting proposals for the, recorded.—Letter from the Collector of Anantapur submitting proposals for the, recorded.—Letter from the Collector of South Canara submitting proposals for the, recorded.—Letter from the Collector of Tinnevelly submitting proposals for the, recorded.—Letter from the Collector of Salem submitting proposals for the, recorded.—Letter from the Collector of Bellary submitting proposals for the, recorded.—Letter from the Collector of Nilgiris submitting proposals for the, recorded.—Letter from the Collector of Tanjore submitting proposals for the, recorded.—Letter from the Collector of Tinnevelly submitting proposals for the, recorded.—Endorsement of the Collector of Anantapur submitting copy of letter from the Deputy Collector submitting proposals for the, recorded.—Letter from the Collector of Kurnool submitting proposals for the, recorded.—Letter from the Collector of Gódávari submitting proposals for the, recorded.—Letter from the Collector of Malabar submitting proposals for the, recorded.—Letter from the Collector of Kistna submitting proposals for the, recorded.—Letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, submitting proposals for the, recorded.—Proposals for the, submitted to Government.	15th Sept., No. 3896, Mis. 28th ,, ,, 4167, Mis. 18th Oct., ,, 4333, Mis. 16th ,, ,, 4447, Mis. 9th ,, ,, 4448, Mis. 9th ,, ,, 4449, Mis. 19th ,, ,, 4450, Mis. 20th ,, ,, 4451, Mis. 19th ,, ,, 4452, Mis. 16th ,, ,, 4453, Mis. 15th ,, ,, 4454, Mis. 12th ,, ,, 4455, Mis. 12th ,, ,, 4456, Mis. 12th ,, ,, 4457, Mis. 13th ,, ,, 4458, Mis. 26th ,, ,, 4491, Mis. 21st ,, ,, 4504, Mis 24th ,, ,, 4506, Mis. 29th ,, ,, 4525, Mis. 3rd Nov., ,, 4604, Mis. 3rd ,, ,, 4645, Mis. 2nd ,, ,, 4647, Mis. 30th Oct., ,, 4663, Mis. 22nd Nov., ,, 469.
Management of arrack revenue during the lease beginning with the 1st April 1897.—Collectors and the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, requested to submit before the 16th October 1896 their proposals for the,—Letter from the Collector of Coimbatore submitting proposals for the, recorded.—Letter from the Collector of Vizagapatam submitting proposals for the, recorded.—Letter from the Collector of Madura submitting proposals for the, recorded.—Letter from the Collector of Nellore submitting proposals for the, recorded.—Remarked on letter from the Collector of Anantapur submitting proposals for the,—Letter from the Collector of Bellary submitting proposals for the, recorded.—Letter from the Collector of Chingleput submitting proposals for the, recorded.—Letter from the Collector of Cuddapah submitting proposals for the, recorded.—Letter from the Collector of North Arcot submitting proposals for the, recorded.—Letter from the Collector of Salem submitting proposals for the, recorded.—Letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, submitting proposals for the, recorded.—Letter from the Collector of Kurnool submitting proposals for the, recorded.—Letter from the Collector of Trichinopoly submitting proposals for the, recorded.—Letter from the Collector of Nilgiris submitting proposals for the, recorded.—Letter	15th Sept., ,, 3901, Mis. 8th Oct., ,, 4271, Mis. 14th ,, ,, 4353, Mis. 19th ,, ,, 4371, Mis. 19th ,, ,, 4372, Mis. 22nd ,, ,, 4398, Mis. 12th ,, ,, 4408, Mis. 9th ,, ,, 4440, Mis. 29th Sept., ,, 4441, Mis. 8th Oct., ,, 4442, Mis. 12th ,, ,, 4443, Mis. 13th ,, ,, 4444, Mis. 16th ,, ,, 4445, Mis. 12th ,, ,, 4446, Mis. 13th ,, ,, 4458, Mis. 23rd ,, ,, 4493, Mis. 22nd ,, ,, 4505, Mis. 30th ,, ,, 4530, Mis. 20th ,, ,, 4602, Mis. 2nd Nov., ,, 4603, Mis. 28th Oct., ,, 4646, Mis. 7th Dec., ,, 488.

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from the Collector of South Arcot submitting proposals for the, recorded.—Letter from the Collector of Tinnevelly submitting proposals for the, recorded.—Endorsement of the Collector of Bellary submitting copy of Bellary Assistant Commissioner's letter reporting, recorded.—Letter from the Collector of Ganjám submitting proposals for the, recorded.—Letter from the Collector of Tanjore submitting proposals for the, recorded.—Letter from the Collector of Malabar submitting proposals for the, recorded.—Proposals for the, submitted to Government.	
Whether an arrack vend farmer may be allowed to manage his farm by an Agent appointed by Power-of-Attorney.—Orders passed on letter from the Collector of Cuddapah requesting to be informed,	10th Oct., No. 4231, Mis.
Proposals for the improvement of the administration of the revenue derived from hemp drugs in the Madras Presidency.—Government Order approving, with certain remarks, the, communicated to all Collectors and Deputy and Assistant Commissioners.	25th Nov., „ 470.
Administration of the opium revenue in the Agency tracts.—The Collectors of Ganjám and Gódávari requested to submit draft special rules for the,	30th „ „ 4962, Mis.
ADVANCES.	
Ganjám factory.—The payment of advances at a rate not exceeding Rs. 15 per garce to the manufacturers of the, for the season of 1896–97, authorised.—Board's action in Board's Proceedings, Mis. No. 23, approved by Government.	8th Jan., „ 23, Mis. 21st „ „ 291, Mis.
Surlá extension—Advances at Rs. 15 each to the manufacturers of salt in the, for season of 1896.—Government Order approving Board's Proceedings authorising the payment of, communicated to the Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, and Assistant Commissioner, Chatrapur Sub-division.	11th „ „ 234, Mis.
Polavaram factory.—Government Order sanctioning the recommendation of the Board to continue the payment of a bonus to the manufacturers in the, communicated to Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, and Assistant Commissioner, Chicacole Sub-division.	20th „ „ 24.
Adirámpatnam extension.—Assistant Commissioner, Negapatam Sub-division, requested to furnish certain information in regard to certain licensees of the, who have not paid back the advances received by them from Government.—Sanction of Government for writing off the accounts the sum of Rs. 105–11–0 being the irrecoverable balances of kudivaram advances granted to manufacturers of the, in 1889–90 and 1890–91, requested.—Government Order according sanction for writing off the accounts, communicated to Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, and Assistant Commissioner, Negapatam Sub-division.	9th Mar., „ 919, Mis. 7th Sept., „ 3763, Mis. 28th „ „ 4094, Mis.
Quarterly return of advances now submitted by the Assistant Commissioners to the Board.—Assistant Commissioners informed that Circle officers should submit to Assistant	25th Mar., „ 1300, Mis.

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Commissioners a copy of E-24 return with the fourth week's cash account and that the, should be compiled from these monthly returns and be in the same form.	
Statement from the Collector of Vizagapatam showing recoveries on account of excise advances in the district for the quarter ending 31st March 1896, recorded.	4th May, No. 1847, Mis.
Advance payment on account of excise duty on spirits.—The Manager, Arcot Sugar Works and Distilleries, informed that no, should be less than Rs. 2,000.	6th July, ,, 2858, Mis.
Bills for advances under Article No. 137 (*b*) *of the Civil Account Code.*—Circular from the Accountant-General, Madras, requesting that, may be paid only upon a certificate to the effect that the expenditure which the officer is likely to incur by reason of his transfer will not be less than the advance claimed, communicated to all Deputy and Assistant Commissioners and Inspectors of the Salt, Abkári and Customs Department for information and guidance.	21st ,, ,, 298.
A statement showing advances under Salt, Abkári and Opium for the year 1895–96, submitted to Government.	4th Aug., ,, 3251, Mis.
Nellikuppam, Atmakúru, Nandyal and Siddhavattam Circles.—Government requested to sanction permanent advances for the newly-formed, —Government Order sanctioning the permanent advances, communicated to Deputy Commissioners, Southern and Central Divisions, and Assistant Commissioners, Negapatam, Nellore and Bellary Subdivisions.	2nd Sept., ,, 3663, Mis. 28th Oct., ,, 4516, Mis.
Permanent advances for circles newly opened or to increase the same for existing circles.—Government Order sanctioning the delegation to the Board of the power to sanction, communicated to all Deputy and Assistant Commissioners.	8th Dec., ,, 494.
AGE.	
Chingleput Sub-division—Seshia Naidu, an applicant for a peon's post.—Exemption from the operation of age rules of, sanctioned.	9th Jan., ,, 136, Mis.
Haji Hussain Khan and Hussain Ali, peons in the Madura Circle.—The exemption from age-bar of, declined with remarks, and Mr. MacBride reprimanded for his carelessness and disregard of orders in employing them.—Declined to modify the order already passed in the case of Hussain Ali, late peon.	17th ,, ,, 195, Mis. 6th July, ,, 2779, Mis.
Penuguduru Circle—Ex-sepoy Naganna Raju.—The exemption of, from the age-bar in view to his employment as a peon in the, sanctioned.	8th Jan., ,, 218, Mis.
Káyalpatnam Circle.—S. Matharbutham Aiyar, Sub-Inspector, exempted from the operation of the 25 years' rule.	16th Feb., ,, 702, Mis.
K. Raman Nambiar, clerk in the office of the Assistant Commissioner, Calicut Sub-division.—The exemption of, from the operation of the 25 years' rule, sanctioned.	24th ,, ,, 815, Mis.

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S. Vaitianada Aiyar, Fourth-grade Sub-Inspector, Adirámpatnam Circle—Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, informed that the Board sees no sufficient reason to exempt, from the operation of the 25 years' rule.—Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, requested to send, before a District Surgeon and report his exact age.—Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, informed that the order already passed regarding, in Board's Proceedings, Mis. No. 830, dated 3rd March 1896, must stand.	3rd Mar., No. 830, Mis. 5th May, „ 1831, Mis. 22nd June, „ 2600, Mis.
Sarvar Khan, candidate for peon's post in the Cuddapah Circle.—Stated that, is debarred from employment by the certificate of the District Medical Officer who is the proper authority and the action of the Inspector in having forwarded the mahazarnamah direct to the Medical Board instead of through his official superiors, remarked on.	5th Mar., „ 952, Mis.
Samuel Robinson.—The exemption of, from the age-bar in view to his employment as petty officer at the Ganjám factory, sanctioned.	5th „ „ 1033, Mis.
K. Jagannatham, sixth clerk, Chicacole Assistant Commissioner's office.—Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, informed that no exemption from the 25 years' rule is necessary in the case of, as according to his horoscope his age is below 25 years.	12th „ „ 1034, Mis.
Bhimalingam.—Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, informed that, cannot be exempted from the age-bar as he resigned when he was over-age, but that he can be employed temporarily.	14th „ „ 1084, Mis.
Ramanath Sadananda Tawker.—Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, informed that the Board is not prepared to exempt, from the age-bar.	19th „ „ 1177, Mis.
S. V. Sambasiva Aiyar, Land Customs Amin, Alathur.—The exemption of, from the 25 years' rule, sanctioned.	27th „ „ 1354, Mis.
Govinda Karup.—The exemption from the 25 years' rule of, in view to his employment as a peon in the Coimbatore Circle, sanctioned.	19th April, „ 1628, Mis.
L. Raghunatha Aiyar, clerk, Correspondence Department, exempted from the operation of the 25 years' rule.	28th „ „ 1720, Mis.
Peon Rangiah of the Védáranniyam Circle, exempted from the 25 years' rule and remarked that the explanation of M.R.Ry. M. Vasudevulu Nayudu for having entertained him while he was over-aged is not satisfactory.	5th May, „ 1869, Mis.
Iyathorai Mudali, third-grade peon of the Ennore Circle, exempted from the operation of the 25 years' rule.	11th „ „ 2010, Mis.
K. Raman Nair.—Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, informed that the Board accepts the evidence proving the age of, to be below 25 years on the 23rd March 1896.	21st July, „ 3058, Mis.
Mrs. Eliza DeVesser, female searcher, Sennamangalam Chowki, Nannilam Circle.—The exemption from the age-bar of, sanctioned.	13th Aug., „ 3400, Mis.

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Mr. C. Chrohan, a Military pensioner.—The exemption from the age-bar of, in view to his employment as a bugler in the Vayalur Circle, sanctioned.	14th Aug., No. 3440, Mis.
N. Sundaram Aiyar, Head Clerk, Coimbatore Circle.—The exemption of, from the age-bar, sanctioned with remarks.	20th „ „ 3508, Mis.
Villupuram Circle.—The exemption from the age-bar of certain peons attached to the, sanctioned.	5th Sept., „ 3741, Mis.
T. Jevanna Row, exempted from the operation of age-bar ..	18th Oct., „ 4348, Mis.
Chalapaka Naidu, first-grade duffadar. — Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, informed that the Board is not prepared to exempt, from the age-bar under the circumstances stated.—Informed that the Board declines to order his retention in the service.	20th „ „ 4363, Mis. 14th Dec., „ 5206, Mis.
Venkatachellam, peon, Villupuram Circle.—The exemption of, from the operation of the 25 years' rule, sanctioned.	18th Oct., „ 4376, Mis.
Gundum Lal, exempted from the operation of the age-bar in view to his employment as a peon in the Bellary Circle.	1st Nov., „ 4574, Mis.
P. Gopala Row.—The exemption from the age-bar of, in view to his employment as a clerk in the Masulipatam Subdivision, sanctioned.	1st „ „ 4622, Mis.
Sub-Inspector Ethirajulu Naidu. — Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, informed that no exemption from the 25 years' rule is necessary in the case of, as according to his horoscope his age was below 25 years at the time of his entertainment in the department.	12th „ „ 4690, Mis.
The case of an officer whose year of birth is known but not the exact date.—Government Order directing that in, the 1st July should be treated as the date of birth, communicated to all Deputy and Assistant Commissioners and the Collector of Sea Customs, Madras, and the Superintendent of Stamps, Madras.	22nd „ „ 471.
AGENCY.	
Gódávari.—The Collector of, requested to report the number of arrack shops in the 31 agency villages in which the Abkári Act I of 1886 is in force.—Collector's proposal to constitute the 33 villages into separate agency rent areas and place them for purposes of abkári administration in charge of the agency officers, approved and submitted to Government.—Government Order approving the Collector's proposal, communicated to the Collector of Gódávari, Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, and Assistant Commissioner, Cocanada Sub-division.	9th May, „ 1918, Mis. 12th June, „ 224. 24th July, „ 296.
Parlákimedi Agency.—Telegram from the Collector of Ganjám stating that no toddy revenue is raised in the 122 villages of the, to which the provisions of the Madras Abkári Act, 1886, have been extended, recorded.	23rd June, „ 2629, Mis.
Vizagapatam.—Telegram from the Collector stating that the four agency villages in which the Abkári Act, 1886, is in force are treated as part of the Sálúru rent area for arrack	30th „ „ 2873, Mis. 7th Aug., „ 3313, Mis. 12th Sept., „ 3840, Mis.

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and toddy purposes and that the tree-tax system will be in force in them from 1st October 1896,] recorded.—Collector requested to state whether the reasons given by him against introducing the T.T. system into the agency portion of the Golgonda taluk apply to certain villages.—Collector requested to report next year on the question of introducing the Madras Abkári Act I of 1886 into certain agency villages in his district.	
Gódávari.—The Collector of, requested to forward a copy of the Chódavaramu Sub-Magistrate's judgment in a certain opium case and to submit two copies of the opium license forms in use at the time in the agency tracts of the district and the Collectors of Ganjám and Vizagapatam called on to submit copies of the opium license forms in use in the agency portions of their districts.—Letters from the Collectors of Vizagapatam and Ganjám replying to Board's Proceedings, Mis. No. 2964, dated 14th July 1896, recorded.—Letter from the District Magistrate of Gódávari forwarding copy of judgment in calendar case No. 35 of 1894 on the file of the Chódavaramu Sub-Magistrate, recorded.—Copies of Chódavaramu Sub-Magistrate's judgment in a certain opium case and of the forms of licenses issued in the agency tracts, submitted to Government with remarks, and the Collectors of Ganjám and Gódávari requested to submit draft special rules for the administration of the opium revenue in the agency tracts.	14th July, No. 2964, Mis. 8th Aug., „ 3334, Mis. 18th Sept., „ 4089, Mis. 30th Nov., „ 4962, Mis.
Vizagapatam.—Letter from the Collector of, reporting the arrack rents of the agency tracts of the district for 1896–97, recorded.	20th July, „ 3046, Mis.
Withdrawing the Abkári Act I of 1886 from certain 10 agency villages of the Gódávari district.—The Collector and Government Agent, Gódávari district, requested to explain the necessity for, and to state why the Act cannot remain in operation as it is at present.—The Collector of Gódávari informed that his suggestion that the Abkári Act I of 1886 may be withdrawn from the 10 agency villages, cannot be adopted —Collector of Gódávari informed that the Board does not approve of his proposal to withdraw Act I of 1886 from certain agency villages in the district.	18th Oct., „ 4093, Mis. 19th Nov., „ 4792, Mis. 5th Dec., „ 5150, Mis.
Concession allowed to the inhabitants of 29 villages of the Sálúru taluk bordering on the agency tracts to draw toddy from sago trees for home consumption.—The Collector of Vizagapatam requested to report whether certain villages in the Srungavarapukota and Sálúru taluks are on the slopes or at the foot of the hills and whether they contain any toddy-producing trees besides sago trees.—The, approved and Government requested to accord its sanction to it.	30th Sept., „ 4098, Mis. 12th Dec., „ 5124, Mis.
Vizagapatam.—The proposal of the Collector of, to call for tenders for the supply of opium to the agency tracts of the district for the lease 1897-98, sanctioned.	5th Nov., „ 4600, Mis.
AGREEMENT.	
Agreements to be executed by the successful bidders in the auction sales of excise salt over five years in store.—Orders passed on copy of proceedings of the Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, regarding the,	14th Dec., „ 5205, Mis.

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ALLOWANCE.	
Conveyance allowance of Rs 50 to the Head Appraiser of the Madras Custom House.—Government Order stating that an application will be made to the Government of India for the grant of a, communicated to the Collector of Sea Customs, Madras.—Government Order communicating the sanction of the Government of India subject to confirmation by the Secretary of State to the grant of a, recorded.	10th Jan., No. 5. 24th Feb., ,, 845, Mis.
Mr. Hawkins, Inspector, Coimbatore Circle.—Government requested to gazette, as having been in charge of the Assistant Commissioner's office, late Erode Sub-division, from the 28th September to the 16th October 1895 to enable him to draw the charge allowance, &c., due to an Assistant Commissioner.—The grant of house-rent and travelling allowance admissible to an Assistant Commissioner in addition to charge allowance for the period he was in charge of the Erode Sub-division, recommended to Government.—Government Order sanctioning the grant to, of charge allowance as well as house-rent and travelling allowance, communicated to Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division.	16th Jan., ,, 183, Mis 24th Feb., ,, 726, Mis. 10th Mar., ,, 1097, Mis.
Supplemental establishment pay bill of the Board's office for October 1894 on account of pay due to P. Munusawmy Naidu, forwarded to the Accountant-General for sanction and encashment.	17th Jan., ,, 194, Mis.
North Trichinopoly Circle.—Government Order sanctioning the payment of Rs. 7-11-11 being the arrears of pay due to a certain peon for December 1894 and January 1895, communicated to Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, and Assistant Commissioner, Trichinopoly Sub-division.	18th ,, ,, 223, Mis.
Nannilam Circle.—Government Order sanctioning the payment of the amount of pay due to a third-grade peon of the, for the period he was under dismissal, communicated to the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, and Assistant Commissioner, Negapatam Sub-division.	16th ,, ,, 228, Mis.
Travelling allowance drawn for a member of an office establishment but not paid in the same month.—Letter from the Accountant-General, Madras, stating how the, should be dealt with, communicated to Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, and all other Deputy and Assistant Commissioners and Inspectors for information and guidance.—The instructions issued by the Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, in regard to the redrawal of undisbursed travelling allowance refunded, approved.—Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, informed, with remarks, that the Board is not prepared to permit the redrawal on supplemental bills of travelling allowance once refunded without such bills being countersigned by controlling officers.	18th ,, ,, 116, R. 4th May, ,, 1254, Mis. 22nd June, ,, 1831, R.
Calingapatam Circle.—Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, informed of the date from which the scavenger sanctioned for the, should be paid.	22nd Jan., ,, 251, Mis.
Tellicherry Circle.—Government Order sanctioning the payment of Rs. 3-8-0 being the pay due to a second-grade peon of the, for June 1894, communicated to Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, and Assistant Commissioner, Calicut Sub-division.	24th ,, ,, 298, Mis.

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Sanction of Government solicited to the disbursement of Rs. 12-0-4 being pay due to a peon of the Káyalpatnam Circle for the period of his suspension which was subsequently cancelled by the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division.—Government Order sanctioning the disbursement of the pay, communicated to the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division.	27th Jan., No. 308, Mis. 18th Feb., „ 684, Mis.
Monthly local allowance of Rs. 15 to the Sub-Inspector and of Rs. 2 to each of the six orderlies doing duty in the Lower Palni Hills.—Sanction of Government to the grant of a, solicited. — Government Order sanctioning the grant of a, communicated to Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, and Assistant Commissioner, Trichinopoly Sub-division, for information and guidance.—The Accountant-General, Madras, requested to point out to the Treasury officer, Madura, that the sanction of the Government of India is not necessary to the grant of the,—Letter from the Accountant-General stating the Treasury officer, Madura, has been instructed to pay the local allowance, communicated to the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, and Assistant Commissioner, Tinnevelly Sub-division.	22nd Jan., „ 363, Mis. 20th Mar., „ 127. 21st Nov., „ 4853, Mis. 19th Dec., „ 5203, Mis.
Accountant M.R.Ry. Sankara Aiyar. — Government Order, Financial Department, permitting, to draw travelling allowance for his family for the journey from Madura to Trichinopoly and recording for guidance paragraph 3 of the letter from the Government of India stating the principle that should govern article 1205 of the Civil Service Regulations, communicated to the Collector of Sea Customs, Madras, the Superintendent of Stamps and to all Deputy and Assistant Commissioners for information and guidance.	28th Jan., „ 109.
Exchange compensation allowance.—The claim of Mr. Kenyon, Assistant Inspector, Tuticorin Circle, to, admitted.—The claim to, of Mr. Maybury, Inspector, South Trichinopoly Circle, disallowed.—Assistant Inspector Mr. H. E. Pooley's claim to, admitted and the submission of his bills for the arrears of the allowance to the Board for pre-audit, directed. —The claim to, of Mr. McLeod, Assistant Inspector, Karassa Circle, submitted to Government for orders.—Declined, with remarks, to reconsider the order disallowing Assistant Inspector Mr. Bickle's claim to,—Government Order admitting the claim to, of Mr. A. N. McLeod, Assistant Inspector, Karassa Circle, communicated to the Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division.—Government Order stating that the Government of India has not yet passed orders on his claim to, communicated to Mr. St. John, Acting Assistant Commissioner, Balasore Sub-division.—Memorial from Mr. C. M. Sherman to His Excellency the Viceroy and Governor-General of India regarding his claims to, submitted to Government.	3rd Feb., „ 565, Mis. 7th Mar., „ 918, Mis. 26th April, „ 1642, Mis. 1st May, „ 1762, Mis. 29th „ „ 2236, Mis. 25th June, „ 2646, Mis. 13th Aug., „ 3460, Mis. 20th Dec., „ 5237, Mis.
Government Order declaring that an officer, during casual leave, is not entitled to any kind of travelling allowance, except fixed travelling allowance or conveyance allowance, communicated to the Collector of Sea Customs, Madras, Superintendent of Stamps and to all Deputy and Assistant Commissioners.	3rd Feb., „ 55.
Travelling allowance to peons transferred from one Survey Party to another.—Government Order communicating letter from the Accountant-General, Madras, stating that the Board is competent to sanction, recorded.	6th „ „ 584, Mis.

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ALLOWANCE—*cont.*	
Mr. Ditmas.—Letter from, requesting that his furlough may be cancelled and, if necessary, converted into suspension and that he may be granted arrears of pay for the period of suspension, forwarded to the Accountant-General for transmission to Government, Revenue Department.—Certain appointments in consequence of the restoration of, to the post of Assistant Commissioner, suggested to Government.—The sanction of Government for the payment to, of the difference of pay and exchange compensation allowance for the period during which he is considered to have been under suspension pending enquiry, which suspension has been cancelled, solicited.—Government Order approving the arrangements proposed in consequence of the restoration of, to the post of Assistant Commissioner, recorded.—Government Order sanctioning the payment to, of the difference of pay and exchange compensation allowance, communicated to Mr. Ditmas for information and guidance.	12th Feb., No. 596, Mis. 20th Mar., „ 1183, Mis. 5th May, „ 1855, Mis. 28th „ „ 2403, Mis. 15th June, „ 2496, Mis.
Local allowance to the second and third grade peons employed in the Vayalur and Ennore Circles.—Sanction of Government to the grant of a, requested.—Government Order sanctioning the grant of a, communicated to Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, and Assistant Commissioner, Chingleput Sub-division.—Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, referred to paragraph 3 of Board's Proceedings, No. 66, dated 16th February 1896, regarding the grant of local allowance to certain temporary establishments in the Vayalur and Ennore Circles.	16th Feb., „ 66. 31st Mar., „ 138. 13th June, „ 2465, Mis.
Journeys made for attending Departmental examinations.—Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, informed, with remarks, that Assistant Inspectors and Sub-Inspectors who are not non-gazetted ministerial officers are entitled to draw full mileage for,	26th Feb., „ 746, Mis.
Sub-Inspector Mr. F. A. Fernandez.—Letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, requesting to obtain sanction for the grant of free passage for the wife and two children of, on account of his transfer from the Mangalore to the Calicut Circle, submitted to Government for sanction.—Government Order sanctioning the grant of the passage money, communicated to the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, and Assistant Commissioner, Calicut Sub-division.	22nd „ „ 773, Mis. 16th Mar., „ 1174, Mis.
Actual expenses.—Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, informed that there is no objection to including half the cost of carriage of tents under, but that the cost of carriage of records should not be included.	26th Feb., „ 816, Mis.
Mr. St. John.—Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, informed, with remarks, that the advance of pay applied for by, cannot be sanctioned.	5th Mar., „ 871, Mis.
Local allowance of Rs. 15 per mensem to the Sub-Inspector and of Rs. 2 to each of his orderlies employed in the Kollegal taluk of the Bhavâni Circle.—Sanction of Government to the grant of a, solicited.—Government Order sanctioning the, communicated to Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, and Assistant Commissioner, Trichinopoly Sub-division, for information and guidance.	10th „ „ 100. 18th May, „ 194.

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Halting allowance to the second clerk of the Assistant Commissioner, Calicut Sub-division, in excess of ten days during the time Mr. Fowler was holding charge of that office in addition to his duties as Acting Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division.—Sanction of Government to the grant of, solicited.—Government Order sanctioning the, communicated to Assistant Commissioner, Calicut Sub-division.	10th Mar., No. 986, Mis. 11th April, „ 1470, Mis.
Orders passed on the suggestion of Mr. Hawkins to extend to the Salt Preventive circles the practice obtaining in the Police Department regarding the preparation of pay bills of the establishment.	13th Mar., „ 1035, Mis.
M. Mahadeva Mudali, attender, Stamp Department of the Madras Deputy Collector's office.—The proposal to raise the pay of, declined to entertain.	12th „ „ 1038, Mis.
Government Order forwarding an extract from the letter from the Government of India stating that the sanction to the statement of charges required by note 1 to article 1205 of the Civil Service Regulations should be given before the officer undertakes the journey, communicated to Deputy and Assistant Commissioners for information and guidance.	16th „ „ 113.
P. S. Swaminatha Pillai, First-grade Sub-Inspector.—Sanction of Government to the payment of Rs. 481–15–10 to, being the arrears of pay due to him from 31st January to 31st August 1895, solicited, and Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, informed, with remarks, that the difference of pay due to Bakkiam Pillai cannot be borne by Government but should be recovered from the individual promoted in his place.—Letter from the Accountant-General, Madras, suggesting that the Government of India may be moved in view to article 215 of the Civil Service Regulations being amended so as to cover cases of reduction also.—submitted to Government with remarks.—Government Order sanctioning he payment of Rs. 481–15–10 to, being the arrears of pay due to him from 31st January to 31st August 1895, communicated to the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division.—Government Order addressing the Government of India in regard to the amendment of article 215 of the Civil Service Regulations so as to cover cases of reduction also, recorded.—Government Order remitting the refund of the extra amounts drawn by the officers promoted in the place of Sub-Inspector T. Bakkiam Pillai, communicated to the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, and a supplemental pay bill of the Sub-Inspector for Rs. 90 being the difference of pay due to him from the 1st March to the 1st August 1895, forwarded to the Accountant-General.	26th „ „ 1330, Mis. 6th May, „ 1884, Mis. 18th „ „ 2090, Mis. 17th June, „ 2523, Mis. 27th Sept., „ 385
Bobbili Circle.—Letter from the Inspector, replying to the audit slip of the Accountant-General, Madras, on the establishment travelling allowance bill for February 1895, recorded.	20th April, „ 1588, Mis.
Claims on account of arrears of pay or allowances.—Government Order recording a resolution of the Government of India fixing the period within which, should be investigated by the Account Department, communicated to the Collector of Sea Customs, Madras, the Superintendent of Stamps and all Deputy and Assistant Commissioners for information and guidance.	20th „ „ 172.

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Mr. V. S. F. Wilson, Inspector, Calicut Circle.—The grant of charge allowance, house-rent and travelling allowance to, for the period he was in charge of the Assistant Commissioner's office, Calicut Sub-division, without prejudice to his duties as Inspector, recommended to Government.—Government Order sanctioning the grant of the allowances to, communicated to Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, and Assistant Commissioner, Calicut Sub-division.	26th April, No. 1630, Mis. 28th May, „ 2275, Mis.
Rules by which all claims under article 1164 of the Civil Service Regulations are to be governed in future—Government Order laying down two, and requesting all officers to note the grants that are necessary to establish a claim under the article as it now stands, communicated to all Deputy and Assistant Commissioners, Collector of Sea Customs, Madras, and to the Superintendent of Stamps.—Government Order making certain amendment in the rules prescribed in paragraphs 5 and 6 of G.O., No. 196, Financial, dated 24th March 1896, governing claims under article 1164 of the Civil Service Regulations, communicated to the Collector of Sea Customs, Madras, the Superintendent of Stamps and to all Deputy and Assistant Commissioners for information and guidance.	1st „ „ 173. 15th Aug., „ 336.
Customs offices.—Information called for regarding the dates from which increases of salary to existing incumbents in, are recommended and as to whether the whole of the increase is to be given at once or by any system of instalments, submitted to Government.—Government Order, Financial Department, furnishing the Government of India with information regarding the dates from which increases to the salaries of, should take effect, communicated to the Collectors of all Maritime districts.	5th May, „ 1856, Mis. 11th July, „ 277.
Head Appraiser of the Madras Custom House.—Government Order requesting the sanction of the Government of India to reduce from Rs. 50 to Rs. 30, the local allowance granted to the, communicated to the Collector of Sea Customs, Madras.—Government Order communicating letter from the Government of India sanctioning the reduction of the local allowance granted to the, communicated to the Collector of Sea Customs, Madras.—Government Order communicating orders of the Government of India conveying sanction of the Secretary of State to the grant of a local allowance to the, communicated to the Collector of Sea Customs, Madras, and the Collectors of all other Maritime districts.—Collector of Sea Customs, Madras, informed that the Board is not prepared to address Government on the subject of granting an adequate remuneration to the, for the extra work devolved on him as Inspector of cotton mills, but that he can raise the question in connection with his reply to Board's Proceedings, No. 273, dated 15th July 1896.	7th May, „ 178. 5th June, „ 2360, Mis. 15th July, „ 273. 30th „ „ 3194, Mis.
Information as to hours of journey.—Letter from the Accountant-General, Madras, stating that, should in certain cases be noted in the gazetted officers' travelling allowance bills as in the case of establishment travelling allowance bills communicated to Assistant Commissioner, Trichinopoly, Sub-division, and all other Assistant Commissioners, Deputy Commissioners and Inspectors.	8th May, „ 1900, Mis.

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Railway fare.—Objection statement from the Accountant-General, Madras, stating that whenever, is claimed, the names of the stations as shown in the time-table should be clearly given in travelling allowance bills and that cancelled vouchers need not be attached to such bills, communicated to Deputy and Assistant Commissioners and Inspectors.	9th May, No. 1308, R.
Extra expenditure incurred on account of pay of the Process Service establishment.—The Collector of Gódávari informed that the Deputy Tahsildar of Pithápuram Division should make good the amount of,	22nd ,, ,, 2109, Mis.
Special allowance of Rs. 2 per mensem to each petty officer and peon transferred from other circles for temporary duty in the Tada Circle in connection with the efficient guarding and patrolling of the Pulicat swamp in that circle.—Sanction of Government to the grant of a, solicited.—Government Order sanctioning the grant of a, communicated to Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, and Assistant Commissioner, Chingleput Sub-division, for information and guidance.	22nd ,, ,, 2119, Mis. 11th July, ,, 281.
Instructions as to how the difference of allowance due to an officer should be drawn. — Objection statement from the Accountant-General, Madras, issuing, communicated to Deputy and Assistant Commissioners and Inspectors.	27th May, ,, 1522 R.
Mr. Mitchell.—Actual expenses of, for his journey on transfer to Machgaon Circle, sanctioned by wire.	29th ,, ,, 2225, Mis.
Government Order communicating letter from the Government of India stating that the District Forest-officer, who leaving his camp equipage returned to head-quarters and was detained on urgent business under the orders of the Collector, may be permitted to draw the allowance admissible under the article 1164 (*a*) of the Civil Service Regulations, communicated to all Deputy and Assistant Commissioners, Collector of Sea Customs, Madras, and the Superintendent of Stamps, Madras.	1st June, ,, 210.
Travelling allowance claimed for Venkatasami Naidu, pensioned havildar, for joining his appointment of Acting Sub-Inspector at Pakala.—Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, informed that the, is inadmissible as article 1192 of the Civil Service Regulations does not apply to Military pensioners.	3rd ,, ,, 2314, Mis.
Gopala Panikar, Sub-Inspector.—Sanction of Government to the disbursement of Rs. 220-11-11 being the pay due to, for certain periods, solicited.—Government Order sanctioning the disbursement of the pay, communicated to Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division.	4th ,, ,, 2325, Mis. 17th July, ,, 2991, Mis.
T. Narasimha Raghava Chari, Sayer clerk, Kandamangalam.—Sanction to the payment of arrears of pay to, for the time he was under suspension, declined.	15th June, ,, 2484, Mis.
Ramanuja Dasa Goundan, second-grade duffadar, Coimbatore Circle.—Sanction of Government to the disbursement of Rs. 112-10-4 to, being arrears of pay due to him from the 9th October 1894 to 24th October 1895, solicited, and Deputy	13th ,, ,, 2487, Mis. 22nd July, ,, 3095, Mis.

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Commissioner, Southern Division, and Assistant Commissioner, Trichinopoly Sub-division, informed that the Board disapproves of suspension being ordered in the manner referred to.—Government Order sanctioning the disbursement of Rs. 112-10-4 to, communicated to Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division.	
Morekolam Circle office.—Sanction of Government to the revision of the scale of pay allowed to the clerical establishment in the, requested. — Government Order sanctioning the proposition statement, communicated to Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, and Assistant Commissioner, Tinnevelly Sub-division.	22nd June, No. 239. 24th Aug., ,, 337.
M.R Ry. S. Chinnasawmy Aiyar, Sea Customs Superintendent, Negapatam.—Letter from the Collector of Tanjore requesting early orders on his reference regarding the payment of charge allowance to, for the period he was in charge of Port office, communicated to the Presidency Port Officer.—Letter from the Presidency Port Officer stating that the charge allowance admissible to, was sanctioned by Government and the orders communicated to him on 1st July 1895 through the Port officer at Negapatam, communicated to the Collector of Tanjore.	24th June, ,, 2615, Mis. 8th July, ,, 2815, Mis.
Stoppages of the pay of menials for unauthorised absence.—The attention of Deputy and Assistant Commissioners and Inspectors drawn to the order that, should not be treated as punishments for purposes of the Black Mark rules.—The limitations subject to which absence without leave should be treated as an offence and entered in the Defaulter book, pointed out with remarks.	6th July, ,, 2924, Mis. 7th Oct., ,, 4177, Mis.
Grant of batta to the orderlies of Inspectors and Assistant Inspectors while on circuit.—Orders passed on letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, recommending the,	30th July, ,, 3179, Mis.
Grant of acting allowance to Assistant Commissioners and Inspectors of the Salt, Abkári and Customs Department while officiating in the higher grades of their own classes.—Government requested to address the Government of India regarding the,—Government Order declining, with remarks, to address the Government of India regarding the, recorded.	30th ,, ,, 306. 7th Oct., ,, 4268, Mis.
Pay and allowances of unpassed men.—Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, referred to the Government Order communicated with Board's Proceedings, No. 329, dated 19th August 1896, regarding the,	25th Aug., ,, 3588, Mis.
Overtime allowances.—Stated that the Board considers that a gazetted officer in the position of the Second Appraiser, Sea Custom House, Madras, should not draw,	27th ,, ,, 3622, Mis.
Travelling allowance bill of the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, for July 1896, reviewed.	31st ,, ,, 3694, Mis.
Board's Proceedings, No. 172, dated 17th May 1889, directing that every officer claiming mileage should be required to state the actual expenses incurred by him and to give full information as to the necessity for travelling more than twenty miles	9th Sept., ,, 356.

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upon any day before his claim can be admitted.—Deputy and Assistant Commissioners informed that, should be held to apply only to cases in which an officer claiming mileage went out from, and returned to, head-quarters on the same day.	
Process-servers sanctioned for the Madura taluk.—Government requested to sanction the raising of the pay of the two, from Rs. 5 to Rs. 6 per mensem.—Government Order approving and transferring the proposition statement to the Financial Department, recorded.—Government Order, Financial Department, sanctioning the proposition statement, communicated to the Collector of Madura.—Government Order, Revenue Department, communicating Government Order, Financial Department, sanctioning the proposition statement, recorded.	10th Sept., No. 3818, Mis. 27th Oct., „ 4528, Mis. 3rd Nov., „ 4595, Mis. 16th „ „ 4888, Mis.
Grant of a local allowance to the peons of the Tada Circle.—Stated that the Board is not prepared to recommend the,	11th Sept., „ 3850, Mis.
M.R Ry. R. Srinivasa Aiyangar, Assistant Inspector.—Sanction of Government to allow six days' joining time to, in continuation of a certain period of sick leave, solicited.—Letter from the Accountant-General, Madras, stating that Rupees 17-10-0 recovered from, on account of transit pay and travelling allowance drawn for November 1887 may be refunded to him, and that the matter need not be submitted to Government, communicated to the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division.	11th „ „ 3860, Mis. 8th Oct., „ 3062, R.
Local allowances to officers posted to unhealthy tracts.—Reported to Government on the question of the general adoption of the principle of,	12th Sept., „ 3862, Mis.
Grant of a charge allowance of Rs. 37 per mensem to Mr. C. P. F. Fernandez, Assistant Customs officer at Mangalore, for the period he is in charge of the local Port and Customs offices.—Government [illegible] communicating Proceedings of the Marine Department sanctioning the, communicated to the Collector of South Canara for information.	15th „ „ 3908, Mis.
Rate of exchange to be provisionally adopted for the calculation of exchange compensation allowance in the budget estimates for 1897-98 *and the revised estimates for* 1896-97.—Government Order communicating letter from the Government of India intimating the, recorded.	15th „ „ 3937, Mis.
Assistant Inspectors sanctioned for T.T. work permitted to draw separately for the carriage of their office records and furniture during their tours one-third instead of one-fourth of the hire per ten miles fixed for the circle.	25th „ „ 4031, Mis.
Vanamamalai Pillai, second-grade cuffadar of the Káyalpatnam Circle.—Sanction of Government to the payment of a certain amount due to, who was reduced by the Assistant Commissioner, Tinnevelly Sub-division, but was restored by the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, on appeal and to the refund of the amount recovered from the individual who was promoted in the place of the petty officer, solicited.—Government Order directing that the course suggested by the Accountant-General regarding the payment of the difference of salary due to, and the refund to	29th „ „ 4075, Mis. 13th Nov., „ 4802, Mis.

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the acting officer of the amount recovered from him be followed, communicated to the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, for information and guidance.	
T. K. Krishna Aiyar, late Sub-Inspector. — Petition from, praying that he may be allowed travelling allowance for the journey made by him for the purpose of obtaining certificate of physical fitness for the public service, rejected.	1st Oct., No. 4096, Mis.
Increase of travelling allowance of Assistant Inspectors on T.T. work in Factory circles.—Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, informed that the Board is not prepared to address Government regarding the proposal for the,	2nd ,, ,, 4111, Mis.
Leave allowance of officers absent on privilege leave.—Circular from the Accountant-General, Madras, pointing out that it is not permissible to reduce the, with the view of providing acting allowances during the first thirty days for officers holding substantive appointments, communicated to the Collector of Sea Customs and the Superintendent of Stamps, Madras, and all Deputy and Assistant Commissioners and Inspectors for information and guidance.	10th ,, ,, 408.
An extra allowance of Rs. 2 each per mensem for the petty officers and peons temporarily transferred for T.T. work in the Kurnool and Nandyal Circles from other sub-divisions and circles.—Sanction of Government to the grant of, solicited.—Government Order sanctioning, communicated to the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, and Assistant Commissioner, Bellary Sub-division, and the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, instructed to call for a monthly return of all men in the two circles drawing the allowance.	13th ,, ,, 4232, Mis. 6th Nov., ,, 447.
Batta claimed by P. C. Ramachandra Iyer, late Second Accountant of the Stamp office, Madras.—Declined to apply to Government for the sanction of the, as the amount involved is only Rs. 4 and as there has been inordinate delay in claiming it.	15th Oct., ,, 4239, Mis.
Sanction of Government to the disbursement of Rs. 102-8-2 being the arrears of pay due to certain peons of the Villupuram Circle who were dismissed by the Assistant Commissioner, Negapatam Sub-division, but reinstated by the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, solicited.—Government Order sanctioning the disbursement of the pay, communicated to the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division.	20th ,, ,, 4356, Mis. 20th Nov., ,, 4805, Mis.
Claims of S. Mayuranada Aiyar, late Acting Assistant Inspector, Vattanam Circle, to travelling allowance and tentage allowance for December 1895 *and January* 1896.—Interference with the orders of the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, disallowing the, declined.	21st Oct., ,, 4386, Mis.
Travelling allowance and tentage bills of Mr. W. P. Enright, Assistant Inspector, for June 1893.—Government requested to issue instructions to the Accountant-General to pass the, —Government Order instructing the Accountant-General to pass the, communicated to the Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division.	29th ,, ,, 4546, Mis. 24th Nov., ,, 4881, Mis.

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Superintendents of certain ports in the Kistna, Tanjore and Madura districts.—A proposition statement in accordance with the revised scale of pay fixed for the, submitted to Government and stated that all Superintendents whose pay is Rs. 30 or over should be graded as Sub-Inspectors and Assistant Inspectors.	2nd Nov., No. 440.
Supplemental bills for arrears of pay six months' overdue.—Stated that, will not be sent up to the Accountant-General for sanction unless there are good and valid reasons for the delay and that otherwise the officer responsible for the delay will have to pay it himself.	6th „ „ 4637, Mis.
The widow of the late Chinnappa Mudali, Sub-Inspector, Madras Town Circle, informed that the Board is unable to interfere on her behalf in the matter of the Deputy Commissioner's orders directing the payment of the arrears of pay due to her late husband to her brother-in-law.	7th „ „ 4638, Mis.
M.R.Ry. Sankara Prasad Avergal of Tachanallur informed that the Board will not require the new Distillery Company at Tachanallur to pay the salary of the Distillery officer if all the buildings and arrangements are completed satisfactorily.	4th „ „ 4742, Mis.
Ports of Vizagapatam and Bimlipatam.—Government Order, Revenue Department, communicating Proceedings of the Marine Department sanctioning a special charge allowance of Rs. 60 per mensem for the period Mr. Ieely performs the duties of the Port officer and Customs Collector at the, and stating that the Collector should be called on to report how satisfactory arrangement has been made for the conduct, during the period, of the Sea Customs duties at the latter station, communicated to the Collector of Vizagapatam for early report.	25th „ „ 4927, Mis.
The Fish-curing Assistant Inspector, Ponnáni Circle, permitted to draw separately for the carriage of his office records and furniture one-third instead of one-fourth of the hire per ten miles fixed for the circle.	28th „ „ 4968, Mis.
AMINS.	
Vinukonda Circle.—The action of the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, in according sanction for the entertainment of two additional amins for the two new refineries sanctioned to be opened in the, approved.—The action of the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, in according sanction for the entertainment of an amin for a refinery in the, approved.	4th Feb., „ 479, Mis. 29th May, „ 2235, Mis.
AMMUNITION.	
Quantity of ammunition which the Board proposes to supply to Assistant Commissioners, Inspectors and Assistant Inspectors on payment for practice, reported to Government.—Government Order regarding the supply of ammunition for private practice of the officers of the Salt and Abkári Department, communicated to all Deputy and Assistant	13th June, „ 2461, Mis. 31st July, „ 3216, Mis.

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Commissioners with instructions that in submitting indents for ammunition for private practice, the item in the accounts under which the price has been credited should be reported.	
Cocanada Sub-division.—Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, requested to ascertain and report whether the ammunition required for the, cannot be kept in the magazine in charge of the East Coast Volunteers at Cocanada.—Letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, reporting that the ammunition of the, has been ordered to be kept at the armoury of the East Coast Volunteers, recorded with remark.	18th June, No. 2530, Mis. 20th Aug., „ 3502, Mis.
ANALYSIS.	
Amount of moisture in the analysis of samples of salt.—Letter from the Chemical Examiner, Madras, requesting to be furnished with certain information regarding the samples of salt sent to him by that officer, communicated to the Assistant Commissioner, Chingleput Sub-division.—Letter from the Chemical Examiner, Madras, requesting to be furnished with the results of the previous analysis of certain samples of salt, communicated to the Assistant Commissioner, Chingleput Sub-division.—Letter from the Chemical Examiner reporting on certain points regarding the, recorded.—Assistant Commissioner, Chingleput Sub-division, requested to depute a Sub-Inspector from the Covelong Circle temporarily to the Madras Salt Depôt to record particulars of the moisture found in the site of each heap stored and certain Inspectors directed to forward certain specimens of salt selected according to instructions given.	23rd Jan., „ 276, Mis. 26th Feb., „ 744, Mis. 4th May, „ 1863, Mis 25th June, „ 2667, Mis.
Chinna Ganjám factory.—Orders passed on letter from the Assistant Commissioner, Nellore Sub-division, submitting certain samples of salt from the, for analysis.—Modification of the orders already passed in the matter of sending certain samples of salt from the, to the Chemical Examiner for analysis.—Declined.	12th Aug., „ 3391, Mis. 26th „ „ 3593, Mis.
Purnadi lakium.—The Chemical Examiner, Madras, requested to return if available a portion of the sample of, referred to in his letter No. 517, dated 21st May 1896.	9th Sept., „ 3798, Mis.
Spent wash received from the Tadpatri distillery.—Letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, reporting on the tests made with the spent wash in the distillery, recorded pending receipt of the samples of spent wash.—Letter from the Chemical Examiner, Madras, reporting on the samples of, communicated to the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, with remarks.	27th „ „ 4059, Mis. 22nd Oct., „ 4397, Mis.
APPLICATION.	
M.R.Ry. A. Madaviah, Assistant Inspector of Salt and Abkári Revenue, Morekolam Circle.—Endorsement of the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, submitting petition from, applying for a clerkship in the Board's office, recorded.	5th Feb., „ 604, Mis.
Assistant Inspector M.R.Ry. A. V. Panchapagasa Aiyar.—Application of, for the vacant post of Local Fund Engineer, Tinnevelly, advertised in the *Fort St. George Gazette*, forwarded to the President, District Board, Tinnevelly.	13th Mar., „ 1061, Mis.

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Mr. Gahan.—Application from, for the post of a Deputy Collector in the Land Revenue Department, forwarded to Government.	13th April, No. 1521, Mis.
Applications to tap trees for sweet toddy.—Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, requested to withdraw an order issued by him in the matter of, and informed that his proposal to have a rule framed on the subject does not meet with Board's approval.	19th „ „ 1620, Mis.
A. Arcomoogam Pillai, Quartermaster Sergeant in the Ceylon Company, Royal Artillery, informed that his services are not required.	21st Aug., „ 3550, Mis.
M.R Ry. M. Vasudevulu Naidu, Inspector of Salt, Abkári and Customs Department.—The application of, for the post of Deputy Superintendent of Stamps and Stationery, Madras, submitted to Government.	25th Nov., „ 4871, Mis.
APPOINTMENT.	
Government Order recording, with remarks, correspondence with the Accountant-General regarding certain appointments in the Settlement Department made during the absence of M.R.Ry. T. Krishnamurti Aiyangar Avargal on furlough, recorded.	8th Jan., „ 157, Mis.
Mr. Platts.—Government Order communicating letter from the Government of Bengal declining to allow him to return to his former appointment in the Bengal Police, communicated to,	6th Feb., „ 558, Mis.
Mr. D. D. Murdoch.—Government Order, Public Department, recording, with remarks, Accountant-General's reply to the enquiry whether, may be considered to have held the permanent appointment of Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, from the 30th March to 30th July 1894, recorded.	7th Mar., „ 887, Mis.
Mr. C. Kiernander.—Letter from the Collector of Sea Customs, Madras, requesting to move Government to confirm, in his appointment as Head Appraiser of the Madras Custom House with retrospective effect and to intimate the fact to the Government of India, submitted to Government for favourable consideration and orders.—Government Order stating that, cannot be confirmed in his appointment of Head Appraiser, Madras, until the sanction of the Secretary of State for the revised scale of Customs establishment is received and that the Government of India will be addressed in view to the Bengal Government being moved to allow him a further lien on his appointment pending receipt of the said sanction, communicated to the Collector of Sea Customs, Madras.—Government Order communicating endorsement of the Government of India on its letter to the Government of Bengal requesting that, may be allowed to retain a lien on his appointment at Calcutta until the orders of the Secretary of State are received on the proposals for the revision of the Madras Customs establishment, communicated to the Collector of Sea Customs, Madras.	9th „ „ 972, Mis. 10th April, „ 1434, Mis. 8th May, „ 1922, Mis.
List of deserving petty officers, &c., selected for appointment as temporary T.T. Sub-Inspectors in the Vizagapatam and Gódávari districts during the season of 1896, submitted to	10th Mar., „ 995, Mis. 25th April, „ 1182, R. 4th May, „ 1840, Mis.

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Government for sanction.—A copy of supplemental, submitted to Government for sanction.—Government Order sanctioning the employment of the, communicated to Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division.—Government Order exempting petty officers recommended in Board's Proceedings, Routine No. 1182, communicated to Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division.	23rd May, No. 2162, Mis.
Naredla Padmanabham.—The appointment of, as acting third clerk, Karassa Circle, for three months on Rs. 15 per mensem, sanctioned with remarks.—A statement for the exemption of, from the Examination rules in view to his employment for a further period of three months as acting third clerk, Karassa Circle, on Rs. 15 per mensem, submitted to Government.—Government Order exempting, from the Examination rules from the 25th May to 25th August 1896, communicated to Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, and Assistant Commissioner, Chicacole Sub-division.—The exemption from the Examination rules of, for a further period of three months from the 25th August 1896, sanctioned with remarks.	20th Mar., „ 1236, Mis. 9th June, „ 2399, Mis. 4th July, „ 2806, Mis. 14th Sept., „ 3880, Mis.
Temporary Sub-Inspectors.—Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, requested to report the names and rank of unpassed petty officers who are otherwise fit for promotion in view to the sanction of Government being obtained to their employment as,—Government requested to approve the appointment of certain petty officers of the Southern Division as, and Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, informed with remarks that the appointment of K. V. Narayana Marar cannot be recommended.—Government Order exempting certain petty officers from the Examination rules in view to their employment as, communicated to the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division.—Government requested to approve of the appointment of petty officer P. Chathu of the Calicut Circle as a temporary Sub-Inspector.—Government Order exempting the petty officer from the Examination rules, communicated to Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, and Assistant Commissioner, Calicut Sub-division.	21st Mar., „ 1240, Mis. 1st July, „ 2729, Mis. 26th Aug., „ 3586, Mis. 25th Sept., „ 4040, Mis. 16th Oct., „ 4379, Mis.
G. Ramakrishna Rao.—The appointment of, as acting third clerk, Surlá Circle, on Rs. 15 per mensem for three months, sanctioned.	23rd Mar., „ 1258, Mis.
Gódávari district.—Sanction of Government to the entertainment of certain unpassed men as temporary sweet toddy clerks in the, during the season of 1896, solicited.—Government Order sanctioning the entertainment, communicated to the Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division.	27th „ „ 1325, Mis. 4th May, „ 1816, Mis.
New appointments sanctioned provisionally by the Secretary of State in connection with the extension of the T.T. system in October 1895.—Accountant-General, Madras, requested to state whether the, may be permanently filled up though the detailed proposition statements have not yet been sanctioned.—Accountant-General requested to favour the Board with his opinion as to how certain sub. *pro tem.* appointments can be made as suggested by him.—Letter from the Accountant-General stating that the appointment of Assistant Commissioner, second grade, provisionally sanctioned by the Secretary of State may be filled up by sub. *pro tem.* promotion from each of the lower grades and that the vacancy	15th April, „ 1496, Mis. 29th „ „ 1700, Mis. 15th May, „ 2022, Mis.

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thus caused in the last grade may be filled up by sub. *pro tem.* arrangements which may be made as regards Inspectors also, recorded.	
B. C. Kamarazu, Sub-Inspector.—Orders passed on the petition of, praying for two years' lien on his appointment or leave for that period to enable him to hold the appointment of Police Inspector.—The recommendation of the Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, to accept the resignation of, approved.—The Inspector-General of Police informed that the resignation of, has already been accepted and that the Board is not, therefore, prepared to reconsider the matter.	21st April, No. 1566, Mis. 11th June, ,, 1687, R. 14th Oct., ,, 4278, Mis.
Government Order stating that clause 3 of article 3 of Public Service notification applies to the appointment of unpassed men, not already in the service of Government, to acting vacancies on a total of pay and allowances of not more than Rs. 15 per mensem, communicated to all Deputy and Assistant Commissioners, the Collector of Sea Customs and the Superintendent of Stamps, Madras.—Government Order directing the omission of certain words in lines 2 and 3 of G.O., No. 184, Educational, dated 31st March 1896, regarding the application of article 3, clause 3 of the Public Service notification, communicated to all Deputy and Assistant Commissioners, the Collector of Sea Customs and the Superintendent of Stamps.—Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, referred to the Government Order communicated with Board's Proceedings, No. 329, dated 19th August 1896, regarding the pay and allowances of unpassed men.	29th April, ,, 171. 19th Aug., ,, 329. 25th ,, ,, 3588, Mis.
Pensioned Military men now employed in the Salt and Abkári Department.—Government Order stating that Government sees no objection to the extension of the concession of appointing deserving petty officers, &c., as temporary T.T. Sub-Inspectors to, communicated to Deputy Commissioners.	4th May, ,, 1840, Mis.
Mr. E. J. B. Chapman.—Government informed that, was appointed second-grade Inspector in the Salt Department from the 18th March 1886.—Government Order ordering that the Government of Bengal be addressed in regard to the appointment of, in the Madras Salt Department, recorded.	15th June, ,, 2500, Mis. 9th July, ,, 2875, Mis.
Mr. E. A. Barren.—Government Order communicating Proceedings of the Local and Municipal Department approving, with remarks, the appointment of, as District Board Engineer of the Nellore district, recorded.	15th June, ,, 2504, Mis.
S. Jagannatham, attender, office of the Assistant Commissioner, Chatrapur Sub-division.—The appointment of, as acting third clerk, Surlá Circle, on Rs. 15 per mensem for three months, sanctioned.	17th ,, ,, 2521, Mis.
Lien on permanent appointments.—Government Order regarding, communicated to all Deputy and Assistant Commissioners and Inspectors of Salt, Abkári and Customs Department.—Government Order, Revenue Department, regarding, recorded with reference to Board's Proceedings, No. 286, dated 18th July 1896.—Government Order informing the Accountant-General that the rule regarding the retention of three months', by officers appointed on probation to other posts does not apply to officers holding on probation higher appointments in the same office or department, recorded.	18th July, ,, 286. 8th Aug., ,, 3333, Mis. 7th Dec., ,, 495.

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Mr. E. G. King.—The appointment of, as first-grade Sub-Inspector, Negapatam Circle, approved with remarks.	1st Aug., No. 3234, Mis.
Mr. A. C. Woodhouse.—Government Order communicating sanction of the Government of India to the appointment of, as Deputy Collector subject to his passing the prescribed tests within two years, recorded.—Government requested by wire to inform the Board whether, may be retained until the toddy sales are over and Mr. A. C. Woodhouse to wire when the toddy sales will be completed.—The Superintendent in charge, Central Telegraph office, Madras, requested to get the enclosed telegram repeated.—Government Order stating that, may be retained until toddy sales are over, recorded.—Telegram from the Inspector, Villupuram Circle, reporting that the resales of toddy shops in the Cuddalore taluk will be over on certain date, recorded.	8th ,, ,, 3365, Mis. 20th ,, ,, 3494, Mis. 27th ,, ,, 3613, Mis. 24th ,, ,, 3684, Mis. 29th ,, ,, 3813, Mis.
M.R.Ry. P. Mahadevam Pantulu, Acting Sub-Magistrate, Puttangi in the Hill Agency tracts, Vizagapatam district.—The special sanction of Government to the grant of one year's lien on his permanent post to, requested.—Government Order extending the lien on his permanent appointment to one year, communicated to the Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division.	27th ,, ,, 3614, Mis. 27th Oct., ,, 4485, Mis.
Extract from telegram from Government appointing Mr. Todhunter to act as Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, communicated to Messrs. Todhunter and Fowler for information and guidance.	8th Sept., ,, 3775, Mis.
Mr. J. S. Muli Rajeru.—The appointment of, as second-grade Sub-Inspector, Cuddalore, approved with remark.	20th Oct., ,, 4359, Mis.
Syrang on Rs. 7 for the Commissioner's staff boat.—Assistant Commissioner, Masulipatam Sub-Division, requested to appoint a good and suitable, and place him in charge of the budgerow.	21st ,, ,, 4381, Mis.
Pensioned Subadar S. Venkataswami Naidu.—Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, authorised to employ, as a first-grade Sub-Inspector on probation.	1st Nov., ,, 4573, Mis.
A list of deserving petty officers, &c., selected for appointment as temporary T.T Sub-Inspectors in the Vizagapatam district from October 1896 to March 1897, submitted with remarks to Government for formal sanction.	2nd Dec., ,, 4974, Mis.
ARMS.	
Rifles.—Government Order, Judicial Department, communicating certain rulings of the Government of India regarding the importation of, under the Indian Arms Act, communicated to the Collectors of all Maritime districts.	8th Jan., ,, 3.
Refunds on arms purchased in retail by persons residing in Native States for their private use.—Statement showing the, for the quarter ending 31st December 1895, submitted to Government.—Government Order forwarding to the Government of India statement showing the, recorded.—Statement showing the, for the quarter ending 31st March 1896, submitted to Government.—Government Order forwarding	29th ,, ,, 401, Mis. 17th Feb., ,, 648, Mis. 29th April, ,, 1699, Mis. 18th May, ,, 2099, Mis. 28th July, ,, 3149, Mis. 1st Aug., ,, 3214, Mis. 14th ,, ,, 3464, Mis.

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the statement to the Government of India, recorded.—Statement showing the, for the quarter ending 30th June 1896, submitted to Government.—Revised statement showing the, for the quarter ending 30th June 1896, submitted to Government.—Government Order forwarding the statement to the Government of India, recorded.—A copy of the return showing the, for the quarter ending 30th September 1896 received from the Collector of Sea Customs, Madras, submitted to Government with remarks. — Government Order, Revenue Department, forwarding the return to the Government of India, recorded.	27th Oct., No. 4488, Mis. 12th Nov., „ 4726, Mis.
Claim of Messrs. Oakes and Company to have a nickel plated self-extracting revolver re-imported by them from London passed free of duty, submitted for the sanction of Government.—Government Order sanctioning the, communicated to the Collector of Sea Customs, Madras.	18th Feb., „ 649, Mis. 4th Mar., „ 857, Mis.
Government Order regarding passes for fire arms to certain men proceeding to India (*Confidential*).	20th „ „ 124.
Sword.—Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, informed that a Sub-Inspector on transfer may take his, with him to the circle to which he is transferred.	30th April, „ 1755, Mis.
A claim by Messrs. Oakes and Company for refund of differential duty on certain revolvers sent back to England for repair.—Letter from the Collector of Sea Customs, Madras, requesting orders in regard to, submitted for the orders of Government with the recommendation that the payment of drawback of seven-eighths of the duty may be sanctioned as a special case.—Government Order addressing the Government of India, recorded.—Government Order communicating letter from the Government of India sanctioning as a special case the grant to Messrs. Oakes and Company of a drawback of Rs. 236-4-0 being seven-eighths of the import duty paid by them on certain revolvers, communicated to the Collector of Sea Customs, Madras, for information and guidance.	9th May, „ 1926 Mis. 19th June, „ 2558, Mis. 21st July, „ 3076, Mis.
Revolvers imported by the Commandant, Madras Railway Volunteers, per S.S. "Golconda"—The Collector of Sea Customs, Madras, informed that the, may be passed free.—Decided that certain, cannot, in the circumstances now reported, be passed free of duty.	4th „ „ 2763, Mis. 3rd Aug., „ 3231, Mis.
Government arms and ammunition. — Government Order, Revenue Department, on Government Order, Judicial Department, communicating to District Magistrates, the Inspector-General of Police, and the Commissioner of Police, Madras, for information and guidance, letter from the Government of India forwarding statement giving complete information as to the distinguishing marks to be stamped upon, with a view to prevent their getting into the possession of private individuals and requesting that instructions may be issued for the prosecution of persons who may be in possession of, communicated to all Collectors for information and guidance.—Government Order communicating endorsement of the Government of India forwarding copy of a letter from the Director-General of Ordnance in India approving for future manufacturer a certain method	7th July, „ 265. 2nd Nov., „ 443. 17th Dec., „ 504.

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of making small arms and rifle calibre machine gun ammunition, communicated to all Collectors and the Collector of Sea Customs, Madras.—Government Order, Revenue Department, on Government Order, Judicial Department, communicating revised tables from the Government of India showing the marks on small arms and machine gun ammunition and the method of making Government arms, communicated to the Collector of Sea Customs, Madras, and the Collectors of other Maritime districts.	
Rifles fitted with a bayonet or sighted to a range beyond 300 *yards and extended for bonâ fide sporting purposes.*—Government Order, communicating letter from the Government of India authorising this Government to grant licenses for the importation of, communicated to the Collectors of all Maritime districts.	16th July No. 284.
B.L. Carbines.—Government requested to authorise the Inspector-General of Ordnance to supply the Board with certain, for use in the stations in the Villupuram Circle.—Government requested to authorise the Inspector-General of Ordnance to supply the Board with certain, for the use of the eight chowkies in the Kurnool district.—Government Order ordering that a letter be addressed to the Government of India for sanctioning the supply, recorded.—Reported to Government that the carbines required are B.L. smooth bore and that ammunition is also wanted for them.—Government Order informing the Government of India by wire that the carbines required are B.L. smooth and that ammunition is also wanted for them, recorded.	19th Sept., ,, 3954, Mis. 19th ,, ,, 3970, Mis. 9th Oct, ,, 4473, Mis. 27th Nov., ,, 4879, Mis. 10th Dec., ,, 5137, Mis.
Masonic swords.—Petition from Messrs. Leighton and Company regarding the importation of, referred to the Collector of Sea Customs, Madras for report.—The exemption of, from the operation of Arms Act, recommended to Government.	30th Sept., No. 4071, Mis. 4th Nov., ,, 4666, Mis.
"*Reasonable quantity*" *which an exempted person under the Arms Act may import for his own private use without an importation license.*—Government Order, Judicial Department, communicating letter from the Government of India suggesting that instructions may be issued in this Presidency directing that one non-sporting rifle per head should be held to be the, communicated to the Collector of Sea Customs, Madras, and to the Collectors of all other Maritime districts.	8th Oct., ,, 405.
ASSESSMENT.	
Cocanada.—The distribution of the Municipal assessment on the buildings occupied by the Customs and Marine Departments at, in the proportion of 7 to 3, approved.	24th Jan., ,, 347, Mis.
Madras Salt depo' premises.—The President, Madras Municipal Commission, requested to exclude from future bills for the assessment on the, a sum of Rs. 8-4-8 being the assessment due on the land occupied by the Police mortuary.—Letter from the President, Municipal Commission, Madras, stating that the annual valuation of the Salt Cotaur land has been reduced from Rs. 26,880 to Rs. 26,826, and forwarding for signature a refund voucher for Rs. 20-9-2,	13th Mar., ,, 1040, Mis. 9th July, ,, 2834, Mis. 19th Dec., ,, 5209, Mis.

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communicated to the Inspector, Madras Depôt Circle, with instructions.—Reported to Government that an assessment of Rs. 4,090-14-8 on the. is paid annually to the municipality by the Salt and Abkári Department.	
Municipal assessments on Government buildings.—Government Order regarding the grant of certificates by the Public Works officers in connection with, communicated to all Deputy and Assistant Commissioners, the Collector of Sea Customs and the Superintendent of Stamps, Madras.	17th Dec., No. 506.
ATTACHMENT.	
Attachment of salt standing in the name of the late Mattrazu Venkata Rao Pantulu.—Stated that the interpretation put upon a certain order of District Court by the Inspector of the Nizampatnam Circle having reference to the, is correct.	28th Jan., „ 446, Mis.
Attachment order in duplicate on the salary of W. Samuel, returned to the District Munsif, Cuddapah, as there is no person of that name employed in the Salt, Abkári and Customs Department.	18th July, „ 3016, Mis.
A certain attachment order against the salary of Mr. F. S. de-Souza, Assistant Inspector, Konada Circle.—Forwarded with remarks to the Inspector, Konada Circle, for recovery of the amount of,	30th „ „ 3175, Mis.
A certain attachment order against the salary of M.R.Ry. S. Venkatasa Iyer, Assistant Inspector, Bezwada Circle.—Forwarded to the Inspector, Bezwada Circle, with remarks, for recovery of the amount of,	30th „ „ 3176, Mis.
The attachment and sale by auction of the salt of certain licensees of the Covelong factory in satisfaction of the sums due from them to Government, ordered.	28th Sept., „ 4019, Mis.
ACCOUNTS.	
ORISSA.	
Statement showing the realizations under Salt in the districts of Balasore, Cuttack and Puri for the month of December 1895, forwarded to the Board of Revenue, Lower Provinces.	21st Jan., „ 226, Mis.
Miscellaneous receipts realised in Orissa.—The Secretary to the Board of Revenue, Lower Provinces, informed of the circumstances under which all, are shown under Imperial and requested to state whether any, and, if so, which of the items referred to should be shown under Provincial.—Letter from the Secretary to the Board of Revenue, Lower Provinces, stating that no distinction need be made regarding "Imperial" and "Provincial" items in the, recorded.	18th June, „ 2534, Mis. 28th July, „ 3155, Mis.
ADMINISTRATION.	
Retransfer of the administration of salt revenue in the Orissa Province to the Bengal Government.—Report on the question of the, submitted to Government.—Secretary to Government, Revenue Department, informed that the report on the question of the, is in the Press and will be despatched very shortly.—Government informed that Babu Beni Madhub	29th Sept., „ 384. 2nd Oct., „ 4125, Mis. 22nd „ „ 4393, Mis. 14th Dec., „ 507.

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ADMINISTRATION—*cont.*	
Mookerjee, one of the officers proposed to be transferred to the Bengal Government along with Orissa, has been granted leave on medical certificate up to 2nd February 1897, and that he has expressed his intention to retire from the service on that date.—Government Order directing that a certain letter be despatched to the Government of India stating that there is no objection to the Madras Salt Department severing connection with Orissa and that His Excellency the Governor in Council sees no valid reason for the retention of the factories on the eastern border of the Chilka lake under the control of that department, communicated to Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, and the Assistant Commissioners, Balasore and Chatrapur Sub-divisions.	
ADVANCES.	
Tua and Gurubai factories.—Board of Revenue, Lower Provinces, requested by wire to state if advances can be made to the mulangies of, and the Inspector, Manikpatna Circle, informed that the Bengal Board has been addressed in the matter.—Copy of telegram requesting to state if advances can be made to the mulangies of, submitted to the Board of Revenue, Lower Provinces.—Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, and Assistant Commissioner, Chatrapur Subdivision, informed by wire that the Board of Revenue, Lower Provinces, has sanctioned the grant of advances to the mulangies of the, for the current season.—Certain discrepancy noticed by it in the amount that remained to be recovered from certain mulangies of Tua at the end of the season of 1895, explained to the Board of Revenue, Lower Provinces.	20th Jan., No. 216, Mis. 21st „ „ 225, Mis. 23rd „ „ 279, Mis. 31st „ „ 4 6, Mis.
AGE.	
K. Narasimloo, Engine-driver, Manikpatna Circle, exempted from the age-bar.	26th April, „ 1663, Mis.
ALLOWANCE.	
Balasore Sub-division.—Assistant Commissioner informed that there is no objection to draw full pay for his acting fourth clerk from the 1st April 1896.	7th Aug., „ 3285, Mis.
APPOINTMENT.	
Appointment of candidates who have passed the entrance examination of the Calcutta or the Allahabad University as clerks or sub-inspectors in the Salt and Abkári Department in Orissa only.—Government Order authorising the Board of Revenue (Separate Revenue) to sanction the, communicated to the Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, and Assistant Commissioners, Balasore and Chatrapur Subdivisions.	1st Nov., „ 448.
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BACTERIOLOGY.	
Reported to Government that no bacteriological investigations are required to be made for the departments under the Separate Revenue branch of the Board.	19th Aug., „ 3481, Mis.

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BEER.	1896.
Bangalore beer.—Orders passed on letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, reporting on the consumption of, in certain parts of the division and on the probable decrease of arrack revenue in those parts.	28th Jan., No. 482, Mis.
Importation of Bangalore beer into the Presidency by M.R.Ry. A. R. Chelvaroya Mudaliar.—A report on the, submitted to Government with the recommendation that permission granted for the import may be withdrawn.—Government informed with remark that the report called for regarding the, will shortly be submitted.—Further report on the quality of the beer imported from M.R.Ry. A. R. Chelvaroya Mudaliar's brewery at Bangalore, submitted to Government.—Reminder from Government regarding the, recorded.	28th May, „ 2240, Mis. 11th Oct., „ 4300, Mis. 4th Dec., „ 5050, Mis. 23rd „ „ 5270, Mis.
BILL.	
Agriculturists' Relief Bill.—Stated in reply to a reminder from Government that the report on the, will be submitted in the Land Revenue Department.	11th Jan., „ 2441, Mis.
BOATS.	
Frontier No. II Circle.—A supplemental estimate for repairing the gig of, sanctioned with remark.	10th „ „ 123, Mis.
Budgerow of the Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division.—An estimate for renewing the hull of the, sanctioned with remarks.	15th „ „ 147, Mis.
Dredger for the Buckingham Canal.—Government Order directing the Superintending Engineer, V Circle, to take early steps to submit an indent for a, for transmission to the Director-General of Stores, India Office, for compliance, recorded.	17th „ „ 231, Mis.
Cocanada Sub-division.—The expenditure of Rs. 12-5-7 being charges incurred in raising the boat of the Assistant Commissioner which sank in the Gódávari during the storm of the 5th September 1895, sanctioned.	24th „ „ 292, Mis.
Cutter "Surprize."—Paragraphs 1 and 2 of Government Order according sanction for the sale of the, communicated with remarks to the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, and the payment to Messrs. Andrew and Company of the sum of Rs. 400 due to them, directed.—The payment of Rs. 60 for hauling up and properly covering the, sanctioned.—Government Order awaiting his explanation on certain defects and deviations in the construction of the, communicated to Mr. Hawkins with the request to submit a complete explanation without any delay.—Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, informed, with remarks, that the, should be put up to auction again and sold outright.—The explanation of Mr. B. Hawkins, submitted to Government with remarks.—Assistant Commissioner, Calicut Sub-division, requested, by wire, to suspend sale of the, until further orders.—Government informed, by wire, that the, was put up to auction in April, but that there was no bid and that it will be sold outright shortly.—Government Order requesting	29th „ „ 374, Mis. 4th Feb., „ 516, Mis. 26th Mar., „ 1301, Mis. 16th May, „ 2053, Mis. 16th „ „ 2054, Mis. 8th June, „ 2384, Mis. 6th „ „ 2388, Mis. 19th „ „ 2545, Mis. 4th Dec., „ 5104, Mis.

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to report on certain points in connection with the, referred to the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, for enquiry and full report.—A further report dealing with certain points in connection with the, submitted to Government.	
Certain boats confiscated in the salt theft cases detected by the Inspector, Védáranniyam Circle.—Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, requested to furnish certain information in regard to,—Orders passed on letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, regarding the utilisation for Government purposes of,—Letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, regarding, recorded pending further report.—Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, requested to inform Sivalingam Pillay and three others of Tóppuṭṭurai that, cannot be returned to them pending the result of the reference to be made by him to the District Magistrate.	28th Feb., No. 783, Mis. 12th June, „ 2446, Mis. 10th July, „ 2900, Mis. 2nd Sept., „ 3657, Mis.
Agency to be employed in the construction and repair of Government vessels.—Government Order communicating to officers and departments concerned resolution of the Government of India on the subject of the, recorded.	5th Mar., „ 869, Mis
Morekolam Circle.—Sanction for disposing of, by auction, the Government boat at, accorded and the report on the necessity or otherwise of a new boat to take its place, awaited.—Orders passed on letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, reporting that it is not necessary to replace the old boat of the, and that the Tindal's appointment may be done away with.	5th „ „ 934, Mis. 27th April, „ 1664, Mis.
Ponnáni Circle.—An estimate for purchasing a dug-out boat for the Pappinivattam range, sanctioned, and another for the Cochin range, returned to the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, with remark.	9th Mar., „ 950, Mis.
Government vessels.—Government Order directing the Presidency Port Officer to propose some regular system of docking, and over-hauling their machinery at fixed intervals, recorded.—Government Order, Revenue Department, communicating Proceedings of the Marine Department regarding the arrangements for docking, and for inspection of their machinery, recorded.	10th April, „ 1477, Mis. 20th June, „ 2606, Mis.
Patrol boat at Cochin.—The sale of the, sanctioned with certain remarks.—The explanation of Mr. V. Chappan Menon, Deputy Collector in charge of Erode Sub-division, regarding the irregularities in the construction of a, forwarded for explanation to Mr. P. Singaravelu Pillai.—Collector of Malabar requested to submit for the Board's approval the necessary plan, specification and estimate for a,—Collector of Malabar requested to state what reduction can be made in the estimate for, in consideration of the mast, sails and awnings not being included in it.	20th April, „ 1618, Mis. 1st June, „ 2297, Mis. 16th July, „ 2989, Mis. 10th Sept., „ 3848, Mis.
Inspection boat for service on the Védáranniyam Canal, Negapatam Sub-division.—Government Order communicating Proceedings of the Public Works Department sanctioning estimate of Rs. 1,030 for constructing, recorded.	28th April, „ 1750, Mis.

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Rajahmundry Circle.—Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, requested to furnish certain information in connection with the old boat now in the, and to report on the necessity for a fresh boat for that circle.—An estimate for constructing a second-class staff boat for the Inspector, sanctioned, and the Deputy Commissioner's action in having ordered the sale of the old boat, approved.	15th June, No. 2477, Mis. 5th Nov., „ 4580, Mis.
Budgerow required for the Assistant Commissioner, Masulipatam Sub-division.—Orders passed on letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, stating that the Superintendent, Public Works Workshops, Bezwada, wants further details before he can prepare an estimate for the,	18th June, „ 2533, Mis.
A light four-oared gig of the best quality.—The Deputy Director, Royal Indian Marine Dockyard, Calcutta, requested to inform the Board of the probable cost of building, and to state how long it would take to build her.—The Deputy Director, Royal Indian Marine Dockyard, Calcutta, requested to put in hand the construction of a gig and complete the work as early as possible.—An estimate for the construction of, approved and returned duly countersigned to the Deputy Director, Royal Indian Marine Dockyard, Calcutta, and stated that the cost can be met from the budget provision under V. Salt, Madras.—Messrs. Mackinon, Mackenzie and Company, Agents to British India Steam Navigation Company, Calcutta, informed that their offer of Rs. 150 as the freight on the gig from Calcutta to Masulipatam is accepted.	24th „ „ 2634, Mis. 7th Aug., „ 3289, Mis. 20th „ „ 3507, Mis. 20th Nov., „ 4781, Mis.
Korapuzha distillery, Calicut Circle.—Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, requested to report the purpose for which a boat is required for the use of the Assistant Inspector in charge of the.—The proposal of the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, to purchase a boat for the use of the officer, approved, and the Deputy Commissioner requested to submit an estimate for the formal sanction of the Board.	8th July, „ 2829, Mis. 2nd Oct., „ 4121, Mis.
Port boat at Masulipatam.—Collector of Kistna requested to ascertain from the Port officer the cost of making an entirely new set of sails for the,—An estimate for providing the, with sails and spars, sanctioned.	10th July, „ 2847, Mis. 13th Aug., „ 3403, Mis.
List of Government vessels.—Government Order, Revenue Department, communicating Proceedings of the Marine Department returning the, to the Presidency Port Officer for completion and resubmission, recorded.	8th July, „ 2876, Mis.
Dugarázpatnam factory. — An estimate for constructing a three-ton top boat for the, sanctioned with remarks.	10th „ „ 2892, Mis.
Mangalore Circle.—Letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, reporting that an estimate for repairing the old patrol boat of the, has been sanctioned by him, recorded.	10th „ „ 2903, Mis.
Steam launch for the Ennore Circle.—Proposals for the supply of a, submitted to Government.	28th „ „ 3156, Mis.

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Nellore Sub-division.—Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, requested to submit a list of boats in use in the, with particulars as to the use made of them in the several factories.—Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, requested to report the cost of the twelve-ton top boat proposed for the T.T. Assistant Inspector, Krishnápatnam factory.	12th Aug., No. 3388, Mis. 24th Nov., „ 4827, Mis.
A steamer being occasionally placed at the disposal of the officers of the Madras Presidency for inspection purposes.—The advantage which would be derived from, brought to the notice of Government and enquired whether a vessel could be borrowed from Calcutta or Bombay for three months or for any shorter period during the ensuing cold season so as to enable the Commissioner to visit the West Coast.—Government informed with remarks that a report on the suitability of the pearl fishery steamer for purposes of inspection will be submitted at an early date.	21st Aug., „ 3538, Mis. 29th Sept., „ 4072, Mis.
Cocanada Sub-division.—Endorsement of the Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, submitting copy of letter from the Assistant Commissioner reporting on the condition of the budgerow received from the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, recorded.	15th Aug., „ 3641, Mis.
Mangalore Circle.—The sale by auction of two patrol boats attached to the Nileshwar and Kinnigoli parties of the, sanctioned with remarks.—Letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, reporting on the necessity for two boats required for patrolling the swamps of the Nileshwar and Kinnigoli ranges of the, recorded with remark.	2nd Sept., „ 3731, Mis. 19th Nov., „ 4798, Mis.
Instructions to certain Inspectors, &c., for the supply of coal, water, &c., for the Commissioner's steam launch, issued.	17th Sept., „ 3912, Mis.
Calicut Circle.—The sale by auction of an old patrol boat belonging to the Etacheri party of the, sanctioned.	25th „ „ 4060, Mis.
Condition of boats.—Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, informed with remarks that the Board does not think it necessary to prescribe a register for reporting the,	16th Oct., „ 4344, Mis.
Loss of the Native Barque "Henrietta Elizabeth".—Government Order, Revenue Department, on Government Order, Marine Department, appointing a Court of Inquiry to investigate the circumstances connected with the, recorded.	19th „ „ 4472, Mis.
Northern Division budgerow.—Letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, requesting the Board to order the retransfer of the, to it in the event of the Masulipatam Sub-division being added to his division, recorded pending the revision of the limits of the Deputy Commissioner's charges.	6th Nov., „ 4675, Mis.
Port of Masulipatam.—Repairs to the port pinnace at the, at a cost of Rs. 12-12-0, sanctioned.	3rd Dec., „ 4990, Mis.
A *nil* statement of Government vessels constructed or repaired by private agencies during the year 1896, submitted to Government.	11th „ „ 5119, Mis.

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Estimate for constructing two punts for the use of the Pandraka factory.—Orders passed on letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, submitting,	12th Dec., No. 5180, Mis.
BOND.	
Forms of bond for the export of salt.—Letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, reporting on the advisability of altering the, recorded.	6th Jan., „ 15, Mis.
Form of indemnity bond mentioned in the notification issued under sections 9 (c) and 88 of the Sea Customs Act.—Government Solicitor, Madras, requested to be good enough to draw up a,—Letter from the Government Solicitor stating that it is not possible to prepare one form of indemnity bond to meet all possible claims in the case of goods landed under certain sections of the Sea Customs Act and delivered to the claimants, communicated to the Collector of Sea Customs, Madras.	9th Mar., „ 959, Mis. 27th April, „ 1660, Mis.
Form of security bond to be executed by the sureties of the purchasers of abkári and opium shops and farms.—Collector of Malabar informed with reference to his suggestion to amend the, that the Board does not consider it necessary to hold sureties responsible for fines imposed on abkári renters.	1st May, „ 1796, Mis.
Security bonds to be executed by the Supervisor, his Assistant and the Cashkeeper of the Stamp office.—Government requested to sanction the adoption of certain forms of,—Government Order approving the adoption of the forms of, communicated to the Superintendent of Stamps.	13th Aug., „ 3414, Mis. 7th Oct., „ 4247, Mis.
Indemnity bonds circulated with Board's Proceedings, Nos. 304 and 554, dated 11th July 1891 and 28th November 1895, respectively.—Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, informed with remarks that the, will be printed and supplied on indent to Assistant Commissioners for sale to the public.	15th Aug., „ 3446, Mis.
Transport of goods by rail from Pondicherry to Tuticorin.—A copy of form of bond as revised by the Government Solicitor for the, forwarded to the Collector of South Arcot and a form of certificate to be annexed to Rule 7 of the rules on the subject, prescribed.	16th Nov., „ 4738, Mis.
BOOKS AND PUBLICATIONS.	
A note on salt production and revenue in the Madura district, forwarded to the Editor of District Manuals for incorporation in the manual of that district.—The proof copy of chapters XII and XIII of volume II of the revised edition of the Madura Manual relating to the subjects dealt with in the Separate Revenue Department, returned to the Department of Revenue Settlement, Land Records and Agriculture with remarks.	9th Jan., „ 37, Mis. 24th Sept., „ 4005, Mis.
Periodicals.—Government Order, Revenue Department, communicating Government Order, Financial Department, directing that the alteration suggested by the Revenue Department regarding the supply of, to certain officers of that department be carried out, communicated to all Assistant Commissioners.	22nd Jan., „ 388, Mis.

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Government Servants' Manual.—Government Order making certain amendments in the, and stating that all questions relating to the manual will in future be dealt with in the Public Department, communicated to the Collector of Sea Customs, Madras, the Superintendent of Stamps, and to all Deputy and Assistant Commissioners.—Government Order directing the attention of all Government servants to the provisions of the statute law forbidding them from entering into pecuniary arrangements as an inducement to retiring from the public service and ordering the insertion of this rule in the, communicated to the Collector of Sea Customs, the Superintendent of Stamps, Madras, and to all Deputy and Assistant Commissioners.—Government Order making certain alterations in the, communicated to the Collector of Sea Customs, Madras, the Superintendent of Stamps, and to all Deputy and Assistant Commissioners for information and guidance.	22nd Jan., No. 44. 24th Feb., „ 81. 5th Mar., „ 96.
Civil Service Regulations.—Government Order stating that application will be made to the Government of India for the supply of additional copies of the, to Assistant Commissioners of Salt and Abkári Revenue, recorded.	6th Feb., „ 550, Mis.
Government Order recording letter from the Colonial Secretary, Colombo, stating that the Principal Collector of Customs, Colombo, has been instructed to furnish this Government with copies of all export returns as they may be published from time to time, recorded.	3rd „ „ 554, Mis.
Salt Commission report of 1876.—The receipt of a copy of the, forwarded by Messrs. Higginbotham and Company, acknowledged with thanks, and Deputy and Assistant Commissioners and Inspectors informed that copies of the report are now available for sale at Messrs. Higginbotham and Company, Madras.	27th „ „ 796, Mis.
Distillery Officers' Vade-Mecum.—Letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, submitting extracts from circular orders, &c., compiled by Mr. St. John to serve as the, recorded pending receipt of Government Order on Board's Proceedings, No. 573, dated 16th December 1895.	17th Mar., „ 1184, Mis.
Catalogue of books in the Board of Revenue (Separate Revenue).—Two copies of the, submitted to Government.	31st „ „ 911, R.
Coimbatore District Manual.—Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, requested to submit a memorandum on "Salt" for incorporation in the revised edition of the,—Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, requested to submit without avoidable delay the memorandum on "Salt" called for.—Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, requested to expedite the memorandum on "Salt" called for.—The proof of chapters XII and XIII of the second volume of the revised edition of the, returned with remarks to the Editor of the District Manuals.	31st „ „ 1360, Mis. 8th May, „ 1898, Mis. 18th „ „ 2037, Mis. 18th June, „ 2657, Mis.
"*Monthly Accounts of Trade and Navigation of British India.*"—Government informed that the five copies of the, now received in the Land Revenue Department of the Board, are not required in the Separate Revenue Department.—Government Order addressing the Superintendent, Government Printing, India, in regard to the supply of, to the Board of Revenue, recorded.	13th May, „ 1998, Mis. 11th June, „ 2577, Mis.

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Rules for the supply of newspapers and periodicals to Public officers.—Government Order, Revenue Department, which communicates Proceedings of the Financial Department making an addition to the, communicated to Deputy and Assistant Commissioners, the Collector of Sea Customs and the Superintendent of Stamps.	19th May, No. 193.
Permit and account books.—Collector of Tanjore informed that the Board does not consider it desirable to entrust to the abkári officers the sale of, as proposed by him.	29th „ „ 2242, Mis.
Tide tables for the port of Madras for the year 1896 (*also January* 1897).—The Chief Engineer for Irrigation requested to favour the Board with copy of the, for reference.	23rd July, „ 2745, Mis.
Introductory remarks to the Trade Volume for 1895-96.—Five copies of the, submitted to the Government of India.	16th „ „ 279.
Daily import and export list published.—The Chairman of the Chamber of Commerce requested to inform the Board whether a copy of the, can be supplied for transmission to the Reporter on Economic Products to the Government of India, and if so to supply one.—Reported to Government, Revenue Department, that the Chamber of Commerce has promised to supply every Monday copies of the, issued during the previous week.	23rd „ „ 3089, Mis. 10th Aug., „ 3370, Mis.
Letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, stating that a book has been opened and that all unsatisfactory wastages are being noted in it against the names of superior officers concerned with a view to bring forward their names to the notice of the Board when found necessary, recorded.	21st July, „ 3102, Mis.
Copies of the pamphlet containing the notifications and rules under the Sea Customs Act VIII of 1878 corrected up to 31st January 1896, distributed.	25th Aug., „ 3574, Mis
Board's Standing Orders (new edition).—The Secretary to the Commissioners of Land Revenue requested to supply four copies of the, with appendices and correction slips issued up to date for the use of the newly-formed circles.	28th „ „ 3635, Mis.
Civil Service Regulations and the Civil Account Code, Volume I, Part I.—Secretary to Government, Revenue Department, requested to supply the Board with four copies of each of the, with addenda and corrigenda issued up to date for the use of the newly-formed circles.—Government Order, Revenue Department, transferring the requisition, so far as it relates to the Civil Service Regulations, to the Financial Department and that for the Account Code to the Accountant-General, recorded.	28th „ „ 3636, Mis. 18th Sept., „ 4067, Mis.
Thorpe's Dictionary of Applied Chemistry.—The sanction of Government to the purchase of, requested.—Government informed that there is no objection to, being obtained from England through Messrs. Baker and Company.—Government Order sanctioning the purchase of, a copy of, and requesting the Financial Department to obtain the book from England, recorded.—Government Order, Financial Department, requesting Messrs. Baker and Company to supply to the Secretary, Board of Revenue (Separate Revenue) with a copy of, recorded.	9th „ „ 3808, Mis. 1st Oct., „ 4120, Mis. 24th „ „ 4500, Mis. 1st Nov., „ 4679, Mis.

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Excise report, Madras.—Government Order communicating letter from the Financial Commissioner, Punjab, requesting that the supply of the copy of the, may be discontinued, recorded.	2nd Sept., No. 3827, Mis.
Books printed in the list enclosed in G.O., No. 482, Financial, dated 14th August 1896.—Government informed that none of the, are required in this department.	19th „ „ 2867, R.
Copies of the annual volume of the sea-borne trade and navigation of the Madras Presidency for the official year 1895–96, distributed.	12th Oct., „ 410.
Periodicals supplied to the Separate Revenue Department of the Board and the offices subordinate to it.—Government informed that no reduction is feasible in the number of,	1st Nov., „ 4575, Mis.
BREWERY.	
Statement of breweries in operation in the Madras Presidency during the year 1895, submitted to Government for transmission to the Government of India.	11th Jan., „ 109, Mis.
Nilgiris.—Rose and Croun brewery at Yellanhalli.—Proceedings of the Collector granting permission to Messrs. Muni Huchanna and Company to commence operations in the, recorded.	8th „ „ 165, Mis.
BRINE.	
Calingapatam extension.—Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, requested to have a couple of trial pits sunk at the, and to report whether the brine is abundant and of good strength.—Orders passed on endorsement of the Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, submitting, with remarks, copy of letter from the Assistant Commissioner, Chicacole Sub-division, reporting on the results of the brine test made in certain pits sunk at the,—Letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, submitting, with remarks, copy of Calingapatam Inspector's explanation for neglecting to carry out the Board's orders in respect of digging certain trial brine pits in the Government extension, recorded.	5th April, „ 1451, Mis. 20th Sept., „ 3995, Mis. 7th Dec., „ 5070, Mis.
Merkanam factory.—Copy of Proceedings of the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, passing orders on the question whether brine tests should be made in the pans in the, recorded.	25th June, „ 2670, Mis.
Excavations of brine pits and removal of brine therefrom.—Orders passed on copy of Proceedings of the Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, on the question as to whether, should be treated as offences punishable under the Indian Salt Act, 1882.	20th Oct., „ 4357, Mis.
BUDGET.	
Budget estimate of charges for items under the control of the Board of Revenue (Separate Revenue) for 1896–97.—A revised statement showing the details of expenditure shown in lump against the item "Other contingencies" relating to Madras in the, submitted to Government.—Government Order, Revenue Department, communicating Government Order, Financial Department, accepting the, recorded.—Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, requested with	6th Jan., „ 2, Mis. 20th „ „ 27. 1st April, „ 1389, Mis. 18th July, „ 3008, Mis.

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remarks to furnish a revised statement showing the expenditure incurred in the purchase of licensees' stock in the Ennore and Vayalur Circles in 1895–96.—Certain transfers of budget grants for 1895–96 made by the Board among the minor heads of charges under the major head 5. Salt, communicated to the Accountant-General, Madras.	
Budget estimate of receipts under Customs for 1896–97.—Government Order, Revenue Department, communicating Government Order, Financial Department, accepting the, recorded.	8th Jan., No. 16, Mis.
Budget estimate of the Accountant-General under certain miscellaneous heads for 1896–97.—Government Order passing orders on the, recorded.	8th „ „ 68, Mis.
Budget estimates on account of compensation for the increased expenditure on Customs establishment.—Government Order, Revenue Department, on Government Order, Financial Department, accepting the, recorded.	11th „ „ 184, Mis.
Schedule of requirements for 1896–97 *on account of Imperial Civil Works.*—Government Order directing that the, be forwarded to the Government of India, Public Works Department, recorded.	15th „ „ 187, Mis.
Estimates of receipts under III. Salt, V. Excise and VII. Customs.—Accountant-General, Madras, informed of certain alterations that may be made in the, for the current and ensuing years.—Accountant-General informed of the further alterations feasible in the.—The Accountant-General, Madras, informed that the estimate of excise duty on cotton manufactures for the current year may be reduced by Rs. 1,200 and that for the ensuing year raised by the same amount.—Board's Proceedings, No. 54, dated 11th February 1896, recorded by Government.—The cause of the decrease in the salt receipts in the first two months of the current year as compared with those in the corresponding months of 1895–96, explained to the Accountant-General, Madras.—The variations under the several items of receipts under III. Salt between the budget and revised estimates and accounts for 1895–96, explained to the Accountant-General.	16th „ „ 7. 11th Feb., „ 54. 26th „ „ 743, Mis. 1st April, „ 1466, Mis. 15th July, „ 2952, Mis. 12th Sept., „ 3844, Mis.
Budget estimate of charges for 1896–97 *under "Income-tax."*—Government Order, Revenue Department, communicating Government Order, Financial Department, accepting the, communicated to all Collectors.	16th Jan., „ 16.
Budget estimates of receipts for 1896–97 *under V. Excise.*—Government Order, Revenue Department, communicating Government Order, Financial Department, accepting the, recorded.	17th „ „ 262, Mis.
Budget estimate of customs charges for 1896–97.—Government Order, Revenue Department, communicating Government Order, Financial Department, accepting the, recorded.	18th „ „ 263, Mis.
Statements showing details of charges shown in lump under "Supplies and services" and "Contingencies" in the budget for 1896–97.—Letter from the Assistant Commissioner, Trichinopoly Sub-division, enclosing, recorded.	28th „ „ 329, Mis.
Budget estimates of charges under "1 Refunds and drawbacks" and "30-D. Stationery and Printing" of the Salt and Abkári Department.—Government Order, Financial Department,	23rd „ „ 365, Mis. 28th Sept., „ 4036, Mis. 20th Nov., „ 4899, Mis.

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accepting the, recorded.—Statement shewing the, for 1897–98, submitted to Government.—Government Order approving and transferring the statement to the Financial Department recorded.—Government Order, Financial Department, accepting the, recorded.	27th Nov., No. 478.
Statement shewing the distribution under Imperial, Provincial and Local of the revenue and expenditure of the Government of Madras for the year 1894–95.—Government Order, Revenue Department, communicating Government Order, Financial Department, recording, recorded.	28th Jan., ,, 400, Mis.
Reduction of Rs. 31,090 *made by Government in the Board's budget estimate on account of works.*—Instructions issued to Deputy Commissioners in connection with the, and Deputy Commissioners, Northern and Southern Divisions, requested to report on certain points.—Instructions issued for the execution of certain works provided in the budget for 1896–97.—Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, requested to submit the estimate for constructing two latrines at the Cuddalore factory and to point out the source from which it can be sanctioned.	5th Feb., ,, 490, Mis. 20th April, ,, 1612, Mis. 9th May, ,, 1921, Mis.
Consolidated Civil estimates for 1896–97.—Government Order forwarding the, to the Government of India, recorded.	3rd Feb., ,, 541, Mis.
Budget estimate of charges for 1895–96 *under* 6. *Stamps.*—An application for additional allotment in the, submitted to Government.—Letter from the Superintendent of Stamps stating that the charges under "Stamps supplied from Central Stores" for 1895–96 may be fixed at Rs. 1,70,000 against Rs. 1,50,000 entered in the budget estimate of 1896–97, submitted to Government with remarks.	21st ,, ,, 687, Mis. 24th ,, ,, 718, Mis.
Imperial Civil Works budget estimate for 1896–97.—Government Order circulating, with remarks, to officers concerned the preliminary issue of the, recorded.—Government Order circulating with remarks, for information and guidance of officers concerned, final issue of the, recorded.	22nd ,, ,, 732, Mis. 23rd May, ,, 2254, Mis.
Surrenders and demands under Provincial for 1895–96, *West Coast Division.*—Government Order, Revenue Department, on Government Order, Public Works Department, passing orders on the statement showing the, recorded.	26th Feb., ,, 752, Mis.
Preliminary issue of the Provincial Civil Works budget for 1896–97.—Government Order, Public Works Department, circulating, with remarks, to the officers concerned the, communicated to the Collectors of Maritime districts, Superintendent of Stamps, Madras, and the Deputy Commissioners.	6th Mar., ,, 915, Mis.
Provincial accounts and appropriation report for 1894–95.—Government Order recording, with remarks, the, recorded.	10th ,, ,, 996, Mis.
Malabar.—Letter from the Collector of, reporting that Rupees 1,000 may be surrendered out of the amount provided for the district for fees to clerks for working out of office hours under 9. Customs in the budget estimates of expenditure for 1895–96, recorded.	12th ,, ,, 1066, Mis.
Government Order stating that Government is unable to agree to any of the reductions pointed out by the Accountant-General in the proposed budget grants for 1896–97, recorded.	7th ,, ,, 1068, Mis.

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Government Order, Revenue Department, on Government Order, Public Works Department, sanctioning certain modification of grants in the IV Circle, recorded.	27th Mar., No. 1351, Mis.
A modification of grants for works in the West Coast Division. — Government Order, Revenue Department, communicating Government Order, Public Works Department, sanctioning, communicated to the Collectors of South Canara and Malabar.	10th April, „ 1443, Mis.
Allotments provided for certain works in the preliminary issue of the Provincial Public Works budget for 1896–97.—Government Order enquiring whether the, may be withdrawn under the circumstances referred to, referred to the Collectors of South Canara and Malabar for remarks.—Reported to Government that the allotment provided for the construction of a warehouse at Beypore may be withdrawn as the proposed warehouse is considered unnecessary on account of the gradual decrease in the importation of salt at Beypore. — Letter from the Collector of South Canara reporting that it is not feasible to surrender the allotment in the current year's budget for the construction of a public warehouse at Mangalore, submitted to Government and stated that the provision made is likely to be required and should not be withdrawn.—Government Order, Revenue Department, transferring Board's Proceedings, Mis. No. 2527, dated 17th June 1896, transferred to the Public Works Department, recorded. — Government Order, Revenue Department, communicating Proceedings of the Public Works Department withdrawing the grant for the construction of a warehouse at Beypore and adding it to the Provincial reserve, communicated to the Collector of Malabar.	10th „ „ 1444, Mis. 4th June, „ 2335, Mis. 17th „ „ 2527, Mis. 15th July, „ 2995, Mis. 30th „ „ 3192, Mis.
Sub-divisional distribution of the lump budget grant for the Salt and Abkári Department for 1896–97. —Assistant Commissioner, Arcot Sub-division, informed that the, will be made after receipt of the printed Civil budget estimates for that year.—Assistant Commissioners, Negapatam and Chingleput Sub-divisions, informed that the, will be made after receipt of the printed Civil estimates for that year. —Assistant Commissioner, Calicut Sub-division, informed that the, will be made on receipt of the printed Civil estimates for that year.	14th April, „ 1494, Mis. 4th May, „ 1817, Mis. 22nd „ „ 2110, Mis.
Excess expenditure under "I. Refunds and drawbacks" (under "Customs" and "Assessed taxes") and under "6. Stamps" and "9. Customs."—Accountant-General requested to admit when necessary the, and to include it in the statement of excesses over grants.	18th April, „ 1541, Mis.
Re-appropriations and altered grants.— Government Order relating to, communicated to the Collectors of all Maritime districts with the request that they will furnish in future the returns called for in Board's Proceedings, No. 1231, dated 1st July 1881, for charges as well as receipts under Customs.	27th „ „ 157.
Government Order fixing the altered grants under Provincial services for 1895–96, recorded.	30th „ „ 1761, Mis.

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Provincial loans and advances.—Government Order recording a resolution of the Government of India adopting the revised estimates for 1895–96 and accepting the budget estimates for 1896–97 of the, recorded.	29th April, No. 1828, Mis.
Final issue of the Irrigation budget estimates for 1896–97 *as drawn up by the Chief Engineer for Irrigation.*—Government Order approving and forwarding to the Government of India the, recorded.	22nd May, „ 2170, Mis.
Final issue of the Provincial Civil Works budget estimate for 1896–97.—Government Order communicating Proceedings of the Public Works Department circulating, with remarks, the, for the guidance of officers concerned, and ordering copies to be forwarded to the Government of India, recorded. —Government Order recording Proceedings of the Public Works Department issuing an erratum in the Provincial Civil Works budget estimate for 1896–97, recorded.	2nd June, „ 2365, Mis. 21st Aug., „ 3647, Mis.
Estimates of revenue and expenditure of the Madras Presidency for 1896–97.—Government Order recording a letter from the Government of India passing orders on the, recorded.	1st June, „ 2413, Mis.
The system of assigning lump grants for 1 (*b*) Contingencies which are admissible without detailed audit, abolished by Government with effect from the 1st April 1897.	4th July, „ 2756, Mis.
Budget estimates.—Government Order issuing orders regarding the submission of, and drawing the attention of Secretariat Department, &c., to the rules and procedure connected therewith, recorded.	1st „ „ 2871, Mis.
Revised estimates for the current year and the budget estimate of receipts and charges under Salt for 1897–98.—Deputy and Assistant Commissioners reminded that the, should reach the Board's office not later than the 15th August 1896.	8th „ „ 2809, Mis.
Statements showing the distribution of the sanctioned estimates of customs, receipts and charges for 1896–97, circulated to all Collectors of Maritime districts.	9th „ „ 269.
Statement showing by sub-divisions, districts or offices, the distribution of the lump grant assigned for expenditure in the Salt and Abkāri Department for 1896–97, forwarded to the Accountant-General, Madras, to the Deputy and Assistant Commissioners and to Collectors.	16th „ „ 276.
Estimates of excise charges.—Collectors and the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, requested to see that the, are despatched so as to reach the Board's office by 1st September and the estimates under excise receipts by 1st October next and two blank forms for the purpose, furnished to them.	16th „ „ 2992, Mis.
Statement of demands under Provincial for incomplete works of 1895–96 *and for new works proposed to be undertaken in the current official year.*— Government Order passing orders on the, communicated to the Collectors of all Maritime districts.	18th „ „ 288.

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Budget estimate of receipts under V. Excise for the current year.—The Accountant-General, Madras, informed that the Board is not prepared to modify the, until the results of the sales of toddy shops in the Presidency is known in October next.	20th July, No. 3019, Mis.
Statement showing the distribution of allotments for each district of the estimates of receipts and charges under "Stamps" and "Income-tax" for 1896-97, communicated to all Collectors and the Superintendent of Stamps.	24th „ „ 294.
Budget estimates of receipts and charges under "Income-tax" and "Stamps" for 1897-98.—Blank forms of the, forwarded to all Collector and the Superintendent of Stamps with instructions for their preparation.	27th „ „ 3122, Mis.
Budget estimates for 1897-98 *of Sea and Land Customs and Sea-borne Trade Departments.*—Collectors of Maritime districts reminded that their, should be despatched on the 15th August 1896 and three sets of blank forms forwarded for use.	30th „ „ 3174, Mis.
Preliminary account of Provincial Services for 1895-96.—Government Order reviewing the, recorded.	26th Aug., „ 3648, Mis.
The budget estimate of charges of the Salt and Abkári Department for 1897-98, submitted to Government.	2nd Sept., „ 394.
Rate of exchange to be provisionally adopted for the calculation of exchange compensation allowance in the budget estimates for 1897-98 *and the revised estimates for* 1896-97.—Government Order communicating letter from the Government of India intimating the, recorded.	15th „ „ 3937, Mis.
Revised estimate of receipts for 1896-97 *and the budget estimate for* 1897-98 *under "Income-tax,"* submitted to Government.—Government Order, Revenue Department, approving subject to certain modification and transferring to the Financial Department the, recorded.—Government Order, Financial Department, accepting the, communicated to all Collectors.	28th „ „ 380. 1st Nov., „ 4987, Mis. 7th Dec., „ 490.
Budget estimate of customs revenue for 1897-98 *and the revised estimate for* 1896-97, submitted to Government.—A revised statement showing the figures under the detailed account No. VII-A. Sea Customs—Imports in the budget for 1897-98, submitted to Government.—Government Order, Financial Department, accepting the, recorded.	30th Sept., „ 389. 8th Dec., „ 5079, Mis. 14th „ „ 5269, Mis.
Revised estimate of receipts for 1896-97 *and the budget estimate for* 1897-98 *under "Stamps,"* submitted to Government.—Government Order, Revenue Department, approving and transferring to the Financial Department the, recorded—Government Order, Financial Department, accepting the, recorded.	30th Sept., „ 390. 11th Nov., „ 4713, Mis. 2nd Dec., „ 487.
The Board's estimate of charges under 7. Excise for 1897-98, submitted to Government.	5th Oct., „ 4137, Mis.
Bellary Sub-division—Copy of proceedings of the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, reviewing the budget estimates of the Assistant Commissioner for 1897-98, recorded.	3rd „ „ 4159, Mis.

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Revised estimate of charges for 1896-97 *and the budget estimate for* 1897-98 *under Stamps*, submitted to Government.—Letter from the Superintendent of Stamps explaining certain variations under certain heads in the, submitted to Government with remarks.—Government Order, Revenue Department, approving with certain modification and transferring to the Financial Department for sanction the, recorded.	5th Oct., No. 398. 24th Nov., ,, 4820, Mis. 27th Dec., ,, 5276, Mis.
Revised estimate of charges for 1896-97 *and the budget estimate for* 1897-98 *under "Income-tax,"* submitted to Government.—Government Order, Revenue Department, approving and transferring to the Financial Department the, recorded.—Government Order, Financial Department, accepting the, communicated to all Collectors.	5th Oct., ,, 399. 5th Dec., ,, 5089, Mis. 27th ,, ,, 514.
Nellore.—Letter from the Collector submitting the revised estimate for 1896-97 and the budget estimate for 1897-98 under V. Excise, Abkári and Opium Revenue, recorded.	8th Oct., ,, 4270, Mis.
Salem.—Letter from the Collector submitting revised estimate of receipts for 1896-97 and the budget estimate for 1897-98 under V. Excise, Abkári and Opium, recorded.	8th ,, ,, 4273, Mis.
Budget estimates for 1897-98 *and the revised estimates for* 1896-97 *of refunds and drawbacks and of charges for customs, the estimate for the registration of sea-borne trade, and the printing of the trade volume*, submitted to Government.—Certain information called for in connection with the, submitted to Government.—The necessity for a sum of Rs. 119 provided on account of night allowances in the revised estimate for the current year, reported to Government and certain certificates in respect of the, submitted to Government.	9th ,, ,, 411. 10th Nov., ,, 4651, Mis. 18th Dec., ,, 5239, Mis.
Revised estimates for 1896-97 *and the budget estimates for* 1897-98 *under V. Excise*, submitted to Government.—Government Order fixing the, at 148 lakhs and 153 lakhs, respectively, recorded.	25th Oct., ,, 429. 30th Dec., ,, 5301, Mis.
Budget estimate of revenue and receipts of the Salt Department in Madras and Orissa for 1897-98, submitted to Government.—Government Order approving and transferring to the Financial Department the, recorded.—Government Order, Financial Department, accepting the, recorded.	30th Oct., ,, 43 5. 14th Dec., ,, 5224, Mis. 19th ,, ,, 508.
Revised estimates for the current year under III. Salt, IV. Stamps, V. Excise, VII. Customs and VIII. Assessed taxes.—Accountant-General, Madras, referred to certain Board's Proceedings for information regarding the,	3rd Nov., ,, 4561, Mis.
New proposals for increase of establishments.—Pointed out to the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, and Assistant Commissioner, Negapatam Sub-division, that budget is not the proper place in which to make,	11th ,, ,, 4661, Mis.
Circular from the Accountant-General, Madras, stating that copies of estimates submitted to Government need in future be furnished to his office, recorded.	5th ,, ,, 4674, Mis.
Budget estimate of the Chemical Examiner's Department for 1897-98.—Government Order accepting the, recorded.	1st ,, ,, 4682, Mis.

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Budget estimates under Assignments and compensations for 1897–98.—Government Order accepting the, recorded.	11th Nov., No. 4708, Mis.
Statements of expenditure in excess of the budget grants in 1895–96 *submitted by the Accountant-General.*—Government Order directing transmission to the Government of India of the, and sanctioning the excess expenditure under the several Provincial and Local heads and requesting the Accountant-General to forward similar statements in print, recorded.	27th „ „ 5016, Mis.
Construction of a store-shed at the Tellicherry fish-curing yard—Letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, stating that no provision need be made in the budget for the, recorded.	7th Dec., „ 5112, Mis.
Certain unsanctioned works for which allotments have been provided in the Provincial budget.—Proceedings of the Public Works Department ordering to be held in abeyance, recorded.	10th „ „ 5118, Mis.
BUILDINGS.	
Customs godown at Negapatam.—Government Order, Revenue Department, on Government Order, Public Works Department, sanctioning, with remark, an estimate of Rs. 13,100 for constructing a, communicated to the Collector of Tanjore.—Government Order, Revenue Department, on Government Order, Public Works Department, stating that a sum of Rs. 5,000 is appropriated from the Provincial reserve for constructing a, communicated to the Collector of Tanjore.—Collector of Tanjore requested to report what progress has been made with the construction of the, and to submit a more detailed report on the falling off of the trade of the port.—Suggested to Government that the, be reduced to one-half of the proposed length for the present.—Telegraphed to the Collector of Tanjore to report if the construction of the, may be stopped altogether.—Reported to Government by wire that the Collector reports that customs godown at least one-third of size originally proposed is necessary.—Government Order inquiring by wire whether the construction of the, can be stopped altogether, recorded.—Government Order, Revenue Department, approving and transferring to the Public Works Department the proposal to construct the, at one-third of the size of the building already sanctioned, communicated to the Collector of Tanjore for information.	8th Jan., „ 34. 5th Mar., „ 912, Mis. 2nd June, „ 2280, Mis. 2nd July, „ 2751, Mis. 22nd „ „ 3063, Mis. 29th „ „ 3162, Mis. 29th „ „ 3186, Mis. 7th Aug., „ 3327, Mis.
Old Forest office building at Krishnagiri.—Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, called on to report the result of a certain reference made to the Collector of Salem regarding the,	10th Jan., „ 101, Mis.
New Custom House at Baindur.—The site proposed by the Collector for the construction of a, approved.—The Collector of South Canara requested to state what it would cost to open up a view of the mouth of the river from the present Custom House.—The Collector of South Canara informed that the proposed construction of a, may remain in abeyance for the present.	16th „ „ 178, Mis. 23rd Oct., „ 4417, Mis. 19th Dec., „ 5248, Mis.

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Coimbatore Circle.—Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, informed that the Board is not prepared to re-open the question of providing quarters at Government expense for the Inspector,	18th Jan., No. 215, Mis.
Erode.—Government Order regarding the opening of a High School at, communicated to the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, and he is requested to make arrangements for vacating the building now occupied by the Inspector, Erode Circle, as early as possible.—Assistant Commissioner, Trichinopoly Sub-division, requested to report by return of post whether the Erode Inspector's office still occupies the building in which the Assistant Commissioner's office was held at Erode.—The Director of Public Instruction informed that the Normal School building at, has not been vacated, as the Chairman of the Municipal Council has told the Inspector, Erode Circle, that it is not required by the Council.—Letter from the Director of Public Instruction stating that the Normal School building at, is required for the Town High School, communicated with remarks to the Assistant Commissioner, Trichinopoly Sub-division.—The Inspector, Erode Circle, requested to report whether the Normal School building at, has been vacated by him.—The Director of Public Instruction informed that the school building at, lately occupied by the Salt Inspector's office, has been vacated.—Orders passed on endorsement of the Assistant Commissioner, Trichinopoly Sub-division, reporting on the difficulty of getting a suitable building for the office of the Inspector, and requested to expedite the site plan and estimate for constructing quarters and office at.—Letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, stating that the High School building at, has been vacated and the Circle office removed to another building on a monthly rental of Rs. 10, recorded with remarks.	24th ,, ,, 287, Mis. 13th June, ,, 2459, Mis. 26th ,, ,, 2579, Mis. 23rd July, ,, 2223, R. 24th Aug., ,, 3557, Mis. 26th ,, ,, 3575, Mis. 25th Sept., ,, 4016, Mis. 9th Oct., ,, 4266, Mis.
Old Salt Police lines at the Dugarázpatnam Salt factory.—Government Order sanctioning the sale of the, recorded.	31st Jan., ,, 418, Mis.
Old cavalry barracks at Ránipéttai.—Copy of proceedings of the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, calling for a plan of the, showing the exact position of all the buildings and wells as they now stand and the proposed alterations and requesting the Assistant Commissioner, Arcot Sub-division, to ascertain from the Chief Engineer, Madras Railway Company, whether there is any chance of the buildings being required in connection with a proposed railway diversion, recorded.—Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, requested to submit plans of the, and rough estimates for the improvements proposed to be effected and stated that on their receipt it will be decided whether the repairs should be done by the Public Works Department or by the department itself.—Certain points in regard to the proposed alterations and conversion of the old hospital and certain blocks of the, into quarters and office for the Assistant Commissioner, Arcot Sub-division, and the Inspector, Ránipéttai Circle, suggested to the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, with the request to submit necessary estimates at an early date.	4th Feb., ,, 547, Mis. 26th April, ,, 1648, Mis. 14th Oct., ,, 4297, Mis.
Sea Customs House at Vizagapatam.—Certain information regarding the proposal to construct a new, submitted to Government with the request to issue orders for the	24th Feb., ,, 818, Mis. 31st Mar., ,, 1358, Mis. 31st ,, ,, 1373, Mis.

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preparation of plans and estimates.—Government Order, Revenue Department, transferring to the Public Works Department papers relating to the construction of a new, and directing the Collector to take early steps for the acquisition of the site required for the construction of the building, communicated to the Collector of Vizagapatam for information and guidance.—Reference from Government on a petition from certain Muhammadan residents of the Vizagapatam Municipality praying that some other spot may be selected for the erection of new building to locate the, forwarded to the Collector of Vizagapatam for early report.—Government Order, Revenue Department, communicating Government Order, Public Works Department, directing the Superintending Engineer, I Circle, to submit requisite plans and estimates for the construction of a new, recorded.—Letter from the Collector of Vizagapatam reporting that the proposed, will not interfere with the worship at the Durga, submitted to Government with remarks.—Government Order stating that the Government sees no reason to interfere on behalf of certain Muhammadan residents of Vizagapatam in the matter of their petition about the site for the proposed, recorded.—A draft notification for the acquisition of certain land required for the construction of a new, submitted to Government for approval and publication in the *Fort St. George Gazette*.—Information on certain points in connection with the construction of a new, called for from the Collector of Vizagapatam, and the Presidency Port Officer requested to state whether he will pay a monthly rent of Rs. 25 for the portion of the building to be occupied by his department and his attention called to the possibility of shifting the flagstaff close to the new Custom House.—Plans and estimate amounting to Rs. 21,100 for the construction of a new, submitted to Government.—Government Order approving and transfering to the Public Works Department the plans and estimate, communicated to the Collector of Vizagapatam.	19th April, No. 1661, Mis. 8th May, „ 1911, Mis. 29th „ „ 2264, Mis. 8th July, „ 2825, Mis. 12th Sept., „ 3866, Mis. 24th Oct., „ 4431, Mis. 25th Nov., „ 4998, Mis.
Question of constructing quarters and office for the Inspector, Calicut Circle.—Letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, stating that the, may be dropped, recorded.	20th Feb., „ 820, Mis.
Manambadi.—Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, informed that the Board is not prepared to address Government in the matter of the loan applied for by the owner of the office building at,	17th Mar., „ 1129, Mis.
Rajahmundry Circle.—The proposal of the Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, to construct quarters for the use of the Inspector and the Assistant Inspector, approved.—Three estimates for constructing officers' quarters and outhouses at Rajahmundry, sanctioned with remarks.	20th April, „ 1635, Mis. 30th Sept., „ 4101, Mis.
Construction of quarters and office for the use of the Assistant Commissioner, Cocanada Sub-division.—Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, informed that the, may lie over for the present.	26th April, „ 1671, Mis.
Ellore.—Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, requested to ascertain and report whether the building now used by the Protestant Church Mission as a school at, cannot be obtained for the use of this department.—Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, requested to submit estimates for quarters and office for the Inspector of the, Circle.	1st May, „ 1765, Mis. 18th July, „ 3026, Mis.

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BUILDINGS—*cont.*	
Quarters for Port officers.—Government Order, Revenue Department, on Government Order, Public Works Department, communicating Proceedings, Marine Department, approving the recommendation of the Presidency Port Officer regarding the preparation of plans and estimates for, at certain places and directing that further requisite steps be taken in the Public Works Department, recorded.	21st May, No. 196.
Place of Arms.—Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, requested to submit a plan showing the positions of the important buildings at Vellore adjacent to the, and to state whether a part of the building placed at the disposal of this department can be made into a residence for the Circle office.	11th June, „ 2449, Mis.
Nellikuppam.—Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, requested to report whether the Inspector can hire suitable accommodation at, at reasonable rates or whether the distillers should be required to provide such accommodation.—Assistant Commissioner, Negapatam Sub-division, requested to select a suitable site for the Inspector's quarters at,—Agreed with the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, in the matter of constructing quarters for the Distillery officers at, and informed that a Native Assistant Inspector will be posted to it.	13th July, „ 272. 19th Sept., „ 3955, Mis. 6th Nov., „ 4591, Mis.
Arni Circle.—Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, requested to consider on the spot the question of quarters for the Inspector, and ordered that the circle should, for the present, be managed from Ránipéttai.	30th July, „ 3178, Mis.
Government building known as "Grassmere".—Government requested to place at the disposal of the Salt, Abkári and Customs Department the, for the location of the Madras Town Circle Inspector's office or failing that to grant it the piece of land in what was formerly the Women and Children Hospital grounds, offered to the Eurasian and Anglo-Indian Association if the association does not require it.—Government Order authorising the temporary hire of a private building for the office of the Inspector, Madras Town Circle, until the, becomes available and instructions for the occupation of premises No. 4, Marshall's road, Egmore, rented by the Board for the purpose, issued.	15th Aug., „ 3448, Mis. 4th Nov., „ 4986, Mis.
Vinukonda Circle.—Government Order stating that a certain jail buildings at Guntúr may be utilised for the office of the Assistant Inspector and sanctioning an office-rent of Rs. 5 per mensem till the buildings become available, communicated with remarks to the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, and the Assistant Commissioner, Masulipatam Sub-division.	19th Aug., „ 3539, Mis.
Mangalore and Taikadpara fish-curing yards.—Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, requested to furnish certain information in regard to the buildings proposed to be bought for the,	2nd Sept., „ 3674, Mis.
Quarters for the Distillery officer at Rénigunta.—The distillers warned that their license will be suspended if they do not complete the, before the 15th October next.	11th „ „ 3837, Mis.

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Quarters for two officers of the Ránipéttai distillery.—Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, requested to report what steps have been taken by the distillers for providing,	14th Oct., No 4284, Mis.
Railway bungalow at Nandyal proposed to be used as a combined office and residence for the Inspector, Nandyal Circle.—Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, requested to furnish certain information in regard to a,	3rd Nov., „ 4567, Mis.
Assistant Inspector's quarters at Jagannaikpur.—Letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, stating that the matter of constructing, may lie over pending the Commissioner's inspection of the factory, recorded.	7th „ „ 4614, Mis.
Srtrilläputtúr Circle.—Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, requested to furnish certain information in connection with the construction of quarters and office for the Inspector.	11th „ „ 4669, Mis.
Aska Circle.—Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, informed that the question of constructing quarters for the, may lie over for the present.	19th „ „ 4797, Mis.
Purchase or construction of residences for Government officials.—Government Order transferring to the Public Works Department Proceedings of the Board of Revenue requesting to be informed of the orders passed by Government on Board's Proceedings, No. 395, dated 20th August 1895, in connection with the, recorded.	18th Dec., „ 5222, Mis.
BOATS.	
ORISSA.	
Manikpatna Circle.—Endorsement of the Board of Revenue, Lower Provinces, conveying the sanction of the Bengal Government to the construction or purchase of a cutter for the use of the Inspector, and stating the proposal to construct two more cutters should lie over pending the orders of the Government of India on the proposed retransfer of the salt administration in Orissa from the control of the Madras Government to that of Bengal, communicated to the Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, for information and guidance.—Letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, reporting about the establishment required for the cutters proposed for the Assistant Inspectors, Basudebpur and Machgaon Circles, recorded.—The Port officer, Masulipatam, requested to favour the Board with a plan and specification, &c., of the customs boat now at Masulipatam.—The Port officer, Masulipatam, requested to furnish certain information in connection with the customs boat now at Masulipatam.—The sale of the Cutter *Helen* at Cuttack instead of at Manikpatna, sanctioned.—Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, requested to report whether the Inspector, Manikpatna Circle, can manage with the Cutter *Helen* for a little longer.—Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, requested to state whether a country boat cannot be hired by the Inspector, for the current season in place of the Cutter *Helen*.—Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, requested to make the necessary arrangements for carrying on the work of, by a hired country boat instead of a new cutter for this season.	7th Jan., „ 13, Mis. 22nd „ „ 259, Mis. 6th May, „ 1861, Mis. 29th „ „ 2206, Mis. 29th June, „ 2688, Mis. 14th Aug., „ 3426, Mis. 7th Oct., „ 4216, Mis. 17th Nov., „ 4758, Mis.

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BOATS—*cont.*	
ORISSA—*cont.*	
Steam Launch "Uriya," Manikpatna Circle.—An estimate for repairing the, sanctioned, and the Assistant Commissioner, Balasore Sub-division, informed by wire to make the necessary payment to the Jobra Workshops.—Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, informed that the, is useless at Satpara and orders on the question of her disposal or retention for service in the Kendrapara Circle deferred pending receipt of a further report from him.—Assistant Commissioner, Balasore Sub-division, requested by wire to state whether the, will be fit for use on execution of the proposed repairs and whether she can be taken to Kendrapara this season.—An expenditure of Rs. 190 for repairing the, at the Jobra Workshops, sanctioned, and her transfer to the Kendrapara Circle, approved, and Assistant Commissioner, Balasore Sub-division, requested by wire to proceed with the work and get her to Kendrapara as soon possible.	15th Jan., No. 145, Mis. 25th Mar., „ 1291, Mis. 29th Oct., „ 4539, Mis. 7th Nov., „ 4601, Mis.
Steam Launch "Beatrice."—Endorsement of the Board of Revenue, Lower Provinces, conveying the sanction of the Bengal Government to send the, now attached to the Kendrapara Circle to Calcutta to be disposed of to the best advantage, communicated to the Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division.—A supplemental estimate on actuals for Rs. 2-7-10 for painting the, of the Kendrapara Circle, sanctioned.—Assistant Commissioner, Balasore Sub-division, informed by wire that the offer of Rs. 650 for the, may be accepted and requested to dispense with the services of the establishment sanctioned for the launch and to report the date on which this is done.	4th Feb., „ 514, Mis. 19th April, „ 1615, Mis. 30th „ „ 1758, Mis.
Kendrapara Circle.—The sale of the old, kistee of the, sanctioned.	13th Mar., „ 1094, Mis.
Supplies required and works to be executed by the dockyard for the year 1897-98.—Letter from the Deputy Director, Royal Indian Marine Dockyard, Calcutta, requesting information as to the, communicated to the Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, and Assistant Commissioners, Balasore and Chatrapur Sub-divisions.—The Deputy Director of the Royal Indian Marine Dockyard, Calcutta, informed no works will have to be executed at, nor supplies obtained from the dockyard during the year 1897-98.	18th April, „ 1542, Mis. 18th May, „ 2040, Mis.
Statements submitted by the Assistant Commissioner, Chatrapur Sub-division, showing the cost of maintenance and earnings of the Steam Launch *Uriya* during 1895-96, reviewed.—A detailed statement and an abstract for the year 1895-96 relating to the maintenance and upkeep of Government Steam Launches *Uriya* and *Beatrice*, forwarded to the Secretary to the Board of Revenue, Lower Provinces.—Statements submitted by the Assistant Commissioner, Balasore Sub-division, showing the cost of maintenance and earnings of the Steam Launch *Beatrice* during 1895-96, reviewed.—Letter from the Board of Revenue, Lower Provinces, requesting to forward revised statements, communicated to the Assistant Commissioners, Balasore and Chatrapur Sub-divisions, and remarked on the reply from the Assistant Commissioner, Balasore Sub-division, in	16th „ „ 2028, Mis 22nd „ „ 2103, Mis. 22nd „ „ 2104, Mis. 25th June, „ 2479, Mis. 27th July, „ 3107, Mis.

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ORISSA—*cont.*	
connection with the Launch *Uriya*.—Revised detailed and abstract statements, forwarded with remarks to the Board of Revenue, Lower Provinces.	
Balasore Circle.—An estimate for repairing the country kistee of Party No. IV, sanctioned.	21st Sept., No. 4010, Mis.
Machgaon Circle.—An estimate for repairing the jolly boat *Alice* of the, sanctioned.	23rd Oct., „ 4437, Mis.
Kendrapara Circle.—An estimate for repairing three country kistees of the, sanctioned.	6th Nov., „ 4621, Mis.
Cutter "Ada" of the Assistant Commissioner, Balasore Sub-division.—An estimate for repairing the, sanctioned.	19th „ „ 4855, Mis.
Machgaon Circle.—Three estimates for repairing the Cutter *Kathlem* and the jolly boats and kistees of the, sanctioned with remarks.	24th Dec., „ 5254, Mis.
Balasore Circle.—An estimate for repairing two English-built party patrol boats of the, sanctioned with remarks.	27th „ „ 5281, Mis.
BUDGET.	
The revised estimate of salt revenue for Orissa for 1896–97 and the budget estimate for 1897–98, forwarded to the Board of Revenue, Lower Provinces.	28th Sept., „ 379.
Balasore Sub-division.—Copy of letter from the Assistant Commissioner, and the further remarks of the Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, thereon in connection with the budget estimate of charges for that sub-division for 1897–98, recorded.	8th Oct., „ 4291, Mis.
BUILDINGS.	
Free quarters for clerks and peons attached to the salt circles in Orissa.—Endorsement of the Board of Revenue, Lower Provinces, forwarding copy of Bengal Government Order on certain proposals regarding the construction of, and for the exemption of certain officers from payment of rent on quarters constructed for their use at Government expense, communicated with remarks to Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division.—Orders passed on the proposal of the Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, to construct quarters for the clerks employed in certain circles in Orissa.—Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, informed with remarks that the proposal to acquire certain land at Panchpara should lie over pending the settlement of the question of the transfer of Orissa to Bengal.	18th Jan., „ 214, Mis. 15th June, „ 2476, Mis. 10th Aug., „ 3348, Mis.
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CANAL.	
Védáranniyam canal.—Endorsement of the Chief Engineer for Irrigation forwarding a copy of letter from the Superintending Engineer, V Circle, informing him of the action taken regarding the bad state of the, communicated to the	8th Jan., „ 46, Mis. 15th „ „ 224, Mis. 27th Nov., „ 4983, Mis.

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CANAL—*cont.*	
Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division.—Letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, submitting for information copy of letter from the Superintending Engineer, V Circle, requesting to be furnished at the end of every month with a detailed list showing the number of boats that have grounded in the, recorded.—Government Order sanctioning, with remarks, an estimate amounting to Rs. 27,183 for cleaning the, recorded.	
Buckingham canal.—Government Order sanctioning an estimate of Rs. 12,600 for constructing flood gates across the Vayalur salt channel at its junction with the, communicated to Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, and Assistant Commissioner, Chingleput Sub-division.	28th Jan., No. 328, Mis.
Closure of canals in the II Circle.—Government Order ordering that a notification directing the, for certain periods be published in the *Fort St. George Gazette*, recorded.—Government Order ordering that a revised notification stating that the canals of the Gódávari district will be closed for specific periods in 1896, be published in the Fort St. George, the Gódávari and Kistna District Gazettes, recorded.	4th Feb., ,, 508, Mis. 7th Mar., ,, 939, Mis.
Navigable canal to the Pandraka salt factory.—Government Order, Public Works Department, sanctioning, with remarks, estimate of Rs. 5,980 for excavating a, communicated to the Collector of Kistna, Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, and Assistant Commissioner, Masulipatam Sub-division.	6th May, ,, 1905, Mis.
CASH.	
Boxes containing cash or other valuables.—Instructions as to the way in which, should be secured in future, issued.	15th Jan., ,, 14.
CEMETERY.	
Government Order, Revenue Department, communicating, for necessary action and report, Proceedings of the Marine Department transferring Ecclesiastical Government Order regarding cemeteries, forwarded to the Collector of Ganjám.	14th Nov., ,, 4747, Mis.
CERTIFICATE.	
Health certificate.—Letter from the Surgeon-General with the Government of Madras stating that he agrees with the Board in thinking that the question whether a candidate for an appointment in Government service on less than Rs. 50 per mensem requiring a, can or cannot conveniently appear before a commissioned medical officer is one for the decision of the departmental officer applying for the certificate on behalf of such candidate, communicated to Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, for information.	7th Feb., ,, 49.
Invaliding certificates in cases of leprosy.—Government Order regarding the grant of, communicated to the Collector of Sea Customs and the Superintendent of Stamps, Madras, and all Deputy and Assistant Commissioners for information and guidance.	19th Aug., ,, 333.

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CERTIFICATE—*cont.*	1896.
Certificates of unfitness for further service. — Government Order fixing the class of medical officers who are alone authorised to grant, communicated to the Collector of Sea Customs, Madras, Superintendent of Stamps, Madras, and all Deputy and Assistant Commissioners for information and guidance.	19th Aug., No. 333.
A form of certificate to be submitted in connection with the order that the officers of the department holding appointments in any factory circle in which their relatives are employed in any capacity by the excise licensees or salt traders should not be allowed to continue in such circles prescribed.	6th Nov., „ 451.
Invaliding certificate of P. Narayanasamy Mudali, pressman in the office of the Board of Revenue (Separate Revenue).— Forwarded to the Surgeon-General with the Government of Madras for favour of his countersignature and early return.	18th „ „ 4751, Mis.
Municipal assessments on Government buildings.—Government Order regarding the grant of certificates by the Public Works officers in connection with, communicated to all Deputy and Assistant Commissioners, the Collector of Sea Customs and the Superintendent of Stamps, Madras.	17th Dec., „ 506.
CESS.	
Rates of cess to be levied in excise factories during the year 1896–97.—Letter from the Assistant Commissioner, Tinnevelly Sub-division, submitting proposals for the revision of, recorded with remark.—Letters from the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, and the Assistant Commissioner, Negapatam Sub-division, submitting proposals for the, in the factories of the Nellore and Negapatam Sub-divisions, recorded with remarks. — Endorsement of the Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, submitting proposals from the Assistant Commissioner, Chatrapur Sub-division, for the revision of, at the Surlá factory, recorded.—Letters from the Deputy Commissioners, Central and Northern Divisions, and the Assistant Commissioner, Masulipatam Sub-division, submitting proposals for the revision of, in the factories of the Chingleput, Cocanada and Masulipatam Sub-divisions, and letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, remarking upon the cess proposals submitted by the Assistant Commissioner, Tinnevelly Sub-division, recorded.—Letters from the Deputy Commissioners, Central, Southern and Northern Divisions, remarking on the proposals of the Assistant Commissioners, Masulipatam, Negapatam and Chicacole Sub-divisions, for the revision of, recorded.—Assistant Commissioners, Chingleput and Nellore Sub-divisions, requested to furnish at once information on certain points required for the calculation of cess for each of the factories in the Ennore and Vayalur Circles and for the Kanuparti factory.—Proposals for the revision of, submitted for the sanction of Government.—Officers in charge of factory circles directed to levy certain revised rates of cess in excise factories and in certain extensions worked under the modified excise system from the 1st April 1896.—Assistant Commissioner, Nellore Sub-division,	11th Jan., „ 161, Mis. 23rd „ „ 318, Mis. 21st „ „ 320, Mis. 30th „ „ 399, Mis. 15th Feb., „ 628, Mis. 24th „ „ 723, Mis. 20th March, „ 122. 21st „ „ 1207, Mis. 25th „ „ 1303, Mis. 4th April, „ 1402, Mis. 24th „ „ 153. 2nd May, „ 1849, Mis. 9th „ „ 181. 7th June, „ 3460, Sub. 13th „ „ 2458, Mis. 13th „ „ 226. 13th „ „ 2651, Mis. 22nd July, „ 3085, Mis.

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requested to explain certain discrepancies in the statement containing certain information submitted by him for the calculation of cess in the Kanuparti factory for 1896–97.—Assistant Commissioner, Chingleput Sub-division, requested to explain a certain discrepancy in the cess collections from April to December 1895 in the Vallur factory and to report whether the amounts provided for the maintenance of channels in 1896–97 in the factories of the Ennore Circle cannot be reduced, and certain information regarding cess collections called for.—Government Order fixing the, communicated to all Deputy and Assistant Commissioners and Inspectors in charge of Factory Circles and directed that the enhanced rates of cess fixed by Government for certain factories should be brought into force at once.—Letter from the Assistant Commissioner, Nellore Sub-division, submitting report from the Inspector, Kanuparti Circle, explaining discrepancies pointed out by the Board, recorded.—Proposals for the rates of cess to be levied in the factories of the Ennore and Vayalur Circles and in the Kanuparti factory during 1896-97, submitted to Government.—Letter from the Assistant Commissioner, Nellore Sub-division, furnishing certain information regarding cess collections in the Kanuparti factory, recorded.—Inspectors of Kanuparti, Ennore and Vayalur Circles requested to bring into force from Monday the 15th June 1896 the rates proposed by the Board in its Proceedings, No. 181, dated 9th May 1896.—Government Order approving the rates of cess proposed in Board's Proceedings, No. 181, dated 9th May 1896, communicated to Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, and Assistant Commissioners, Nellore and Chingleput Sub-divisions.—Copy of proceedings of the Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, informing the Assistant Commissioner, Chicacole Sub-division, that the enhanced rates of cess should be brought into force from the date of the receipt of the orders by the Inspectors concerned, recorded.—Assistant Commissioners, Nellore and Chingleput Sub-divisions, requested to submit for sanction vouchers for the refund to the licensees concerned of the cess that may have been collected from them from 1st April 1896 in the Kanuparti, Kattur, Attiput and Vallur factories and Messrs. Arbuthnot and Company informed that orders have been issued to the Assistant Commissioner, Chingleput Sub-division, for the refund of the cess paid by them.	
Copy of proceedings of the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, passing orders on the proposals submitted by the Assistant Commissioner, Calicut Sub-division, for levying cess on salt issued for fish-curing purposes in certain yards of the sub-division during 1896–97, recorded.	9th Mar, No. 1047, Mis.
Uvari and Idinthakarai fish-curing yards in the Kuttanguli Circle.—Copy of proceedings of the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, approving, with remarks, the recommendation of the Assistant Commissioner, Tinnevelly Sub-division, that no cess need be levied from the ticket-holders of the, during the year 1896–97, recorded.	29th April, ,, 1780, Mis.
Tanur fish-curing yard in the Ponnáni Circle.—Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, informed that the cess on the salt issued to the curers of the, may be fixed at As. 1–4 per maund.	22nd June, ,, 2601, Mis.

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The licensees of the Cheyur factory informed that the Board can only collect the outstanding amount in the shape of cess and that if they choose to continue and pay off the whole or any part of the arrears due to Government, the amount will be accepted and a proportionate reduction made in rate of cess.	22nd July, No. 3098, Mis.
Vèdáranniyam Circle.—Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, requested to go minutely into the accounts of the late lessees of blocks A and B and licensee of block C and explain certain discrepancies at an early date.	15th Aug., „ 3445, Mis.
Statement showing the excise cess levied in 1895–96 and the expenditure therefrom in the excise factories in the Madras Presidency, communicated to the Inspectors of Factory Circles.	6th Nov., „ 4636, Mis.
An extract from a letter from Messrs. Arbuthnot and Company stating that Messrs. Binny and Company were compelled in 1894 to sign a petition in favour of the monopoly system in order to escape from the effects of a penal cess of As. 3 a maund.—Replied to Government Order calling for a report on,—Messrs. Binny and Company referred to certain Board's Proceedings in regard to their statement that no reply has been vouchsafed to some of their letters.	5th Dec., „ 5040, Mis. 5th „ „ 5041, Mis.
Revision of excise cess for the ensuing official year.—Deputy and Assistant Commissioners reminded that their proposals for the, should reach the Board's office on or before the 15th January next.	12th „ „ 5122, Mis.
CHARGES.	
Kistna district.—The allotment of Rs. 200 applied for by the Collector of, to meet shipping and discharging expenses of the pinnace of the Masulipatam port, sanctioned from savings under 9. Customs.	28th Jan., „ 324, Mis.
Dindigul Circle.—Expenditure of Rs. 13–10–0 incurred by the Inspector, on account of seven tin boxes and one tent-rack purchased by him, sanctioned.	29th „ „ 369, Mis.
A nickel silver time-piece by Seth Thomas at Rs. 5 for the use of the Sea Customs Superintendent at Coringa, sanctioned.	26th „ „ 494, Mis.
Tanjore.—An allotment of Rs. 50 for the purchase of certain furniture required for the abkári branch of the Collector's office, sanctioned.	6th Feb., „ 509, Mis.
Rénigunta distillery.—Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, requested to sanction certain articles of furniture required for the, and stated that a time-piece will be sanctioned and supplied from Madras.	8th April, „ 1415, Mis.
Charges for covering of heaps.—Orders passed on the recommendation of the Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, to relieve the Calingapatam monopoly licensees of certain,	15th „ „ 1529, Mis.
Bung rods.—The payment of Rs. 100 being the cost of fifty bung rods supplied by A. Doorgiah Naidu of Bellary to the Collector of Salem, sanctioned with remarks.	28th „ „ 1744, Mis.

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CHARGES—*cont.*	
Supply of drinking-water to the establishment of the Muttu-ragunádapatnam factory of the Morekolam Circle.—Sanction of Government to the payment of Rs. 22-8-0 per mensem on account of the, solicited.—Government Order sanctioning the payment of Rs. 22-8-0 per mensem for the, communicated to Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, and Assistant Commissioner, Tinnevelly Sub-division.	12th May, No. 1957, Mis. 28th „ „ 2270, Mis.
Chicacole Sub-division.—Copy of proceedings of the Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, sanctioning the purchase of certain articles provided in the extra charges statement of the, for 1896-97, recorded.—A pigeon-holed almirah costing Rs. 45 for the Assistant Commissioner's office, sanctioned.—Copy of proceedings of the Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, sanctioning an additional sum of Rs. 14 on account of extra charges of the, for 1896-97, recorded.—Copy of proceedings of the Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, sanctioning an additional sum of Rs. 11 for purchasing a belt for the duffadar of the Assistant Commissioner, recorded.	27th „ „ 2258, Mis. 20th Aug., „ 3522, Mis. 20th „ „ 3523, Mis. 8th Sept., „ 3790, Mis.
Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division.—The action of the, in purchasing four arm chairs for his office use, approved, and the purchase of camp chairs and table-cloth, sanctioned.	5th June, „ 2344, Mis.
Cocanada Sub-division.—Copy of proceedings of the Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, sanctioning a sum of Rs. 23 on account of extra charges of the, for 1896-97, recorded.—Proceedings of the Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, passing with remark the extra charges statement of the, for 1896-97, recorded.	10th „ „ 2416, Mis. 1st Aug., „ 3267, Mis.
Rénigunta distillery and Assistant Commissioner's office, Arcot Sub-division.—The purchase of two almirahs at Rs. 30 and 35 respectively for the use of the, sanctioned.	12th June, „ 2451, Mis.
Arcot Sub-division.—Copy of proceedings of the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, reviewing the estimate of extra charges of the, for 1896-97, recorded with the remark that the Deputy Commissioner has no power to sanction the purchase of a clock as it is not a country article.	13th „ „ 2473, Mis
Calicut Sub-division.—Certain articles of extra charges required for the, for 1896-97, sanctioned with remark.	17th „ „ 2538, Mis.
Tinnevelly Sub-division.—A scale with weights for weighing packets, &c., three measuring tapes and two punching instruments for the, sanctioned with remarks.	18th „ „ 2540, Mis.
Vyasarpadi distillery.—The purchase of an almyrah on Rs. 30 for the, sanctioned.	15th „ „ 2541, Mis.
Chingleput Sub-division.—Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, requested to state whether he has ordered the measuring tapes and chain to be purchased locally or whether he requires them to be supplied from Madras, and certain scales and weights for the, sanctioned with remarks.	20th „ „ 2587, Mis.
Nellore Sub-division.—Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, requested to state for what circle or circles the two letter-weighing scales applied for by the Assistant Commissioner	24th „ „ 2645, Mis. 8th Sept., „ 3792, Mis. 19th „ „ 4049, Mis.

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are required and informed that the sanction accorded for the purchase of eight Chubbs' locks should be cancelled.—Copy of proceedings of the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, sanctioning certain additional sums on account of extra charges of the, for 1896–97, recorded.—Two letter-weighing scales for the, one for the Assistant Commissioner's office and the other for the Inspector, Kanuparti Circle, sanctioned.	
Malabar district.—The purchase of 27 wooden boxes at a cost of Rs. 162 for the safe custody of income-tax records in the offices of assessing officers in the, sanctioned.	29th June, No. 2694, Mis.
Contingent expenditure.—Statement of contingent expenditure for 1895–96 called for in Government Order, Financial Department, issuing instructions for improving the existing arrangement for the control of, forwarded to the Accountant-General, Madras.	4th July, „ 2756, Mis.
The system of assigning lump grants for 1 (*b*) Contingencies which are admissible without detailed audit, abolished by Government with effect from 1st April 1897.	4th „ „ 2756, Mis.
Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, requested to state whether he requires the renewal of sanction for the purchase of certain articles of furniture sanctioned for the Námakkal, Tirumangalam and Bhaváni Circles or only for the Bhaváni Circle.—The sanction accorded last year for the purchase of certain articles of furniture required in the Bhaváni Circle for Rs. 47, renewed.	4th „ „ 2773, Mis. 6th Aug., „ 3274, Mis.
Southern Division.—A glass almyrah priced Rs. 45 for the office of the Deputy Commissioner, sanctioned with remarks.—Letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, submitting copies of proceedings sanctioning certain amounts on account of extra charges for the several offices in his division, recorded with remark.	6th July, „ 2788, Mis. 26th Aug., „ 3590, Mis.
Supplying drinking-water to the establishment stationed at the Kattur factory in the Vayalur Circle.—Sanction of Government to the entertainment of a water-brahmin on Rs. 25 per mensem for 3½ months during the current year for, solicited.—Reported to Government that no arrangements were in force in the previous years for,—Government Order sanctioning the expenditure incurred, if any, for a water-brahmin, communicated to the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, with the request to report what amount has been spent on that account.	11th July, „ 2911, Mis. 22nd Nov., „ 4858, Mis. 18th Dec., „ 5192, Mis.
Water-pandal in front of platform No. V of the Krishnápatnam Circle.—The establishment of, up to the end of August 1896 at a cost of Rs. 6 per mensem, sanctioned.	14th July, „ 2953, Mis.
Chatrapur Sub-division.—Copy of proceedings of the Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, sanctioning a sum of Rs. 62 on account of extra charges of the, for 1896–97, recorded.—Copy of proceedings of the Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, sanctioning an additional sum of Rs. 8 on account of extra charges of the, for 1896–97, recorded.	4th Aug., „ 3262, Mis. 19th Sept., „ 3965, Mis.

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Keranur factory.—Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, informed that the Board does not consider it advisable to call on the licensees of the, to supply water to the establishment and requested to furnish certain information in view to the sanction of Government being obtained for expenditure on this account.	27th Aug., No. 3612, Mis.
Rattan boxes.—Presumed that the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, has ascertained from the Superintendent of Prisons, Madras, that the, can be had at reasonable prices.	5th Sept., ,, 3722, Mis.
Masulipatam Sub-division.—Copy of proceedings of the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, sanctioning the statement of extra charges of the, for 1896–97, recorded with remarks.	5th ,, ,, 3727, Mis.
Tanjore.—A sum of Rs. 60 required by the Collector for the purchase of furniture for the Land Customs offices, sanctioned from the reserve under Land Customs.	8th ,, ,, 3789, Mis.
Chittoor Circle.—An almirah, a time-piece, a pair of letter-weighing scales and a punching instrument for the use of the Assistant Inspector, sanctioned.—Copy of proceedings of the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, sanctioning with remarks certain articles of furniture, &c., required for the Assistant Inspector and his clerk, recorded.	8th ,, ,, 3820, Mis. 8th ,, ,, 3821, Mis.
Tada Circle office.—Copy of proceedings of the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, sanctioning, with remarks, a sum of Rs. 123 for binding records of the, recorded.	10th ,, ,, 3834, Mis.
Siddhavattam and Nandyal Circles and for the Assistant Inspector, Madanapalle Circle.—Certain pigeon-holed almirahs, time-pieces, punching instruments and letter-weighing scales for the new, sanctioned with remarks.	12th ,, ,, 3887, Mis.
Siddhavattam and Nandyal Circles, for the Assistant Inspector, Rayachóti and for the chowkies of the Kurnool Circle.—Copy of proceedings of the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, sanctioning certain articles of furniture, &c., required for the new, recorded with remarks.	14th ,, ,, 3898, Mis.
Trichinopoly Sub-division.—Copy of proceedings of the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, sanctioning an additional sum of Rs. 41 on account of extra charges of the, recorded.	17th ,, ,, 3944, Mis.
Atmakúru Circle.—Copy of Proceedings of the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, sanctioning certain articles of furniture, &c., required for the new, recorded with remarks.—A pigeon-holed almirah, a time-piece, a punching instrument and a pair of letter-weighing scales for the new, sanctioned with remarks.	19th ,, ,, 3959, Mis. 27th ,, ,, 4048, Mis.
Board's office.—A sum of Rs. 246 on account of extra charges of the, for 1896–97, sanctioned.	24th ,, ,, 4008, Mis.
Ponnáni Circle.—Copy of proceedings of the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, sanctioning the purchase of two lanterns for the office of the Inspector, recorded.	13th Nov., ,, 4864, Mis.
Nellikuppam Circle.—A sum of Rs. 5[illegible]–8–0 for the purchase of furniture required for the, sanctioned with remarks.	4th Dec., ,, 5024, Mis.

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Bellary Sub-division.—The supply of a letter-weighing scale for weighing large packets to the Assistant Commissioner, sanctioned.	8th Dec., No. 5080, Mis.
Charges incurred for the supply of drinking-water to establishments.—Government Order sanctioning the delegation to the Board of the power to sanction, communicated to all Deputy and Assistant Commissioners.	8th „ „ 494.
The observance of all practicable economy in the expenditure of Government.—Government Order communicating resolution of the Government of India urging the, communicated to all Deputy and Assistant Commissioners, the Collector of Sea Customs and the Superintendent of Stamps, Madras.	9th „ „ 496.
CIRCLE.	
Salem and Krishnagiri Circles.—Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, informed that a certain change recommended by him in the constitution of the, cannot be accepted now, and that if after a year's trial he should still consider the change advisable, he may again bring the matter to the Board's notice.	9th Jan., „ 72, Mis.
Mangalore Circle.—Orders passed on letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, regarding the reconstitution of the,	28th May, „ 2199, Mis.
Nellikuppam distillery.—A draft notification to constitute the, a separate circle, submitted to Government.—Government Order ordering the publication of the draft notification in the *Fort St. George Gazette*, recorded.	13th July, „ 272. 19th Aug., „ 3541, Mi
Two draft notifications revising the limits of circles and the local areas in which salt earth is declared to be contraband salt with reference to certain changes recently sanctioned, submitted to Government for approval and publication in the *Fort St. George Gazette*.—Government Order approving and ordering the publication in the *Fort St. George Gazette*, communicated to Deputy and Assistant Commissioners.	18th Sept., „ 367 24th Oct., „ 42
CIRCULAR ORDER.	
Circular Order No. I of 1891.—Government requested to amend paragraph 121 of,	25th Ja
Circular Order No. I of 1892 *and paragraph* 218 *of Circular Order No. I of* 1893.—A sub-circular order amending, authorising officers in charge of salt treasuries to receive payments of abkári shop rents as well as tree-tax, issued.	28th
Circular No. XXVI, dated 25th February 1896, of the Accountant-General, Madras, requesting that the instructions issued by the Comptroller-General regarding receipt and issue of silver coins of the year 1835 and their being show separately in the monthly cash balance reports may strictly observed, communicated with remarks to all offi in charge of factory circles.—Letter from the Accoun General, Madras, stating that silver coins of 1835 s	

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be sent along with other remittances to the Bank of Madras or the nearest treasury as the case may be, communicated to the Assistant Commissioner, Chingleput Subdivision, and other Deputy and Assistant Commissioners and all officers in charge of factory circles.	
Circular Order No. I of 1892.—A sub-circular order amending paragraph 30 of, and the appendix relating thereto, issued.	19th Mar., No. 1179, Mis.
Circular Order No. IV of 1889.—Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, informed that it is considered necessary to amend paragraph 103 (*a*) of, as suggested in the matter of the ingress and egress of persons employed at distilleries.	23rd May, ,, 2155, Mis.
Circular from the Accountant-General, Madras, regarding the nature of promotions that may be granted in the place of an officer holding a temporary appointment or on deputation, communicated to Deputy and Assistant Commissioners for information and guidance.	1st July, ,, 247.
Circular from the Accountant-General, Madras, requesting that bills for advances under article 137 (*b*) of the Civil Account Code may be paid only upon a certificate to the effect that the expenditure which the officer is likely to incur by reason of his transfer will not be less than the advance claimed, communicated to all Deputy and Assistant Commissioners and Inspectors for information and guidance.	21st ,, ,, 298.
Paragraph 137 *of Circular Order No. I of* 1893 *regarding the dimensions of the bases of heaps.*—Stated that a draft sub-circular order revising, will issue shortly.	8th Aug., ,, 3310, Mis.
lts.—The recommendation of the Deputy Commissioner, outhern Division, that, should be retained in the circles which they are supplied, approved, and informed that a -circular order will issue.	3rd Sept., ,, 3706, Mis.
No. VIII of the Accountant-General, Madras, issuing ions as to the custody of the service books of non-officers acting in gazetted appointments and as to ission of such service books along with their leave s, communicated to Deputy and Assistant Com- and to the Collector of Sea Customs, Madras, perintendent of Stamps for information and	15th ,, ,, 3948, Mis.
Vo. *I of* 1891.—Deputy Commissioner, n, informed that his presumption that a been left out in printing in line 15, correct.	23rd ,, ,, 3989, Mis.
untant-General, Madras, pointing out ble to reduce the leave allowances of ege leave, with the view of providring the first 30 days for officers ointments, communicated to the d the Superintendent of Stamps, l Assistant Commissioners and id guidance.	10th Oct., ,, 408.

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The recommendation of the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, to extend the application of Circular Order No. $\frac{1}{4}$ of 1893 to the filling up of M.-7, the account of the monopoly series corresponding to E.-7, disapproved.	4th Nov., No. 4590, Mis.
Circular from the Accountant-General, Madras, stating that copies of estimates submitted to Government need not in future be furnished to his office, recorded.	5th „ „ 4674, Mis.
Paragraph 218 *of Circular Order No. I of* 1893.—Letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, suggesting a certain correction in, recorded with remarks.	30th „ „ 4918, Mis.
CLOTHING.	
Karassa factory.—Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, requested to report the sizes of certain suits of clothing required to replace those burnt accidentally in the, and to explain how certain peons came to leave their turbands, belts and latties at home while they were on duty.	18th Jan., „ 193, Mis.
Water-proof capes and turband covers. — Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, and Assistant Commissioner, Calicut Sub-division, informed that the supply of, will be discontinued.	21st „ „ 232, Mis.
Messrs. Moses and Company requested to report whether, and if so how many, buttons of the kind supplied to the Salt and Abkári Department they have in store and the Clothing Committee directed to issue certain quantity of cloth to the tailors for the making up of 300 suits of the first size and 250 of the second.	23rd „ „ 280, Mis.
Silver lace.—Contractor A. Munusawmy Sah requested to state if he can supply 65 yards of, of the kind ordered and at the rate accepted in Board's Proceedings, Mis. No. 940, dated 2nd March 1895, and, if so, to deliver it to the Clothing Committee and submit his bill of charges before the 1st March next.—Contractor A. Munusawmy Sah requested to state if he can supply 100 yards of, of the kind ordered and at the rate accepted in Board's Proceedings, Mis. No. 940, dated 2nd March 1895, and, if so, to deliver it to the Clothing Committee and submit his bill of charges as early as possible.	30th „ „ 410, Mis. 12th Dec., „ 5138, Mis.
Wearing of putties by the petty officers and peons of the department.—Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, informed that an authorised uniform cannot be altered or modified without the Board's orders and he is requested to cancel his instructions regarding the,—The Clothing Committee requested to furnish the Board with certain particulars regarding the putties proposed by the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division.	13th Mar., „ 1095, Mis. 15th May, „ 2016, Mis.
Short supply of suits of clothing to certain circles for 1893-94. —The Clothing Committee requested to expedite its reply to Board's Proceedings calling for further information regarding the, and Inspectors of certain circles requested to make good the losses referred to therein.—Inspector, Madras Depôt Circle, informed with remarks that the Board sees no reason to reconsider the order already passed	20th Mar., „ 1194, Mis. 30th April, „ 1777, Mis. 5th May, „ 1842, Mis.

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in the matter of certain recoveries ordered of him on account of,—Letter from the Clothing Committee submitting its report on the, recorded.	
Sanction of Government either for an increased grant for clothing the petty officers and peons of the Salt, Abkári and Customs Department or for permission to purchase the Board's requirements of khaki drill for 1896–97 in the open market, solicited.—Government Order, Revenue Department, approving the proposal of the Board to purchase in the open market the khaki cloth required for clothing the petty officers and peons of the Salt and Abkári Department and transferring the papers to the Judicial Department for sanction, recorded. — Government, Judicial Department, requested to pass early orders on the Board's proposals in its Proceedings, Mis. No. 1676, dated 28th April 1896.—Government Order sanctioning an increased grant for clothing the petty officers and peons of the Salt and Abkári Department in proportion to the increase in establishment since the date of sanction of the original grant, communicated to the Accountant-General, Madras, with remarks.	28th April, No. 1676, Mis. 8th July, „ 2877, Mis. 1st Aug., „ 3217, Mis. 20th „ „ 3518, Mis.
Report on the working of the Clothing Committee during 1895–96, recorded with remarks.	28th April, „ 1685, Mis.
Customs officers and peons.—Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, informed that there is no intention of putting the, into the Salt and Abkári Department uniform.	25th „ „ 1694, Mis.
Knap sacks for carrying the spare uniforms of the men.—The recommendations of the Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, in regard to the adoption of, disapproved with remarks.	8th June, „ 2375, Mis.
Kit inspection.—Detailed instructions issued by Mr. C. V. Dalrymple-Hay, Assistant Commissioner, Chicacole Sub-Division, as to how, as to be conducted, disapproved.	8th „ „ 2375, Mis.
Water-proof capes and turband covers.—Sanction of Government for the supply of, to certain men employed at the Kandamangalam sayer station in the Villupuram Circle, solicited.—Government Order sanctioning the supply of, communicated to Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, and Assistant Commissioner, Negapatam Sub-division.	16th „ „ 2509, Mis. 6th Aug., „ 3325, Mis.
The Clothing Committee requested with remarks to issue to the tailors approved by the Board khaki drill sufficient to make 3,250 suits of the first size and 2,000 suits of the second and a revised form of agreement to be executed by tailoring contractors, forwarded to the Clothing Committee.	24th June, „ 2624, Mis.
Indents for uniforms required for the petty officers and peons for the year 1896–97.—The attention of all Inspectors drawn to paragraph 66 of Circular Order No. II of 1893 and requested to submit to the Board their, not later than the 31st July 1896.	9th July, „ 2826, Mis.
Kit bags.—Recommended to Government that Mr. Calder be required to make good the sum of Rs. 45–8–0 collected from peons on account of,—Government Order directing that Rs. 45–8–0 collected from the peons on account of, should be recovered from Mr. Calder, communicated to Deputy	9th „ „ 2836, Mis. 19th Sept., „ 3976, Mis. 29th Nov., „ 4963, Mis.

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Commissioner, Southern Division, and Assistant Commissioner, Negapatam Sub-division.—Orders passed on letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, submitting, with remarks, Mr. Calder's letter requesting a reconsideration of the orders passed in Board's Proceedings, Mis. No. 3976, dated 19th September 1896.	
Supply of part-worn clothing to temporary peons.—Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, informed that each temporary man should annually be supplied with one new suit of clothing together with a part-worn clothing of the previous year and that unserviceable suits may be written off the accounts and the fact reported in S.-11.	21st July, No. 3059, Mis.
Suits of clothing for the Salt, Abkâri and Customs Department.—The Superintendent of Prisons, Madras, instructed with remarks to apply to the Clothing Committee at the Madras Depôt for cloth to make up,	3rd Aug., „ 3232, Mis.
Khaki drill and turband cloth required for the Salt, Abkâri and Customs Department.—Messrs. Binny and Company informed that their tender for, has been accepted, and Messrs. Best and Company that theirs, has not been accepted.—Samples of the, which Messrs. Binny and Company have agreed to supply, forwarded with remarks to the Clothing Committee.—Replies to certain questions relating to the, forwarded to the Manager, Mercantile Mission Branch, Mangalore.—Messrs. Binny and Company requested to complete its deposit for the supply of, and requested to commence at once to deliver the quantities of the,—Receipt of an agreement and currency notes for Rs. 300 from Messrs. Binny and Company, acknowledged, and Rs. 500 forwarded with instructions to the Inspector, Madras Depôt Circle, to acknowledge its receipt and credit it in his accounts to deposits.—Letter from Messrs. Binny and Company requesting to be informed if it can commence delivery of the khaki drill ordered of them and deliver the 16,000 yards now in hand, recorded with remarks.—The Clothing Committee directed to issue to the approved tailors and the Superintendent of Prisons, Madras, cloth sufficient for making up 2,000 suits of the first, 1,000 of the second, and 200 of the third size.—The Clothing Committee directed to issue to the approved tailors cloth sufficient for making up 3,950 suits of the first size and 3,000 suits of the second, and a list showing the articles of uniform to be issued to certain circles of the Northern and Central Divisions for the year 1896–97, forwarded to it for compliance.—The Clothing Committee directed to issue to the approved tailors cloth sufficient for making up 600 suits of first size, 500 of the second, and 300 of the third, and a supplemental list showing the articles of uniform to be issued to certain circles for the year 1896–97, forwarded to it for compliance.—A supplemental list of the articles of uniform to be supplied to certain circles for the year 1896–97, forwarded to the Clothing Committee for compliance.	27th „ „ 3615, Mis. 4th Sept., „ 3714, Mis. 4th „ „ 3720, Mis. 15th „ „ 3889, Mis. 21st „ „ 3974, Mis. 21st „ „ 3975, Mis. 23rd „ „ 3978, Mis. 9th Oct., „ 4213, Mis. 10th Nov., „ 4654, Mis. 2nd Dec., „ 5005, Mis.
Krishnápatnam Circle.—Concurred with the Deputy Commissioner in his views regarding the responsibility of certain officers for the value of ten khaki coats reported to have been found missing from the stock in the, and the Deputy Commissioner requested to obtain the explanation of the Inspector of that circle for certain neglect of duty.—Deputy	1st Sept., „ 3687, Mis. 29th Nov., „ 4929, Mis.

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Commissioner, Central Division, informed that the explanation of the Inspector for his neglect of duty in not regularly checking the clothing accounts is not satisfactory and requested to warn that officer to take more interest in these accounts in future.	
Helmets being worn by the Native officers of the department at their option.—The Tellicherry Inspector's proposal to authorise, forwarded to Messrs. Fowler and McMaster for their opinion.—Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, informed that the request of the Inspector, Tellicherry Circle, cannot be granted and that a turband which will afford better protection from the sun than the present one is under the consideration of the Board.	11th Sept., No. 3852, Mis. 7th Nov., „ 4664, Mis.
Description and cost of the uniforms prescribed for the officers of the Salt, Abkári and Customs Department.—The Excise Commissioner, Mysore, furnished with certain information regarding the,	24th Sept., „ 4009, Mis.
Charges incurred by it for the packing and conveyance of the articles of clothing ordered to be issued to the several circles.—The Clothing Committee requested to maintain account of the, and to report at the end of each year the charge incurred on account of each suit supplied.	24th „ „ 4012, Mis.
Peons of the circle to go about without their full uniform.—Assistant Commissioner, Bellary Sub-division, requested to call upon the Inspector, Markapur Circle, to explain whether it is customary for the, and to submit his explanation on receipt.	2nd Oct., „ 4150, Mis.
The Clothing Committee requested to issue the pattern suits now in store at the Depôt and get one suit of each of the three sizes stitched with khaki thread and sent to the Board for being sealed.	14th Nov., „ 4734, Mis.
Bezwada Circle.—The proposal of the Clothing Committee for the disposal of certain suits of khaki drill supplied to the, and condemned by the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, on inspection, approved with remarks.	30th „ „ 4930, Mis.
Messrs. Shaik Madar and Sons.—A copy of the regulations relating to the uniforms prescribed for Inspectors, Assistant Inspectors and Sub-Inspectors of the Salt and Abkári Department, forwarded to, with remarks and instructions.	2nd Dec., „ 5000, Mis.
Authorised uniform of the petty officers and peons.—Deputy and Assistant Commissioners informed that the, should not be altered without the express sanction of the Board.	12th „ „ 5204, Mis.
Putties and ankle boots.—Copy of proceedings of the Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, prohibiting the use of, by the inferior servants of the Salt and Abkári Department, recorded.	20th „ „ 5309, Mis.
COMPENSATION.	
Pudukkóttai State.—Government Order requesting the Accountant-General to arrange for placing a sum of Rupees 38,000 to the credit of the, being the amount due to that State under the salt convention for the year 1895, recorded.	3rd Feb., „ 573, Mis.

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Kathiwakkam.—The Special Deputy Collector, Bezwada-Madras Railway, advised of the amount of compensation to be paid to the Salt and Abkári Department on account of certain land and huts at, taken up for the railway and stated how the amount in question should be adjusted in the accounts.	20th Feb., No. 673, Mis.
Compensation to be paid to Kuttayan Chetti, late lessee of the Manakkudi factory.—Reported to Government, with reference to the notice from the late lessee of the Manakkudi factory, that he will sue for damages if he is prevented from manufacturing salt after the 31st March until due compensation is paid.—Reported to Government with remarks that the Board has not yet received intimation of any obstruction caused by Kuttayan Chetti in the Manakkudi factory.—Government Order concurring in the Board's view on the question of settling by arbitration the amount of, and informing the lessee that Government has no objection to have the question settled by arbitration in accordance with the terms of the lease, recorded with remarks.—Collector of Madura requested to report whom he would recommend to be appointed as arbitrator on behalf of Government in connection with the settlement of the amount of,—Government Order informing the lessee by wire that the Board of Revenue has been asked to appoint an arbitrator on behalf of Government in connection with his petition, dated 6th June 1896, recorded with reference to Board's Proceedings, Mis. No. 2799, dated 7th July 1896.—Reported to Government that M.R.Ry. Rao Bahadur D. Venkata Rangayyar Avargal may be appointed as arbitrator on behalf of Government in connection with the settlement of the amount of,—Government Order approving the nomination of M.R.Ry. Rao Bahadur D. Venkata Rangayyar Avargal as arbitrator, communicated to the Collector of Madura with remarks.—M R Ry. Rao Bahadur D. Venkata Rangayyar Avargal appointed to act as arbitrator on behalf of Government, and Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, requested to arrange with the lessee for the matter being settled by arbitration.—Government Order informing the late lessee that Rao Bahadur Venkata Rangayyar Avargal has been appointed arbitrator and requesting the Board to report what steps have been taken in pursuance of G.O., No. 3108, dated 4th August 1896, recorded.—Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, requested to refer to the arbitrators the claims of Government to certain sums expended by it on account of certain works of that factory.	9th April, „ 1424, Mis. 1st May, „ 1764, Mis. 1st June, „ 2349, Mis. 7th July, „ 2799, Mis. 11th „ „ 2970, Mis. 23rd „ „ 3084, Mis. 7th Aug., „ 3299, Mis. 2nd Sept., „ 3667, Mis. 12th „ „ 3923, Mis. 13th Oct., „ 4315, Mis.
Attiput and Vallur factories.—Orders passed on letter from the Special Deputy Collector, Pulicat Division, Bezwada-Madras Railway, requesting to be informed whether compensation is payable to the Salt Department for certain lands taken up for the railway in the,	26th April, „ 1645, Mis.
Covelong factory.—Collector of Chingleput requested to furnish certain information in regard to the payment of compensation on certain waste lands taken up for the construction of platform No. III at,—Collector of Chingleput requested to furnish certain information in regard to the land proposed to be assigned to the shretriemdar of Tiruvadanthai and the Deputy Commissioner requested to report the date on which certain lands were transferred to this department.	4th May, „ 1820, Mis. 5th Sept., „ 3725, Mis.

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Compensation awarded for land excluded from the Chunampet factory owing to an alteration in the patrol-path.—Orders passed on letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, submitting two petitions from licensee No. 18 of the factory claiming interest on the amount of,—The Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, requested with remarks to offer Theetharappa Mudali and Somasundara Mudali of the Chunampet factory a sum of Rs. 1,545 as compensation for their pans for the period that intervened between the exclusion of the pans from the factory and the date of the formal taking of possession.	9th May, No. 1925, Mis. 12th Dec., „ 5141, Mis
Salt compensation certificate No. 53, dated 25th April 1837.—The payment of the arrears due on, sanctioned.	19th May, „ 2074, Mis.
Compensation of Rs. 13,607 for withholding sanction to the levy of liquor tax in the Madras Municipality for the official year 1896-97.—Government Order sanctioning the usual, and requesting the Accountant-General to arrange for the payment, communicated to the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division.	21st „ „ 2124, Mis.
Cochin State.—Government Order sanctioning the payment of Rs. 1,04,289-9-5 due to the, under the interportal trade convention for the official year 1895-96, recorded.	25th June, „ 2682, Mis.
Travancore Sirkar.—Government Order sanctioning the payment to the, of the amount of Rs. 40,000 as compensation for loss of duty under the interportal convention of 1865, recorded.	5th July, „ 2801, Mis.
Ullal fish-curing yard.—Remarked upon the letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, requesting sanction to the payment of certain amount estimated by the Collector of South Canara as compensation for the site required for the location of the,	24th Aug., „ 3544, Mis.
CONFISCATION.	
Certain contraband articles deposited at the Coondapoor Police station under the Salt and Abkári Act.—Letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, submitting certain correspondence regarding the question as to who should find accommodation for, forwarded to the Inspector-General of Police.	29th Jan., „ 377, Mis.
Tapping implements seized in illicit-tapping cases.—Further instructions in the matter of the return by the departmental officers to the accused of, issued.	21st April, „ 155.
CORRESPONDENCE.	
Inadequate fines imposed by the Magistracy.—Copy of proceedings of the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, on letter from the Assistant Commissioner, Arcot Sub-division, enquiring as to whom he should address in matters of, recorded.	10th Mar., „ 1048, Mis.
Direct correspondence between the officers of His Highness the Nizam's Durbar and the British officers.—Government Order communicating to certain District Magistrates and the Inspector-General of Police circular issued by His Highness the Nizam's Durbar on the subject of, recorded.	8th July, „ 2906, Mis.

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Curtailment of work.—Proceedings of the Board of Revenue (Land Revenue) communicating to all Collectors Government Order passing orders on certain proposals for the, and revising certain Standing Orders accordingly, recorded.	4th Aug., No. 3273, Mis.
Directed that distillers should address the Board direct only in cases of real and unavoidable urgency and in matters relating to general questions.	30th Oct., „ 4543, Mis.
Curtailment of correspondence in the Separate Revenue Department.—Board's report on the proposals made by Collectors for the, and for the delegation of certain powers to Divisional officers and Tahsildars, submitted to Government.	27th Dec., „ 520.
CREDIT.	
Government Savings Bank pass books.—The Postmaster-General requested to state if on the analogy of Postal Savings Bank pass books credits can be granted to salt merchants on the deposit of.—A correction memorandum to Board's Proceedings, Routine No. 3053, dated 14th November 1895, issued.	11th Jan., „ 114, Mis. 28th Feb., „ 594, R.
Credit merchant B. Ramthumeah—Assistant Commissioner, Nellore Sub-division, informed that credits may be granted to, and the refund of a certain amount, sanctioned; and the Collector of Nellore requested to obtain and submit his Treasury Deputy Collector's explanation in regard to the delay in returning a certain Government promissory note, and the Assistant Commissioner, Nellore Sub-division, to submit copies of certain correspondence regarding the promissory note.—Collector of Kurnool requested to convey to his Treasury Deputy Collector M.R.Ry. B. Rangiah Nayudu a strict reprimand and warning for the delay of four months on his part in returning a certain promissory note sent to him for safe custody while at Nellore and remarked upon the initial delay of 18 days in the matter on the part of the Inspector, Krishnápatnam Circle, and the Assistant Commissioner, Nellore Sub-division, instructed to warn the Inspector against similar delays.	28th Jan., „ 325, Mis. 16th April, „ 1563, Mis.
Salt merchant S. Bheemayya of Masulipatam.—The renewal of credit to, who failed to pay the amount of a certain salt credit order when it fell due, sanctioned with remarks.	1st Feb., „ 451, Mis.
Messrs. Simson and Brothers informed that the Board sees no reason to reconsider its decision regarding the acceptance as securities under the credit system of receipts for fixed deposits granted by certain Banks.	5th „ „ 499, Mis.
The renewal of credits in the case of certain merchants of the Kistna district who had failed to keep up their engagements with Government in the matter of two credits previously granted them, sanctioned with remarks.	28th April, „ 1735, Mis.
Interest realised on Government promissory note.—Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, informed with remarks that the, should not be refunded to credit merchants in cash save in certain special cases.	1st July, „ 2730, Mis.
The renewal of grant of credit to certain defaulting credit merchants of Masulipatam, sanctioned with remarks.	18th Aug., „ 3465, Mis.

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CREDIT—*cont.*	
Mr. H. C. Sherman, Inspector, Tuticorin Circle, authorised to grant credits up to Rs. 2,000.	29th Oct., No. 4518, Mis.
Karachi municipal debentures.—Copy of Government Order informing Messrs. Simson and Brothers that the Government of India has declined to interfere in their behalf in the matter of their memorial regarding the deposit of, for salt credits, forwarded to the Accountant-General, Madras, with the request to favour his opinion again on the subject.	19th Nov., ,, 4782, Mis.
CRIME.	
Government money reported to have been stolen from the tent of the Inspector, Cochin frontier, No. I Circle.—Government Order sanctioning the writing off the sum of Rs. 7-1-3 being the, communicated to the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, and instructions as to the way in which boxes containing cash or other valuables should be secured in future, issued.	15th Jan., ,, 14.
Kistna.—Letter from the Collector reporting the number of cases of tree-foot sales prosecuted and convicted in the district in 1894-95, recorded.	23rd ,, ,, 351, Mis.
North Arcot.—Orders passed on letters from the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, in the matter of a case of illicit distillation and assault in the Naliamadu village, Wallaja taluk.	13th Feb., ,, 671, Mis.
Letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, reporting on the detection of an opium case by Mr. White officer in charge of the Tadpatri distillery, recorded.	9th Mar., ,, 1017, Mis.
Salt and abkári cases disposed of by the Magistracy in the Madras Presidency during the calendar year 1895.—Two statements of, forwarded to the Inspector-General of Police, Madras.—Two supplemental statements of, forwarded to the Inspector-General of Police, Madras.	29th April, ,, 1701, Mis. 10th Aug., ,, 3349, Mis.
Return of offences against the Salt Laws.—The Assistant Superintendent of Police in charge of the Jeypore district informed that the submission of the, may be discontinued.	6th May, ,, 1883, Mis.
Cases of smuggling of dutiable goods detected at the time of the importers crossing the lines of French frontier.—Certain officers of the Salt, Abkári and Customs Department instructed that, should be dealt with under the Land Customs Act.—Certain officers of the Salt, Abkári and Customs Department instructed that, though not dealt with departmentally, should be entered in P.-21 but should not appear in P.-22.	8th July, ,, 268. 7th Nov., ,, 445.
Anantapur.—Letter from the Collector of, reporting the number of abkári cases that ended in conviction in the Head Assistant Collector's division during 1895-96, recorded.	8th July, ,, 2863, Mis.
Gódávari.—The Collector of, requested to forward a copy of the Chódavaramu Sub-Magistrate's judgment in a certain opium case and to submit two copies of the opium license forms in use at the time in the agency tracts of the district.	14th ,, ,, 2964, Mis.

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A certain case of murder at Humma.—Endorsement of the Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, submitting a report on, in which Acting Assistant Inspector Mr. McMurray was suspected to have been concerned, recorded with remark.	21st July, No. 3090, Mis.
Connection between crime and grain prices.—Government Order recording, with remark, letter from the Inspector-General of Prisons forwarding statements and diagrams illustrating the, communicated to all Deputy and Assistant Commissioners.	21st „ „ 292.
Assault on Assistant Inspector M.R.Ry. Koman Nair and certain others on the 15th October 1895 in the Puthoor amshom.—Certain explanation in the matter of an, called for.	7th Aug., „ 3294, Mis.
Vinukonda Circle.—Copy of letter from the Assistant Inspector reporting on a certain assault made on him by some of the inhabitants of the Kaja village, recorded pending receipt of the further report promised.	8th „ „ 3389, Mis.
Certain cases detected on house searches made without warrants.—Copy of proceedings of the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, on letter from the Assistant Commissioner, Arcot Sub-division, requesting orders as to the disposal of, recorded with remarks.	11th Sept., „ 3877, Mis.
Duration of cases.—Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, informed that his views that the, should be calculated from the date of the receipt of the occurrence report by the Inspector is correct.	20th Oct., „ 4377, Mis.
Salt crime and the way in which it is dealt with in certain circles in their divisions.—Deputy Commissioners, Central and Southern Divisions, requested to make a special enquiry into the circumstances connected with, and the attention of the Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, and all Assistant Commissioners drawn to the importance of studying the special circumstances of areas in which crime is abnormal without any sufficient cause.	23rd „ „ 428.
Murder of a peon of the Tinnevelly Circle.—Letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, reporting on the, submitted for the information of Government, and further report from the Deputy Commissioner in connection with the, awaited.—Government Order thereon, recorded.	24th „ „ 4422, Mis. 12th Nov., „ 4718, Mis.
Cases of bonâ fide travellers taking with them across the frontier of British territory less than 20 tolas of salt.—Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, informed that, are not offences and should not be entered in P.-21.	13th „ „ 454.
CUSTOMS AND TRADE.	
Annual report regarding the mills in the several districts.—Government Order regarding the preparation of an, and issuing instructions on the subject, communicated to certain Collectors.—The dates on which Collectors' reports under the Cotton Duties Act should reach the Collector of Sea Customs, Madras, and on which the latter officer's report should reach the Board, fixed.—Report of the Collector of Sea Customs, Madras, on the working of the Cotton	8th Jan., „ 1. 13th Feb., „ 63. 29th July, „ 300. 7th Nov., „ 4630, Mis.

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Duties Act for the fifteen months ending 31st March 1896, submitted with remarks.—Certain alterations made in the figures of duty entered in the Cotton Duties administration report of the Collector of Sea Customs, Madras, and the cause of the difference between the Board's and Collector's figures of the quantity of yarn produced in the mills, explained.	
Imports of cotton goods into British India from Travancore and Cochin.—Government Order recording Board's Proceedings submitting to Government the report called for regarding the, recorded.	8th Jan., No. 60, Mis.
Exempting from re-measurement for tonnage certain ships belonging to the United States of America.—Government Order, Revenue Department, on Government Order, Marine Department, communicating despatch from the Secretary of State forwarding copy of Her Majesty's order in Council, recorded.—Government Order, Revenue Department, on Government Order, Marine Department, communicating Government of India order forwarding copy of certain orders of Her Majesty in Council, communicated to the Collectors of all the Maritime districts.	8th „ „ 62, Mis. 15th „ „ 9.
Variations in the valuations and rates of the Travancore as compared with those of the British Indian Tariff.—Government Order, Revenue Department, recording endorsement of the Political Department transferring to the Revenue Department letter from the Resident in Travancore and Cochin stating that the, were due to the Dewan's office having adopted the schedule appended to the Bill to amend the Tariff Act as originally introduced instead of that attached to the Act as finally passed, recorded.	9th „ „ 8.
Goods imported from French Settlements by Land into British India and thence re-exported to foreign ports.—Stated that the Board concurs with the Collector of South Arcot in considering that there is no provision for granting drawback on.—A reference from Government regarding the grant of drawback on goods imported by land from Pondicherry and re-exported to foreign ports, referred to the Collector of South Arcot for report.—Government Order informing Messrs. Harvey and Company that their petition regarding the grant of drawback on goods has been referred to the Board of Revenue for report and that it may be necessary to address the Government of India on the subject on receipt of the Board's report, recorded.—Letter from the Collector of South Arcot stating that the course suggested by Government for the transport of cotton goods through British territory from Pondicherry in bond for exportation at Tuticorin may be adopted, submitted to Government with remarks.—Government Order addressing the Government of India on the question of transporting cotton goods through British territory from Pondicherry in bond for exportation at Tuticorin, recorded.—Government Order communicating letter from the Government of India sanctioning the proposals for the transport of cotton goods from Pondicherry in bond for exportation at Tuticorin, communicated to Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, and Assistant Commissioners, Negapatam and Tinnevelly Subdivisions, for information and guidance.—The query of the Collector of South Arcot whether the sanction of the	10th „ „ 142, Mis 17th Feb., „ 638, Mis. 3rd Mar., „ 837, Mis. 5th April, „ 1454, Mis. 11th June, „ 2445, Mis. 4th July, „ 252. 21st „ „ 3081, Mis. 23rd „ „ 3087, Mis. 10th Aug., „ 3383, Mis. 2nd Sept., „ 3670, Mis. 21st „ „ 3983, Mis. 9th Oct., „ 4207, Mis. 30th „ „ 4533, Mis. 16th Nov., „ 4738, Mis. 8th Dec., „ 5076, Mis.

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proposals for the transport of cotton goods from Pondicherry in bond for exportation at Tuticorin applies also to the grant of drawback on goods which have already been sent from Pondicherry to Tuticorin and thence exported by sea, answered in the affirmative.—Stated that the Board considers that the drawback on cotton goods transported from Pondicherry in bond for exportation at Tuticorin should be paid in the South Arcot district on proof of export.—Board's Proceedings, Mis. No. 3087, dated 23rd July 1896, recorded by Government.—The report called for with reference to the complaint of Messrs. A. and F. Harvey against the orders issued by the Collector of South Arcot in carrying out the orders of Government regarding the removal of all unnecessary fiscal restrictions on the transport of cotton goods from Pondicherry into British territory for shipment at Tuticorin, submitted to Government.—Government Order expressing concurrence in the Board's remarks in Board's Proceedings, Mis. No. 3670, dated 2nd September 1896, communicated to the Collectors of South Arcot and Tinnevelly.—Declined with remarks to reconsider the orders already passed in Board's Proceedings, Mis. No. 3670, dated 2nd September 1896, and approved by Government.—The rules proposed by the Collector of South Arcot in connection with the transport of cotton goods from Pondicherry to Tuticorin for shipment, approved, and the alterations to be made in the form of bond revised by the Government Solicitor, pointed out.—Copy of form of bond as revised by the Government Solicitor, forwarded to the Collector of South Arcot, and a form of certificate to be annexed to Rule 7 of the rules on the subject, prescribed.—The refund of Rs. 306-14-11 being the duty paid on cotton goods by Messrs. Harvey and Company transported from Pondicherry to Tuticorin for shipment, sanctioned with remarks as a special case.	
Landing of goods under section 85 of the Sea Customs Act if the custody of goods is transferred to the Harbour Trust Board.—A reference from Government as to the mode of overcoming the difficulty with regard to the referred to the Collector of Sea Customs, Madras, for report.—Report called for as to the mode of overcoming the difficulty in the, submitted to Government.—Government Order referring to the Honourable the Advocate-General for opinion papers regarding the, recorded.	20th Jan., No. 248, Mis. 26th June, „ 2692, Mis. 19th Aug., „ 3520, Mis.
Government Order recording Board's Proceedings informing Government that the increase in the receipts under Land Customs exports during 1894-95 is due to a good rice crop in the Tanjore district and to consequent large exports to Ceylon *viâ* Karikal, recorded.	17th Jan., „ 295, Mis.
Tea seed.—Letter from the Director-General of Statistics calling for information regarding the exports of, communicated to the Collectors of Maritime districts with instructions.—Instructions of the Government of India that the exports of, to foreign countries should be specified in future in the trade returns under "Seeds" after the sub-head "Rape" and before "Til or jinjili," communicated to the Collectors of Maritime districts.	24th „ „ 28. 11th May, „ 185.
Tanjore.—Collector informed that the amins at the chowkies on the Karikal frontier should be instructed to give effect at once to the notification allowing goods to pass by night as well as by day through the chowkies.	28th Jan., „ 327, Mis.

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Printed lists showing the percentage of proof spirit in wines tested in the Madras Custom House from the 16th November to 15th December 1895, distributed.—Printed lists from the 16th December 1895 to the 15th January 1896, distributed.—Printed lists from the 16th January to the 15th February 1896, distributed.—Printed lists from the 16th February to the 15th March 1896, distributed.—Printed lists from the 16th March to the 15th April 1896, distributed.—Printed lists from the 16th April to the 15th May 1896, distributed.—Printed lists from the 16th May to the 15th June 1896, distributed.—Printed lists from the 16th June to the 15th July 1896, distributed.—An erratum for the list from the 16th June to the 15th July 1896, circulated, and the Collector of Sea Customs informed that the monthly lists may in future be printed and distributed by his office.—Printed lists from the 16th July to the 15th August 1896, distributed.	27th Jan., No. 358, Mis. 10th April, „ 1438, Mis. 14th „ „ 1485, Mis. 21st „ „ 1572, Mis. 5th May, „ 1845, Mis. 18th June, „ 2542, Mis. 10th July, „ 2850, Mis. 13th Aug., „ 3402, Mis. 2nd Sept., „ 3700, Mis. 14th „ „ 3879, Mis.
Certain goods imported from Calcutta and Bombay.—Collector of South Canara informed that the course prescribed in section 162 of the Sea Customs Act should have been adopted in regard to, and that the goods in the first case mentioned in the letter may be disposed of in the manner suggested by the Collector.	27th Jan., „ 450, Mis.
"*Bran, fodder and cattle food of all kinds*" and "*Bristles and fibre for brushes and brooms.*"—Letter from the Government of India suggesting the separate specification of, in the returns of imports and exports by sea from and to foreign countries, communicated to the Collectors of Maritime districts.—Letter from the Government of India stating that hay and straw should not be included in the heading "Fodder, bran and cattle food of all kinds" in the returns of the sea-borne trade and suggesting that the index word of the latter heading should be "Fodder" and not "Bran," communicated to the Collectors of Maritime districts.	30th Jan., „ 32. 10th Mar., „ 101.
A case of labels imported by Messrs. Ramford and Company.—Collector of Sea Customs, Madras, informed that there is no ground for detaining, as was done by the Collector, and the petitioners referred to the Collector.	3rd Feb., „ 453, Mis.
Rosewater.—Government Order communicating Government of India endorsement forwarding a notification fixing the tariff valuation for, communicated to the Collector of Sea Customs, Madras.	6th „ „ 48.
A case of cotton goods landed Ex S.S. "Clan Sinclair".—Collector of Sea Customs, Madras, informed that the sale-proceeds of, may be paid to Messrs. Gordon, Woodroffe and Company if the firm executes an indemnity bond.	6th „ „ 515, Mis.
Supervision necessary over the shipment and landing of goods in the case of general pass steamers.—The orders of the Collector of Gódávari as to the amount of, approved.—Collector of Gódávari informed that his proposals to ship free goods to general pass and other steamers without customs supervision and out of office hours may be carried out under sections 70 and 72 of the Sea Customs Act and that a certain note may be added to Rule 1 of the rules sanctioned in Board's Proceedings, Mis. No. 564, dated 10th February 1896.	10th „ „ 564, Mis. 1st May, „ 1802, Mis.

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Seed lac.—Collectors of Maritime districts informed that, should be shown separately under Lac in the trade returns of exports by sea to other countries.	13th Feb., No. 621, Mis.
Importations from Germany and Switzerland of hanks of Turkey-red yarn of lengths less than the prescribed minimum.—Endorsement from Government on Government of India letter requesting to ascertain and report whether hanks of Turkey-red yarns of the lengths mentioned in the memorial of certain firms of Scotch dyers are imported into India from Germany and Switzerland.—Reported to Government that there have been no, and that therefore no necessity for fresh regulations in the matter has arisen in this Presidency.—Government Order ordering to be forwarded to the Government of India the report called for regarding the alleged, recorded.—Government Order communicating resolution of the Government of India regarding the, communicated to the Collectors of all the Maritime districts for information and guidance.	15th „ „ 637, Mis. 2nd Mar., „ 817, Mis. 20th „ „ 126. 8th Oct., „ 406.
Foreign trade.—The proposal of the Chamber of Commerce to re-open to the port of Badagara which has been declared to be a port for carrying on coasting trade with customs ports only, recommended to Government.—Government Order approving and ordering the publication in the *Fort St. George Gazette* of the draft notification declaring Badagara to be a port for the shipment and landing of goods, communicated to the Collector of Malabar and to the Honorary Secretary, Malabar Chamber of Commerce.	17th Feb., „ 644, Mis. 6th Mar., „ 930, Mis.
Collecting godown rent on iron imported from foreign countries and stored in the iron yard on the beach.—Report from the Collector of Sea Customs, Madras, called for with a view to know whether Government continues to lose by the existing arrangement of, submitted to Government with remarks.—Government Order recording Board's Proceedings, Mis. No. 667, with the remark that a similar report should be submitted for the six months ending 30th June 1896, communicated to the Collector of Sea Customs, Madras.—The report of the Collector of Sea Customs, Madras, for the six months ending 30th June 1896 on the collection of godown-rent on iron, submitted to Government.—Government Order recording, with remark, Board's Proceedings, Mis. No. 3061, dated 21st July 1896, communicated to the Collector of Sea Customs, Madras, with the remark that the further report called for by Government should be submitted at the end of June 1897.—Government Order calling upon the Board of Revenue to report whether it is not possible to abolish the existing system of levying godown-rent on iron stored in the customs yards and to substitute instead the ground-rent system, referred to the Collector of Sea Customs, Madras, for very early report.	14th Feb., „ 667, Mis. 27th Mar., „ 1355, Mis. 21st July, „ 3061, Mis. 24th Aug., „ 3584, Mis. 5th Dec., „ 5060, Mis.
The report called for regarding the request of certain merchants of Pondicherry to authorise the Consular Agent at Pondicherry to telegraph to Calcutta or Rangoon the contents of certificates to prove the British Indian origin of goods exported to those ports from Pondicherry, submitted to Government.—Government Order agreeing with the Board that the proper course for the Pondicherry merchants is to make the necessary representation to the customs authorities at Calcutta and Rangoon, recorded.	13th Feb, „ 668, Mis. 10th Mar., „ 1011, Mis.

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Exempting from re-measurement for tonnage certain ships belonging to the Kingdom of Denmark.—Government Order, Revenue Department, on the resolution of the Government of India, communicated to the Collectors of all the Maritime districts.	18th Feb., No. 60.
Bill of entry.—Collector of Sea Customs, Madras, informed that the date of entry in the case reported for orders is the 24th January on which the, was presented and the procedure to be adopted in future on receipt of a, prescribed.	20th „ „ 700, Mis.
Classification of certain articles (heads or skins of animals stuffed, mounted or unmounted; also skulls and horns and skeletons of animals, mounted, and skins, unstuffed) for the purposes of the statistics of trade.—Government Order communicating letter from the Director-General of Statistics suggesting for adoption, communicated to the Collectors of all the Maritime districts.	24th „ „ 69.
Articles grouped in No. 113 of the Tariff schedule.—Letter from the Government of India requesting that all the, may be separately specified in return No. 10–3 (District return No. 2–2) with effect from the 1st of April 1896, communicated to the Collectors of all the Maritime districts.	28th „ „ 77.
Fiscal restrictions on trade between the French territory and British India.—Stated that the Collector of South Arcot may inform the Chamber of Commerce, Pondicherry, that it should make the necessary representation regarding the removal of, through the French Government.	9th Mar., „ 956, Mis.
Registration of trade marks at the Custom House.—Proposal of the Collector of Sea Customs, Madras, to allow the, on payment of a fee of one rupee, submitted for the approval of Government.—Government Order approving the proposal to allow the, communicated to the Collector of Sea Customs, Madras.—Letter from the Collector of Sea Customs, Madras, suggesting that the fact that registration of trade marks has been allowed in Madras may be brought to the notice of the Government of India, submitted to Government with remarks.	9th „ „ 960, Mis. 30th „ „ 136. 3rd Dec., „ 4991, Mis.
Names of certain grains, classed in the sub-head "Other sorts" under grain and pulse in the monthly and annual statements of imports and exports by sea (foreign and coasting) furnished to the Government of India.	16th Mar., „ 1102, Mis.
Re-exports to Yanam along the Coringa river.—The Collector of Gódávari informed that no drawback can be granted on, as trade by that route cannot be considered to be trade by sea.	17th „ „ 1124, Mis.
Certain bottles of French brandy imported by Messrs. McDowell and Company Ex S.S. "Chusan" from London on which the country of origin is not indicated.—Letter from the Collector of Sea Customs, Madras, requesting orders on the question of passing, submitted with remarks for the orders of Government.—Government Order addressing the Governments of Bengal and Bombay in view to the practice obtaining in those presidencies in regard to the enforcement of the provisions of clause (*e*) of section 10 of Act IV of 1889 being ascertained, recorded.—Government Order stating that the	21st „ „ 1245, Mis. 19th May, „ 2069, Mis. 3rd Sept., „ 3711, Mis.

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question of passing, should be disposed of in accordance with certain recent instructions of Government of India, communicated to the Collector of Sea Custom, Madras, with an expression of the Board's opinion.	
Madalapet sayer station.—Letter from the Collector of South Arcot requesting sanction for passing goods during night time through, and the Collector's proposal to strengthen the establishment at that station, recommended.—Government Order ordering the publication in the *Fort St. George Gazette* drafts notification under section 13 of the Land Customs Act (VI of 1844), as amended by Act II of 1893, notifying that all classes of goods shall be allowed to pass into or out of the French Settlement of Pondicherry, by night as well as by day through, and approving the Board's recommendation in regard to the additional establishment required, communicated to the Collector of South Arcot, Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, and Assistant Commissioner, Negapatam Sub-division.	20th Mar., No. 1246, Mis. 5th June, ,, 217.
Government Order on letter from the Government of India stating that, though the detail of cotton yarn by counts in the returns of the sea-borne trade is not necessary for fiscal purposes, it is required for statistical purposes and should be continued, communicated to the Collectors of all the Maritime districts.	25th Mar., ,, 128.
A consignment of empty bottles of German manufacture imported on behalf of Messrs. Ramsay and Company with the name of the firm impressed on them without any indication of the country origin.—Stated that the Board does not see how to admit, as recommended by the Collector of Sea Customs, Madras.	26th April, ,, 1641, Mis.
Ripe chillies.—Collector of Gódávari informed that, must be classed under "Fresh fruits and vegetables not separately enumerated" in item 3 in schedule IV of the Tariff Act and be passed free.	28th ,, ,, 1717, Mis.
Classification of certain grains.—Letter from the Government of India regarding the, communicated to the Collectors of Maritime districts with the request that they will furnish the necessary memoranda of alterations for each month from April 1895 as early as possible.—Letter from the Government of India suggesting that cow gram and green gram may be classed as pulse in the head "Grain and pulse" with effect from the 1st April 1896, communicated to the Collectors of all the Maritime districts.	1st May, ,, 166. 3rd June, ,, 208.
Trade descriptions which should be affixed under the Indian Merchandise Marks Act IV of 1889 on packages containing adulterated goods such as oils, turpentine and paints.—Suggested to Government that a reference be made to the Government of India in order that the practice of amending the, may be made uniform in the ports of Calcutta, Madras and Bombay.—Correspondence on the complaint of Messrs. Blundell, Spencer and Company upon the subject, recorded with reference to Board's Proceedings, Mis. No. 1800, dated 1st May 1896.—Government Order addressing the Government of India, recorded.—Government Order communicating the decision of the Government of India on the question as to the, communicated to the Collectors of all the Maritime districts for information and guidance.	1st May, ,, 1800, Mis. 12th ,, ,, 1976, Mis. 9th June, ,, 2415, Mis. 24th Oct., ,, 431.

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Common clay.—Letter from the Government of India suggesting that, should in future be classified under "All other articles unmanufactured," communicated to the Collectors of all the Maritime districts.	7th May, No. 177.
Weaving mills.—Collectors of Bellary, Madura, Tinnevelly, Coimbatore and Malabar requested to make further enquiries and report whether there are any, in their districts.—Reported to Government that the Board is satisfied after making further enquiry that no mills except two in Madras weave cloth.	7th ,, ,, 178. 4th Sept., ,, 3717, Mis.
Reckoning the contents of kerosine-oil cans for levying import duty thereon.—A reference from the Government of India as to the practice in force at Madras in the matter of, communicated to the Collector of Madras, for early report.—Report of the Collector of Madras submitted to Government with remarks.—Letter from the Collector of Madras stating that each consignment of kerosine-oil imported at the Madras port is tested as explained by him in his previous letter, submitted to Government.—Board's Proceedings, Mis. No. 2313, dated 3rd June 1896, recorded by Government.—Government Order recording Government of India reminder regarding the question of, recorded.—Government Order ordering that the Government of India be addressed on the practice obtaining at the Madras port in regard to, recorded.—Government Order communicating the decision of the Government of India on the question of, and determining the number of cases that should be tested on each occasion, communicated to the Collector of Sea Customs, Madras, and to the Collectors of all other Maritime districts for information and guidance.	9th May, ,, 1934, Mis. 3rd June, ,, 2313, Mis. 13th ,, ,, 2474, Mis. 22nd ,, ,, 2605, Mis. 24th ,, ,, 2679, Mis. 9th July, ,, 2907, Mis. 21st Oct., ,, 426.
Dutiable goods passing from English to English villages.—The action of the Collector of South Arcot in issuing orders to revert to the system of granting A form passes to each cart of, approved, and the petitioners informed that the necessary orders have been issued by the Collector in their case.—Board's Proceedings, Mis. No. 2086, dated 20th May 1896, recorded by Government.	20th May, ,, 2086, Mis. 24th June, ,, 2680, Mis.
Exempting from re-measurement for tonnage certain merchant ships of the German Empire.—Government Order, Revenue Department, on Government Order, Marine Department, ordering to be published in the Fort St. George and Maritime District Gazettes despatch from the Secretary of State forwarding copy of Her Majesty's order in Council, recorded.	18th May, ,, 2098, Mis.
Cases of undervalued goods in which the sales were adjourned or delayed or in which goods were brought in under section 32 of the Sea Customs Act VIII of 1878.—A statement showing the, during the official year 1895-96, submitted to Government.—Statement recorded by Government.	23rd ,, ,, 2153, Mis. 19th June, ,, 2576, Mis.
Working of the Indian Merchandise Marks Act for 1895-96.—Letter from the Collector of Tanjore submitting report on the, recorded.—Report on the, submitted to Government.—Government Order ordering that Board's Proceedings submitting report on the, be forwarded to the Government of India, recorded.—An erratum to Board's Proceedings, No. 297, dated 27th July 1896, submitted to	22nd May, ,, 2174, Mis. 27th July, ,, 297. 24th Aug., ,, 3599, Mis. 12th Sept., ,, 3861, Mis. 17th Nov., ,, 460.

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Government.—Government Order communicating resolution of the Government of India reviewing the reports on the, communicated to the Collector of Sea Customs, Madras, and to the Collectors of all other Maritime districts.	
Extension of time for clearing eighty cases of brandy asked for by Messrs. Oakes and Company.—Collector of Sea Customs, Madras, informed that the, is granted on condition of their paying interest.	27th May, No. 2195, Mis.
Cotton manufactures.—Letter from the Government of India stating that the distinction under "Thread sewing" in the head, between thread on reels or cards and thread in skeins or balls is no longer necessary, communicated to the Collectors of all the Maritime districts.	2nd June, „ 207.
Inconvenience and loss caused to the trade of the French Possessions in India by the action taken under the Tariff Act.—A further report from the Collector of South Arcot on Monsieur J. Chailly Bert's complaint regarding the, called for.—The report called for on Monsieur J. Chailly Bert's complaint regarding the, submitted to Government.—Government Order concurring generally in the remarks of the Collector of South Arcot and the Board of Revenue on certain allegations made by Monsieur J. Chailly Bert about the, communicated to the Collectors of South Arcot, Malabar and Gódávari, and the Collectors of Malabar and Gódávari requested to submit the reports called for in paragraph 2 of the Government Order.	19th „ „ 2556, Mis. 7th Oct., „ 4152, Mis. 20th Nov., „ 467.
"*Liqueurs.*"—Government Order communicating letter from the Government of India, Statistical Bureau, requesting to issue instructions to the Customs officers to class, in the monthly and annual returns of the sea-borne trade as "Spirits" and not as "Wines," &c., communicated with remarks to all Collectors of Maritime districts.—Certain instructions regarding the classification of, in the abstract classifying the collections of import duty, issued to the Collectors of Maritime districts with the request to furnish the Board as well as the Accountant-General, Madras, with figures for the past months of the current official year with reference to those instructions.—Collectors of Maritime districts requested to submit by return post corrections for the classification of, in the returns for 1895–96 in accordance with the instructions issued in Board's Proceedings, No. 248, dated 2nd July 1896.—The Director-General of Statistics informed that corrections for classification of, in the returns for 1895–96 were not called for as the instructions were understood to apply only to the returns from April 1896 and that the information will now be called for and submitted.—The Collectors of Ganjám, Kistna and Malabar requested to wire reply to Board's Proceedings, No. 248, dated 2nd July 1896.	2nd July, „ 248. 1st Aug., „ 3225, Mis. 4th „ „ 307. 4th „ „ 3254, Mis. 10th „ „ 3384, Mis.
Classification, for tariff purposes, of certain articles which, though manufactured of cotton, might reasonably be classed under other heads of the tariff.—Government Order communicating instructions from the Government of India in regard to the, communicated to the Collectors of all the Maritime districts for information and guidance.	6th July, „ 261.

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Steam tramway constructed between Tezpur and Balipora, Assam.—Government Order communicating Government of India notification declaring that, with effect from 27th December 1894, the, shall be included in the term "Railway" for the purposes of the Indian Tariff Act.	8th July, No. 270.
Collecting duty on goods shipped from one British Indian Customs port to another.—Collector of Kistna informed that the action of the Port officer, Masulipatam, in, was objectionable and that the Port officer should be warned.	14th ,, ,, 2927, Mis.
"*Leather lacing.*"—Government Order communicating Government of India communication stating that, should be taxed as "Leather" under No. 70 of schedule IV of the Indian Tariff Act, communicated to the Collectors of all the Maritime districts.	15th ,, ,, 274.
Iron plates, iron angle and iron rivets imported as sections of iron tanks or drums.—Government Order on endorsement of the Government of India forwarding copy of correspondence regarding the question of liability to customs duty of, communicated to the Collectors of all the Maritime districts.	11th ,, ,, 275.
Trade Volume for 1895-96.—Five copies of the introductory remarks to the, submitted to the Government of India.	16th ,, ,, 279.
Racks for the withering of tea leaf.—Government Order communicating Government of India endorsement forwarding copy of notification exempting, from import duty, communicated to the Collectors of all the Maritime districts for information and guidance.	21st ,, ,, 290.
Removal of goods from the mill to a warehouse at a distance from it.—The question of whether the Cotton Duties Act II of 1896 requires customs supervision to be exercised over the, submitted for the decision of Government.—Government Order passing orders on the question, communicated to the Collector of Sea Customs, Madras, for information and guidance.	20th Aug., ,, 3582, Mis. 20th Oct., ,, 423.
Information required under Customs for chapter V of the Presidency administration report for 1895-96, and a statement of coin and bullion imported in the year, furnished to the Accountant-General.	11th Sept., ,, 3846, Mis.
Yanam.—Collector of Gódávari requested to report what the Sea Customs arrangements with regard to, are.	11th ,, ,, 3863, Mis.
Messrs. Hope, Prudhomme and Company Madras.—Interference on behalf of, in the matter of their petition appealing against the order of the Collector of Sea Customs, Madras, imposing fine for importing certain cases of gilt silver thread under a false trade description, declined.	19th ,, ,, 3952, Mis.
"*Contracts*" *or* "*Sale notes*" *between merchants and their buyers.*—A report on Messrs. T. A. Taylor and Company's memorial to the Government of India praying for a ruling that the, when available should be accepted as proof of the "real value" of goods in case of dispute, submitted to Government.—Government Order ordering the memorial to be forwarded to the Government of India, recorded.	20th ,, ,, 3998, Mis. 16th Nov., ,, 4886, Mis.

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CUSTOMS AND TRADE—*cont.*	1896.
Dynamos and accumulators.—Government Order communicating endorsement of the Government of India on correspondence purporting that, are chargeable with import duty unless they form part of machinery intended for the special purposes mentioned in (*a*) to (*p*) under article 14 of schedule IV of the Indian Tariff Act, communicated to the Collectors of Maritime districts for information and guidance.	21st Sept., No. 373.
Japanese copper.—Government Order communicating a decision of the Government of India that the stamping of, with English letters is not, if unaccompanied by an indication of origin, an infringement of section 10 (1) (*e*) of the Indian Merchandise Marks Act of 1889, communicated to the Collectors of all the Maritime districts for information and guidance.	28th ,, ,, 412.
Certain cases of bicycles imported by the members of the Madras Trades' Association.—Petition from the Madras Trades' Association appealing against the Collector's order detaining, and claiming duty on an arbitrary valuation made by the Custom House authorities, referred to the Collector of Sea Customs, Madras, for early report.	2nd Oct., ,, 4117, Mis.
Tanjore.—The Collector of, requested to report the authority under which a certain consignment of twenty cases of wine was imported free of duty at Negapatam.	8th ,, ,, 4205, Mis.
Manuscript notes relating to trade and a copy of the trade review for 1895–96, submitted to Government.	16th Oct., ,, 4324, Mis.
Mukkin Kena Mahomed Moideen Thambi and others. — Stated that the Collector of Madura may inform, that Government has decided not to close Tondi and Kilakarai to foreign trade.	24th ,, ,, 4481, Mis.
Galvanized hoop iron.—Letter from the Collector of Sea Customs, Madras, proposing that the Government of India be addressed in view to fixing the tariff value on, submitted to Government.—Government Order stating that the Government of India will be addressed, communicated to the Collector of Sea Customs, Madras, and his attention drawn to the remarks of Government that in the case of, duty should be calculated on the tariff valuation of Rs. 122 per ton as in the case of ungalvanized hoop iron, and any excess collected should be refunded.	31st ,, ,, 4534, Mis. 5th Dec., ,, 5043, Mis.
Chemical manures.—Government Order calling for information regarding the imports of, in the last ten years and the use of nitrate of soda or any other chemical manure for making nitric acid or in any other manufacture, communicated to Collectors for report upon the points.	13th Nov., ,, 4736, Mis.
Tuticorin Custom House.—The report called for regarding the arrangements to be made in the, in connection with improved passenger and mail service with Ceylon, submitted to Government.	16th ,, ,, 4760, Mis.
Hardware and cutlery.—Government Order communicating letter from the Government of India intimating that in the monthly and annual returns of the sea-borne foreign import trade, should be stated in more detail than at present from the 1st November 1896, communicated to the Collectors of all the Maritime districts.	29th ,, ,, 474.

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CUSTOMS AND TRADE—*cont.*	
Statement showing the description of unspecified goods entered as "Other sorts" under "Grey (unbleached)," "white (bleached)," and colored, printed, or dyed in the returns of imports from foreign countries for 1895-96, submitted to the Director-General of Statistics (Statistical Bureau), Government of India, Calcutta.	30th Nov., No. 4912, Mis.
Tariff for porterage at Tuticorin.—Government Order, Revenue Department, communicating Proceedings of the Marine Department approving the proposal to fix a, and the rate suggested, and requesting the Presidency Port Officer to submit a draft notification, communicated to the Collector of Tinnevelly.	27th ,, ,, 4949, Mis.
Calicut pier.—Letter from the Collector of Malabar reporting on the advisability of resuming control of the, and of putting it in thorough repair, submitted to Government, Marine Department.—Government Order, Revenue Department, on Government Order, Marine Department, requesting that the Collector of Malabar be called on in the Revenue Department to expedite the reports required regarding the repairs of the, recorded.	3rd Dec., ,, 5013, Mis. 3rd ,, ,, 5014, Mis.
The percentage of imported packages to be examined by Customs officers, fixed a register to show the number of packages of each sort in each bill of entry and the number opened for examination prescribed; suggested to Government that the Ceylon Government be requested to forward to the Board copies of export returns published during the last two years and stated the Board agrees in the opinion of the Collector of Tinnevelly that the proposal that all boats landing free cargo at private jetties at Tuticorin should first touch at the Government jetty may be abandoned.	5th ,, ,, 485.
"*Storax including liquid storax (rose melloes).*"—Government Order on the letter from the Director-General of Statistics suggesting the specification under "Drugs and medicines" of, in the monthly and annual returns of imports from foreign countries with effect from 1st April 1896, communicated to the Collectors of all the Maritime districts.	14th ,, ,, 505.
Bottles of olive oil shipped by Mr. J. T. Morton, London to Madras, labelled "Fine Sublime Olive Oil."—Endorsement of Government on petition from Mr. J. T. Morton, London, requesting the advise of Government in the matter of the objection raised by the Collector of Sea Customs to the, referred to the Collector of Sea Customs, Madras, for early report.	14th ,, ,, 5263, Mis.
Notification declaring that the entries "Copper Australian" and "Copper Japan" shall be eliminated from No. 15 of schedule IV to the Indian Tariff Act as amended.—Government Order on endorsement of the Government of India forwarding a copy of its, communicated to the Collectors of all the Maritime districts for information and guidance.	17th ,, ,, 512.
CHARGES.	
ORISSA.	
A refund of Rs. 1,577-6-8 on account of establishment charges of the Bág Khán and Timur göllahs, sanctioned, and the vouchers returned duly passed for encashment to the Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division.	4th Feb., ,, 531, Mis.

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CHARGES—*cont.*	1896.
ORISSA—*cont.*	
Balasore Sub-division.—Copy of proceedings of the Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, sanctioning the purchase of certain articles provided in the extra charges statement of the, for 1896–97, recorded. — Copy of proceedings of the Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, sanctioning the purchase of a tin cover case for the use of the Assistant Commissioner, recorded. — Copy of proceedings of the Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, sanctioning an additional sum of Rs. 36 on account of extra charges of the, for 1896–97, recorded with remarks.—Letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, explaining the circumstances under which an additional sum of Rs. 36 was again sanctioned in the extra charges statement of the, for 1896–97, recorded.	29th May, No. 2255, Mis. 1st June, „ 2302, Mis. 19th Sept., „ 3960, Mis. 16th Nov., „ 4830, Mis.
Balasore, Basudebpur and Machgaon Circles.—A sum of Rs. 30 for the purchase of fire-hooks and buckets for the, sanctioned.	2nd Sept., „ 3658, Mis.
CRIME.	
Complicity of certain officers of the Salt Department in a certain case of the alleged abuse of the Salt Laws in the Balasore Circle.—Copy of a report from the Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, regarding the, forwarded to the Secretary to the Board of Revenue (Lower Provinces).	10th Jan., „ 103, Mis.
Fall in detection of cases.—The explanation of Mr. H. J. Simpson for the, accepted with remarks.	4th June, „ 2345, Mis.
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DAMAGE.	
Surlá Circle.—Copy of letter from the Inspector, to the Assistant Commissioner, Chatrapur Sub-division, reporting that a hurricane blew over the factory on the night previous to 9th May 1896 and caused some damages, recorded.	16th May, „ 2167, Mis.
Kuppili factory.—Endorsement of the Inspector, Konada Circle, submitting copy of letter from the Assistant Inspector reporting on the damages done to the factory by the rains on the 21st April 1896, recorded.—Copy of letter from the Inspector, Konada Circle, reporting on the damages done to the, by the rain of the 9th May 1896, recorded.	19th „ „ 2166, Mis. 27th „ „ 2259, Mis.
Pandraka factory.—Letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, reporting on the damages caused by storm to the salt works, &c., at the, on the night of the 14th May last, recorded.	6th June, „ 2393, Mis.
Surlá.—Copy of letter from the Inspector, Surlá, Circle, to the Assistant Commissioner, Chatrapur Sub-division, reporting on the damages done to the store-shed at, recorded.	23rd „ „ 2627, Mis.
Ponnáni Salt gollah.—Copy of letter from the Inspector, Ponnáni Circle, to the Assistant Commissioner, Calicut Sub-division, reporting on the damages caused to the, and stating that orders have been given to carry out the works in anticipation of sanction, recorded.—Inspector, Ponnáni Circle, informed by wire that necessary repairs to the, should be carried out at once.—Copy of letter from the	22nd „ „ 2628, Mis. 11th July, „ 2898, Mis. 6th Aug., „ 3363, Mis.

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DAMAGE—*cont.*	
Inspector, Ponnáni Circle, to the Assistant Commissioner, Calicut Sub-division, stating that the roof of the, cannot be repaired at present owing to heavy monsoon and that the weighing shed has however been repaired, recorded.	
Morekolam factory.— Letter from the Inspector, Morekolam Circle, reporting on the damages done to the salt on the drying ground in the, by the rains on the 13th June 1896, recorded.	26th June, No. 2689, Mis.
Udipi Circle.—Copy of letter from the, to the Assistant Commissioner, Calicut Sub-division, reporting on the damages caused to certain buildings in his circle during the recent cyclone, recorded.	13th Aug., „ 3461, Mis.
Madakarai fish-curing yard.—Endorsement of the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, on letter from the Inspector, Calicut Circle, stating that the sea has caused some damage to the, recorded.	27th „ „ 3679, Mis.
Nizampatam factory.—Letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, reporting on the heavy freshes in the, on the 3rd August 1896, recorded pending receipt of further report.—Endorsement of the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, approving the suggestion of the Assistant Commissioner, Masulipatam Sub-division, to commence the work of repairing the damages caused by the recent floods in the, in anticipation of sanction, recorded.	1st Sept., „ 3758, Mis. 12th Oct., „ 4438, Mis.
Madai fish-curing yard.—Endorsement of the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, submitting copy of letter from the Inspector, Tellicherry Circle, reporting on the damages caused by a cyclone to the, recorded.	4th Sept., „ 3766, Mis.
Kurnool district.—Proceedings of the Board of Revenue (Land Revenue) recording, with remark, letter from the Collector submitting for information copies of Koilkuntla Tahsildar's arzi and the Collector's order thereon regarding the damages caused to the taluk cutcherry by the recent rains, recorded.	9th „ „ 3833, Mis.
Mangalore.—Two estimates for repairing the damages done to the weighing shed and the gollah at, sanctioned with remarks.	15th „ „ 3885, Mis.
Sevandakolam factory.—Letter from the Inspector, Tuticorin Circle, reporting on the damages caused to the salt on the drying grounds of the, by the heavy rains of the 26th September 1896, recorded.	3rd Oct., „ 4202, Mis.
High floods in the Morekolam factory.—Copies of letters from the Inspector, Morekolam Circle, to the Assistant Commissioner, Tinnevelly Sub-division, reporting on the, and stating that a special report on the damages, if any, done to bridle-paths will be submitted when flood subsides, recorded.—Copy of letter from the Inspector, Morekolam Circle, to the Assistant Commissioner, Tinnevelly Sub-division, reporting that the old peons' lines are falling down and that certain inferior servants died of cholera, recorded.	30th Nov., „ 5006, Mis. 24th Dec., „ 5312, Mis.
Merkanam Circle.—Endorsement of the Assistant Commissioner, Chingleput Sub-division, submitting copy of letter from the Inspector reporting on the damages caused by the	30th Nov., „ 5010, Mis. 7th Dec., „ 5072, Mis. 4th „ „ 5073, Mis.

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recent rains to the buildings in the factory, recorded.—Copy of letter from the Inspector, to the Assistant Commissioner, Chingleput Sub-division, reporting further damages done to the several factories of the circle during the recent rains, recorded.—Endorsement of the Assistant Commissioner, Chingleput Sub-division, submitting copy of letter from the Inspector reporting on the damages caused during the rains to the clerks' and Sub-Inspectors' quarters at the factory, recorded.—Endorsement of the Assistant Commissioner, Chingleput Sub-division, submitting copy of letter from the Inspector reporting on the damages done to the peons' lines during the recent rains, recorded.—Copy of proceedings of the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, to the Assistant Commissioner, Chingleput Sub-division, approving his action in having ordered the construction with burnt brick in mud of all the exposed portions of the walls of the clerks' quarters at Merkanam, recorded.—Letter from the Inspector submitting a list of heaps damaged by rain in the Cheyur factory, recorded.—Endorsement of the Assistant Commissioner, Chingleput Sub-division, submitting copy of letter from the Inspector reporting further on the damages done to the factory during the recent rains, recorded.	4th Dec., No. 5096, Mis. 5th ,, ,, 5110, Mis. 14th ,, ,, 5228, Mis. 20th ,, ,, 5310, Mis.
Káyalpatnam Circle.—Copy of letter from the Inspector, to the Assistant Commissioner, Tinnevelly Sub-division, reporting on the damages done to the Kulasékarapatnam factory during the recent rains, recorded.	1st ,, ,, 5095, Mis.
Vayalur Circle.—Copies of letters from the Inspector reporting on the damages caused by the recent rains at the factory, recorded.—Endorsement of the Assistant Commissioner, Chingleput Sub-division, submitting copy of letter from the Inspector reporting on the damages caused by the recent rains at the Kattur factory, recorded.—Copy of letter from the Inspector, to the Assistant Commissioner, Chingleput Sub-division, reporting on the damages done to Kattur factory during the recent rains, recorded.—Copy of letter from the Inspector, to the Assistant Commissioner, Chingleput Sub-division, reporting on the damages done to the Kattur factory during the recent rains, recorded.	10th ,, ,, 5132, Mis. 9th ,, ,, 5133, Mis. 13th ,, ,, 5218, Mis. 24th ,, ,, 5311, Mis.
Kuttanguli Circle.—Copy of letter from the Inspector, to the Assistant Commissioner, Tinnevelly Sub-division, reporting on the damages caused by the rains to the factory, recorded.	10th ,, ,, 5134, Mis.
North Trichinopoly Circle.—Endorsement of the Assistant Commissioner, Trichinopoly Sub-division, submitting letter from the Inspector regarding the damages done to certain Government property by the floods of a jungle river between Ariyalúr and Kílappaluvúr, recorded.	12th ,, ,, 5161, Mis.
Cuddalore Circle.—Orders passed on copy of letter from the Inspector, to the Assistant Commissioner, Chingleput Sub-division, reporting on the damages done to the factories in the, during the rains from the 11th November to the end of the month.	12th ,, ,, 5198, Mis.
Tada Circle.—Copy of endorsement of the Assistant Commissioner, Chingleput Sub-division, on letter from the Inspector reporting on the damages caused by the heavy rains	19th ,, ,, 5298, Mis. 14th ,, ,, 5299, Mis.

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DAMAGE—*cont.*	
of November 1896, recorded.—Copy of letter from the Inspector reporting on the damages caused by the rains of November 1896, recorded.	
DEATH.	
Mr. R. P. Moore.—Government Order, Revenue Department, ordering that the list of property left by the late, be forwarded to the Secretary of State for India, recorded.	6th Jan., No. 6, Mis.
Mr. G. Kingston, Acting Assistant Inspector, Ganjám factory.—The death of, reported to Government.—Certain particulars relating to the death of, reported to Government.—Board's Proceedings, Mis. No. 4248, dated 14th October 1896, recorded by Government.—Government Order informing that a casualty statement has been submitted to the Right Honourable the Secretary of State for India relative to the death of, recorded.—A list of the property left by the late, submitted to Government and presumed that the Assistant Commissioner, Chatrapur Sub-division, has furnished a copy of the list to the District Judge.	14th Oct., „ 4248, Mis. 20th „ „ 4512, Mis. 30th „ „ 4715, Mis. 20th Nov., „ 4898, Mis. 5th Dec., „ 5035, Mis.
Morekolam Circle.—Copy of letter from the Inspector, to the Assistant Commissioner, Tinnevelly Sub-division, reporting that certain inferior servants died of cholera, recorded.	24th „ „ 5312, Mis.
DEBT.	
Mr. Viciani.—Remarked on the explanation of, for omitting to include a certain debt in the list of debts furnished in May 1891.	5th May, „ 1843, Mis.
Mr. F. S. deSouza, Assistant Inspector, Konada Circle, directed that a list of the Assistant Inspectors' outstanding debts should be obtained and submitted through the proper channel.	30th July, „ 3175, Mis.
M.R.Ry. S. Venkatasa Iyer, Assistant Inspector, Bezwada Circle.—Ordered that, should be directed to submit the quarterly reports of his outstanding debts for the last three quarters with explanation for his disobedience of orders through the proper channel. — Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, requested to direct the Assistant Commissioner, Masulipatam Sub-division, to make a personal enquiry into the matter of the debts of, — Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, informed that the instructions issued in Board's Proceedings, Mis. No. 4241, dated 13th October 1896, can be carried out on the return of, from leave.	30th „ „ 3176, Mis. 13th Oct., „ 4241, Mis. 2nd Dec., „ 5002, Mis.
Indebtedness of Government servants.—Government Order making certain rules regarding the, communicated to all Deputy and Assistant Commissioners and Inspectors, the Collector of Sea Customs and the Superintendent of Stamps, Madras.	14th „ „ 509.
DEPOSIT.	
Letter from Messrs. Parry and Company, Madras, acknowledging the receipt of the deposit repayment voucher for Rs. 500 forwarded with Board's Proceedings, Routine No. 233, dated 27th January 1896, recorded.	4th Feb., „ 539, Mis.

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DEPOSIT—*cont.*	1896.
Madura.—Collector requested to report what has been done with a certain sum of Rs. 500 held in deposit subject to the order of the District Munsif of, — Letter from the Collector reporting that the attachment in respect to the sum of Rs. 500 has been withdrawn by the District Munsif of Madura and that the amount has been adjusted towards arrears due by the defaulter Govindasami Naidu, recorded.	12th Feb., No. 581, Mis. 2nd Mar., „ 844, Mis.
Calculation of the amount of deposit to be made by a contractor for the execution of petty construction and repair works. — Orders passed on letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, requesting instructions as to the,	26th Feb. „ 811, Mis.
Tanjore.—Collector requested to withdraw V. Ponnusami Nadar's toddy contract deposit for Rs. 8,300 and to take the necessary steps for the required sub-division of the security.	10th Mar., „ 975, Mis.
Deposit paid by the purchaser of arrack shop No. 7 for 1896–97. —Copy of proceedings of the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, approving the Madras Town Circle Inspector's recommendation to refund the amount of, as the shop could not be opened for want of an unobjectionable site, recorded.	11th May, „ 1975, Mis.
Deposit of Rs. 5,000 *in respect of their abkári contract in Kistna for the current lease*—Collector of Kistna requested to report whether Messrs. Parry and Company's, may be transferred to their contract for the next lease —Messrs. Parry and Company informed that their, cannot be transferred for their next contract before the close of the current lease.— Messrs. Parry and Company are informed that the, will be transferred to the account of their contract for the lease 1896–97 in the Kistna district.—Messrs. Parry and Company requested to send a representative with a duly stamped receipt to receive the sum of Rs. 500 deposited with their tender for the Kistna arrack contract for the lease 1896–97.	19th Aug., „ 3473, Mis. 21st Sept., „ 3981, Mis. 7th Nov., „ 4596, Mis. 17th „ „ 4746, Mis.
Rs 500 *deposited by the Agent of the Bank in connection with his tender for the Kistna arrack supply contract for lease* 1896–97.—The Secretary to the Commercial and Land Mortgage Bank, Madras, requested to send a representative with a duly stamped receipt to receive the sum of,	2nd Sept., „ 3685, Mis.
Receipt of an agreement and currency notes for Rs. 300 from Messrs. Binny and Company, acknowledged, and Rs. 500 forwarded to the Inspector, Madras Depôt Circle, with instructions to acknowledge its receipt and credit it in his accounts to deposits.	21st „ „ 3974, Mis.
Deposits received from petty construction and repair contractors.—Deputy Commissioners informed that repayment of, may be sanctioned by them.	23rd Dec., „ 3781, R.
DEPÔT.	
Conversion of the excise depôts in the South Canara district into vend depôts.— Government Order recording Board's Proceedings requesting the Collector of South Canara to inform Messrs. Albuquerque and Sons that the Board has no objection to the, on certain conditions, recorded.—Letter from the Collector communicating copy of his endorsement sent to Vincent Rodrigues in the matter of his objection to the, recorded.	22nd Jan., „ 416, Mis. 8th Feb., „ 537, Mis.

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DEPÔT—*cont.*	1896.
The opening of an arrack vend depôt at Coondapoor instead of one at Trasi, sanctioned.	8th Feb., No. 534, Mis.
Location of arrack vend depôts in rooms separate from dwelling houses.—Stated that the condition suggested by the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, regarding the, will be inserted in the licenses, to be printed for the lease 1896-97.	17th ,, ,, 635, Mis.
Touse Bomai Hegode, still area renter, Udipi taluks informed that he will, on application to the Collector of South Canara, be permitted to open an additional vend depôt either at Bommarbethi or Hiriadka.	4th Mar., ,, 867, Mis.
Pattukkôttai taluk.—The Collector of Tanjore requested to report whether the three vend depôts referred to in Board's Proceedings, No. 562, dated 9th December 1895, have been opened in the, and, if so, what arrangements have been made to supply them with liquor.—The Collector of Tanjore informed that the price of country spirits 30° under-proof at the amani depôts in the, may be fixed at Rs. 4 and instructions issued as to how duty on the liquor issued from the depôts is to be adjusted and cost of liquor to be paid to the warehouse-keeper at Tanjore.—The attention of the Collector of Tanjore and the Assistant Commissioner, Negapatam Sub-division, drawn to Board's Proceedings, No. 91, dated 7th March 1896, and requested to warn depôt-keepers not to charge unduly high prices for the spirits sold by them.	15th June, ,, 2478, Mis. 2nd July, ,, 2735, Mis. 15th ,, ,, 2955, Mis.
The reports of the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, and Assistant Commissioner, Trichinopoly Sub-division, on certain irregularities observed in certain arrack depôts and shops of the Perambalúr and Udaiyárpalaiyam taluks of the Trichinopoly district and the attention of the Deputy and Assistant Commissioners called to the instructions on the subject of depôt and shop inspections contained in Board's Proceedings, Mis. No. 3936, dated 2nd December 1888.—Copy of proceedings of the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, considering that the explanations of the Sub-Inspectors concerned in the irregularities noticed are unsatisfactory and inflicting punishments upon them, recorded.	10th ,, ,, 2883, Mis. 15th Nov., ,, 4884, Mis.
The proposals of the Collector of South Canara for allowing the Kasaragod still area renter an additional depôt at Kasaragod and to convert the sub-still at Kalangod into a main still, sanctioned.	14th Sept., ,, 3909, Mis.
Bandur excise depôt.—Sanction for the re-numbering of certain vats in the, accorded.	6th Nov., ,, 4615, Mis.
South Canara.—Orders passed on letter from the Collector of, reporting on the progress made at the Mangalore distillery and proposing that the vend depôts at Mulky, Mangeshwar and Panemangalore be converted into excise depôts.	8th Dec., ,, 5066, Mis.
DISTILLATION.	
Mangalore distillery.—Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, informed that night distillation cannot be permitted at the, unless the distillers are prepared to pay for a Sub-Inspector and two peons.	13th May, ,, 2007, Mis.

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DISTILLATION—*cont.*	1896.
Messrs. Abraham and Company's distillery at Bellary.—Assistant Commissioner, Bellary Sub-division, requested by wire to report why distillation was stopped at, and a full report on the subject called for.—Telegram from the Assistant Commissioner, Bellary Sub-division, stating why distillation was stopped at, recorded.—Orders passed on letter from the Assistant Commi-sioner, Bellary Sub-division, reporting the circumstances under which distillation was temporarily suspended at,	30th June, No. 2690, Mis. 2nd July, „ 2750, Mis. 21st „ „ 3068, Mis.
Directed that when Assistant Commissioners order distillation to be stopped, report should at once be made to the Deputy Commissioner and a copy of it should be submitted to the Board.	21st July, „ 3068, Mis.
Aravanghat distillery.—Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, requested to state whether distillation takes place at the, during the Distillery officer's absence and to report the hours within which it usually takes place.	28th Aug., „ 3640, Mis.
Tachanallur distillery.—Copy of proceedings of the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, permitting the distiller to issue liquor direct from the receivers to the still for re-distillation, recorded.—Orders passed on the application of the Agent of the, requesting to issue orders for permitting distillation to be continued in it.	20th Sept., „ 4014, Mis. 11th Dec., „ 5120, Mis.
Vizagapatam distillery. — Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, requested to report what precautions are taken for the safety of the revenue when night distillation takes place in the,—Letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, reporting on the precautions taken, recorded.	9th Oct., „ 4229, Mis. 8th Dec., „ 5100, Mis.
Prevalence of illicit distillation in the Kanigiri taluk, Nellore district.—Letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, reporting on the, recorded.	22nd Oct., „ 4406, Mis.
Rénigunta and Tachanallur distilleries.— Petition from M.R.Ry. T Ratnasawmy Nadar, Proprietor of the, requesting permission for night distillation being carried on temporarily in the, referred to the Deputy Commissioners, Central and Southern Divisions, for report.—Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, requested to furnish the Board with certain information regarding the Rénigunta distillery with reference to the permission sought for allowing night distillation to be carried on in it.—Orders passed on the application of the Proprietor of the Rénigunta distillery requesting permission for carrying on night distillation in the distillery.	20th „ „ 4429, Mis. 20th Nov., „ 4825, Mis. 7th Dec., „ 5036, Mis.
Night distillation in the Suramangalam distillery.—Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, informed that the Sub-Inspector employed at the Vepery Crown distillery abolished from the 1st instant may be transferred to the Salem Circle for, and an orderly of two second-grade peons for that officer, sanctioned.	28th Oct., „ 4489, Mis.
DISTILLERY.	
Korapuzha distillery.—Letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, submitting copy of Malabar Collector's proceedings directing the arrack supply contractor to re-open the, recorded.	9th Jan., „ 38, Mis.

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DISTILLERY—*cont.*	
Removal of wash from the Nellikuppam distillery premises without the knowledge of the Distillery officer.—Messrs. Parry and Company informed that the Board is not prepared to reconsider its decision imposing a fine of Rs. 50 upon them for the,—The sum of Rs. 50 being the amount of fine imposed on Messrs. Parry and Company, forwarded to the Inspector, Madras Town Circle, for credit in his accounts under the head "Fines and forfeitures."—Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, requested to furnish further particulars regarding the reported loss of wash in wash tank B of the distillery.—Letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, submitting further particulars regarding the reported loss of wash in wash tank B of the distillery, recorded with remarks.	9th Jan., No. 75, Mis. 20th ,, ,, 239, Mis. 3rd July, ,, 2761, Mis. 21st Oct., ,, 4382, Mis.
New mixer for the blending of spirits in the Aska distillery.—Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, requested to call on the proprietors to state the description and size of the, proposed to be brought into use.—The use of the, sanctioned.	10th Jan., ,, 88, Mis. 3rd April, ,, 1410, Mis.
Ránipéttai distillery.—The Manager, Arcot Sugar Works and Distilleries, requested to submit a plan and full details of certain arrangements proposed to be made in the,—Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, requested to report whether certain alterations indicated in the Commissioner's recent note of inspection in the, have been carried out within the fixed time and certain plan of the distillery returned for modification and alteration, called for.—Sanction to the raising of the wall of fermentation house No. 1 in the accorded.—Letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, referring the Board to his notes of the recent inspection of the, and stating that the plan of the distillery has been called for from the Assistant Commissioner, recorded.—Certain alterations proposed to be made in the, old warehouse of the, sanctioned. —Certain alterations in the buildings of the, sanctioned with remarks.—Letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, submitting a modified plan of the, showing certain proposed alterations in the distillery buildings, recorded.—Plans in connection with the improvements at the, forwarded to Assistant Commissioner, Arcot Sub-division, for reference. —Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, informed, with remarks, that a new still may be erected at the, — Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, informed that the distillers may build the proposed wall separating present spirit store from the distillery enclosure.—The Distillery officer directed by wire to allow distillation in the new still if he thinks it safe, and the Assistant Commissioner, Arcot Sub-division, requested to inspect and report on the condition of the still as soon as possible. — Letter from the Agent, Arcot Sugar Works and Distilleries, requesting sanction to bring the new still into use before the Christmas holidays, recorded pending receipt of letter submitted through the Assistant Commissioner, Arcot Sub-division.	17th Jan., ,, 190, Mis. 27th ,, ,, 309, Mis. 22nd Feb., ,, 717, Mis. 27th ,, ,, 786, Mis. 7th Mar., ,, 893, Mis. 10th ,, ,, 1028, Mis. 19th ,, ,, 1180, Mis. 21st May, ,, 2204, Mis. 25th Nov., ,, 4866, Mis. 3rd Dec., ,, 5032, Mis. 14th ,, ,, 5184, Mis. 20th ,, ,, 5260, Mis.
Rénigunta.—Orders passed on endorsement of the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, submitting Arcot Assistant Commissioner's notes of inspection of the distillery buildings at,—The grant of license to M.R.Ry. Ratnasami Nadar for the working of the private distillery at, for 1896-97, sanctioned with remarks.—Certain defects in the arrangements of the distillery at, pointed out, and the plan of the	6th Feb., ,, 563, Mis. 6th Mar., ,, 878, Mis. 17th ,, ,, 1143, Mis. 2nd June, ,, 2307, Mis. 11th Sept., ,, 3837, Mis. 14th ,, ,, 3933, Mis. 5th Oct., ,, 4334, Mis.

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distillery in other respects approved, and the Collector of North Arcot requested to call for and submit a plan of the distillery premises, &c., in duplicate.—Letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, reporting on the Arcot Assistant Commissioner's inspection of the distillery at, recorded with remarks.—The distillers at, warned that their licenses will be suspended if they do not complete the Distillery officer's quarters before the 15th October 1896. — Letter from the Collector of North Arcot submitting a plan in duplicate of the distillery building at, recorded pending receipt of further report.—Letter from the Collector of North Arcot reporting that a certain pump used in the distillery at, is in good condition, recorded.	
Tachanallûr distillery.—The renewal of the license for the year 1896–97, sanctioned.	8th Feb., No. 591, Mis.
Suramangalam distillery.—The renewal of the license for 1896–97, sanctioned.	2nd Mar., „ 829, Mis.
Tadpatri distillery.—The renewal of the license for 1896–97, sanctioned, and the Collector of Anantapur requested to obtain and forward a fresh plan of the distillery prepared on durable material.—The transfer of the license to Mula Venkata Rangayya, sanctioned.	5th „ „ 862, Mis. 2nd June, „ 2377, Mis.
Coimbatore distillery.—The renewal of the license for the year 1896–97, sanctioned.	4th Mar., „ 877, Mis.
Rânipêttai distillery.—The renewal of the license for the year 1896–97, sanctioned.	7th „ „ 892, Mis.
Messrs. Veerabhadrappa and Company's distillery at Bellary.—The renewal of the license for 1896–97, sanctioned conditionally.—Letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, submitting a report on the leaky state of vats and pipes in, recorded with remark. — The Chemical Examiner, Madras, requested to state whether the practice of mixing spent wash with fresh wash is calculated to result in an accumulation of deleterious products in the wash.—The Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, requested to obtain and forward for chemical examination a specimen of the spent wash and of the spirit distilled from wash with which spent wash has been mixed in.—Messrs. G. Veerabhadrappa and Company, distillers at Bellary, granted one month's time to complete the alterations ordered by the Commissioner on his inspection of the distilleries. — Copy of proceedings of the Collector of Bellary granting with remarks a week's time to rectify certain defects in, recorded.—Orders passed on petition from Messrs. G. Veerabhadrappa and Company, distillers, Bellary, requesting that orders may be issued permitting distillation and issues in the distillery.—Endorsement of the Collector of Bellary submitting for orders letter from the Assistant Commissioner, Bellary Sub-division, requesting to withhold the license of, till certain alterations ordered by him have been carried out, recorded with reference to Board's Proceedings, Mis. No. 3102, dated 28th July 1896.—Letter from the Collector of Bellary reporting that Messrs. Veerabhadrappa and Company have been allowed to go on with distillation, recorded.—Letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, recommending the issue of	7th „ „ 929, Mis. 9th „ „ 949, Mis. 7th May, „ 1929, Mis. 9th June, „ 2389, Mis. 24th „ „ 2643, Mis. 21st July, „ 3080, Mis. 28th „ „ 3132, Mis. 31st „ „ 3241, Mis. 8th Aug., „ 3323, Mis. 5th Sept., „ 3755, Mis. 5th „ „ 3756, Mis. 7th Oct., „ 4475, Mis. 12th Nov., „ 4684, Mis. 7th „ „ 4685, Mis. 28th „ „ 5020, Mis.

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a temporary license to Messrs. Veerabhadrappa and Company for their distillery at Bellary until certain alterations are carried out, recorded with remarks.—Copy of letter from the Assistant Commissioner, Bellary Sub-division, reporting the circumstances under which he recommends the grant of time to Messrs. Veerabhadrappa and Company's distillery to carry out the Commissioner's orders, recorded.—Letter from the Collector of Bellary reporting that distillation has been stopped in Messrs. Veerabhadrappa and Company's distillery as certain defects in it are being rectified, recorded.—Letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, reporting that distillation has been stopped at Messrs. Veerabhadrappa and Company's distillery at Bellary from the 1st October 1896 and that the alterations in the distillery have almost been completed, recorded.—Endorsement of the Collector of Bellary reporting that license was granted to Messrs. Veerabhadrappa and Company and that they have been permitted to resume distillation, recorded.—Letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, reporting that the defects pointed out in, have been rectified and that the Collector has issued a license to them for the rest of the year, recorded.	
Parli distillery.—Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, informed that the proprietor of the, should be strictly warned in the matter of his neglect to maintain the still in the distillery in proper order and a further report in the matter of using paste-board at the joint of the spent wash pipe, called for.—Letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, submitting, with remarks, copy of the Parli Distillery officer's report on the practice of using paste-board at the joint of the spent wash pipes, &c., recorded.—Orders passed on letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, reporting that the distiller at Parli declines to carry out certain alterations ordered in the distillery.	7th Mar., No. 933, Mis. 18th May, ,, 2148, Mis 26th June, ,, 2684, Mis.
Messrs. Abraham and Company's distillery at Bellary.—The renewal of license for 1896–97, sanctioned conditionally.—Assistant Commissioner, Bellary Sub-division, requested to state exactly what defects were noticed by him in the stills at, and what orders were issued by him for rectifying them.—Letter from the Collector of Bellary stating that the distillery license has been issued to Messrs. Abraham and Company for their distillery for the whole of 1896–97, recorded.—Letter from the Assistant Commissioner, Bellary Sub-division, reporting the nature of the defects noticed by him in the still at, recorded.	13th Mar., ,, 1074, Mis. 7th Aug., ,, 3295, Mis. 3rd Sept., ,, 3828, Mis. 8th ,, ,, 3829, Mis.
Aska distillery.—The renewal of the license for 1896–97, sanctioned, and the Collector of Ganjám requested to call for and submit a fresh plan of the distillery buildings, &c., for record in the Board's office.—Letter from the Collector of Ganjám submitting fresh plan of the, buildings, recorded.	20th Mar., ,, 1198, Mis. 22nd May, ,, 2749, Mis.
Tondiarpet distillery.—The renewal of the license of the, for the year 1896–97, sanctioned with remark.	20th Mar, ,, 1266, Mis
Castle distillery at Araranghat.—The renewal of license for 1896–97, sanctioned.	25th ,, ,, 1284, Mis.

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Nellikuppam distillery.—The renewal of Messrs. Parry and Company's license for the, for the year 1896–97, sanctioned by wire.—Collector of South Arcot requested by wire to state when the application to renew the, license will be submitted.—Telegram from the Collector of South Arcot stating that the application for the renewal of the, license for 1896–97 was submitted on the 25th March 1896, recorded.	26th Mar., No. 1298, Mis. 25th „ „ 1299, Mis. 27th „ „ 1380, Mis.
Vepery Crown distillery.—The renewal of the license for the year 1896–97, sanctioned.—Permission to carry out certain alterations in the, granted.—Copy of proceedings of the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, passing orders on the inaction of the distillers of the, in the matter of gauging certain vats, recorded.—Letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, reporting that the proprietors of the, have sold the distillery to the Commercial Land Mortgage Bank, Madras, and that they do not require the services of the Distillery officer from 1st October 1896 and requesting to make arrangements for his posting, recorded.—Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, informed that the Sub-Inspector employed for night distillation at the, aboli hed from the 1st instant may be transferred to the Salem Circle for similar duty in the Suramangalam distillery.	27th „ „ 1318, Mis. 29th April, „ 1738, Mis. 11th June, „ 2485, Mis. 25th Sept., „ 4074, Mis. 28th Oct., „ 4489, Mis.
Madura distillery.—The issue of a license to Rengarazulu Naidu and Company for the, for 1896–97, sanctioned with remarks.—Collector of Madura informed that Messrs. Rengarazulu Naidu and Company, the new Madura distillers, should be required to deposit Government promissory-notes for Rs. 1,000 under Rule 35 of the Distillery and Warehouse rules.—Letter from the Collector of Madura returning the plan of the, recorded with remark.—Endorsement of the Collector submitting copy of letter from the Inspector, Madura Circle, furnishing certain information regarding the working of the pump in the, recorded.—Letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, furnishing certain information regarding the working of the pump in the, recorded.—The refund of Rs. 100 deposited by Messrs. Rengarazulu Naidu and Company in connection with their appl cation for a license for the working of the distillery at Madura, sanctioned.	31st Mar., „ 1348, Mis. 6th May, „ 1902, Mis. 29th „ „ 2223, Mis. 1st Aug., „ 3244, Mis. 13th „ „ 3477, Mis. 30th Oct., „ 4544, Mis.
Vizagapatam distillery.—The renewal of the license for 1896–97, sanctioned conditionally.	15th April, „ 1504, Mis.
Korapuzha distillery.—The opening of the, from Monday the 20th April 1896, sanctioned.	16th „ „ 1508, Mis.
Messrs Parry and Company's proposed new distillery at Cuddalore Old Town.—Remarked on the plan and specification of.—Messrs. Parry and Company requested to state when they propose to commence the construction of the new distillery.	29th „ „ 1795, Mis. 11th Aug., „ 3373, Mis.
Studying the working of the English distilleries.—Mr. Leggatt informed that his suggestion to remain in England a short time beyond his leave on distillery inspection will be considered if it is decided not to get out a distillery expert from England.—Recommended to Government that Messrs. Leggatt and Marshall each be permitted to remain in	1st May, „ 1808, Mis. 21st July, „ 3069, Mis. 11th Aug., „ 3362, Mis. 8th Oct., „ 4364, Mis.

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England for a month beyond their leave for the purpose of, — Government Order requesting the sanction of the Secretary of State for India for the deputation on special duty in England for one month beyond the period of their leave for the purpose of, communicated to Messrs. Leggatt and Marshall.—Letter from Mr. Leggatt communicating copy of despatch from the Secretary of State sanctioning his deputation on special duty for one month in England, recorded.	
Vizagapatam distillery.—Orders passed on letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, reporting on the progress made by the distillers in carrying out the alterations ordered by the Commissioner.—Orders passed on endorsement of the Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, on petition from the Vizagapatam distillers requesting reconsideration of certain orders issued in Board's Proceedings, No. 93, dated 7th March 1896, regarding the arrangements in the,—Letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, reporting that the still and the connected pipes in the, are disconnected and cleared out at intervals of two or three months, recorded.—Orders passed on letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, reporting on the progress made by the distillers in carrying out the alterations ordered by the Commissioner. —Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, informed that the present arrangement in the, need not be disturbed until the arrival of the distillery expert from England.	22nd May, No. 2117, Mis. 11th June, „ 2422, Mis. 16th July, „ 2974, Mis. 12th Oct., „ 4303, Mis. 20th Nov., „ 4809, Mis.
New Eden distillery.—The issue to Messrs. Coleridge and Company of a license for establishing a private distillery for the manufacture of spirits at Vyasarpadi under the designation, sanctioned with remarks.—Letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, requesting that an officer may be appointed to the charge of the Vyasarpadi, recorded.—The proprietor permitted to commence work in the distillery in anticipation of the issue of license duly signed by the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division.—Copy of proceedings of the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, according sanction for the entertainment of two second-grade peons for the, recorded.—Letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, submitting a revised plan of the, and reporting that he has issued a license to the proprietors of the distillery for the whole year, recorded.	22nd May, „ 2123, Mis. 8th June, „ 2392, Mis. 13th „ „ 2457, Mis. 24th „ „ 2635, Mis. 29th Aug., „ 3760, Mis.
Ingress and egress of persons employed at distilleries.—Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, informed that it is not considered necessary to amend paragraph 103 (*a*) of Circular Order No. IV of 1889 as suggested.—M.R.Ry. P. Koman Menon called upon for an explanation for having issued a large number of passes in the Nellikuppam distillery while he was in charge of the Cuddalore Circle.	28th May, „ 2155, Mis. 13th Oct., „ 4316, Mis.
Supervision and efficient administration of distilleries in this Presidency.—Government Order concurring in the Board's views that it is of great importance to obtain the services of an officer of the Inland Revenue Department in England for the, communicated to Deputy and Assistant Commissioners.—The advisability of asking that the decision of the Secretary of State on the subject of obtaining from England	19th June, „ 235. 22nd Oct., „ 4394, Mis. 6th Nov., „ 4641, Mis. 1st „ „ 4642, Mis. 20th „ „ 4896, Mis. 28th „ „ 4951, Mis. 30th „ „ 4952, Mis.

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the services of an expert in distillery matters may be communicated by telegram, suggested to Government.—Assistant Commissioner, Negapatam Sub-division, informed that the Board is unable to state definitely at present whether or not the appointment of expert in distillery matters will affect the promotion of officers in the ordinary line in the department.—Copy of Government Order informing the Government of India by wire that, if the services of an expert in distillery matters could not be secured on the terms quoted by the Local Government, it is desirable to give the terms asked in the telegram received from the Government of India, recorded.—Government Order communicating endorsement of the Government of India forwarding copy of telegram to the Secretary of State on the subject, recorded. — Government Order communicating endorsement of the Government of India forwarding copy of telegram from the Secretary of State intimating the appointment of Mr. Bennett as Supervisor, Madras distilleries, recorded.—Deputy and Assistant Commissioners informed that Mr. Bennett is expected to arrive very shortly and the Assistant Commissioners requested to have a short note prepared regarding the history of each distillery for him.—Proposals for the improvement of distillery establishments in the Madras Presidency, submitted to Government.	8th Dec., No. 492.
Bellary distilleries.—Letter from the Assistant Commissioner, Bellary Sub-division, reporting the progress made in the, in carrying out the Commissioner's order on his inspection of the distilleries, recorded with remarks.	24th June, „ 2642, Mis.
Tachanallúr. — Collector of Tinnevelly requested to report further on certain matters connected with the new distillery proposed to be established at,—Sanction to the grant of a license for a new distillery proposed to be established at, declined.	25th „ „ 2662, Mis. 28th July, „ 3152, Mis.
Certain subsidiary instructions for more efficiently securing the joints of pipes put up in distilleries, issued.	8th „ „ 2882, Mis.
Nellikuppam distillery.—The replacement of an old receiver which has become unserviceable by a fresh one in the, sanctioned. — Distillers permitted to bring into use two new vats in lieu of two unserviceable ones.	15th „ „ 2961, Mis. 10th Aug., „ 3352, Mis.
Vizagapatam distillery.—Copy of proceedings of the Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, passing orders on the subject of attendance of the Distillery officer at the, on Sundays and other holidays, recorded.	1st „ „ 3261, Mis.
Aska distillery.—Orders passed on letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, remarking on the Aska distiller's proposals regarding certain alterations ordered by the Commissioner in his notes of inspection of the, — Certain arrangements suggested by the Assistant Commissioner, Chatrapur Sub-division, in lieu of closing up certain doors in the, approved temporarily.—Orders passed on letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, reporting on the progress made by the distillers in carrying out certain alterations in the distillery arrangements ordered by the Commissioner.	24th „ „ 3542, Mis. 17th Sept., „ 3934, Mis. 13th Nov., „ 4744, Mis.
Certain subsidiary instructions for more efficiently securing the joints of pipes put up in distilleries, issued.	2nd Sept., „ 3677, Mis.

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Tondiarpet distillery.—The preparation of work in parts in, permitted temporarily and the distillers warned that their license will be suspended if all the defects are not set right before the Commissioner's inspection of the distillery.—Letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, submitting a plan and estimate for improving the warehouse at the, for reference at the Commissioner's inspection, recorded.	3rd Sept., No. 3750, Mis. 28th Nov., „ 5078, Mis.
Ránipéttai distillery. — Notes of inspection of the, by the Acting Commissioner of Salt, Abkári and Separate Revenue, communicated to the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division.	5th Sept., „ 353.
Tachanallúr distillery.—Certain papers regarding the petition of M.R.Ry. Ratnasami Nadar appealing against the orders of the Assistant Commissioner, Tinnevelly Sub-division, directing that certain alterations should be made in the arrangements at, transferred to the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, for disposal.—Copy of proceedings of the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, permitting the distillers to issue liquor direct from the receivers to the stills for re-distillation, recorded.—The Assistant Commissioner, Tinnevelly Sub-division, requested to bring to the notice of the Commissioner at his approaching inspection of the particulars of a case of overflowing of liquor in it.—Orders passed on the application of the Agent of the, requesting to issue orders for permitting distillation to be conducted in it.	17th „ „ 3946, Mis. 20th „ „ 4014, Mis. 20th Oct., „ 4352, Mis. 11th Dec., „ 5120, Mis.
Cannanore distillery.—Orders passed on letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, reporting on the obduracy of the distiller in not carrying out the orders issued by the several superior officers in the matter of effecting certain alterations in the distillery arrangements.—P. Chinnaswamy Nadar referred to Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, for orders in the matter of his appeal petition regarding the extension of the warehouse in the,	2nd Oct., „ 4148, Mis. 8th „ „ 4195, Mis.
Extensive alterations in the distilleries.—Deputy and Assistant Commissioners requested to refrain from ordering, until the question of obtaining an expert in distillery matters for the department is settled.	2nd „ „ 4151, Mis.
Suramangalam distillery. — Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, requested to state what the dimensions of the spirit store will be when the proposed partition wall between the spirit store and warehouse in the, is built.—Endorsement of the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, submitting the application of the Agent of the Arcot Sugar Works and Distilleries requesting permission to make certain alterations and additions in the arrangements at the, recorded pending receipt of further information.	21st „ „ 4428, Mis. 2nd Dec., „ 5054, Mis.
Directed that distillers should address the Board direct only in cases of real and unavoidable urgency and in matters relating to general questions.	30th Oct., „ 4543, Mis.
Mangalore distillery.—The Collector of South Canara requested by wire to report what steps have been taken for the supply of arrack to the excise areas of the district after the	3rd Nov., „ 4552, Mis. 6th „ „ 4628, Mis. 12th „ „ 4703, Mis.

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destruction of the, by fire.—Letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, reporting that the, has been burnt, recorded with remarks.—Report on the destruction of the, by fire on the 2nd November 1896, submitted to Government. — Telegram from the Collector of South Canara reporting the arrangements made for the supply of arrack to the district consequent on the destruction of the, by fire, recorded.—Letter from the Collector of South Canara reporting that the, owned by Messrs. Albuquerque and Sons took fire on the afternoon of the 2nd November 1896, recorded.—Letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, submitting a further report on the arrangements made for the supply of arrack to the excise tracts of the South Canara district on account of the fire at the, recorded.—Letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, submitting copy of telegram requesting the Assistant Commissioner, Calicut Sub-division, to report on paragraph 9 of Mangalore Inspector's report on the fire at, recorded. — Orders passed on telegram from Messrs. Albuquerque and Sons, Mangalore, requesting to permit distillation in the, — Assistant Commissioner, Calicut Sub-division, requested by wire to report on the proposals of the Inspector, Mangalore Circle, for allowing Messrs. Albuquerque and Sons to conduct distillation in the, and for the supply of arrack to excise tracts of the South Canara district. —Government Order, Revenue Department, recording Board's Proceedings, Mis. No. 4703, dated 12th November 1896, recorded.—Orders passed on letter from the Collector of South Canara reporting on the progress made at the, and proposing that the vend depôts at Mulky, Manjeshwar and Panemangalore be converted into excise depôts.	5th Nov., No. 4704, Mis. 6th „ „ 4705, Mis. 14th „ „ 4843, Mis. 14th „ „ 4844, Mis. 20th „ „ 4780, Mis. 23rd „ „ 4922, Mis. 3rd Dec., „ 4992, Mis. 8th „ „ 5066, Mis.
M.R.Ry. K. Sankara Parasad Avargal of Tachanallúr informed that the Board will not require the new Distillery Company at Tachanallúr to pay the salary of the Distillery officer if all the buildings and arrangements are completed satisfactorily.—Endorsement of the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, submitting the petition of, requesting ...mission to open a new distillery at Tachanallúr, recorded ...t of a revised plan.—The plan of the proposed ... for the supply of certain omissions.	14th Nov., „ 4742, Mis. 18th „ „ 4829, Mis. 25th „ „ 4873, Mis.
...g *the pressure of alcohol in spent* ...xaminer, Madras, requested to ...pplicable to jaggery wash in ... fermented.—Letter from the ... on the, recorded.	16th „ „ 4745, Mis. 5th Dec., „ 5099, Mis.
...puty Commissioners, Central ...rmed that final orders will be ...n the arrival of the distillery	2nd „ „ 4994, Mis.
...vision, informed that clerks ...ns Department cannot be ... should be encouraged to ...qualify themselves for the	5th Mar., „ 937, Mis.

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An alteration memorandum for the figures showing the production of yarn in the Madras Presidency in the statements submitted to Government with Board's Proceedings, No. 535, dated 19th November 1895, and with Board's Proceedings, Mis. No. 5430, dated 20th December 1895, submitted to Government.—Government Order ordering the statement forwarded with Board's Proceedings, Mis. No. 5283, dated 13th December 1895, to be forwarded to the Government of India, recorded.—Goverment Order forwarding to the Government of India statement forwarded with Board's Proceedings, No. 5430, dated 20th December 1895, recorded.—Statements of the gross amount of excise duty collected in December 1895 under the Cotton Duties Act XVII of 1894 and of the production in the cotton mills of yarns of count No. 20 and under during the month of November 1895, submitted to Government.—Government Order forwarding to the Government of India alteration memorandum submitted with Board's Proceedings, Mis. No. 12, dated 8th January 1896, recorded.—Statements of the gross amount of excise duty collected in January 1896 under the Cotton Duties Act XVII of 1894 and of the production in the cotton mills of yarns of count No. 20 and under during the month of December 1895, submitted to Government.—Government Order forwarding to the Government of India statement forwarded with Board's Proceedings, No. 626, dated 15th February 1896, recorded.	8th Jan., No. 12, Mis. 8th „ „ 61, Mis. 16th „ „ 253, Mis. 24th „ „ 285, Mis. 28th „ „ 352, Mis. 15th Feb., „ 626, Mis. 22nd „ „ 721, Mis.
Rules for the levy and collection of duty on parcels despatched from Pondicherry for delivery in India.—Letter from the Postmaster-General forwarding, containing modified provision for the presence of senders of parcels at the joint examination of insured parcels, recorded. — Government Order recording Board's Proceedings embodying letter from the Postmaster-General forwarding revised, recorded.	8th Jan., „ 35, Mis. 1st Feb., „ 605, Mis.
Levy of duty on a consignment of iron plates and bars imported by the Madras Railway Company.—Collector of Sea Customs, Madras, informed that as he has passed orders in the matter of the, the Board will await any representation that may be made to it by that Company.	15th Jan., „ 169, Mis.
Drosophores.—Government Order communicating Government of India letter stating that, are exempt from duty machinery employed in the spinning and weaving of cot and that this ruling may be treated as applying to apparatus similarly used in mills for humidifying t communicated to the Collectors of all the Maritime di	
Duty free issue of educed salt to a private gentleman.—D to accord permission for the, as recommended by the ant Commissioner, Masulipatam Sub-division.	
Messrs. A. and F. Harvey of Tuticorin.—Orders pass letter from the Collector of Tinnevelly submitting for letter from, requesting whether arrangements can for allowing cotton goods produced at the mill cherry to pass in bond from Pondicherry to Tut export from the latter port to China.	
Messrs. A. and F. Harvey of Tuticorin informed th cession of importation into British India of mar goods free of duty referred to in their petition ap	

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to manufactured jute, and that if there is considerable manufacture of this article in Pondicherry, they may renew their application.	
Cotton duties.—Government Order forwarding to the Government of India letter from the Chamber of Commerce expressing its views on certain questions relating to, raised by gentlemen interested in cotton manufacture in the United Kingdom, recorded.	18th Jan., No. 294, Mis.
Blasting fuse.—Government Order on letter from the Government of India stating that, should be included in "all other descriptions" of explosives specified in No. 10 of schedule IV and charged duty at 5 per cent. *ad valorem*, communicated to the Collectors of all the Maritime districts.	24th „ „ 30.
"*Daisy*" *air rifles.*—Government Order on letter from the Government of India stating that, should be classed as toys for the purposes of assessment to customs duty, communicated to the Collectors of Maritime districts for information and guidance.	31st „ „ 34.
Table showing the rates of excise duty on country spirits for the official years 1896–97, circulated.	5th Feb., „ 42.
Collector of Gódávari informed that all articles in schedule IV of Act XVI of 1894 except petroleum when their value is less than Rs. 1–4–0 are exempt from duty and that the Board does not consider any change in the limit of value necessary.—Board's Proceedings, No. 45, dated 6th February 1896, recorded by Government. — Collector of Gódávari informed that no action need be taken at present to collect duty in cases of the splitting up of consignments passing from the Yanam frontier into the British territory for evading the payment of duty and that such cases should be watched and the question raised again if systematic recourse to the expedient for evading duty should become common.	6th „ „ 45. 25th „ „ 765, Mis. 5th Sept., „ 3742, Mis.
Shale oil.—Government Order stating that a claim for the exemption of, from import duty merely because it is used for railway purposes is inadmissible, communicated to the Collectors of Maritime districts.	5th Feb., „ 57.
Fog signals.—Collector of Sea Customs, Madras, informed that, should be charged with duty at 5 per cent. under No. 10 of schedule IV of the Tariff Amendment Act III of 1896.—Board's Proceedings, Mis. No. 691, dated 21st February 1896, recorded by Government.	21st „ „ 691, Mis. 7th Mar., „ 105.
Proposed reduction in the rate of harbour dues upon salt exported from Madras.—Reported to Government on the effect likely to be produced in the salt trade by the. — Government Order transferring to the Public Works Department, with remarks, Board's Proceedings, No. 697, dated 16th February 1896, recorded.—Government Order sanctioning the, communicated to the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, and Assistant Commissioner, Chingleput Sub-division.	16th Feb., „ 697, Mis. 11th Mar., „ 1082, Mis. 29th April, „ 1803, Mis.
Exemption from duty of stores imported by the Assam-Bengal Railway Company which is styled a State Railway though worked by a private Company.— Government Order communicating Government of India ruling regarding the, communicated to the Collectors of all the Maritime districts.	18th Feb., „ 59.

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Cast iron still bottoms imported for use in petroleum refineries.—Government Order communicating letter from the Government of India passing orders regarding the classification for tariff purposes of, communicated to the Collectors of all the Maritime districts.	18th Feb.,	No.	61.
Government Order communicating Government of India letter requesting the issue of orders to the Collectors of Customs to pass, without levying import duty, certain articles when imported by the owner of a cotton-weaving mill to be used in the weaving of cotton or the baling of woven cotton goods, communicated to the Collectors of all the Maritime districts.	24th ,,	,,	68.
Exempting from import duty certain articles used in the manufacture of cotton.—Government Order communicating endorsement of the Government of India forwarding copy of its notification, communicated to the Collectors of all the Maritime districts.	24th ,,	,,	70.
The Accountant-General informed that the estimate of excise duty on cotton manufacture for the current year may be reduced by Rs. 1,200 and that for the ensuing year raised by the same amount.	26th ,,	,,	743, Mis.
The payment of a sum of Rs. 274–8–0 to the Malabar arrack supply contractor M.R.Ry. T. Ratnasami Nadar being abatement of duty on a certain quantity of liquor purchased by him from the abkári contractor for the lease ending 30th September 1891, sanctioned.	26th ,,	,,	792, Mis.
Exemption of iron ploughs from import duty.—Government Order informing Messrs. Baday Sahib and Company, Brucepet, Bellary, that Government is not prepared to recommend to the Government of India the, recorded.	25th ,,	,,	843, Mis.
Exempting from import duty returned empty aerated water bottles.—Government Order communicating Government of India letter, under certain circumstances, communicated to the Collectors of all the Maritime districts.	5th Mar.,	,,	88.
Certain gold-extracting plant imported by Messrs. Best and Company.—The question of the liability to import duty of, submitted for the orders of Government.—Government Order deciding that, is not liable to duty, communicated to the Collector of Sea Customs, Madras, and Messrs. Best and Company informed, with reference to their petition, that application may be made to the Collector for a refund of the duty paid.—Collector of Sea Customs informed that the Board accepts his view that the articles which can be used for other purposes than mining are liable to duty.	10th ,, 16th April, 16th Oct.,	,, ,, ,,	958, Mis. 148. 4338, Mis.
Hand pumps.—The question raised by the Collector of Sea Customs, Madras, whether, are exempt from import duty, submitted for the orders of Government with the Board's opinion that they should be exempted from duty as water-lifts.—Government Order stating that in the opinion of Government, are not exempt from import duty and that the Government of India will be addressed with a view to a decision being obtained in the matter, communicated to the Collector of Sea Customs, Madras.—Government Order communicating letter from the Government of India agreeing with the Madras Government in considering that, are not exempt from import duty, communicated to the Collectors of all the Maritime districts.	11th Mar., 27th April, 16th June,	,, ,, ,,	1031, Mis. 158. 232.

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Malt. — Collector of Sea Customs, Mac that, should be charged with duty under iten edule IV of the Tariff Act.	17th Mar., No. 1123, Mis.
Cotton goods manufactured in prisons by me -ked by tread mills —Letter from the Collect ore requesting orders as to the liability to e. ıe, submitted for the orders of Government. ıt Order considering that, are not liable to e Cotton Duties Act, communicated to the Co. batore.—Government Order communicating the Government of India on the liability t under the Cotton Duties Act II of 1896 of, c to all Collectors and the Collector of Sea Custo —Government Order, Revenue Department, on G Order, Judicial Department, communicating to th tor-General of Prisons letter from the Government forwarding copy of correspondence in regard to t tion of 3½ per cent. duty imposed under the Cotton L Act II of 1896, in computing the selling price of co articles manufactured in Jails, recorded.	16th „ „ 1125, Mis. 20th April, „ 152. 20th June, „ 236. 25th Sept., „ 4162, Mis.
Instruments, apparatus and appliances when imported by a passenger as part of his personal baggage and in actual use by him in the exercise of his profession or calling.—Government Order on letter from the Government of India directing that, may be treated as personal effects on which import duty will not be levied, communicated to the Collectors of all the Maritime districts for information and guidance.	Mar., „ 133.
Gum olibanum or frankincense.—Government Order communicating Government of India notification exempting, from the import duty leviable under the Tariff Act, communicated to the Collectors of all the Maritime districts for information and guidance.	27th „ 135.
Levy of a transport duty on toddy imported from the Nizam' Dominions into the Kurnool district from the 1st October 1896. — Letter from the Collector of Bellary forwarding copy of letter from the Inspector, Bellary Circle, regarding the rate toddy imported from Hyderab ts collection ich it	1422, Mis. 2116, Mis. 2207, Mis. 407, Mis. 562, Mis. 09, Mis 1, Mis. 1, Mis. Mis. Mis. Mis. lis. is. s.

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informing that the toddy le oad expires by	30th Sept, No. 4084, Mis.
the 8th October 1896, record for the, submit-	3rd Oct., ,, 4123, Mis.
ted to Government.—The (rnool requested	3rd ,, ,, 4127, Mis.
by wire to furnish certain i he matter of the	23th Sept., ,, 4158, Mis.
import of toddy from Bang rnment requested	20th Nov., ,, 4791, Mis.
to pass early orders on Bo gs, No. 258, dated	
6th July 1896.—Telegra .nment sanctioning	
the imposition of a trans anna per gallon on	
toddy imported from H Kurnool, communi-	
cated with remarks to th Bellary and Kurnool	
and the Deputy Comm l Division.—The Col-	
lector of Kurnool info hat the words used by	
the Board in a certain re "import duty" and	
not "report duty."— of Kurnool informed by	
wire that the import om Banganapalle into the	
Kurnool district sh bited from the 1st October	
1896 and requested cordingly to bidders at the	
ensuing sales. — I the Deputy Commissioner,	
Central Division, r reconsideration of the proposal	
to levy a duty of s per gallon of toddy imported	
into Kurnool fr Nizam's Dominions, recorded. —	
Government Or ting that the Board is correct in	
presuming that port of toddy from Hyderabad into	
Bellary is to mitted and that the import of toddy	
from Bangan into Kurnool is to be prohibited, re-	
corded.—Gov ent Order on the Board's proposals for	
the, commun d to the Collectors of Bellary and Kur-	
nool, the De ty Commissioner, Central Division, and the	
Assistant Commissioner, Bellary Sub-division.—Revised	
proposals fo r the establishment of chowkies in the Kurnool	
district fo culating the transport of Hyderabad toddy,	
approved arks. — Government addressed in the	
matter rders issued by it in connection with	
the Bo s for the,—Two revised proposition	
statem litional establishments required for	
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ing F , No. 322, dated 15th August 1896,	
reco requested by wire to telegraph its	
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monthly demand, collection and balance statements the collection of transport duty levied on Hyderabad toddy imported into the district, issued.—Copy of proceedings of the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, considering it unnecessary to establish on the Kurnool-Hyderabad frontier a belt of country where the transport and possession of toddy without permit should be practically prohibited, recorded.—Letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, reporting on the first month's working of the chowkies on the Kurnool frontier, submitted to Government with remarks.	
Equalization of duty on tobacco imported from Tinnevelly into Travancore with that levied on tobacco imported from Jaffna and Coimbatore.—The report of the Collector of Tinnevelly regarding the proposed, submitted to Government with remarks.—Government Order transferring to the Political Department, with an expression of concurrence in the Board's remarks, Board's Proceedings regarding the, recorded.—Government Order, Revenue Department, on Government Order, Political Department, approving the proposal of the Travancore Darbar to impose a uniform duty of Rs. 90 per candy on all Tinnevelly tobacco imported into that State, communicated to the Collector of Tinnevelly.	13th April, No. 1515, Mis. 21st May, „ 2171, Mis. 3rd July, „ 253.
Boots and spurs imported by Military officers as part of their uniform.—Government Order communicating letter from the Government of India regarding the liability to import duty of, communicated to the Collectors of all the Maritime districts.	16th April, „ 149.
Duty on bobbins imported at Bimlipatam for a jute factory.—Appeal of Messrs. Arbuthnot and Company against the charge of, submitted for the orders of Government.—Government Order referring to the Government of India for orders the question whether jute bobbins are liable to import duty, recorded.—Decision of the Government of India that bobbins are free of duty as component parts of machinery, communicated to the Collector of Vizagapatam, and Messrs. Arbuthnot and Company informed that orders have been issued for the refund of the duty levied on certain cases of bobbins imported by them for their jute mills.	20th „ „ 1596, Mis. 29th May, „ 2412, Mis. 2nd Sept., „ 345.
Messrs. John Grieve and Company, Cochin, informed that duty was rightly levied on a weighing machine imported before the imposition of import duties, exported for repair and re-imported after the passing of the Tariff Act, 1894.	26th April, „ 1659, Mis.
South Canara.—Collector informed that the payment of drawback recommended by him on certain vats re-exported to Goa is opposed to a notification of the Government of India under the Sea Customs Act.	29th „ „ 1741, Mis.
Cotton goods made in jails and in factories such as those of the Basel Mission.—Letter from the Chairman of the Chamber of Commerce, Madras, urging that steps be taken to levy excise duty upon, whether the motive power in them is machine or hand, submitted to Government.—Government Order furnishing the Chairman, Chamber of Commerce, Madras, with a copy of paragraph 2 of Government of India letter regarding the price of, recorded.	1st May, „ 1771, Mis. 29th June, „ 2857, Mis.

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Superphosphates.—Stated that, should have been passed free as manure from the date on which Act XVI of 1894 came into force and that the duty levied on the article from that date should be refunded.	1st May, No. 1799, Mis.
Winch on board the steam vessel imported by the Bombay Port Trust for the purpose of being used as an Achor Hoy.—Government Order communicating endorsement of the Government of India on its letter to the Government of Bombay stating that the, is exempt from customs duty under No. 14 of schedule IV of Act III of 1896, communicated to the Collectors of all the Maritime districts.	4th ,, ,, 174.
Water tanks.—Government Order communicating endorsement of the Government of India forwarding a copy of notification exempting, from import duty when imported by or under the orders of a Railway Company, communicated to the Collectors of all the Maritime districts.	4th ,, ,, 175.
Machinery which is intended for the manufacture of paint and composition for application to leather, wood and metals.—Government Order communicating notification of the Government of India exempting, from import duty, communicated to the Collectors of all the Maritime districts.	8th ,, ,, 182.
Reckoning the contents of kerosine-oil cans for levying import duty thereon.—A reference from the Government of India as to the practice in force at Madras in the matter of, communicated to the Collector of Madras for early report.—Report from the Collector of Madras, submitted to Government with remarks.—Letter from the Collector of Madras stating that each consignment of kerosine oil imported at Madras port is tested as explained by him in his previous letter, submitted to Government.—Board's Proceedings, Mis. No. 2313, dated 3rd June 1896, recorded by Government.—Government Order recording Government of India reminder regarding the question of, recorded.—Government Order ordering that the Government of India be addressed on the practice obtaining at the Madras port in regard to, recorded.—Government Order communicating the decision of the Government of India on the question of, and determining the number of cases that should be tested on each occasion, communicated to the Collector of Sea Customs, Madras, and to the Collectors of all other Maritime districts for information and guidance.	9th ,, ,, 1934, Mis. 3rd June, ,, 2313, Mis. 13th ,, ,, 2474, Mis. 22nd ,, ,, 2605, Mis. 24th ,, ,, 2679, Mis. 9th July, ,, 2907, Mis. 21st Oct., ,, 426.
Teakwood keys.—Government Order communicating Government of India endorsement on its letter to the Government of Bombay stating that, being sleeper-fastenings are exempt from customs duty under item No. 93 of schedule IV of the Tariff Act III of 1896, communicated to the Collectors of all the Maritime districts.	18th May, ,, 192.
Revised scale of rates for harbour dues framed by the Trustees of the Madras Harbour.—Government Order, Revenue Department, communicating Proceedings, Marine Department, sanctioning the, and ordering the notification containing the same to be published in the *Fort St. George Gazette*, communicated to the Collector of Sea Customs, Madras.	20th June, ,, 2599, Mis.

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Collecting duty on goods shipped from one British Indian customs port to another.—Collector of Kistna informed that the action of the Port officer, Masulipatam, in, was objectionable and that the Port officer should be warned.	14th July, No. 2927, Mis.
Refund of a portion of the import duty collected from Messrs. Adamson, MacTaggart and Company of Tuticorin on certain cases of ice cleared by the firm merely as forwarding Agents.—Collector of Tinnevelly informed that the, cannot be granted.	14th „ „ 2937, Mis.
Exempting racks for the withering of tea leaf from import duty.—Government Order communicating Government of India endorsement forwarding copy of notification, communicated to the Collectors of all the Maritime districts for information and guidance.	21st July, „ 290.
Surplus stock of toddy arrack in the Gódávari district at the end of the current lease.—Collector requested to report what rate of duty he would recommend on the,—Collector of Gódávari requested by wire to expedite the submission of his report furnishing details of calculation of the rates of duty recommended by him to be levied on,—Government requested to accord sanction for levying differential duty in lieu of enhanced tree-tax on the, at As. 3 per gallon of 60° under-proof and proportionately for the other strengths and the Collector to report the arrangements to be made by him for sealing the surplus stocks and issuing them during the first few months of the next lease.—Government, Revenue Department, requested by wire to wire orders on Board's Proceedings, Mis. No. 3504, dated 20th August 1896.—Collector of Gódávari informed by wire that the levy of the differential rates of duty on the, has been sanctioned by Government.—Collector requested by wire to expedite the report called for in paragraph 3 of Board's Proceedings, Mis. No. 3504, dated 20th August 1896.—Collector requested to expedite his proposals regarding the arrangements for sealing the,—The proposals of the Collector for the sealing up of the, and for issues being made therefrom during the first few months of the next lease, approved.—Government Order approving the instructions issued in Board's Proceedings, No. 375, dated 21st September 1896, communicated to the Collector of Gódávari, Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, and Assistant Commissioner, Cocanada Sub-division.	27th „ „ 3109, Mis. 3rd Aug., „ 3240, Mis. 20th „ „ 3504, Mis. 4th Sept., „ 3716, Mis. 5th „ „ 349. 7th „ „ 3740, Mis. 10th „ „ 3814, Mis. 21st „ „ 375. 16th Oct., „ 419.
Steam-winches.—Government Order communicating the Government of India ruling on the question of the liability to import duty of certain, communicated to the Collectors of all the Maritime districts.	18th Aug., „ 328.
Proposal to levy a transport duty of two annas per gallon on Hyderabad toddy transported into the Gódávari district.—The Collector of Gódávari informed with remark that the, cannot be considered at present.	19th „ „ 3503, Mis.
Levying of differential rates of duty on toddy arrack in the Bandur, Répatle and Bápatla taluks and the Munagala and Lingagiri zemindaries of Nandigáma taluk, Kistna district, for the next lease.—Government requested to accord its sanction for the, and the Collector requested to report the arrangements he proposes to make for the sealing of the	29th „ „ 3628, Mis. 12th Sept., „ 3838, Mis. 16th „ „ 365. 21st „ „ 376. 19th Oct., „ 422.

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surplus stocks, &c.—The Collector of Kistna requested by wire to expedite the submission of his report regarding the, —Government Order sanctioning the, communicated to the Collector of Kistna and Deputy Commissioner, Central Division.—Orders passed on letter from the Collector of Kistna regarding the surplus stocks of toddy arrack at the end of the current lease.—Government Order approving the instructions issued in Board's Proceedings, No. 376, dated 21st September 1896, communicated to the Collector of Kistna.	
Rum to be supplied by Messrs. Arbuthnot and Company to the Commissariat Department.—Request of Messrs. Arbuthnot and Company either to exempt from import duty, or to allow the liquor to be exported to London free of one-eighth duty leviable under section 42 of the Sea Customs Act, recommended to Government.	12th Sept., No. 3864, Mis.
Dynamos and accumulators.—Government Order communicating endorsement of the Government of India on correspondence purporting that, are chargeable with import duty unless they form part of machinery intended for the special purposes mentioned in (*a*) to (*p*) under article 14 of schedule IV of the Indian Tariff Act, communicated to the Collectors of Maritime districts, for information and guidance.	21st ,, ,, 373.
Enhancement of the duty on jaggery arrack from the 1st October 1896.—The Collector of Kistna and the Assistant Commissioner, Masulipatam Sub-division, requested by wire to take steps for the sealing of surplus stocks of jaggery arrack in the district and for the collection of differential duty thereon owing to the, and attention to the instructions issued on the subject, invited.	24th ,, ,, 4002, Mis.
Card cans.—Government Order communicating endorsement of the Government of India forwarding copy of its letter to the Government of Bengal deciding that, are chargeable with import duty, communicated to the Collector of Sea Customs, Madras, and to the Collectors of all other Maritime districts for information and guidance.	2nd Oct., ,, 397.
Mansfield's patent oil gas apparatus imported by Messrs. P. Orr and Sons.—Orders passed on letter from the Collector of Sea Customs, Madras, enquiring whether, should be passed free of duty under article No. 14 C of schedule IV or duty levied on them under No. 64 of the schedule.—Board's Proceedings, Mis. No. 4238, dated 14th October 1896, recorded by Government.	14th ,, ,, 4238, Mis. 22nd Nov., ,, 4943, Mis.
Cotton goods, bordered or embroidered with silk or wool.—Government Order communicating endorsement of the Government of India forwarding copy of correspondence regarding the levy of duty on, communicated to the Collector of Sea Customs, Madras, and to the Collectors of all other Maritime districts for information and guidance.	16th Oct., ,, 420.
Certain swords, &c., imported for the Second Battalion, South Staffordshire Regiment.—Endorsement of Government, Revenue Department, forwarding, for early attention and report, letter from the General Officer Commanding Southern District requesting that, may be passed free of duty,	2nd Nov., ,, 4564, Mis. 27th ,, ,, 4926, Mis. 12th Dec., ,, 5152, Mis.

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communicated to the Collector of Sea Customs, Madras, for immediate report.—The report called for, submitted to Government.—Government Order forwarding to His Excellency the Lieutenant-General Commanding the Madras Forces the report from the Board of Revenue regarding, and requesting that the necessary certificate may be sent to the Collector of Customs through Messrs. McDowell and Company, recorded.	
Machinery for electric lighting.—Government Order communicating Government of India letter exempting from import duty the, communicated to the Collectors of all the Maritime districts.	10th Nov., No. 450.
Levy of import duty on foreign postage stamps.—Government Order communicating letter from the Government of India forwarding copy of correspondence relating to the question of the, communicated to the Collector of Sea Customs, Madras, and to the Collectors of all other Maritime districts for information and guidance.	11th „ „ 455.
All articles on which no duty was paid on first import are liable to duty on re-importation.—Government Order communicating letter from the Government of India stating in reply to a reference from the local Government with regard to articles imported previous to the imposition of duty or as in actual use, that, communicated to the Collectors of all the Maritime districts.	11th „ „ 458.
Fish-maws, shark fins and mother-of-pearl shells.—Government Order communicating endorsement of the Government of India forwarding copy of its notification exempting, from import duty, communicated to the Collectors of all the Maritime districts.	29th „ „ 476.
Bicycles.—The Collectors of Customs, Bombay and Calcutta requested to state how, are assessed to duty in those ports.	11th Dec., „ 5143, Mis.
Dredgers imported by Messrs. Hoare, Miller and Company for the Bengal-Nagpur Railway.—Government Order communicating endorsement of the Government of India forwarding a copy of its letter to the Government of Bengal declining to exempt from customs duty the, communicated to the Collectors of all the Maritime districts for information and guidance.	14th „ „ 515.
DAMAGE.	
ORISSA.	
Tua factory.—Letter from the Inspector, Manikpatna Circle, reporting on the damages done at the, during the storm on the 21st May 1896, recorded.	6th June, „ 2405, Mis.
DEATH.	
Mr. E. J. B. Chapman, Inspector, Balasore Circle.—The death of, reported to Government and the Assistant Commissioner, Balasore Sub-division, requested to ascertain and report certain particulars regarding the family and the property of the deceased.—Board's Proceedings, Mis. No. 3468, dated 19th August 1896, recorded by Government.—Letter from the Assistant Commissioner, Balasore Sub-division, furnishing certain particulars relating to the death of, submitted to Government.	19th Aug., „ 3468, Mis. 7th Sept., „ 3822, Mis. 24th „ „ 4000, Mis.

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Ré-union immigration report for 1894.—Government Order, Public Department, recording endorsement of the Government of India forwarding a copy of the, recorded.	27th Jan., No. 415, Mis.
Immigration report of British Guiana with copies of statements and returns during 1893, 1894 *and* 1895.—Government Order recording, with remarks, letter from the Government of India forwarding copies of, recorded.	13th Feb., „ 622, Mis.
Two statements, one showing the number of passengers arriving at, and the other the number sailing from, the several ports in the Madras Presidency during the quarter ending 31st December 1895, submitted to Government.—Government Order, Public Department, forwarding to the Government of India Board's Proceedings submitting, recorded.—Statements for the quarter ending 31st March 1896, submitted to Government.—Government Order, Public Department, forwarding to the Government of India the statements submitted with Board's Proceedings, No. 187, recorded.—Statements for the quarter ending 30th June 1896, submitted to Government.—Government Order, Public Department, forwarding to the Government of India statements submitted with Board's Proceedings, No. 324, dated 20th August 1896, recorded.—Statements for the quarter ending 30th September 1896, submitted to Government.	13th „ „ 56. 5th Mar., „ 888, Mis. 15th May, „ 187. 13th June, „ 2678, Mis. 20th Aug., „ 324. 21st Sept., „ 4087, Mis. 17th Nov., „ 459.
Statement of Emigration receipts and charges for 1895.—The Accountant-General informed that the, will be forwarded to him for verification as soon as information for its compilation is received.—Forwarded to the Accountant-General for verification.	28th Feb., „ 779, Mis. 27th Mar., „ 1317, Mis.
Addition of a rule to the Colonial Emigration rules for testing the presence of poisonous minerals in the drinking-water, lime-juice, &c., supplied to emigrants.—Government Order, Public Department, forwarding copy of correspondence regarding the, recorded.	5th „ „ 924, Mis.
Assam emigration report for 1895.—Government Order reviewing the, submitted by the Superintendent of Emigration, Ganjám, recorded.	28th April, „ 1721, Mis.
Report on emigration and immigration for the calendar year 1895, submitted to Government.	30th „ „ 162.
Statements showing the number of emigrants despatched to and returned from Mauritius and Natal and the expenditure incurred by the two agencies at Madras during 1895–96.—Government Order, Public Department, forwarding, to the Home Government, recorded.	9th June, „ 2427, Mis.
Enhancement of the fee levied on each emigrant to the colonies and the revival of the levy of a fee of Rs. 15 *on each recruiter's license.*—Government Order recording the decision of the Government of India with regard to the proposed, recorded.	18th „ „ 2544, Mis.
Recruitment of Native artizans for service in the East African Colonies.—Government Order, Public Department, communicating to officers concerned letter from the Government of India expressing its views with regard to the, recorded.	8th July, „ 2870, Mis.

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Report of the Protector of Immigrants, Natal.—Government Order, Public Department, forwarding copy of the, for the half-year ending 31st December 1895, recorded.	18th July, No. 3021, Mis.
Jamaica immigration report for 1895.—Government Order, Public Department, recording letter from the Government of India forwarding the, recorded.	18th „ „ 3023, Mis.
Annual report on the working of the Mauritius Immigration department for the year 1894.—Government Order, Public Department, forwarding a copy of the, recorded.	24th „ „ 3139, Mis.
Copy of the list of arrivals and allotments of immigrants in British Guiana during 1895–96.—Government Order, Public Department, forwarding, received from the Government of India, recorded.	3rd Aug., „ 3250, Mis.
Emigration from the Madras Presidency during 1895.—Government Order reviewing reports on the operations connected with, recorded.	19th „ „ 3515, Mis.
Fee for audit of the accounts of the Emigration Agencies.—Government Order, Public Department, communicating to the Protector of Emigrants, Madras, and to the Accountant-General despatch from the Secretary of State stating that the, should, in future, be recovered in Madras, recorded.	4th Sept., „ 3832, Mis.
Register of immigrants despatched by Government vessels from India to Ceylon referred to by the Colonial Secretary, Colombo.—Report on the question of the maintenance by the officers of this Presidency of a, submitted to Government.	14th Oct., „ 4321, Mis.
The number of persons who leave or return to India as emigrants or immigrants under the provisions of the Indian Emigration Act of 1883, *the Native Passenger Ships Act of* 1887, *and the Pilgrim Ships Act of* 1895.—The Collectors of all the Maritime districts except Madras, the Protector of Emigrants, Madras, and the British Consular Agent at Pondicherry and Karikal to report in future for each official year not later than the 1st July following,	24th Dec., „ 519.
ESTABLISHMENT.	
List of establishment of the Salt, Abkári and Customs Department drawing salaries of Rs. 50 *and upwards.*—Memorandum of alterations to be made in the list of establishment sent with Board's Proceedings, Mis. No. 5088, dated 29th November 1895, submitted to Government.—The, returned to the Secretary to Government, Revenue Department, duly corrected.—A memorandum of alterations to be made in the list sent with Board's Proceedings, Mis. No. 4909, dated 30th November 1896, submitted to Government.	5th Jan., „ 1, Mis. 30th Nov., „ 4909, Mis. 31st Dec., „ 5247, Mis.
Korapuzha distillery.—Letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, stating that the proposal for the entertainment of establishment for the, will be submitted on receipt of certain information from the Inspector, Calicut Circle, recorded.—Assistant Commissioner, Calicut Subdivision, requested to report later on the date from which the Assistant Inspector proposed to be entertained for the, will be required.	9th Jan., „ 38, Mis. 28th Feb., „ 806, Mis.

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Shadayankuppam lock.—Government Order sanctioning the retention of the temporary establishment at the, till the 26th September 1895, communicated to the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, for information and guidance.—Sanction of Government to the entertainment of the usual temporary establishment of one time-keeper on Rs. 50 and two second-grade peons at the, for four months in the current year, solicited.—Government Order sanctioning the proposition statement, communicated to Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, for information and guidance.	8th Jan., No. 73, Mis. 18th May, „ 189. 2nd July, „ 256.
Kurnool, Anantapur and Madanapalle Circles.—Sanction of Government to the entertainment of an additional clerk on Rs. 25 in each of the, solicited.—Government Order sanctioning the additional clerk, communicated to the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, and the Assistant Commissioner, Bellary Sub-division.	10th Jan., „ 4. 5th Mar., „ 103.
Extension of the toddy tree-tax license fee system to additional areas in the Madras Presidency.—Government Order communicating copy of despatch from the Secretary of State for India approving the, and sanctioning the additional establishments required therefor, communicated to the Deputy Commissioners, Central and Southern Divisions, and the Assistant Commissioners concerned.—Reported to Government that the changes in the factory and fish-curing establishments shown in the proposition statement submitted in connection with the, are only apparent and a memorandum explaining the increase or decrease in establishment in each circle consequent on the introduction of the T.T. system.—A statement showing the changes in the establishment of certain circles and offices in consequence of the introduction of the T.T. system into certain tracts from 1st October 1895, submitted to Government.—Accountant-General requested to state whether new appointments sanctioned provisionally by the Secretary of State in connection with the, may be permanently filled up though the detailed proposition statements have not yet been sanctioned.—Accountant-General requested to favour the Board with his opinion as to how certain sub. *pro tem.* appointments can be made as suggested by him.—Letter from the Accountant-General replying to Board's Proceedings, Mis. No. 1700, recorded.—Government Order communicating letter from the Government of India enclosing a copy of correspondence with the Secretary of State regarding the entertainment of the additional establishments on account of the extension of the system in the southern districts of the Presidency, communicated to Deputy and Assistant Commissioners.	16th Jan., „ 19. 27th „ „ 300, Mis. 28th Feb., „ 780, Mis. 15th April, „ 1496, Mis. 20th „ „ 1700, Mis. 15th May, „ 2022, Mis. 16th Sept., „ 364.
Additional establishments required for the working of the rules regulating the drawing of sweet toddy in the district of Malabar.—Government Order sanctioning, with remarks, the proposition statements for the entertainment of certain, communicated to the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, for information and guidance.—Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, requested to report the names and rank of unpassed petty officers who are otherwise fit for promotion in view to the sanction of Government being obtained to their employment as temporary Sub-Inspectors.—Government requested to approve the appointment of certain petty officers of the as Southern Division	8th Jan., „ 26. 21st Mar., „ 1240, Mis. 1st July, „ 2729, Mis. 26th Aug., „ 3586, Mis. 25th Sept., „ 4040, Mis. 16th Oct., „ 4379, Mis.

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temporary Sub-Inspectors, and Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, informed that the appointment of K. V. Narayana Marvar cannot be recommended.—Government Order exempting certain petty officers from the Examination rules in view to their employment as temporary Sub-Inspectors, communicated to the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division.—Government requested to approve the appointment of petty officer P. Chathu of the Calicut Circle as a temporary Sub-Inspector.—Government Order exempting the petty officer from the Examination rules, communicated to the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, and the Assistant Commissioner, Calicut Sub-division.	
Cochin Frontier Circle No. I.—Suggestion of the Inspector, to continue the existing arrangements regarding post No. XII, approved, and Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, requested to submit a statement showing the parties, posts, &c., as they stand now and their respective strength.—Remarked on the changes effected by Mr. Barter in the strength and allocation of certain parties and posts in, and the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, requested to report whether he considers them necessary.	10th Jan., No. 98, Mis. 9th Sept., „ 3819, Mis.
Limits and the establishment of certain parties in the Darsi Division and the Markapur and Kanigiri taluks.—Orders passed on letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, proposing the re-distribution of the,	10th Jan., „ 113, Mis.
Old Arcot and Vellore Circles.—Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, informed that the Board does not consider it necessary to make any change in the sanctioned strength of certain taluks in the,	10th „ „ 120, Mis.
Proposition statements for the entertainment of an Assistant Inspector and four orderlies for the South Trichinopoly Circle.—Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, informed, with remarks, that no alteration is necessary in the, referred to by him.—Remarked on letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, requesting that certain changes may be made in the grading of the peons in the South Trichinopoly and Erode Circles.	24th „ „ 297, Mis. 6th Aug., „ 3293, Mis.
Customs establishment in the Madras Presidency.—Government Order passing orders on papers relating to the reorganisation of the, communicated to the Collectors of Maritime districts and to the officers concerned.—A detailed proposition statement of the, submitted to Government.—Board's Proceedings, No. 38, dated 27th January 1896, recorded by Government.—Instructions as to the discharge of officials in accordance with the scheme of Customs establishment sanctioned by Government, issued.—Certain questions raised by the Collector of Gódávari in connection with the scheme of re-organisation of, answered.—Letter from the Collector of Nellore stating that it is unnecessary to retain the post of Assistant Superintendent at Iskapalle and that the imports of railway materials, if any, at that place can be checked by the local Salt Inspector and his Assistant, recorded.—Collectors of Maritime districts and Deputy and Assistant Commissioners of the Salt, Abkári and Customs Department informed, with reference to an	27th Jan., „ 38. 25th Feb., „ 739, Mis. 6th Mar., „ 920, Mis. 18th „ „ 1152, Mis. 19th „ „ 118. 28th April, „ 1715, Mis. 2nd May, „ 169. 5th „ „ 1856, Mis. 8th „ „ 180. 2nd June, „ 2289, Mis. 4th „ „ 2362, Mis. 15th July, „ 273. 11th „ „ 277. 30th „ „ 3182, Mis. 8th Aug., „ 313. 11th „ „ 3421, Mis. 14th „ „ 3455, Mis. 18th „ „ 3516, Mis.

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order of Government that certain instructions issued by the Board to bring into force at once the Government Order regarding the merging of the Customs establishment in the Salt and Abkári Department are suspended until further orders.—Information called for regarding the dates from which increase of salary to existing incumbents in Customs offices are recommended and as to whether the whole of the increase is to be given at once or by any system of instalments, submitted to Government.—Government Order, Revenue Department, communicating Government Order, Financial Department, directing that the proposition statement for the, be forwarded to the Government of India, communicated to the Collector of Sea Customs, Madras, to the Collectors of other Maritime districts and to Deputy and Assistant Commissioners.—Government Order communicating reminder from the Financial Department regarding the increase of salary to certain incumbents of the, recorded.—Letter from the Collector of Nellore submitting a statement showing the value of driftwood and wreckage collected by the peons at the ports of Iskapalle, Krishnápatnam and Karedu during 1894-95 and 1895-96, recorded.—Government Order communicating order of the Government of India communicating despatch from the Secretary of State requesting to report whether any reduction of establishment is possible in view of the change in the law regarding cotton duties, communicated to the Collector of Sea Customs, Madras, and the Collectors of all other Maritime districts for a very early report.—Government Order, Financial Department, furnishing the Government of India with information regarding the dates from which increases to the salaries of, should take effect, communicated to the Collectors of all the Maritime districts.—Letter from the Collector of Sea Customs, Madras, requesting to move Government to address the Government of India in view to the Secretary of State's decision sanctioning the arrangements proposed in 1894 for the re-organisation of the, being communicated at an early date, submitted to Government.—Government Order, Financial Department, communicating the order of the Government of India sanctioning the revision of the, at an additional cost of Rs. 4,704-10-8 a month in consequence of the enactment of the Tariff Acts VIII and XVI of 1894, communicated to the Collector of Sea Customs, Madras, and to the Collectors of all other Maritime districts.—Letter from the Collector of South Canara reporting that no reduction is possible in any of the existing Customs establishment in his district, recorded.—Government Order, Revenue Department, on Government Order, Financial Department, communicating order of Government of India sanctioning the revision of the, recorded.—Government Order recording Board's Proceedings, Mis. No. 31[illegible], dated 30th July 1896, recorded.—Letter from the Collector of Vizagapatam reporting that no extra establishment was entertained when changes were made in the law regarding cotton duties, recorded.—Letter from the Collector of Malabar reporting that no special establishment was sanctioned for the district on account of cotton duties, recorded.—Letter from the Collector of Sea Customs, Madras, reporting that no reduction is possible in the Customs establishment on account of the changes made in the law relating to cotton duties, recorded.—The Collector of Sea Customs, Madras, requested to report on certain	18th Aug., No. 3551, Mis 12th ,, ,, 3645, Mis. 2nd Sept., ,, 3678, Mis. 9th Oct., ,, 4212, Mis. 4th Dec., ,, 486. 4th ,, ,, 5029, Mis. 14th ,, ,, 5230, Mis.

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points with reference to his letter stating that no reduction can be made in the establishment sanctioned in connection with the law relating to cotton duties.—Government Order communicating the sanction of the Secretary of State to the revised scheme of, communicated to the Collectors of Maritime districts with remarks.—Government requested to authorise the Board and the Salt and Abkári officers to exercise the powers of appointing Customs officers other than those whose appointment has been reserved to Government in view to making in some cases transfers of supervising officers between Customs and the Salt and Abkári Department before allowing the increased salaries sanctioned in the scheme of revised Customs establishment.—Reported to Government that reduction of, is not possible in consequence of the change of law regarding cotton duties.	
Tanjore.—Collector informed that the amins at the chowkies on the Karikal frontier should be instructed to give effect at once to the notification allowing goods to pass by night as well as by day through chowkies, and that the clerks sanctioned by Government may be entertained.—Collector informed that action regarding establishment referred to in paragraph 2 of his letter should be deferred pending receipt of the Board's instructions on the Government Order sanctioning the proposals regarding it.	28th Jan., No. 327, Mis. 10th Feb., „ 566, Mis.
Copy of the establishment list corrected up to date down to the grade of Inspectors, submitted to Government, Revenue Department.	31st Jan., „ 403, Mis.
Resurvey of certain salt factories in the Negapatam and Tinnevelly Sub-divisions.—Government Order sanctioning the retention of the Survey establishment entertained for the, up to the 31st January 1896, communicated to the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division.—Sanction of Government for the retention of the establishment up to the end of the current official year, solicited.—Government Order sanctioning the retention of the establishment till the end of 1896-97, communicated to the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division.	30th „ „ 441, Mis. 24th Sept., „ 4011, Mis. 20th Oct., „ 4351, Mis.
Krishnápatnam Circle.—The names proposed by the Assistant Commissioner, Nellore Sub-division, for the Sub-Inspectors' and parties' ranges in the, approved.	6th Feb., „ 505, Mis.
Hanjarakotta.—Stated that the Board cannot recommend to Government the proposals of the Collector of South Canara to entertain for seven trading months in each year a shroff on Rs. 12 per mensem at, unless the necessity for the increase is explained in greater detail than has been done.	3rd „ „ 598, Mis.
Entertainment of an additional clerk for the Védáranniyam Circle office.—Government Order sanctioning the proposition statement for the, communicated to the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, and Assistant Commissioner, Negapatam Sub-division.	5th „ „ 43.
Clerical establishment of the office of the Assistant Commissioner, Chingleput Sub-division.—Government Order sanctioning the proposition statement for the revision of the scale of pay of the, communicated to the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, and Assistant Commissioner, Chingleput Sub-division.	5th „ „ 50.

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The private warehouse to be opened at Rénigunta by the Arcot sugar works and distilleries.—Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, requested to report whether any extra establishment will be required for the supervision of—The entertainment of a Sub-Inspector and two peons for the charge of, sanctioned.	13th Feb., No. 612, Mis 1st April, „ 1367, Mis.
Morekolam Circle.—Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, requested to state how he calculates the preventive staff of the Pámban island in the, to be ten men.	18th Feb., „ 653, Mis.
Mangalore Circle.—Government Order sanctioning proposition statements for the entertainment of a clerk on Rs 25, two Sub-Inspectors and four orderlies in the, communicated to the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division.—Orders passed on letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, regarding the re-constitution of the,	18th Feb., „ 65. 28th May, „ 2199, Mis.
Proposals of the Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, for the re-distribution of the preventive force in the Calingapatam Circle, approved.—Board's Proceedings, No. 72, dated 19th February 1896, recorded by Government.	19th Feb., „ 72. 13th April, „ 1585, Mis.
Frontier force in the Kurnool Circle.—Letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, reporting on the necessity of entertaining a, for preventing the smuggling of arrack from Hyderabad, recorded with remark.	22nd Feb., „ 703, Mis.
The date from which the period sanctioned for temporary establishment should be calculated.—Government Order sanctioning the retention from the 20th February to the 10th March 1895 of the temporary clerk employed in the Deputy Collector's office, Anantapur, for sorting records, and approving of the Accountant-General's suggestions regarding the, recorded.	25th „ „ 73.
South Canara.—Sanction of Government to the entertainment of a clerk on Rs. 15 per mensem in the office of the Collector of, on account of increase in abkári work, requested, and stated that the Board sees no reason to raise the pay of the head clerk.—Government Order sanctioning the proposition statement, communicated to the Collector of South Canara.	26th „ „ 76. 28th April, „ 170.
Manakudi factory.—The remarks of the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, on letter from the Assistant Commissioner, Tinnevelly Sub-division, appyling for certain additional establishment for the, awaited.—Orders passed on letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, requesting early orders as to the entertainment of certain additional establishment at the,	26th Feb., „ 749, Mis. 7th July, „ 2803, Mis.
Copy of the establishment list corrected up to date down to the grade of Inspectors, submitted to Government, Revenue Department.	28th Feb., „ 778, Mis.
Vizagapatam district.—Proposition statement for the entertainment of an abkári clerk on Rs. 15 for the Golgonda taluk office in the, submitted to Government.—Government	26th „ „ 812, Mis. 20th Mar., „ 134. 5th July, „ 257.

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Order sanctioning the proposition statement, communicated to the Collector of,—Sanction of Government requested to the employment of a clerk on Rs. 15 for the Vizagapatam Collector's office and for each of the Deputy Tahsildar's offices in that district in connection with the introduction of the tree-tax system with certain tracts of the district from 1st October 1896.—Government Order sanctioning the proposition statement, communicated to the Collector of Vizagapatam.	4th Sept., No. 357.
Madras Salt Depôt.—Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, requested to explain why the clerk on Rs. 20 formerly attached to the, and since borne in the establishment of the Board's office is now included in the proposed scale in the proposition statement submitted by him. — Sanction of Government for the raising of the present scale of establishment at the, to what it was prior to the introduction of the out-storage system in 1890 with certain modifications, solicited.— Government Order sanctioning the proposition statement, communicated to the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, and the Assistant Commissioner, Chingleput Sub-division.	5th Mar., „ 859, Mis. 22nd June, „ 238. 3rd Sept., „ 350.
Special force entertained for the prevention of smuggling from Sandúr.—Letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, reporting on the working of the, and on the question of its permanent retention, recorded with remark.	7th Mar., „ 926, Mis.
Temporary establishment sanctioned for the railway jetty at Cocanada.—The report called for regarding the, submitted to Government with the recommendation that the, may be made permanent.—Government Order approving and transferring the Board's Proceedings to the Financial Department, recorded.—Government Order, Revenue Department, on Government Order, Financial Department, sanctioning the entertainment of the establishment, communicated to the Collector of Gódávari.	7th „ „ 974, Mis. 8th April, „ 1449, Mis. 16th May, „ 2070, Mis.
Malabar-Cochin frontier.—Proposals for the permanent retention of the force employed on the, submitted to Government.—Proposition statements for making permanent the establishments in the Cochin Frontier Circles Nos. I and II and embodying certain changes in the establishment of the Ponnáni Circle, submitted to Government.—Government Order sanctioning the proposition statements, communicated to the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, and Assistant Commissioner, Calicut Sub-division, for information and guidance.	7th Mar., „ 95. 1st Sept., „ 3655, Mis. 5th Oct., „ 413.
Anantapur district.—Sanction of Government to the entertainment of two clerks on Rs. 30 and Rs. 20 per mensem, respectively, in the Collector's office, in lieu of the present clerk in consequence of the increase in the abkári work, solicited.—Government Order sanctioning the entertainment of the two clerks, communicated to the Collector of Anantapur.	10th Mar., „ 102. 4th May, „ 179.
Temporary establishment employed for guarding the 24-acre block and the beach platforms of the Ennore Circle.—Sanction of Government to the retention up to the end of April 1897 of the, requested.—Government Order sanctioning the retention up to the end of April 1897 of the, commu-	9th Mar., „ 106. 6th May, „ 1880, Mis. 28th „ „ 2245, Mis.

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nicated to the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, and Assistant Commissioner, Chingleput Sub-division.—Board's Proceedings, Mis. No. 1880, recorded by Government.	
Orders passed on the suggestion of Mr. Hawkins to extend to the Salt Preventive Circle the practice obtaining in the Police Department regarding the preparation of pay bills of the establishment.	13th Mar., No. 1035, Mis.
Nellikuppam distillery.—Sanction of Government to the entertainment of an additional establishment for the efficient supervision and control of the, requested.—Government Order sanctioning the entertainment of the additional establishment, communicated with remarks to Deputy and Assistant Commissioners.	18th „ „ 116. 13th July, „ 272.
Rénigunta distillery.—Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, informed that Assistant Inspector M.R.Ry. A. Srinivasulu Naidu has been posted to the charge of the, and he is authorised to entertain the usual guard of two peons.	19th Mar., „ 1195, Mis.
Madalapet sayer station.—The proposal of the Collector of South Arcot to strength the establishment at the, recommended to Government.—Government Order approving the Board's recommendation in regard to the additional establishment required, communicated to the Collector of South Arcot, Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, and Assistant Commissioner, Negapatam Sub-division.—Government Order, Revenue Department, on Government Order, Financial Department, sanctioning proposition statement, communicated to the Collector of South Arcot.	20th „ „ 1246, Mis. 5th June, „ 217. 7th July, „ 2814, Mis.
Proposals for the income-tax establishments required during the year 1896-97, submitted to Government.—Government Order, Revenue Department, approving the, communicated to all Collectors.—An erratum to Board's Proceedings, No. 129, issued.—Government Order, Financial Department, sanctioning the, communicated to all Collectors.—Board's Proceedings, No. 212, dated 4th June 1896, recorded by Government.—Government Order, Revenue Department, communicating Government Order, Financial Department, sanctioning the proposition statement, recorded with reference to Board's Proceedings, No. 227, dated 13th June 1896.	27th Mar., „ 129. 4th June, „ 212. 4th „ „ 213. 13th „ „ 227. 17th „ „ 2524, Mis. 30th „ „ 2703, Mis.
A copy of the establishment list corrected up to date down to the grade of Inspectors, submitted to Government, Revenue Department.	31st Mar., „ 1347, Mis.
Cuddapah.—Sanction of Government for the entertainment of a clerk on Rs. 15 in each of the taluk offices in Proddatur, Pulivendla, Siddhout, Rávachóti, Kadiri and Vayalpad, requested.—Government Order sanctioning the entertainment of the clerks, communicated to the Collector of Cuddapah.—Sanction of Government for the entertainment of a clerk on Rs. 15 in Badvel taluk of the, and also of an additional clerk on Rs. 30 in the office of the Collector of that district, solicited.—Government Order sanctioning the proposition statement, communicated to the Collector of Cuddapah for information and guidance.	6th April, „ 143. 3rd June, „ 218. 21st July, „ 287. 27th Aug., „ 343.
Private warehouse at Pódanúr.—The entertainment of a Sub-Inspector and two peons for the supervision of the, sanctioned.	10th April, „ 1445, Mis.

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Additional establishment that may be required for the efficient supervision and control of the distilleries in their divisions.—Deputy Commissioners requested to submit proposals for the,—Endorsement of the Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, submitting with support copy of Chatrapur Assistant Commissioner's letter submitting proposals for the additional establishment required for the Aska distillery, recorded.—Deputy Commissioners requested to expedite the submission of the proposals for the,—Reported to Government that it is considered advisable to defer, submitting report on the general question of increasing the distillery establishment until the question of securing from England the services of an expert in distillery matters is settled.—Letters from Deputy Commissioners, Central and Southern Divisions, submitting proposals for the, recorded.—Government Order approving Board's Proceedings, Mis. No. 3931, dated 16th September 1896, recorded.—Proposals for the improvement of distillery establishments in the Madras Presidency, submitted to Government.	6th April, No. 1450, Mis. 22nd June, „ 2626, Mis. 13th July, „ 272. 16th Sept., „ 3931, Mis. 14th „ „ 3932, Mis. 10th Oct., „ 4407, Mis. 8th Dec., „ 492.
Extension of the tree-tax license fee system of toddy revenue throughout the northern districts of the Madras Presidency from 1st October 1896.—Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, requested to submit revised proposals for additional establishments accompanied by certain statements on account of the extension of the T.T. system into the Ganjám and Vizagapatam districts. — Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, requested to furnish certain further information in the matter of the additional establishments required in connection with the introduction of the T.T. system into certain ports of the Ganjám and Vizagapatam districts. — Proposals for additional establishments required in connection with the, submitted to Government. —Letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, furnishing information called for in connection with extension of the T.T. system into the Ganjám and Vizagapatam districts, recorded.—Telegram from the Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, stating that no extra hands are required for the non-toe tax villages attached to the Calingapatam Circle into which the T.T. system is to be introduced from 1st October 1896, recorded. —Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, informed that the Distillery officer at Aska must do his work himself and not depend on the Circle clerk for help.— Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, requested to report whether, in view of the additional establishment proposed for the Aska Circle in connection with the extension of the T.T. system into it, the further retention of an experimental party in that circle is necessary.—Letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, submitting proposals for the establishment required in connection of T.T. system into the Cuddapah and Kurnool districts, recorded. —Proposals for the additional establishments required in connection with the extension of the T.T. system throughout the Cuddapah and Kurnool districts from 1st October 1896, submitted to Government. — Letter from the Assistant Commissioner, Chatrapur Sub-division, reporting the names of the Sub-Inspectors' and Parties' ranges in the sub-division as they will be from October next on the introduction of the T.T. system into certain tracts in the sub-division, recorded.—Telegram from Government approving of the Board's proposals in Board's Proceedings, No. 240, dated	23rd April, „ 1594, Mis. 8th May, „ 1901, Mis. 29th „ „ 199. 6th June, „ 2354, Mis. 9th „ „ 2391, Mis. 16th „ „ 2497, Mis. 23rd „ „ 2604, Mis. 24th „ „ 2631, Mis. 24th „ „ 240. 31st July, „ 3205, Mis. 8th Aug., „ 3309, Mis. 13th „ „ 3399, Mis. 20th „ „ 3519, Mis. 21st „ „ 3532, Mis. 21st „ „ 330. 21st „ „ 331. 29th „ „ 341. 26th „ „ 342. 28th „ „ 3639, Mis. 16th Sept., „ 364. 3rd Oct., „ 4134, Mis. 6th Nov., „ 4640, Mis.

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24th June 1896, recorded pending receipt of Government Order.—Government requested to pass very early orders on the Board's proposals for the entertainment of additional T.T. establishments required for the current year and to sanction their entertainment from the 15th September next and when necessary from the 1st September.—Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, requested to report the name of the party in the Kangundi range of the Vellore Circle.—Remarked on Mr. Platt's explanation regarding certain errors and omissions in the matter of his proposals for the additional subordinate establishment required in the Cuddapah and Kurnool districts with reference to the introduction of the T.T. system into them from 1st October 1896.—Government Order approving the Board's proposals for the additional establishments required in connection with the extension of the T.T. system throughout the Cuddapah and Kurnool districts and addressing the Government of Indi.. or the necessary sanction, communicated to the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division.—Government Order authorising the Board to entertain from such dates as may be found necessary, the additional establishments required in connection with the extension of the, communicated to Deputy Commissioners, Northern and Central Divisions, for information and necessary action.—Government Order approving the Board's proposals in Board's Proceedings, No. 199, dated 29th May 1896, and addressing the Government of India for the necessary sanction to entertain the required establishment from the 31st August, communicated to Deputy Commissioners, Northern and Central Divisions, with remarks.—Government Order communicating the sanction of the Government of India subject to the approval of the Secretary of State for the entertainment of the additional establishment in connection with, recorded.—The Collector of Ganjám requested to furnish the Board with his opinion as to whether a frontier party is necessary for patrolling the northern borders of the Goomsur taluk.—Government Order communicating letter from the Government of India sanctioning the additional establishments in consequence of the, and enclosing a copy of correspondence with the Secretary of State regarding the entertainment of the additional establishments on account of the extension of the system in the southern districts of the Presidency, communicated to Deputy and Assistant Commissioners.—The new party of the Kangundi range of the Vellore Circle ordered to be called the Kuppam party as suggested by the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division.—Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, requested to furnish a rough estimate of the abkári revenue of the tracts patrolled by the experimental party of the Aska Circle.	
Vayalur Circle.—Sanction of Government for the further retention, up to 31st October 1896, of the establishment of one petty officer and six peons employed for guarding the temporary platforms of the, solicited.—Government Order sanctioning the further retention of the establishment up to 31st October 1896, communicated to Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, and Assistant Commissioner, Chingleput Sub-division.	28th April, No. 160. 9th June, ,, 221.
Income-tax establishments.—Collector of Madura informed that the rule that, should consist of men belonging to the permanent establishment applies also to peons and process servers.	28th April, ,, 1691, Mis.

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A copy of the establishment list corrected up to date down to the grade of Inspectors, submitted to Government, Revenue Department.	30th April, No. 1727, Mis.
Temporary T.T. establishment of the Vizagapatam district.—Northern Division Deputy Commissioner's proposal to employ the, from October to March instead of from January to June annually, sanctioned.	8th May, „ 1910, Mis.
Cuddalore factory.—The action of the Assistant Commissioner, Negapatam Sub-division, in ordering the entertainment in anticipation of Board's sanction of two temporary peons in the, at the cost of Messrs. Parry and Company, approved.	15th „ „ 2013, Mis.
The usual temporary establishment of one petty officer and ten peons for six months in the current official year for the prevention of illicit removals of spontaneous salt from the shell-pits in the Vayalur Circle.—Sanction of Government to the entertainment of, requested, and the Deputy Commissioner called on to address the Board in a separate communication regarding certain additional establishments referred to by him.—Government Order sanctioning the proposition statement, communicated to the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, and Assistant Commissioner, Chingleput Sub-division.	18th „ „ 190. 8th July, „ 271.
Hyderabad frontier.—Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, requested to expedite the report called for in Board's Proceedings, No. 159, dated 28th April 1896, regarding the establishments required for guarding the,	22nd May, „ 2122, Mis.
Madras.—Application from the Collector of, for the retention of the additional Income-tax Inspector and his peon for a further period of one year from 16th July 1896, submitted for the sanction of Government.—Government Order sanctioning the retention, communicated to the Collector of Madras.—Endorsement of the Collector of Madras submitting, for favourable consideration, letter from the Deputy Collector applying for the permanent retention of the fourth Income-tax Inspector and his peon, submitted to Government with support.	23rd „ „ 2150, Mis. 19th June, „ 2557, Mis. 20th „ „ 2582, Mis.
South Trichinopoly Circle.—Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, informed, with remarks, that no increase of the clerical establishment of the, can be recommended.	28th May, „ 2186, Mis.
A copy of the establishment list corrected up to date down to the grade of Inspectors, submitted to the Secretary to Government, Revenue Department.	29th „ „ 2203, Mis.
Vaippár factory.—Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, informed that sufficient grounds must be shown for the retention of the establishment sanctioned for the, after the factory is closed.	29th „ „ 2242, Mis.
Pulicat swamp in the Tada Circle.—Sanction of Government solicited to the entertainment of an additional establishment of three petty officers and fifteen peons for guarding the, for six months in the current official year.—Letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, reporting that he has ordered the men in the Chingleput party to do work in Tada swamp as they have little or no work in	1st June, „ 200. 30th „ „ 2808, Mis. 11th July, „ 281. 14th Aug., „ 3438, Mis.

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their party at present, recorded.—Government Order sanctioning, with remarks, the proposition statement for the entertainment of a special force of three petty officers and fifteen peons to guard, communicated to Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, and Assistant Commissioner, Chingleput Sub-division, for information and guidance, and Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, requested to consider and report whether the period of six months may not be reduced.—Letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, reporting that endeavours will be made to dispense with the services of the special preventive force of three petty officers and fifteen peons in the Tada Circle at an earlier date than that admissible under the Government sanction, submitted to Government.	
An intermediate class of officers between Jemadars and Sub-Inspectors, fifth grade, for tree-marking work.—The opinion of the Deputy and Assistant Commissioners as to the advisability of creating, invited.—Letter from the Assistant Commissioner, Chingleput Sub-division, submitting his opinion on the advisability of creating, recorded.—Letter from the Assistant Commissioner, Chicacole Sub-division, reporting on the advisability of creating, recorded.—Letter from the Assistant Commissioner, Chatrapur Sub-division, giving his opinion as to the advisability of creating, recorded.—Letter from the Assistant Commissioner, Bellary Sub-division, reporting on the advisability of creating, recorded.—Letter from the Assistant Commissioner, Balasore Sub-division, expressing his opinion as to the advisability of creating, recorded.—Letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, reporting on the advisability of creating, recorded.—Letter from the Assistant Commissioner, Masulipatam Sub-division, expressing his opinion as to the advisability of creating, recorded.—Letter from the Assistant Commissioner, Calicut Sub-division, expressing his opinion on the advisability of creating, recorded.—Endorsement of the Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, submitting copy of Cocanada Assistant Commissioner's letter giving his views as to the advisability of creating, recorded.—Letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, offering his own opinion and those of the Assistant Commissioners in the Central Division, except Masulipatam Sub-division, as to the advisability of creating, recorded.—Letters from the Assistant Commissioners, Arcot, Nellore and Negapatam Sub-divisions, submitting copy of the letter to their respective Deputy Commissioners as to the advisability of creating, recorded.	1st June, No. 2265, Mis. 19th „ „ 2603, Mis. 23rd „ „ 2614, Mis. 25th „ „ 2659, Mis. 20th „ „ 2668, Mis. 30th „ „ 2705, Mis. 4th July, „ 2812, Mis. 10th „ „ 2852, Mis. 8th „ „ 2854, Mis. 24th „ „ 3146, Mis. 17th Aug., „ 3467, Mis. 18th Sept., „ 3947, Mis.
Supervisor of Bonded Warehouses, Madras.—Collector of Sea Customs, Madras, requested to report whether he considers it necessary to employ a better-paid officer than is at present sanctioned as,—Letter from the Collector of Sea Customs reporting on the proposal to include in the revised scheme of distillery establishments in this Presidency an Inspector on Rs. 250 for the supervision of bonded warehouses in Madras, recorded.	1st June, „ 2271, Mis. 6th July, „ 2793, Mis.
An additional Sub-Inspector to assist the Distillery officer at Ránipéttai.—Assistant Commissioner, Arcot Sub-division, requested to inform the Manager, Arcot Sugar Works and Distilleries, that Government has been requested to sanction the appointment of a third officer for the Ránipéttai	5th June, „ 2341, Mis. 5th „ „ 216. 1st Aug., „ 309. 24th „ „ 3555, Mis.

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distillery.—Recommended to Government that sanction may be accorded to the appointment of,—Government Order, Revenue Department, sanctioning the proposition statement for the appointment of, communicated to Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, and Assistant Commissioner, Arcot Sub-division, for information and guidance. —Letter from the Manager, Arcot Sugar Works and Distilleries, informing the Board that he would hold himself responsible for the salary of a Sub-Inspector to be appointed to the distillery if the Government should refuse to sanction the above appointment, recorded.	
Vayalur factory.—Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, requested to report why an Assistant Inspector was asked for for the, if the licensees were not ready to commence sifting their salt at that factory.	4th June, No. 2346, Mis.
Srivilliputtúr Circle.—The redistribution of the strength sanctioned for the, approved with remarks.	19th „ „ 2572, Mis.
New Eden distillery at Vyasarpadi.—Copy of proceedings of the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, according sanction for the entertainment of two second-grade peons for the, recorded.	24th „ „ 2635, Mis.
A copy of the establishment list corrected up to date down to the grade of Inspectors, submitted to the Secretary, Revenue Department.	30th „ „ 2704, Mis.
Levy of a transport duty on toddy imported into the Kurnool district from Hyderabad territory.—Proposals for the, submitted to Government.—Government Order on the Board's proposals for the, communicated to the Collectors of Bellary and Kurnool, the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, and the Assistant Commissioner, Bellary Sub-division.—Central Division Deputy Commissioner's revised proposals for the establishment of chowkies in the Kurnool district for regulating the transport of Hyderabad toddy, approved with remarks.—Two revised proposition statements for the additional establishments required for the, submitted to Government with remarks.—Government Order recording Board's Proceedings, No. 322, dated 15th August 1896, recorded.—Government Order sanctioning the proposition statements for the additional establishments required for the, communicated to the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, and the Assistant Commissioner, Bellary Sub-division.	6th July, „ 258. 13th Aug., „ 316. 15th „ „ 322. 2nd Sept., „ 3666, Mis. 5th „ „ 3835, Mis. 29th „ „ 392.
Mangalore Salt gollah.—Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, requested to state whether the establishment required for the, cannot be detailed from the parties in the Mangalore range.	9th July, „ 2835, Mis.
Cost of the establishments maintained at distilleries.—Reported to Government that the question as to whether any portion of the, should be charged to the distillers will be dealt with in the report to be submitted to Government shortly regarding the additional establishments required for supervision of distilleries.	13th „ „ 272.
A list of expenditure on account of establishment at Manambadi for the three years ending 31st March 1896, forwarded to Messrs. Parry and Company.	14th „ „ 2929, Mis.

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Old system of showing officers in the establishment list according to the latest dates of acting appointments.—Endorsement of the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, submitting letter from the Acting Assistant Commissioner, Tinnevelly Sub-division, suggesting a reversion to the, recorded with remarks.	15th July, No. 3017, Mis.
Kistna district.—Collector requested to report what pay he proposes to give to the clerk applied for for the Deputy Collector's office and to state whether the Vinukonda and Palnad taluk offices require extra clerical aid on account of the increase of abkári work in those offices.—Sanction of Government requested for the entertainment of a clerk on Rs. 15 in the General Deputy Collector's office at Narasaraopet and in each of the taluk offices of Palnad and Vinukonda in the,—Government Order, Revenue Department, sanctioning the proposition statement, communicated to the Collector of Kistna for information and guidance, and Government informed that its surmise as to the designation of the Deputy Collector referred to is correct.—Government Order, Financial Department, communicating to the Accountant-General Government Order, Revenue Department, sanctioning the proposition statement, communicated to the Collector of Kistna for information and guidance.	21st „ „ 3043, Mis. 12th Sept., „ 360. 12th Oct., „ 418. 4th Nov., „ 4694, Mis.
Kurnool.—Collector requested to report whether certain establishments applied for by the Deputy Collector, Kurnool Division, are required.—The sanction of Government for an increase in the abkári establishment of the office of the Collector, solicited. — Government Order, Revenue Department, sanctioning the increase, communicated to the Collector of Kurnool.—Government Order, Financial Department, communicating Government Order, Revenue Department, sanctioning the proposition statement, recorded.	21st July, „ 3044, Mis. 10th Aug., „ 314. 19th Sept., „ 370. 8th Oct., „ 4200, Mis.
Kistna-Gódávari frontier. — Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, requested to submit at a very early date proposals for guarding the,—Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, informed that a special establishment for guarding the, will be hardly necessary at present and requesting the Assistant Commissioner, Masulipatam Sub-division, to watch the frontier and see if there is much indication of smuggling. —Government Order recording Board's Proceedings, Mis. No. 4228, dated 12th October 1896, communicated to Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, with the request to submit a report on the effect of the arrangement after the close of six months.	24th July, „ 295. 12th Oct., „ 4228, Mis. 6th Nov., „ 4692, Mis.
A copy of the establishment list corrected up to date down to the grade of Inspectors, submitted to the Secretary to Government, Revenue Department.	30th July, „ 3181, Mis.
Tuticorin Circle.—Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, requested to report whether he considers the establishment of the, adequate for its work particularly as far as the Inspector and Assistant Inspectors are concerned.	11th Aug., „ 3368, Mis.
Additional establishments for the Collector's office and for the Deputy Tahsildar's office at Polavaram in the district of Gódávari.—Sanction of Government for the entertainment of certain, in connection with certain changes in the	13th „ „ 315. 28th Sept., „ 395.

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administration of the abkári revenue of the district from 1st October 1896, requested.—Government Order sanctioning the, communicated to the Collector of Gódávari for information and guidance.	
Madras Revenue Survey Department. — Government Order remitting for discussion by the Full Board with Mr. Cardozo letter from the Government of India communicating remarks regarding the re-organisation of the, recorded.	20th Aug., No. 3553, Mis.
Conservancy establishment at Konada.—The Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, informed that the Board will not take objections to the Konada Inspector's or Assistant Inspector's supervising the work of the,	25th „ „ 3567, Mis.
A copy of the establishment list corrected up to date down to the grade of Inspectors, submitted to the Secretary to Government, Revenue Department.	28th „ „ 3619, Mis.
Merkanam Circle. — The sanction of Government to an increase of three third-grade peons in the permanent establishment and to the reduction of a corresponding number in the temporary establishment of the, on account of the guarding of platform No. XVIII, solicited.—Government Order sanctioning the proposition statement, communicated to the Deputy Commissioner. Central Division, and Assistant Commissioner, Chingleput Sub-division.	11th Sept., „ 361. 28th Oct., „ 437.
Adirámpatnam Circle. — Deputy Commissioner. Southern Division, requested with remarks to report the actual expenditure on account of temporary pan guards at the,	12th Sept., „ 3858, Mis.
The temporary transfer of the Venad and Ipur parties of the Krishnápatnam Circle and of the Allur party of the Bellary Circle to the Kurnool and Nandyal Circles, sanctioned with remarks.	12th „ „ 3870, Mis.
Redistribution of the Sub-Inspectors' and Parties' ranges in certain circles of the Chicacole Sub-division.—Orders passed on letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, regarding the,	25th „ „ 4041, Mis.
Proposals for an increase of clerical establishment to the Arni Circle and Arcot Sub-division.—Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, requested with remarks to compare the preventive work of certain circles in the sub-division and report the result.	28th „ „ 4044, Mis.
A copy of the establishment list corrected up to date down to the grade of Inspectors, submitted to the Secretary to Government, Revenue Department.	30th „ „ 4062, Mis.
Ennore Circle.—The suggestion of the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, regarding the transfer of men among the factories of the, during the prevalence of fever at Pulidiwak, approved with remark.—Stated that the Commissioner's steam launch cannot be lent for the use of the establishment in the, and that a specialist will shortly be deputed to enquire into the causes of the epidemic at Pulidiwak.	1st Oct., „ 4099, Mis. 20th Nov., „ 4806, Mis.
Allocation of the Sub-Inspectors' and Parties' ranges in the Bhavání Circle.—The proposal of the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, to effect certain changes in the, approved.	13th Oct., „ 415.

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Hyderabad frontier.—Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, and the Assistant Commissioner, Masulipatam Sub-division, informed that proposals for a special force along the, should be accompanied by a note on the character of the country on each side of the border considered in connection with the probability for smuggling.	20th Oct., No. 4367, Mis.
Absence on drill duty of reserved sepoys employed in the Salt, Abkári and Customs Department.—Government requested to obtain a definite ruling from the Government of India as to how the, should be treated and whether substitute can be entertained at the expense of the State during their absence and to sanction the employment of temporary hands in the place of reservists while on drill duty.	23rd „ „ 4420, Mis.
Suramangalam distillery. — Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, informed that the Sub-Inspector employed for night distillation at the Vepery Crown distillery abolished from the 1st instant may be transferred to the Salem Circle for similar duty in the, and an orderly of two second-grade peons for that officer, sanctioned.	28th „ „ 4489, Mis.
Preparation and submission of proposition statements.—Government Order circulating a summary of instructions relating to the, recorded.	22nd „ „ 4520, Mis.
A copy of the establishment list corrected up to date down to the grade of Inspectors, submitted to the Secretary to Government, Revenue Department.	30th „ „ 4522, Mis.
Allotment of Sub-Inspectors.—A statement showing the, with reference to the additions made to that class of officers since the issue of Board's Proceedings, No. 384, dated 10th August 1895, forwarded to Deputy and Assistant Commissioners.	2nd Nov., „ 438.
New proposals for increase of establishments.—Pointed out to the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, and Assistant Commissioner, Negapatam Sub-division, that budget is not the proper place in which to make, and informed that arrangements will be made to divide the sub-division shortly.	11th „ „ 4661, Mis.
Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division.—Letter from the, recommending a revision of the scale of his office establishment, recorded with remarks.	6th „ „ 4706, Mis.
Tuticorin Custom House.—A proposition statement for the entertainment of an Assistant Superintendent on Rs. 70 for the, on account of the improved passenger and mail service with Ceylon, submitted to Government.—The Accountant-General, Madras, informed that the establishment of the Tuticorin port shown in the proposition statement includes certain number of peons sanctioned for the prevention of smuggling, in addition to that sanctioned by the Secretary of State in consequence of the passing of the Tariff Act.	16th „ „ 4760, Mis. 2nd Dec., „ 4967, Mis.
A copy of the establishment list corrected up to date down to the grade of Inspectors, submitted to the Secretary to Government, Revenue Department.	30th Nov., „ 4906, Mis.

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Employment of men in the income-tax establishment of the Deputy Collector's office.—Orders passed on letter from the Collector of Madras submitting correspondence regarding the,	30th Nov., No. 4914, Mis.
Cases where a smaller temporary establishment is entertained for longer period than that fixed by Government but without any extra expense being involved. — Government Order authorising the Accountant-General to admit, communicated to all Deputy and Assistant Commissioners.	2nd Dec., „ 483.
Tondiarpet distillery.—Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, requested to inform the distiller that the Board is applying to Government for the services of a Sub-Inspector for his distillery and to post one at once if the distiller chooses to pay the cost until the orders of Government are received on the subject.	4th „ „ 5077, Mis.
An additional shroff for the Krishnápatnam factory.—Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, informed that he has not made out a strong case in support of his recommendation for,	9th „ „ 5086, Mis.
Ganjám district.—The sanction of Government to the entertainment of certain additional establishment in certain Tahsildars' and Deputy Tahsildars' offices in the, in consequence of the extension of the tree-tax system, requested.	26th „ „ 513.
A copy of the establishment list corrected up to date down to the grade of Inspectors, submitted to the Secretary to Government, Revenue Department.	31st „ „ 5246, Mis.
EXAMINATION.	
A. Vaithinatha Aiyar, an increment Sub-Inspector of the Ennore Circle.—Letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, requesting that, may be exempted from the operation of the Examination rules in view to his promotion to the fourth grade, submitted to Government for favourable consideration and orders.—Government Order exempting, from the operation of the Examination rules in view solely to his promotion to the fourth-grade of Sub-Inspectors, communicated to the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division.	8th Jan., „ 28, Mis. 6th Feb., „ 530, Mis.
T. Venkatarayudu, T.T. clerk, Pakala.—The exemption for a period of three months from 1st November 1895 of, from the operation of the Examination rules, sanctioned.—An application for exemption from the Examination rules of, in view to his continuing in the post of T.T. clerk, Pakala Circle, on Rs. 15 for a further period of three months, *i.e.*, from 1st February 1896 to 30th April 1896, submitted to Government.—Government Order exempting, from the Examination rules, communicated to the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division.—An application for the exemption of, from the operation of the Examination rules from the 1st May to 12th July 1896, submitted to Government, and the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, informed that the pay of the post may be drawn for the clerk.—Government Order exempting, from the Examination rules, till the 12th July 1896, communicated to the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division.	8th Jan., „ 29, Mis. 26th April, „ 1633, Mis. 11th May, „ 2008, Mis. 22nd Sept., „ 3977, Mis. 17th Oct., „ 4331, Mis.
Riding test to be held on the 9th January 1896.—Letter from V. K. Krishna Iyer reporting his inability to appear for the examination in, communicated to the Secretary to Commissioners of Land Revenue.	9th Jan., „ 32, Mis.

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EXAMINATION—*cont.*	1896.
Third-class Vernacular test for European and Eurasian officers other than members of the Indian Civil Service.—Government Order making certain changes in the rules for the, communicated to the Collector of Sea Customs, the Superintendent of Stamps and to all Deputy and Assistant Commissioners. —Government Order approving the suggestion of the Inspector-General of Prisons that European and Eurasian officers of the Jail department below the rank of Deputy Jailor be admitted to the, on payment of the prescribed fee and substituting a new rule for Rule 18 of those for the examination in the vernacular languages of European and Eurasian officers other than members of the Indian Civil Service, communicated to all Deputy and Assistant Commissioners.	11th Jan., No. 12. 15th July, „ 283.
Ponnuswami Pillai, second gumastah, Railway Sayer, Pondicherry.—An application from the Collector of South Arcot requesting exemption from the present Examination rules of, submitted for the orders of Government.—Government Order sanctioning the exemption, communicated to the Collector of South Arcot.	18th Jan., „ 209, Mis. 20th Feb., „ 701, Mis.
Mr. H. E. Pooley.—Government Order exempting, from the Examination rules with a view to his employment in the Salt and Abkári Department, recorded.	16th Jan., „ 257, Mis.
Kolandavelu Pillai, shroff, Sea Customs office, Tranquebar.—Application from the Collector of Tanjore requesting exemption from the Examination rules of, from 5th June to 22nd September 1895, submitted for the sanction of Government.—Government Order sanctioning the exemption of, communicated to the Collector of Tanjore.	22nd „ „ 340, Mis. 27th Feb., „ 804, Mis.
S. V. Chalapati Row.—An application for the exemption of, from the Examination rules in view to his being permitted to continue as sub. *pro tem.* fourth clerk, office of the Assistant Commissioner, Chatrapur Sub-division, submitted to Government.—Government Order extending the period of exemption from Examination rules granted to, up to 29th February 1896, recorded with remarks.	29th Jan., „ 357, Mis. 17th Mar., „ 1146, Mis.
Competitive examination for the Salt and Abkári Department held in December 1895.—Letter from the Secretary to the Commissioner for Government Examinations communicating the results of the, recorded.—Certain candidates who are declared to have passed the, informed that they should pass a test in riding at an examination to be held by the Equitation Board in July 1896 to entitle them to appointments in the Salt and Abkári Department and directed to produce also their vaccination certificates.—The Officer Commanding the Body Guard, Madras, informed that T. G. Subramania Iyer is one of the candidates who passed the, and that he will have to be provided with an appointment in the Salt and Abkári Department after he passes the Riding test.—Proceedings of the Board of Revenue (Land Revenue) calling for the names of officers who intend to appear for the Riding test to be held in July next, communicated to certain candidates.—Proceedings of the Board of Revenue (Land Revenue) circulating to certain officers a list of the candidates who appeared for the half-yearly examination in Riding test on the 9th July 1896 and who have been declared to have passed the test, recorded.—Government Order communicating the result of the Riding test examination held on July 1896, recorded.	31st Jan., „ 427, Mis. 31st „ „ 428, Mis. 20th Feb., „ 669, Mis. 29th May, „ 2205, Mis. 20th July, „ 3104, Mis. 30th „ „ 3270, Mis.

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S. L. Narasimha Rao, acting third clerk, Konada Circle.—Government Order exempting, from the Examination rules from 27th September to 27th December 1895, communicated to the Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division.	28th Jan., No. 434, Mis.
P. Lakshminarasimham, Kishnápatnam Circle.—The exemption of, from the Examination rules in view to his employment as sub. *pro tem.* third clerk for three months from 15th January to 14th April 1896, sanctioned.	6th Feb., „ 507, Mis.
Sub-Inspector R. Vasudeva Mudali.—Government Order exempting, from the operation of the Examination rules in view solely to his promotion to the fourth-grade of Sub-Inspectors, communicated to the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division.	6th „ „ 530, Mis.
Mr. Thurley.—Certificate from the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, declaring, to have passed test E in Tamil, recorded.	4th „ „ 544, Mis.
Mr. Rolland.—Certificate from the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, declaring, to have passed test E in Tamil, recorded.	4th „ „ 546, Mis.
Messrs. J. W. Borebank, G. P. Stephens and C. M. Damodara Naidu.—Certificate from the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, declaring, to have passed test E in Tamil, recorded.	5th „ „ 548, Mis.
University examinations.—Government Order declaring that G.O., No. 610, Educational, dated 17th August 1894, refers only to departmental examinations and leaving, as heretofore, to the discretion of heads of offices the question of permitting Government servants to appear for, communicated to the Collector of Sea Customs, Madras, the Superintendent of Stamps and to all Deputy and Assistant Commissioners.	7th „ „ 52.
Special Test examinations.—Letter from the Collector of Sea Customs, Madras, recommending the extension of the period of exemption from certain, of certain officials employed in the Madras Custom House, submitted to Government for favourable consideration and orders.—Government Order sanctioning, with remarks, the exemption, communicated to the Collector of Sea Customs, Madras.	20th „ „ 712, Mis. 20th April, „ 1600, Mis.
Statements showing the names of officers who may be recommended for exemption from passing certain departmental tests.—Letters from the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, submitting, recorded.—Orders passed on letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, reporting the gist of the explanations given by certain officers for their failure to pass certain departmental tests.	3rd Mar., „ 851, Mis. 2nd Nov., „ 4553, Mis.
Rules for the encouragement of the study of oriental languages among junior members of the Indian Civil Service.—Government Order extending to Military officers in permanent civil employ in the Madras Presidency the existing, recorded.—Proposals of the President of the Board of Examiners that the examination in Revenue History which forms portion of the Lower Standard examination of Junior Civilians should be done away with, recorded.—	5th Mar., „ 941, Mis. 23rd „ „ 1311, Mis. 23rd May, „ 2248, Mis.

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Government Order communicating proceedings of the Public Department recording letter from the President, Board of Examiners, reporting the results of the special examination of Assistants by the Lower Standard held on 13th April 1896 and on the following days, recorded.	
A. Ramasami Sastri, B.A. sub. *pro tem. Head Clerk of the office of the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division.*—A statement applying for the exemption of, from passing the Précis-writing test for a certain period, submitted to Government. — Government Order stating that, will be considered to have been exempted from passing the Précis-writing test up to certain date, communicated to Deputy Commissioner, Central Division.	10th Mar., No. 1000, Mis. 27th „ „ 1396, Mis.
W. A. Manickum Mudaliar, sub. *pro tem. second clerk of the office of the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division.*—A statement applying for the exemption of, from passing the Précis-writing test for a certain period, submitted to Government.—Government Order stating that, will be considered to have passed the Précis-writing test up to certain date, communicated to the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division.	10th „ „ 1001, Mis. 27th „ „ 1396, Mis.
A proposal to require Port officers who are also Sea Customs Superintendents to pass the Sea Customs test to entitle them to full Sea Customs pay, submitted for the orders of Government.—Government Order considering that it is unnecessary to require Port officers to pass the Sea Customs test, recorded.	17th Mar., „ 1136, Mis. 5th June, „ 2361, Mis.
Mr. Borgen.—Letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, reporting that, was examined by him in test E (Tamil) and was declared to have passed, recorded.	16th Mar., „ 1175, Mis.
Samuel Nallamuthu.—Government requested to exempt, from passing the departmental tests A, B, C and F in view to his being appointed as an Accountant on Rs. 50 in the Board's office.—Exemption sanctioned by Government.	31st „ „ 1192, Mis. 1st May, „ 1834, Mis.
Mr. R. A. Moore.—Application for exemption from the Examination rules on behalf of, with a view to his employment as a Sub-Inspector in the Salt, Abkári and Customs Department, submitted to Government. — Government Order declining to exempt, from the Examination rules, recorded.	20th Mar., „ 1196, Mis. 4th May, „ 1846, Mis.
Examination fees.—The Commissioner for Government Examinations requested to obtain sanction for the refund of the fees paid by certain officers who were debarred from appearing for the Salt and Abkári Special Test examinations held in October 1895 solely in the interest of the public service and declined with remarks to recommend such refund in certain other cases.—Orders received from the Commissioner for Government Examinations for the refund of, paid by certain officers of the Salt, Abkári and Customs Department, forwarded to the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division.—Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, informed that application will be made to the Commissioner for Government Examinations for the refund of the examination fees paid by Mr. Shreeve.	20th Mar., „ 1205, Mis. 22nd July, „ 3062, Mis. 5th Dec., „ 5053, Mis.

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Naredla Padmanabham.—The appointment of, as acting third clerk, Karassa Circle, for three months on Rs. 15 per mensem, sanctioned.—A statement for the exemption of, from the Examination rules in view to his employment for a further period of three months, submitted to Government.—Government Order exempting, from the Examination rules from 25th May to 25th August 1896, communicated to Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, and Assistant Commissioner, Chicacole Sub-division.—The exemption of, from Examination rules for a further period of three months from the 25th August 1896, sanctioned with remarks.—The exemption of, from the Examination rules for a further period of three months from 25th November 1896, sanctioned.	20th Mar., No. 1236, Mis. 9th June, „ 2399, Mis. 4th July, „ 2806, Mis. 14th Sept., „ 3880, Mis. 20th Dec., „ 5238, Mis.
Temporary Sub-Inspectors.—Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, requested to report the names and rank of unpassed petty officers who are otherwise fit for promotion in view to the sanction of Government being obtained to their employment as,—Government requested to approve the appointment of certain petty officers of the Southern Division and Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, informed that the appointment of K. V. Narayana Marar cannot be recommended.—Government Order exempting certain petty officers from the Examination rules, communicated to the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division.—Government requested to approve of the appointment of petty officer P. Chathu of the Calicut Circle as a temporary Sub-Inspector.—Government Order exempting the petty officer from the Examination rules, communicated to the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, and Assistant Commissioner, Calicut Sub-division.	21st Mar., „ 1240, Mis. 1st July, „ 2729, Mis. 26th Aug., „ 3586, Mis. 25th Sept., „ 4040, Mis. 16th Oct., „ 4379, Mis.
V. Venkataramaniah.—The exemption of, from the Examination rules in view to his employment as sub. *pro tem.* fourth clerk, Krishnápatnam Circle, for a period of three months from 9th March to 8th June 1896, sanctioned.	26th Mar., „ 1332, Mis.
Gódávari district.—List of petty officers selected for Acting Sub-Inspectors for three months in the, submitted to Government.—Government Order exempting the petty officers from the Examination rules, communicated to the Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, with remarks.	27th „ „ 1334, Mis. 18th May, „ 2068, Mis.
Names of officers who have applied for examination in the vernaculars to be held on the 6th July 1896.—Letter from the Secretary to the Board of Examiners calling for the, communicated to all Deputy and Assistant Commissioners with remarks.—Letter from the Secretary to the Board of Examiners calling for the, on the 4th January 1897, communicated to all Deputy and Assistant Commissioners with remarks.—An application from Mr. Vas for examination in Canarese by the third-class test, forwarded to the Secretary to the Board of Examiners, Madras.	9th April, „ 1418, Mis. 18th Sept., „ 3929, Mis. 11th Nov., „ 4667, Mis.
Assistant Inspector Mr. G. G. Jeremiah.—Letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, submitting copy of certificate declaring, to have passed test E in Tamil, recorded.	13th April, „ 1487, Mis.
D. Lakshmana Rao, increment fifth-grade Sub-Inspector of the Ennore Circle.—Government requested to exempt, from the operation of the Examination rules in view to his promotion	15th „ „ 1524, Mis. 21st May, „ 2084, Mis.

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to the fourth grade of Sub-Inspectors.—Government Order exempting, from the operation of the Examination rules in view solely to his promotion to the fourth grade, communicated to Deputy Commissioner, Central Division.	
Mr. E. H. Brookes.—Letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, submitting copy of certificate declaring, to have passed test E in Tamil, recorded.	16th April, No. 1538, Mis.
Sylani Madina.—The exemption of, from the Examination rules in view to his employment as third clerk, Naupada Circle, on Rs. 15 for three months, sanctioned.	26th ,, ,, 1637, Mis.
Messrs. St. John, H. C. Sherman, Maybury and Smither.—The attention of the Board is directed by Government to the fact that, have been given permanent appointments above the rank of Probationary Inspector while they have neither passed test A according to the Higher Standard nor been exempted from doing so.	27th ,, ,, 1643, Mis.
Sadagopa Naidu, first-grade Jemadar.—An application from the Assistant Commissioner, Negapatam Sub-division, for the exemption of, from the Examination rules in view to his employment as Sub-Inspector, submitted to Government with remarks, and the Assistant Commissioner requested to report the age of the petty officer.—Letter from the Assistant Commissioner, Negapatam Sub-division, requesting that no action need be taken at present in the application for exemption from the Examination rules of, submitted to Government.	25th ,, ,, 1644, Mis. 13th May, ,, 1997, Mis.
K. Surianarayana.—The exemption of, from the Examination rules for three months in view to his appointment as sub. *pro tem.* clerk on Rs. 15 per mensem in the Masulipatam Assistant Commissioner's office, sanctioned.—The exemption from the Examination rules for a further period of three months from 26th August 1896 of, sanctioned.—The exemption from the Examination rules for a further period of three months from 27th November 1896 of, sanctioned.	28th April, ,, 1748, Mis. 15th Aug., ,, 3450, Mis. 13th Dec., ,, 5151, Mis.
Manginapudi, Nizampatam and Bezwada Circles.—The exemption of certain individuals for three months in view to their appointment as acting clerks on Rs. 20 in the, recommended to Government.—Government Order sanctioning the exemption, communicated to Deputy Commissioner, Central Division.	28th April, ,, 1748, Mis. 1st June, ,, 2274, Mis.
Names of officers who ought to have passed Test E.—Statement showing the, in the Central Division for the half-year ending 31st March 1896, reviewed.—Statement showing the, in the Northern Division for the half-year ending 31st March 1896, reviewed.	2nd May, ,, 1841, Mis. 21st ,, ,, 2088, Mis.
N. Narayanaswami Mudali.—The exemption from the Examination rules of, who was employed as acting clerk in the Penugudury Circle on Rs. 15 per mensem from 16th December 1895 to 6th February 1896, and again as clerk-shroff, Jagannaikpur factory, from 8th February 1896 to 7th May 1896, sanctioned.—The exemption from the Examination rules of, acting clerk-shroff, Jagannaikpur factory, for three months from the 8th May 1896, sanctioned.	5th ,, ,, 1868, Mis. 23rd July, ,, 3088, Mis.

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G. Ramakrishna Rao.—An application from the Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, for the exemption of, from the Examination rules in view to his employment as acting third clerk, Surlá Circle, on Rs. 15 per mensem for a further period of three months from the 1st May to the 31st July 1896, submitted to Government.—Government Order exempting, from the Examination rules, communicated to the Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, and Assistant Commissioner, Chatrapur Sub-division.	11th May, No. 1950, Mis. 5th June, „ 2398, Mis.
The practice of the candidates for the Salt and Abkári tests appearing for a branch or branches of a test different from that which they have applied.—Letter from the Secretary to the Commissioner for Government Examinations bringing to the notice of the Board, communicated to all Deputy and Assistant Commissioners with the request that the practice may be put a stop to.	13th May, „ 188.
Permanent exemption from the Examination rules of certain individuals recommended by him.— Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, informed, with remarks, that the Board is not prepared to address Government regarding the,	19th May, „ 2066, Mis.
P. Laksminarasimham.—An application for the exemption of, from the Examination rules in view to his employment as sub. *pro tem.* second clerk, Surlá Circle, from the 1st May 1896 to the 31st March 1897, submitted to Government.—Government requested to treat Board's Proceedings, Mis. No. 2082, dated 19th May 1896, as cancelled.—Government Order exempting, from the Examination rules, recorded with reference to Board's Proceedings, Mis. No. 2521, dated 17th June 1896. — Government Order cancelling Government Order exempting, from the Examination rules, communicated to the Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division.	19th „ „ 2082, Mis. 17th June, „ 2521, Mis. 1st July, „ 2716, Mis. 10th „ „ 2853, Mis.
Competitive examination of the Salt, Abkári and Customs Department to be held in December next.—The Secretary to the Commissioner for Government Examinations informed that four vacancies may be advertised to be competed for at the, —Certain applicants for permission to appear for the, instructed to appear at the Board's office on Monday the 10th August 1896.—The Surgeon-General with the Government of Madras requested to convene a Board of commissioned medical officers on the 12th or 13th instant to examine the candidates who may be selected for the,—A list of candidates for the, who have been directed to appear before the Medical Board on Thursday the 13th instant, forwarded to the Surgeon-General with the Government of Madras with remarks.—Orders of admission to the, forwarded to certain applicants. — Certain applicants for permission to appear for the, informed that their applications have been rejected for reasons noted against their names.—Proceedings of the Board of Revenue (Land Revenue) calling for the names of officers who will appear for the examination in Riding test to be held in January next, communicated to certain applicants for the,—Letter from V. Varadayya, a candidate for the, stating that he intends appearing for the examination in Riding test to be held in January next, communicated to the Secretary to the Commissioners of Land Revenue.	28th May, „ 2200, Mis. 3rd Aug., „ 3227, Mis. 5th „ „ 3264, Mis. 11th „ „ 3375, Mis. 19th „ „ 3469, Mis. 19th „ „ 3472, Mis. 7th Dec., „ 5044, Mis. 19th „ „ 5185, Mis.

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K. Jagannaikulu, V. Narayana Rao and D. Nagannah.—The exemption of, from the Examination rules in view to their temporary employment as clerks on Rs. 15 per mensem, sanctioned.	12th June, No. 2455, Mis.
S. Upendris.—An application for the exemption of, from the Examination rules in view to his employment as a clerk in the Mogaltur Circle, submitted to Government for sanction.—Government Order exempting, communicated to Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, and Assistant Commissioner, Cocanada Sub-division.	12th „ „ 2456, Mis. 4th July, „ 2807, Mis.
S. Jagannathan, attender, office of the Assistant Commissioner, Chatrapur Sub-division.—The appointment of, as acting third clerk, Surlá Circle, on Rs. 15 per mensem for three months, sanctioned.—The exemption of, from the Examination rules for a further period of three months, sanctioned.—The temporary exemption for six months from the Examination rules of, sanctioned.	17th „ „ 2521, Mis. 8th Sept., „ 3795, Mis. 23rd Nov., „ 4869, Mis.
Temporary exemption from special tests.—Government Order delegating to the Board of Revenue the power to sanction, communicated to Deputy and Assistant Commissioners.	20th June, „ 241.
Entertainment in acting vacancies in the Revenue Department of unpassed candidates for periods longer than three months at a time, Government Order deligating to the Board of Revenue the power to sanction the, communicated to Deputy and Assistant Commissioners.	20th „ „ 241.
Applications for permanent exemption from the Examination rules from persons in the Revenue Department.—Government Order directing the submission by Collectors direct to Government in future of, communicated to Deputy and Assistant Commissioners.	20th „ „ 241.
M.R.Ry. N. Parameswariah.—Copy of certificate from the Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, declaring, to have passed test E in Telugu, recorded.	1st July, „ 2720, Mis.
Mr. E. J. Warner.—An application for the exemption of, from the operation of the Examination rules for a period of four months, submitted to Government for sanction.—Government Order exempting, from the Examination rules, communicated to the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, for information and guidance.—The sanction of Government for the exemption of, from the Examination rules in view to his permanent employment in the department, solicited.	3rd „ „ 2741, Mis. 29th „ „ 3180, Mis. 8th Dec., „ 5082, Mis.
Mahomed Rahamthalla.—The exemption of, from the Examination rules for a period of three months, sanctioned.	4th July, „ 2764, Mis.
Assistant Inspector M.R.Ry. Somasubramaniya Aiyar.—Copy of certificate from the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, declaring, to have passed test E in Telugu, recorded.	14th „ „ 2983, Mis.
S. L. Narasimha Rao, Sylani Madina Sahib and K. Kakulaswami—The temporary exemption from the Examination rules of, for employment as clerks on Rs. 15 each for three months, sanctioned with remarks.	18th „ „ 3014, Mis.

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Government Order exempting certain officers from passing certain Salt and Abkári tests until the results of the next examination in those tests are announced, communicated to the officers concerned with remarks.	22nd July, No. 291.
K. Ranganaikulu.—The exemption from the Examination rules of, for three months as acting second clerk, Surlá factory, on Rs. 15 per mensem, sanctioned.—Application for exemption from the Examination rules of, in view to his employment as second clerk, Surlá factory, submitted to Government for favourable consideration.—Government Order exempting, from the Examination rules so long as a passed candidate is not available for the post, communicated with remarks to the Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division.	24th „ „ 3100, Mis. 2nd Oct., „ 4131, Mis. 22nd Nov., „ 4868, Mis.
Mr. R. L. Haden.—Letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, submitting copy of certificate declaring, to have passed test E in Telugu and reporting that Assistant Inspector M.R.Ry. S. Venkatesa Aiyar failed, recorded.	23rd July, „ 3112, Mis.
D. Narasimhulu and P. Lakshminarasimham.—The exemption of, from the operation of the Examination rules in view to their employment as clerks on Rs. 15 per mensem in Iskapalle and Kanuparti Circles, respectively, for a period of three months, sanctioned with remarks.	30th „ „ 3195, Mis.
Syed Imam.—Application from the Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, for the exemption of, from the Examination rules for employment as temporary T. T. clerk, Gódávari district, from the 1st January to 30th June 1896, submitted to Government with remarks.—Government Order exempting, from the Examination rules, communicated to Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, and Assistant Commissioner, Cocanada Sub-division, for information and guidance.	8th Aug., „ 3330, Mis. 26th „ „ 3624, Mis.
S. Bhagavanulu and K. Jagannaikulu.—The exemption from the Examination rules of, in view to their employment as second and third clerks of the Naupada Circle for three months each on Rs. 15 per mensem, sanctioned.—The exemption from the Examination rules of, for a further period of three months, sanctioned.	25th „ „ 3566, Mis. 7th Dec., „ 5059, Mis.
R. Ramanjulu Naicker.—An application from the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, for exemption from the Examination rules of, attender of his office, in view to his employment as Sub-Inspector, Salt, Abkári and Customs Department, submitted to Government for favourable consideration.—Government Order, Educational Department, exempting, from the Examination rules, communicated to the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division.	3rd Sept., „ 3708, Mis. 30th „ „ 4085, Mis.
T. Jivanna Row.—Sanction of Government to the exemption of, from the operation of the Examination rules, solicited.—Government Order sanctioning the exemption of, from the Examination rules in view to his employment as a Sub-Inspector of Salt and Abkári Department in the Ceded districts, communicated to the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division.	12th „ „ 3845, Mis. 18th Oct., „ 4348, Mis.

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Appointment of some of the officers of the Salt, Abkári and Customs Department to supervise the candidates for the ensuing Special Test examinations to be held in Madras and Cuttack.—Letter from the Secretary to the Commissioner for Government Examinations requesting the, communicated to the Deputy Commissioners, Northern and Central Divisions, and to the Assistant Commissioners, Balasore and Chingleput Sub-divisions.	15th Sept., No. 3905, Mis.
Endorsement of the Assistant Commissioner, Negapatam Sub-division, forwarding the application of Assistant Inspector M.R.Ry. A. Madhaviah requesting to change the place of his examination from Madura to Negapatam, communicated to the Commissioner for Government Examinations for the issue of the necessary orders.	21st „ „ 3971, Mis.
M.R.Ry. M. Venkatrama Aiyar, Assistant Inspector.—Letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, submitting copy of certificate declaring, to have passed test E in Canarese, recorded.	24th „ „ 4018, Mis.
Madras Provincial Civil Service.—Government Order making certain alterations in the rules for admission to the, and forwarding copy of the proceedings to the Government of India, recorded.	25th „ „ 4066, Mis.
Relief of officers who have applied for the ensuing Special Test examinations.—Copy of proceedings of the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, approving the arrangements of the Assistant Commissioner, Calicut Sub-division, for the, in his sub-division, recorded.—A copy of the list of candidates for the Salt and Abkári Special Test examinations, forwarded to Deputy and Assistant Commissioners, and the Deputy Commissioners requested to make arrangements for the,	16th „ „ 4086, Mis. 12th Oct., „ 4218, Mis.
Transfers of officers of the Salt and Abkári Department who are candidates for the departmental and special tests.—Letter from the Secretary to the Commissioner for Government Examinations reporting the inconvenience caused to his office by, recorded, and Deputy and Assistant Commissioners requested to avoid unnecessarily transferring such candidates from one station to another during the months of September and October.	3rd „ „ 409.
Mr. C. Bain.—Application for the temporary exemption of, from passing the Hand-writing test in view to his being appointed as Acting Sub-Inspector, submitted to Government.—Government Order exempting, communicated to the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division.	17th „ „ 4320, Mis. 10th Nov., „ 4656, Mis.
V. Narayana Rao, acting third clerk, Calingapatam Circle, on Rs. 15 per mensem.—The temporary exemption from the Examination rules for three months of, sanctioned.	21st Oct., „ 4395, Mis.
D. Pracasa Row, acting sweet toddy clerk, Penugudaru Circle, on Rs. 15 per mensem.—The temporary exemption from the Examination rules for three months of, sanctioned.	22nd „ „ 4396, Mis.
T. Lakshmi Narayana Mudali, Sub-Inspector, Ganjám Circle.—Application for the exemption from the Examination rules of, submitted for the favourable consideration and sanction	23rd „ „ 4416, Mis. 20th Nov., „ 4834, Mis.

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of Government.—Government Order exempting, from the Examination rules, communicated to the Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, and the Assistant Commissioner, Chatrapur Sub-division.	
D. Kambugrivam exempted from the Examination rules in view to his employment as acting clerk on Rs. 15 for three months in the Rajahmundry Circle.	6th Nov. No. 4605, Mis.
Sub-Inspector K. Ramachandra Iyer. — Copy of certificate declaring, to have passed test E in Telugu, recorded.	9th „ „ 4697, Mis.
B. Narayana Appadu, fifth-grade Sub-Inspector.—Application, for the exemption of, as a special case, from the Examination rules in view to his promotion to the higher grades, submitted to Government.—Government Order exempting, from the Examination rules, communicated with remarks to the Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division.	13th „ „ 4721, Mis. 7th Dec., „ 5042, Mis.
A. Baupiah, acting third clerk, Konada Circle, on Rs. 15 per mensem.—The temporary exemption from the Examination rules of, for three months, sanctioned with remarks.	13th Nov., „ 4722, Mis.
S. Vanamiah.—The temporary exemption from the Examination rules of, for employment as sub. *pro t m.* sweet toddy clerk, Mogalturu Circle, on Rs. 15 per mensem for three months, sanctioned.	17th „ „ 4759, Mis.
G. Krishnayya.—The temporary exemption from the Examination rules of, in view to his employment for six months as sixth clerk, office of the Assistant Commissioner, Chicacole Sub-division, on Rs. 15 per mensem, sanctioned.	20th „ „ 4794, Mis.
Assistant Inspector Mr. Quinn.—Copy of certificate from the Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, declaring, to have passed test E in Telugu, recorded.	16th „ „ 4831, Mis.
Assistant Inspector M.R.Ry. P. Ananda Row. — Copy of certificate from the Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, declaring, to have passed test E in Telugu, recorded.	17th „ „ 4833, Mis.
V. Venkata Manikyam.—The temporary exemption from the Examination rules of, in view to his employment as sweet toddy clerk, Ellore Circle, on Rs. 15 per mensem for three months, sanctioned.	20th „ „ 4931, Mis.
A graduate employed in the Madras district is not to be regarded as having passed a test equivalent to the Translation Lower unless he took either Tamil or Telugu for the B.A. Degree examination.—Board's Proceedings (Land Revenue) informing the Collector of Madras that, recorded.	27th „ „ 5012, Mis.
B. Venkayya.—The temporary exemption from the Examination rules of, for employment as fourth clerk, Assistant Commissioner's office, Cocanada Sub-division, for three months, sanctioned.	4th Dec., „ 5084, Mis.
Permission to appear for the examinations in the Salt and Abkári tests.—Mr. Bartley informed that under the revised rules the permission applied for by him is not required.	12th „ „ 5146, Mis.

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Vayed Asim Sahib, first-grade daffadar, No. 469, *Merkanam Circle.*—The exemption of, from the Examination rules in view to his temporary appointment as third clerk in the same circle, sanctioned.	14th Dec., No. 5202, Mis.
M.R.Ry. S. Aramuthu Iyengar.—Certificate declaring, to have passed Branch II (Arzi reading) of test E in Tamil, recorded.	19th „ „ 5219, Mis.
T. M. Krishnaswami Aiyar.—The temporary exemption of, from the Examination rules from the 12th March to the 15th August 1896, the period during which he acted clerk on Rs. 10 per mensem, Sennamangalam chowkie, Tanjore district, sanctioned.	29th „ „ 5273, Mis.
Mr. F. W. Gooch.—An application for the exemption of, from the Examination rules in view to his employment in the Salt, Abkári and Customs Department, submitted to Government.	24th „ „ 5303, Mis.
EXCISE.	
Measures adopted for the partial displacement of the excise system by manufacture on account of Government.—Deputy Commissioners reminded that their reports on the effect of the, for the season of 1895 should reach the Board's office not later than the 15th February next and instructions issued for their preparation.—Letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, reporting on the effect of the, in the season of 1895, recorded.—Letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, reporting on the, in the season of 1895, recorded.—Report on the effect of the, in the season of 1895, submitted to Government.—Letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, submitting a revised statement showing the working of the Surlá and Penugunduru extensions up to the season of 1895, recorded.—Government Order directing that the Board's report on the, be forwarded to the Government of India, recorded.	8th Jan., „ 7, Mis 20th Mar., „ 1193, Mis. 9th April, „ 1429, Mis. 4th June, „ 214. 8th „ „ 2382, Mis. 26th Sept., „ 4078, Mis.
Salt licensees of the Ennore Circle.—A certain petition addressed to Government from the, praying that the excise system of manufacture may be restored to them, referred to the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, for remarks.	26th Aug., „ 3594, Mis.
EXHIBITS.	
Certain contraband articles deposited at the Coondapoor Police Station under the Salt and Abkári Acts.—Letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, submitting correspondence regarding the question as to who should find accommodation for, forwarded to the Inspector-General of Police.	29th Jan., „ 377, Mis.
EXPORT.	
Forms of bond for the export of salt.—Letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, reporting on the advisability of altering the, recorded.—Letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, submitting copy of letter from the Assistant Commissioner, Tinnevelly Sub-Division, reporting upon the practice regarding the presence of officers on board the ship for superintending the shipment of salt	6th „ „ 15, Mis. 11th „ „ 118, Mis. 27th April, „ 1707, Mis.

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during export, recorded.—The attention of the Deputy Commissioners drawn to the fact that a responsible officer of the department must remain on board throughout the shipment of salt at the time of export.	
Messrs. A. and F. Harvey of Tuticorin.—Orders passed on letter from the Collector of Tinnevelly submitting for orders letter from, requesting whether arrangements can be made for allowing cotton goods produced at the mill at Pondicherry to pass in bond from Pondicherry to Tuticorin for export from the latter port to China.	17th Jan., No. 221, Mis.
Export of salt to Penang.—The agreement executed by V. M. Veerapathi Mahomed Ghani and Brothers for the export of 52,000 maunds to Penang, returned to the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, duly cancelled; stated that the quantity of 174 maunds remaining undelivered may be shown as miscellaneous receipts in the accounts, and the refund of As. 5-10 to the exporter being the cess collected on 70 maunds of undelivered salt, sanctioned.—The agreement for the export of 32,000 maunds of salt from Tuticorin to Penang executed by V. M. Veerapathi Mahomed Ghani and Brothers of Tinnevelly, returned to the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, duly signed by the Commissioner.—The agreement for the export of 54,000 maunds of salt from Tuticorin to Penang executed by V. M. Veerapathi Mahomed Ghani and Brothers of Tinnevelly, returned duly signed.—The agreement for the export of 52,000 maunds of salt from Tuticorin to Penang executed by V. M. Veerapathi Mahomed Ghani and Brothers of Tinnevelly, returned to the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, duly signed by the Commissioner.—Endorsement of the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, submitting letter from the Assistant Commissioner, Tinnevelly Subdivision, reporting on the completion of export of salt to Penang by V. M. Veerapathi Mahomed Ghani and Brothers per S.S. *Alboin*, recorded.—The fine originally imposed on the exporters of salt to Penang for the infringement of certain conditions of the agreement, reduced to Rs. 50.—Two agreements executed by V. M. Veerapathi Mahomed Ghani and Brothers for the, cancelled and returned to the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division.—The agreement for the export of 32,000 maunds of salt from Tuticorin to Penang executed by V. M. Veerapathi Mahomed Ghani and Brothers of Tuticorin, returned to the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, with remarks, duly signed by the Commissioner.—The agreement executed by V. M. Veerapathi Mahomed Ghani and Brothers for the export of 52,000 maunds of salt to Penang, cancelled and returned to the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, and the refund of As. 7-10 being the amount of cess collected on 94 maunds of undelivered salt, sanctioned.—The agreement for the export of 32,000 maunds of salt from Tuticorin to Penang executed by V. M. Veerapathi Mahomed Ghani and Brothers of Tuticorin, returned to the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, duly signed by the Commissioner, the new condition added by the Assistant Commissioner, Tinnevelly Sub-division, being struck out, and the Assistant Commissioner reprimanded for adding the same without the Board's sanction.—Orders passed on report from the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, on the completion of the export of a certain consignment of salt to	31st ,, ,, 438, Mis. 28th ,, ,, 456, Mis. 14th Feb., ,, 693, Mis. 26th ,, ,, 789, Mis. 10th Mar., ,, 1171, Mis. 26th ,, ,, 1307, Mis. 20th April, ,, 1558, Mis. 16th ,, ,, 1706, Mis. 7th May, ,, 1886, Mis. 28th ,, ,, 2212, Mis. 25th June, ,, 2649, Mis. 15th July, ,, 2951, Mis. 7th Aug., ,, 3288, Mis. 5th ,, ,, 3301, Mis. 11th ,, ,, 3368, Mis. 28th ,, ,, 3633, Mis. 8th Sept., ,, 3797, Mis. 19th ,, ,, 3967, Mis. 1st Oct., ,, 4166, Mis. 1st Nov., ,, 4566, Mis. 26th ,, ,, 5007, Mis.

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Penang and the refund of Rs. 165 to V. M. Veerapathi Mahomed Ghani and Brothers, sanctioned.—Assistant Commissioner, Tinnevelly Sub-division, informed that the exporters of salt to Penang may have an extra Assistant Inspector on payment pending further orders, that the three Sub-Inspectors required for export operations may be drafted for the coming export in the current month from the sanctioned strength, and that the officer who should remain constantly on board the steamer while shipment is going on may be a Sub-Inspector.—The agreement for the export of 52,000 maunds of salt from Tuticorin to Penang executed by V. M. Veerapathi Mahomed Ghani and Brothers of Tuticorin, returned to the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, duly signed by the Commissioner. —Endorsement of the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, submitting copy of report from the Assistant Commissioner, Tinnevelly Sub-division, on the completion of export of salt to Penang, referred to in Board's Proceedings, Mis. No. 2212, dated 28th May 1896, recorded with remark.—Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, requested to report whether he considers the establishment of the Tuticorin Circle adequate for its work particularly as far as the Inspector and Assistant Inspectors are concerned.—Letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, submitting, with remarks, the explanation of Assistant Inspector B. R. Ramasawmy Iyer in connection with the, by S.S. *Alboin* on the 12th March 1896, recorded. —The agreement for the export of 32,000 maunds of salt from Tuticorin to Penang executed by V. M. Veerapathi Mahomed Ghani and Brothers of Tinnevelly, returned to the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, duly signed by the Commissioner.—The appointment of M.R.Ry. S. Vairavanatha Pillai as Acting Assistant Inspector, approved, and the Assistant Commissioner informed that he should do the best he can with regard to Sub-Inspectors required for export purposes.—Letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, reporting the action taken by the Inspector, Tuticorin Circle, on finding that 37 bags were short shipped in the consignment of salt exported to Penang per S.S. *Alboin* from the 2nd to 12th March 1896, recorded.—Remarked on the report submitted by the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, regarding the completion of, in August 1896 and a refund of Rs. 2-1-4 to V. M. Veerapathi Mahomed Ghani and Brothers of Tinnevelly, sanctioned.—Letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, reporting that the enquiry regarding the loss of a bag of salt during the transport to Penang in August last resulted in the conviction of the accused and that the duty on the bag will be credited into the treasury as soon as recovered, recorded.	
Exports of salt from the Madras Depôt Circle by Messrs. Binny and Company.—Messrs. Binny and Company informed that their letter, dated 10th January 1896, will be replied to on receipt of a report from the Assistant Commissioner, Chingleput Sub-division.—The Assistant Commissioner, Chingleput Sub-division, requested to expedite his reply to Board's Proceedings, Mis. No. 5350, dated 18th December 1895.—The Assistant Commissioner, Chingleput Sub-division, requested to furnish the Board with certain particulars regarding a consignment of salt exported to Calcutta.—The Collector of Customs, Calcutta, informed	8th Feb., No. 533, Mis. 17th Mar., ,, 1145, Mis. 22nd April, ,, 1579, Mis. 27th May, ,, 2189, Mis. 27th ,, ,, 2190, Mis. 27th ,, ,, 2191, Mis. 12th June, ,, 2453, Mis. 22nd ,, ,, 2588, Mis. 14th Nov., ,, 5049, Mis.

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that the irregularity pointed out by him in the matter of certain, is due to an oversight on the part of the Inspector of that circle and requested to make certain recoveries and credit them to Government.—Messrs. Binny and Company informed with remarks that the Customs Collector, Calcutta, has been requested to refund a certain amount to their Agent at Calcutta and requested to refund certain sums overdrawn by them.—Assistant Commissioner, Chingleput Sub-division, informed that Mr. Everard's explanation in connection with certain, is unacceptable and requested to furnish details, if any, conducted by that officer since August 1894 and instructions to all officers as to how the form of certificate relating to exports to British Indian ports is to be filled up, issued.—The Secretary to the Board of Revenue, Lower Provinces, informed with remarks of the rules in force in the Madras Presidency in the matter of exports of salt to British Indian ports.—Messrs. Binny and Company informed that a sum of Rs. 94–8–0 will be refunded to it and requested to stamp, sign and present the enclosed form for payment at the Madras Depôt treasury.—The Collector of Sea Customs, Calcutta, informed that the rules for the export of salt to British Indian ports are merely the executive orders of the Government of Madras and have not the force of law.	
Proposed reduction in the rate of harbour dues upon salt exported from Madras.—Reported to Government on the effect likely to be produced in the salt trade by the,—Government Order transferring to the Public Works Department, with remarks, Board's Proceedings reporting on the effect likely to be produced in the salt trade by the, recorded.—Government Order sanctioning the, communicated to the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, and Assistant Commissioner, Chingleput Sub-division.	16th Feb., No. 697, Mis. 11th Mar., „ 1082, Mis. 29th April, „ 1803, Mis.
Tuticorin Circle.—The Assistant Commissioner, Tinnevelly Sub-division, is informed, with reference to his letter requesting the sanction of an extra Assistant Inspector for export purposes, that, as the Tuticorin Salt Company is now unwilling to pay for an extra Assistant Inspector, the rules regarding the removals of salt on particular days should be adhered to.	11th Mar., „ 1007, Mis.
Export of salt in vessels of less than 300 *tons.*—Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, informed that the concession asked for by the Agent, Salt Trading Company, Nizampatam, regarding the, cannot be granted and that the duty-paid salt on which it is not intended to claim the 5 per cent. wastage allowance may be exported like any other cargo.	21st „ „ 1260, Mis.
Salt declared for exportation to the Central Provinces during 1895–96.—Commissioner, Northern India Salt Revenue, informed that the quantity of, was 2·93 lakhs in round figures.	19th May, „ 2071, Mis.
Exports of salt made by Messrs. Arbuthnot and Company to Calcutta in September 1893.—Mr. St. John requested to report how he came to make certain omissions in the certificates of, and to show cause why he should not be made pecuniarily responsible for certain loss to Government.—Letter from the Customs Collector, Calcutta, reporting that the claims of Government to recover a certain sum from	29th „ „ 2215, Mis. 19th Sept., „ 3963, Mis.

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certain merchants of Calcutta are debarred by limitation, communicated to Mr. St. John with the request to expedite the explanation called for in Board's Proceedings, Mis. No. 2215, dated 29th May 1896.	
Export of salt by Messrs. Arbuthnot and Company to Calcutta.—The Assistant Commissioner, Chingleput Sub-division, requested to instruct the Inspector, Ennore Circle, to grant a certificate of payment of duty to Messrs. Arbuthnot and Company for a quantity of salt to be exported by them to Calcutta.	15th June, No. 2481, Mis.
Mica exported during 1895 *and up to date in* 1896.—The Collector of Sea Customs, Madras, and the Collectors of all other Maritime districts requested to furnish the Board with a statement showing the quantity and value of,	18th „ „ 2526, Mis.
Draft set of rules for the export of salt to the Straits Settlements amended so as to be applicable to Mauritius and Zanzibar.—Government Order ordering the publication in the *Fort St. George Gazette* of the, communicated to the Deputy and Assistant Commissioners.—Erratum in the list of ports noted in the margin of Rule 1 of the, communicated to Deputy and Assistant Commissioners.	23rd July, „ 301. 11th Sept., „ 359.
Export of foreign liquor to Travancore.—Collector of Madura requested to furnish certain particulars in the matter of the application from one Abraham Pillai for permission for the,—The Collector of Madura authorised to grant permits for the, under section 7 of the Madras Abkári Act.—Board's Proceedings, Mis. No. 4358, dated 20th October 1896, recorded by Government.	29th July, „ 3170, Mis. 20th Sept., „ 4358, Mis. 19th Nov., „ 4892, Mis.
The Commissioner of Customs, Salt, Abkári and Opium, Bombay, requested to furnish certain information as to the actual wastages in the consignments of salt exported from Bombay to Calcutta and to send a copy of the export rules in force before 1895.—The Commissioner of Customs, Salt, Abkári and Opium, Bombay, requested to furnish a list of the cargoes of salt exported from Bombay to Calcutta during the past three years showing the dates of departure of each vessel from Bombay and the wastages ascertained at Calcutta.—The Collector of Customs, Calcutta, requested to state whether duty was collected at Calcutta and, if so, on what quantity in the several consignments of duty-paid salt exported from the ports in the Madras Presidency during the past ten years.—The Collectors of South Canara and Malabar requested to furnish details of wastages ascertained on each consignment of salt exported from Bombay and landed at certain ports in their districts during the last two years.	12th Aug., „ 3387, Mis. 16th Dec., „ 5200, Mis. 21st „ „ 5216, Mis. 21st „ „ 5217, Mis.
Ganjám salt likely to be exported from Humma to stations on the East Coast Railway, &c.—The Consulting Engineer for Railways, Madras, furnished with an estimate for the quantity of,	20th Sept., „ 3982, Mis.
Export of salt to British Burma.—Government Order passing orders on certain points connected with the, communicated to all Deputy and Assistant Commissioners.	28th „ „ 387.
Rules for the export of salt to British Indian ports.—Government requested to be permitted to publish a fresh under certain circumstances the, under sections 9 (*c*) and 204 of Act VIII of 1878.	4th Dec., „ 5048, Mis.

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ESTABLISHMENT.	1896.
ORISSA.	
Manikpatna Circle.—Secretary, Board of Revenue, Lower Provinces, requested that sanction of the Bengal Government may be obtained to the abolition of the three runners borne on the establishment of the,—Endorsement of the Secretary to the Board of Revenue, Lower Provinces, forwarding a copy of the order of the Bengal Government sanctioning the abolition of the three postal runners of the, communicated to the Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division.	7th Mar., No. 932, Mis. 25th April, „ 1747, Mis.
A statement showing the distribution of the preventive parties in the Orissa Province, forwarded to the Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, with the request to return it duly corrected up to date.	21st „ „ 1576, Mis.
Kendrapara Circle.—Letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, reporting on the inadvisability of providing the Inspector and Assistant Inspector with orderlies, recorded.	1st May, „ 1781, Mis.
EXAMINATION.	
Jagendranath Bhattáchárji and Chandra Mohan Mahanti.—Government Order exempting, from passing the Upper Secondary examination in view to their employment in the Salt department in Orissa only, communicated to the Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division.	31st Jan., „ 519, Mis.
Abinás Chandra Bandyopadhyaya.—Pointed out to the Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, with remarks, that, need not be exempted from the Hand-writing test.	13th Feb., „ 631, Mis.
Acting Assistant Inspector M.R.Ry. S. Jagannada Subbaiya.—Copy of certificate from the Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, declaring, to have passed test E in Uriya, recorded.	13th Mar., „ 1081, Mis.
K. Narasimloo, engine-driver, Manikpatna Circle.—The exemption of, from the Examination rules, recommended to Government.—Government Order exempting, from the Examination rules, communicated to the Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division.	26th April, „ 1663, Mis. 28th May, „ 2224, Mis.
Chandra Prasád Mitra.—Government requested to exempt, from passing the Hand-writing test in view to his employment as a clerk in Orissa only. — Government Order exempting, from the Examination rules, communicated to the Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division.	30th April, „ 1776, Mis. 23rd May, „ 2284, Mis.
Petty officer Bauchanidhi Doss. — An application for the exemption of, from the Examination rules for employment as second clerk, Manikpatna Circle, on Rs. 25 for three months from the 1st March 1896, submitted with remarks for the sanction of Government.—Government Order exempting, from the Examination rules, communicated to the Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, and Assistant Commissioner, Chatrapur Sub-division, for information and guidance.	15th „ „ 2067, Mis. 19th June, „ 2648, Mis.

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ORISSA—*cont.*	
Hari Prasád Singh.—An application for the exemption of one, from the Examination rules in view to his employment as Sub-Inspector in Orissa only, submitted to Government for sanction.—Government Order exempting, from the Examination rules, communicated to the Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division.—Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, informed, with remarks, that, should be considered as permanently exempted from the Examination rules for employment in Orissa only.	23rd May, No. 2152, Mis. 29th June, „ 2727, Mis. 3rd Sept., „ 3715, Mis.
Monindra Nath Roy.—An application for exemption from the Hand-writing test of, in view to his employment as a Sub-Inspector in Orissa only, submitted to Government.—Government Order exempting, from the Upper Secondary examination, communicated to the Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division.	10th Aug., „ 3358, Mis. 26th „ „ 3627, Mis.
Jagabundhoo Mahanti.—Application for exemption from the Examination rules of, in view to his employment as Acting Sub-Inspector, Machgaon Circle, for three months, submitted to Government for sanction.—Government Order exempting, from the Examination rules, communicated to the Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, for information and guidance.	25th „ „ 3583, Mis 16th Sept., „ 3958, Mis
Sarada Prasád Chand, acting clerk, Kendrapara Circle, on Rs. 15 per mensem.—The exemption from the Examination rules of, from the 1st July to 5th August 1896, sanctioned.	2nd Oct., „ 4178, Mis.
Sultan Khan, Sub-Inspector.—Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, informed that in view of the proposed transfer of the Salt administration of Orissa to the Bengal Government, the Board is not prepared to recommend the exemption of, from passing the departmental tests.	11th „ „ 4313, Mis.
Power to exempt Matriculates of the Calcutta or Allahabad University from passing the Hand-writing test for employment as clerks or Sub-Inspectors in Orissa only.—Government Order, Educational Department, delegating to the Board of Revenue (Separate Revenue) the, communicated to the Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, and the Assistant Commissioners, Balasore and Chatrapur Sub-divisions.—Government Order, Revenue Department, approving and transferring to the Educational Department the delegation to the Board of the, communicated to all Deputy and Assistant Commissioners.	1st Nov., „ 448. 8th Dec., „ 494.
Mayadhur Dás.—Application for exemption for three months from the Examination rules of, in view to his employment as Acting Sub-Inspector, Machgaon Circle, submitted to Government for favourable consideration.—Government Order sanctioning the exemption from the Examination rules, communicated to the Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division.	14th Nov., „ 4733, Mis. 12th Dec., „ 5142, Mis.
Jagannadhan Patnaik.—The exemption of, from passing the Hand-writing test in view to his employment as second clerk, Manikpatna Circle, sanctioned.	25th „ „ 5280, Mis.

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FACTORY.	
Manakkudi factory.—Government Order forwarding to the Board a signed copy of the notice to be served on the lessee of the, recorded. — Kuttayan Chetti informed that his request to be permitted to manufacture salt in the, after the 31st March 1896, cannot be granted.—Inspector, Vattanam Circle, requested by wire to report what action has been taken regarding the,—Reported to Government with reference to the notice given by the late lessee of the, that he will sue for damages if he is prevented from manufacturing salt after the 31st March until due compensation is paid.—The Inspector, Vattanam Circle, ordered by wire to permit storage by Manakkudi licensee's men of salt scraped before 1st April, &c.—The Inspector, Vattanam Circle, requested to report at once whether Kuttayan Chetti has surrendered the license granted to him to manufacture salt at, in accordance with the provisions of condition 34 of his license.—Reported to Government with remarks that the Board has not yet received intimation of any obstruction caused by Kuttayan Chetti in the, — Copy of proceedings of the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, approving, with remarks, the applicants selected for the assignment of pans in the, recorded.—Reported to Government that Kuttayan Chetti has not yet surrendered his license and that he has been served with a notice to return it at once.—Board's Proceedings, Mis. No. 2035, dated 16th May 1896, recorded by Government.—Government Order concurring in the Board's view on the question of settling by arbitration the amount of compensation to be paid to Kuttayan Chetti and informing the lessee that Government has no objection to have the question settled by arbitration in accordance with the terms of the lease, recorded with remarks.—Endorsement of the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, submitting copy of letter from the Assistant Commissioner, Tinnevelly Sub-division, forwarding, with remarks, a notice from Kuttayan Chetti, late lessee of the, stating that he should be permitted to proceed with manufacture in that factory, recorded. — Government Order informing Kuttayan Chetti that his request for the extension of the period of the lease of the factory cannot be complied with, recorded.—Collector of Madura requested to report whom he would recommend to be appointed as Arbitrator on behalf of Government in connection with the settlement of the amount of compensation to be paid to Kuttayan Chetti, late lessee of the,—Government Order informing the lessee of the, by wire that the Board of Revenue has been asked to appoint an Arbitrator on behalf of Government in connection with his petition, dated 6th June 1896, recorded with reference to Board's Proceedings. Mis. No. 2799, dated 7th July 1896.—Reported to Government that M.R.Ry. Rao Bahadur D. Venkata Rungayyar Avargal may be appointed as Arbitrator on behalf of Government.—Government Order approving the nomination of M.R.Ry. Rao Bahadur D. Venkata Rungayyar Avargal as Arbitrator, communicated to the Collector of Madura with remarks.—M.R.Ry. Rao Bahadur D. Venkata Rungayyar Avargal appointed to act as Arbitrator on behalf of Government, and Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, requested to arrange with the lessee for the matter being settled by arbitration.—Government Order informing the late lessee that Rao Bahadur Venkata Rungayyar Avargal has	11th Jan., No. 110, Mis. 7th Mar, „ 916, Mis. 6th April, „ 1403, Mis. 9th „ „ 1424, Mis. 9th „ „ 1425, Mis. 28th „ „ 1678, Mis. 1st May, „ 1764, Mis. 4th „ „ 1969, Mis. 16th „ „ 2035, Mis. 4th June, „ 2348, Mis. 1st „ „ 2349, Mis. 19th „ „ 2602, Mis. 3rd July, „ 2769, Mis. 7th „ „ 2799, Mis. 11th „ „ 2970, Mis. 23rd „ „ 3084, Mis. 7th Aug., „ 3299, Mis. 2nd Sept., „ 3667, Mis. 12th „ „ 3923, Mis. 13th Oct., „ 4315, Mis.

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been appointed Arbitrator and requesting the Board to report what steps have been taken in pursuance of G.O., No. 3108, dated 4th August 1896, recorded.—Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, requested to refer to the Arbitrators appointed to settle the amount of compensation to be paid to the late lessee of the, the claims of Government to certain sums expended by it on account of certain works of that factory.	
Muttupet.—Government Order deferring final orders on the proposals for opening a salt factory at, pending the receipt of a full report from the Board on the project of removing the salt platforms at Negapatam to Papacovil, communicated to Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, with remarks.—Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, called upon to expedite the reports called for regarding the project of removing the salt platforms at Negapatam to Papacovil.—Letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, stating that he has not received any reply from the Agent, South Indian Railway, on the subject of the removal of the depôt from Negapatam to Papacovil, communicated to the Agent, South Indian Railway Company, with the request to report when the Deputy Commissioner's communication will be replied to.	30th Jan., No. 404, Mis. 10th Nov., „ 4652, Mis. 29th „ „ 4923, Mis.
Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, informed with remarks that in the case of a certain capitalist of the Calingapatam factory, effect should not be given to the order of exclusion from the factory until all the salt that stands in his name is sold.	28th Jan., „ 487, Mis.
Pulsometer.—Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, informed that the, is not necessary for the Ganjám factory and requested to submit an official report in regard to his suggestion that it might be more usefully employed in the Calingapatam factory.—Letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, stating that an official report regarding the use of the, at the Calingapatam factory will be submitted shortly, recorded.—Reported to Government that it is needless to incur any further expenditure on account of the, in the Ganjám factory, and its sanction to the sale of the machine, requested.—Government Order sanctioning the sale of the, communicated to the Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, and Assistant Commissioner, Chatrapur Sub-division.	17th Mar., „ 1133, Mis. 10th Aug., „ 3396, Mis. 30th Sept., „ 4106, Mis. 3rd Nov., „ 4634, Mis.
Vaippár.—Seeni Iyer of Tirukkóyilúr informed that it has been decided to close the factory at, and that the question cannot be re-opened.	28th April, „ 1716, Mis.
Keeranur factory.—Assistant Commissioner, Tinnevelly Sub-division, requested to forward for reference copies of certain records connected with a dispute between the several joint licensees of the, — The Government Pleader, Madras, requested to give his opinion whether under certain circumstances the action of the Assistant Commissioner, Tinnevelly Sub-division, in stopping sales of salt in the, is correct. —Copies of certain records promised in Board's Proceedings, Mis. No. 2159, dated 26th May 1896, forwarded for reference to the Government Pleader, Madras.—Petition from certain licensees of the, praying that certain transfer applications put in by one Subramania Iyer who has ceased	23rd May, „ 2138, Mis. 26th „ „ 2159, Mis. 11th June, „ 2424, Mis. 11th „ „ 2425, Mis. 30th „ „ 2708, Mis. 24th July, „ 3092, Mis. 3rd Sept., „ 3681, Mis. 7th „ „ 3759, Mis. 11th „ „ 3906, Mis. 7th Nov., „ 4597, Mis. 27th „ „ 4916, Mis. 14th Dec., „ 5249, Mis.

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to be their Agent may not be accepted, recorded.—Translation of certain documents with the documents themselves, forwarded to the Government Pleader, Madras, with remarks.—Opinion of the Government Pleader, Madras, on the action of the Assistant Commissioner, Tinnevelly Sub-division, in directing the stoppage of sales at the, communicated with remarks to the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division.—Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, informed, with remarks, that no orders can be passed on certain applications for the issue of separate licenses in the,—Orders passed on copy of proceedings of the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, permitting the removal from the, by certain merchants of salt transferred to them subsequent to the death of Abraham Nadar.—Copy of proceedings of the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, approving of the orders of the Assistant Commissioner, Tinnevelly Sub-division, stopping all transactions at the, on account of the cancellation by four of the joint licensees of that factory of the Power-of-Attorney granted to A. R. Subramania Iyer, recorded.—The Government Pleader, Madras, requested to furnish the Board with his opinion as to whether under certain circumstances the joint license issued to the shareholders of the, and the muchilka executed by them become void.—The sale under certain conditions of salt transferred by the Agent of the, in the name of his brother, authorised.—The Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, requested to arrange for the issue of a fresh joint license in the names of certain persons for the, and informed that all future transactions at the factory should be conducted either by these persons jointly or by their duly constituted agent.	
Surlá and Penugudaru extensions.—Letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, submitting a revised statement showing the working of the, up to the season of 1895, recorded.	8th June, No. 2382, Mis.
Vaippár salt factory.—M. V. Tharuvasu Mohideen Rowther of Pettai, Tinnevelly district, informed that his request to be allowed to work the, under the excise system on a twenty years' lease, cannot be granted.	23rd „ „ 2669, Mis.
Káyalpatnam factory.—Orders passed on the report of the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, on the petition from one V. S. Athan Iyengar, agent of the salt licensees of the, representing certain grievances in connection with the extension of the,	1st July, „ 2709, Mis.
Krishna Pillai of Karaiyaruppu, Tinnevelly district, directed to see the Commissioner on the subject of his application to open a salt factory when he visits Tuticorin.—Informed that the Board does not at present see any reason to address Government again regarding the opening of a salt factory near Tuticorin.	14th „ „ 2943, Mis. 29th Oct., „ 4558, Mis.
Keeranur factory.—Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, informed that the extension of the present drying ground at the, is not necessary.	31st „ „ 4556, Mis.
R. Subba Naidu and others of Tuticorin informed that the Board has no intention of recommending any additional factories at or near Tuticorin for the sanction of Government.	3rd Nov., „ 4569, Mis.

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FAMINE.	
Observance of all practicable economy in the expenditure of Government.—Government Order communicating resolution of the Government of India urging the, communicated to all Deputy and Assistant Commissioners, the Collector of Sea Customs and the Superintendent of Stamps, Madras, and Deputy Commissioners requested not to sanction works which can, without inconvenience or danger to revenue, be put off to some future time.	9th Dec., No. 496.
FEES.	
System of levying a fixed fee on every tree tapped for toddy on Government waste and poramboke lands.—Proceedings of the Collector of Tanjore deciding to introduce the, recorded with remark. — Proceedings of the Board of Revenue (Land Revenue) approving the proposal of the Collector of Salem to introduce as an experiment the, in the sub-division taluks of his district, and stating that in order to prevent the leaves of the trees from being stripped off, a condition may be imposed requiring at least eight leaves to be left on each tree, communicated to the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, and Assistant Commissioner, Arcot Sub-division.	4th Feb., „ 473, Mis. 16th May, „ 2118, Mis.
South Canara.—District Magistrate of, requested to apply to Government for sanction of the payment of fees to a Pleader engaged in the prosecution of a Sub-Inspector.	18th Feb., „ 652, Mis.
Prosecution of S. K. Chinnasami Aiyangar.—Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, informed that sanction to the payment of fees due to the Public Prosecutor who conducted the, should be applied for by the District Magistrate.	24th „ „ 813, Mis.
Malabar.—Orders passed on letter from the Collector of, enquiring whether the registration fee paid on general bonds executed by distillers may be refunded under paragraphs 2 and 3 of Board's Standing Order No. 155 (new edition).	5th Mar., „ 897, Mis.
Registration of trade marks at the Custom House on payment of a fee of one rupee.—Proposal of the Collector of Sea Customs, Madras, to allow the, submitted for the approval of Government.—Government Order approving of the proposal to allow the, communicated to the Collector of Sea Customs, Madras.	9th „ „ 960, Mis. 30th „ „ 136.
Salem.—The Collector of, informed that no fresh fee is leviable from Messrs. Cooper and Company on account of the foreign liquor retail license transferred to their names.	10th „ „ 991, Mis.
Madras.—Collector of Sea Customs informed that no fee should have been levied for fixing the value of gunpowder in the case referred to by him as the work was done in the ordinary course of an Appraiser's duties and as the owner of the gunpowder did not require him to attend the magazine out of office hours for the purpose.—Collector of Sea Customs, Madras, informed that the Board does not consider that the case in which the Appraiser had to attend out of office hours to fix the value of gunpowder is one in which a fee should be levied as the importer was not responsible for the inconvenient hour at which the Appraiser had to attend in compliance with the rules of another Government Department. — Collector of Sea Customs,	27th „ „ 1333, Mis. 1st May, „ 1772, Mis. 27th „ „ 2188, Mis. 12th June, „ 2434, Mis.

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FEES—*cont.*	1896.
Madras, informed that the Board see no reason to reconsider its order and the attention of the Collector drawn to the fact that Rs. 30 is given to the Appraiser as a carriage allowance as Inspector of Mills.—Collector informed that a fee limited to carriage hire may be allowed to the Appraiser for having attended the merchants' magazine to fix the value of gunpowder.	
Levy of a reduced rate of fee for the railway refreshment rooms at the Nandyal, Cumbum and Kurnool Road station.—Letter from the Collector of Kurnool recommending the, submitted for the orders of Government with remark.—Government Order sanctioning the Board's recommendation for the, communicated to the Collector of Kurnool.	9th April, No. 1423, Mis. 6th May, „ 1904, Mis.
Pâkala Circle.—Declined to sanction the Pleader's fee in a case of assault in the,	5th „ „ 1858, Mis
Fees claimed by the Government Pleader, Mangalore, for conducting prosecution in a case instituted by Sub-Inspector K. Rama Row.—Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, requested to ask the District Magistrate, South Canara, to apply to Government for sanction to the payment of, and to call upon Sub-Inspector K. Rama Row to show cause why he should not be dismissed for taking no action towards the payment of fees to the Public Prosecutor.—Government informed that the amount due by Sub-Inspector K. Rama Row on account of Pleader's fees has not been recovered.—Government Order, Judicial Department, sanctioning payment of a fee of Rs. 150 to the Public Prosecutor, communicated to the Collector of South Canara and Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division.	22nd „ „ 2107, Mis. 7th Sept., „ 3761, Mis. 20th Oct., „ 4392, Mis.
Applications for refund of Court fees under Court's certificates.—The Accountant-General informed that, should not be refused if they are barred by the Law of Limitation unless the extenuating circumstances provided for in the Act exist.	8th June, „ 2378, Mis.
Landing and shipping operations relating to Government consignments.—Letter from the Agent for Government Consignments stating that no overtime fees can be charged for supervision exercised out of office hours by his office staff over the, communicated to the Collector of Gódávari.	16th „ „ 2511, Mis.
Enhancement of the fee levied on each emigrant to the colonies and the revival of the levy of a fee of Rs. 15 on each recruiter's license.—Government Order recording the decision of the Government of India with regard to the proposed, recorded.	18th „ „ 2544, Mis.
Overtime fees due to the Distillery officer at Parli for six months from October 1895 to March 1896.—Orders passed on letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, reporting on the conduct of the Manager to the arrack-supply contractor, Malabar, in refusing to remit into the treasury the amount of,	22nd „ „ 2619, Mis.
The levy of overtime fees at the rates recommended by the Presidency Port Officer for remunerating the pier tindal at Tuticorin for his attendance out of the working hours of the pier.—Government Order, Marine Department, sanctioning, recorded.	3rd July, „ 2771, Mis.

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FEES—*cont.*	1896.
Wharfage fees on salt boats loading and unloading at the Madras Salt Cotaur wharf on the Buckingham canal. — Government Order regarding the levy of, communicated with remarks to the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, for information and guidance and the approval of Government to the levy of such fees by annual book adjustment as suggested by the Chief Engineer for Irrigation, solicited.—Letter from the Chief Engineer for Irrigation stating that empty boats carrying gunnies, twine, &c., should be considered as carrying cargo for the purpose of the rules regulating the traffic at wharves in the Buckingham canal, communicated with remarks to the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division.—Government Order communicating the approval of the Public Works Department of the proposal to levy, by annual book adjustment, recorded.	18th July No. 285. 24th Sept., „ 4003, Mis. 12th Oct., „ 4264, Mis.
A special license for the supply of Colombo arrack to hospitals by Messrs. Spencer & Co. Madras.—The recommendation of the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, that a fee of Rs. 5 may be levied for, approved.	23rd July, „ 3086, Mis.
Cuddapah.—Proceedings of the Board of Revenue (Land Revenue) approving the proposal of the Collector of, to introduce the system of levying a fixed fee in regard to the usufruct of toddy trees on Government poramboke and assessed waste lands and observing that the Collector's letter should have been submitted through the Conservator of Forests, communicated to the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division.	6th Aug., „ 3354, Mis.
Chingleput.—Proceedings of the Board of Revenue (Land Revenue) passing orders on Collector's proposals regarding the grouping of toddy-yielding trees in his district and introduction of a fixed fee for their usufruct, recorded.	25th „ „ 340.
Second Appraiser, Sea Custom House, Madras.—Stated that the Board considers that a gazetted officer in the position of the, should not draw overtime allowances.	27th „ „ 3622, Mis.
Fee for audit of the accounts of the emigration agencies. — Government Order, Public Department, communicating to the Protector of Emigrants, Madras, and to the Accountant-General despatch from the Secretary of State stating that the, should in future be recovered in Madras, recorded.	4th Sept., „ 3832, Mis.
Fees on illicitly-tapped trees.—Collector of South Canara informed that he is competent to pass the necessary orders in the matter of authorising Magistrates to collect, themselves in their capacity as Deputy Tahsildars.	11th „ „ 3871, Mis.
Kurnool.—Proceedings of the Board of Revenue (Land Revenue) approving the action of the Collector of, in ordering the introduction of the fixed fee system in regard to Government trees tapped for toddy in his district and observing that the Collector's letter should have been submitted through the Conservator, recorded.	29th „ „ 4184, Mis.
Ránipéttai distillery.—Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, requested to report as to the circumstances under which overtime fees came to be charged in the, after the appointment of an additional Sub-Inspector was sanctioned.	21st Oct., „ 4383, Mis.

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Fee of one anna chargeable under the Court Fees Act on applications for the grant of tree-tapping licenses.—Government requested to address the Government of India for the issue of a notification remitting the,—Government Order ordering that the Government of India be addressed, recorded.	24th Oct., No. 4462, Mis. 14th Dec., „ 517.
Receipt of fees by Government servants for executing commissions issued by Civil Courts.—Government Order communicating the ruling of the Government of India on the subject of the, communicated to the Collector of Sea Customs, Madras, the Superintendent of Stamps, Madras, and to Deputy and Assistant Commissioners.	7th Nov., „ 452.
The payment to the Government Pleader, Madras, of Rs. 30 being the fee for his appearing on behalf of Government in Stamp Referred Case No. 5 of 1896 on the file of the High Court, Madras, sanctioned.	11th „ „ 4657, Mis.
Vakil's fees, &c., incurred by certain peons of the Tellicherry Circle in connection with a criminal case brought against them.—The District Magistrate of Malabar requested to obtain the sanction of Government to the payment of,	17th „ „ 4822, Mis.
Original Suit No. 162 *of* 1895 *on the file of the District Munsif's Court, Tiruvallúr.*—The payment of Rs. 75 being the fees of the Pleader who conducted the defence in, sanctioned.	27th „ „ 4946, Mis.
Fees chargeable on certain documents filed in claims preferred under the Madras Hereditary Village Officers' Act (III of 1895).—Government Order communicating endorsement of the Government of India forwarding copy of its notification regarding the, communicated to the Superintendent of Stamps and to all Collectors for information and guidance.	2nd Dec., „ 482.
Rules regarding overtime works and fees therefor in Custom House in the Madras Presidency.—The Superintendent, Government Press, requested to publish in the *Fort St. George Gazette* certain notification containing amendment in the,	14th „ „ 5266, Mis.
FEVER.	
Pulúlwak.—The suggestion of the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, regarding the transfer of men among the factories of the Ennore Circle during the prevalence of fever at, approved with remark.—Stated with remark that the Commissioner's steam launch cannot be lent for the use of the establishment in the Ennore Circle and that a specialist will shortly be deputed to inquire into the causes of the epidemic at,	1st Oct., „ 4099, Mis. 20th Nov., „ 4806, Mis.
FIRE.	
Tellicherry fish-curing yard.—Endorsement of the Assistant Commissioner, Calicut Sub-division, submitting copy of a letter from the Inspector, Tellicherry Circle, reporting on the occurrence of a fire at the, and the remedial measures adopted in connection therewith, recorded pending receipt of the remarks of the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division.—The proposal of the Inspector, Tellicherry Circle, in regard to the reconstruction of the store-shed and fence at the, at the expense of Government and to the recovery of cost from the curers in the shape of cess, approved with remarks.	6th Mar., „ 955, Mis. 20th „ „ 1248, Mis.

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FIRE—*cont.*	1896.
Coimbatore-Cochin frontier.—Letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, submitting copy of letter from the Inspector, Coimbatore Circle, reporting on the destruction by fire of three huts in Post No. VI in the, recorded.	13th Mar., No. 1109, Mis.
Polavaram factory.—Letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, reporting on the destruction by fire of the stables and out-houses at the, recorded.	14th ,, ,, 1157, Mis.
Neidavasal factory.—Report from the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, on the destruction of one of the circular huts by fire in the, recorded with remarks.	13th May, ,, 2018, Mis.
Thambikkanallavankóttai factory.— Orders passed on report from the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, on the destruction of a hut by fire in the,	16th ,, ,, 2026, Mis.
Fire engine for the Custom House at Calicut.—Collector of Malabar requested to raise the question of the purchase of a, when the Acting Commissioner visits the district.—Considered it inadvisable and unnecessary to provide fire engines for Custom Houses, and the Collector of Malabar informed accordingly.	2nd June, ,, 2283, Mis. 13th ,, ,, 2470, Mis.
Rules proposed for providing precautions against fire.—Government Order sanctioning as regards public offices at Chepâk certain, and stating that it is desirable that similar precautions should be taken in all public offices, communicated to the Collector of Sea Customs, Madras, the Superintendent of Stamps, and all Deputy and Assistant Commissioners and officers in charge of Circles.	6th June, ,, 219.
Pulidiveak factory.—Orders passed on letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, reporting on the damages caused by the fire which occurred in platform No. III of the,	28th July, ,, 3134, Mis.
Vaippár factory.—Letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, reporting on the destruction by fire of the out-houses and stable attached to the Assistant Inspector's quarters on the night of the 25th June 1896, recorded with remark.	25th Aug., ,, 3626, Mis.
Coimbatore-Cochin frontier.—Endorsement of the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, submitting report on the destruction by fire of certain huts in the, recorded pending receipt of further report promised.—Letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, furnishing further particulars regarding the destruction by fire of the huts in the, recorded.	4th Sept., ,, 3772, Mis. 20th Oct., ,, 4373, Mis.
Mangalore distillery.—Letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, reporting that the, has been burnt, recorded with remarks.—Report on the destruction of the, by fire on the 2nd November 1896, submitted to Government with remarks.—Telegram from the Collector of South Canara reporting the arrangements made for the supply of arrack to the district consequent on the destruction of the, by fire, recorded.—Letter from the Collector of South Canara reporting that the, owned by Messrs. Albuquerque	6th Nov., ,, 4628, Mis. 12th ,, ,, 4703, Mis. 5th ,, ,, 4704, Mis. 6th ,, ,, 4705, Mis. 20th ,, ,, 4780, Mis. 14th ,, ,, 4843, Mis. 14th ,, ,, 4844, Mis. 23rd ,, ,, 4922, Mis. 3rd Dec., ,, 4992, Mis.

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and Sons took fire on the afternoon of the 2nd November 1896, recorded.—Orders passed on telegram from Messrs. Albuquerque and Sons, Mangalore, requesting to permit distillation in the.—Letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, submitting further report on the arrangements made for supply of arrack to the excise tracts of the South Canara district on account of the fire at the, recorded.—Letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, submitting copy of telegram requesting the Assistant Commissioner, Calicut Sub-division, to report on paragraph 9 of Mangalore Inspector's report on the fire at, recorded.—Assistant Commissioner, Calicut Sub-division, requested by wire to report on the proposals of the Inspector, Mangalore Circle, for allowing Messrs. Albuquerque and Sons to conduct distillation in the, for the supply of arrack to the excise tracts of the South Canara district.—Government Order, Revenue Department, recording Board's Proceedings, Mis. No. 4703, dated 12th November 1896, recorded.—Orders passed on letter from the Collector of South Canara reporting on the progress made at the, and proposing that the vend depôts at Mulky, Mangeshwar and Panemangalore be converted into excise depôts.	8th Dec., No. 5066, Mis.
FISH.	
Transfer of fish-curing yards from the temporary to the permanent list or for the abolition of unimportant yards.—Letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, submitting proposals for the, recorded.—Copy of letter from the Assistant Commissioner, Tinnevelly Sub-division, submitting proposals for the, recorded with remarks.—Letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, submitting proposals for the abolition of the Kollapatam fish-curing yard in the Kanuparti Circle, recorded.—Copy of letter from the Assistant Commissioner, Calicut Sub-division, submitting proposals for the, recorded.—Letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, submitting proposals from the Assistant Commissioner, Cocanada Sub-division, for the abolition of certain fish-curing yards, recorded with remarks.—Endorsement of the Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, submitting proposals from the Assistant Commissioner, Chatrapur Sub-division, for the abolition of certain fish-curing yards in his sub-division, recorded with remarks.—The proposals of the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, for the abolition of certain fish-curing yards in his division, reviewed.—Proposals for the, and for certain changes in the establishment employed at certain yards, submitted for the sanction of Government.—Government Order approving and transferring to Financial Department Board's Proceedings submitting proposals for the, recorded pending receipt of Government Order in the Financial Department.—Government Order, Financial Department, sanctioning the Board's proposals for the, communicated to Deputy and Assistant Commissioners.	22nd Jan., „ 290, Mis. 6th Feb., „ 527, Mis. 12th „ „ 590, Mis. 15th „ „ 632, Mis. 4th Mar., „ 852, Mis. 12th „ „ 1032, Mis. 13th „ „ 1046, Mis. 27th „ „ 130. 16th May, „ 2169, Mis. 24th June, „ 242.
Tanur fish-curing yard.—Letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, submitting the explanation of the Inspector, Ponnáni Circle, for reconstructing the store-shed at the, at Government expense, recorded with remarks.—An estimate on actuals for Rs. 1,256–0–10 for reconstructing the store-shed at the, sanctioned with remarks.	1st Feb., „ 430, Mis. 27th Mar., „ 1319, Mis.

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Masulipatam Sub-division.—Copy of letter from the Assistant Commissioner recommending the retention of the five fish-curing yards in his sub-division, recorded.	31st Jan., No. 457, Mis.
Causes of the decline in fish-curing operations noticed by Government.—Deputy Commissioners requested to investigate carefully the, and to report whether any special facilities can be afforded to fish-curers in view to the further development of the industry.—Letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, reporting on the question of affording special facilities to fish-curers in view to the further development of the industry, recorded.—Letter from the Assistant Commissioner, Cocanada Sub-division, submitting his views on the question of affording special facilities to fish-curers in view to the further development of the industry, recorded.—Letter from the Assistant Commissioner, Chatrapur Sub-division, submitting his views on the question, recorded.—Deputy Commissioners requested to ascertain and report on certain points in connection with the question of affording special facilities to fish-curers.—Deputy Commissioners requested to submit at a very early date the report called for in connection with the question of affording special facilities to fish-curers.—Letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, reporting on the question of affording special facilities to fish-curers in his division, recorded.	25th Feb., „ 75. 24th July, „ 3147, Mis. 23rd „ „ 3148, Mis. 31st „ „ 3211, Mis. 3rd Sept., „ 3695, Mis. 16th Oct., „ 4287, Mis. 7th Dec., „ 5065, Mis.
South Canara district.—Government Order on the report submitted by the Board of Revenue regarding certain allegations made by the fishermen in the, communicated to the Collector of South Canara, Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, and Assistant Commissioner, Calicut Sub-division.—Letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, submitting the explanations of the Inspectors, Mangalore and Udipi Circles, for the careless manner in which they furnished information on the subject of the complaints of the fishermen in the, recorded with remarks.—The orders of Government on the subject of further reducing the issue price of salt in the fish-curing yards of the, requested.—The Commissioner of Customs, Salt, Opium and Abkári, Bombay, requested to furnish the Board with information regarding the quantity of fish cured in the yards of the North Canara district and also the number of yards at work in that district during 1895–96.—Reported to Government on the subject of further reducing the issue price of salt in the fish-curing yards of the,—Government Order approving the Board's proposal to reduce the issue price of salt in the fish-curing yards of the, communicated to the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, and the Assistant Commissioner, Calicut Sub-division.	6th Mar., „ 104. 7th „ „ 1025, Mis. 31st July, „ 3208, Mis. 31st „ „ 3209, Mis. 3rd Sept., „ 3707, Mis. 19th „ „ 371.
Penuguduru Circle.—The order of the Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, that the fish-curing yards in the, should be supplied with remnant heaps of salt in the Penuguduru extension, approved.	14th Mar., „ 1156, Mis.
Trade in salted fish.—Board's Proceedings (Revenue Settlement) recording, with remarks, letter from the Examiner, Guaranteed Railway Accounts, Bombay, forwarding a certain statement showing the, during the quarter ending 31st December 1895, recorded.—Board's Proceedings (Revenue Settlement) recording, with remarks, letter from the Exam-	26th „ „ 1312, Mis. 9th July, „ 2874, Mis. 7th Oct., „ 4168, Mis.

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iner, Guaranteed Railway Accounts, Bombay, forwarding a statement showing the, during the quarter ending 31st March 1896, recorded.—Board's Proceedings (Revenue Settlement) recording, with remarks, letter from the Examiner, Guaranteed Railway Accounts, Bombay, forwarding a statement showing the, during the quarter ending 30th June 1896, recorded.	
Chicacole Sub-division.—Copy of proceedings of the Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, informing the Assistant Commissioner that the fish-curers may be allowed the option of paying the balances due to Government all at once, recorded.	18th May, No. 2147, Mis.
Nagamiahpalem fish-curing yard in the Konada Circle.—The proposal of the Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, in the matter of removing the, from its present site to a new one, approved.	28th July, ,, 3145, Mis
Arrangement and working of the fish-curing yards in the Madras Presidency.—Information as to the, furnished to the Resident in Travancore and Cochin.	1st Aug., ,, 3229, Mis.
Fisheries at the Naupada factory.—Proceedings of the Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, confirming the auction sales of, recorded.	10th ,, ,, 3452, Mis.
Eluthoor fish-curing yard.—The proposal of the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, to acquire certain land under the Land Acquisition Act in view to the removal of the, thereto, approved.—The payment of one rupee being the monthly rent for the godown hired for depositing salt of the, sanctioned.	20th ,, ,, 3511, Mis. 7th Sept., ,, 3764, Mis.
Bokkapatnam fish-curing yard.—Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, informed with remarks that there does not appear to be any necessity for extending the,	27th Aug., ,, 3601, Mis.
Madakarai fish-curing yard.—Endorsement of the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, on letter from the Inspector, Calicut Circle, stating that the sea has caused some damage to the, recorded.	27th ,, ,, 3679, Mis.
Perumanal fish-curing yard in the Kuttanguli Circle.—The recommendation of the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, in the matter of closing the, accepted.	2nd Sept., ,, 3697, Mis
Manapad fish-curing yard.—Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, informed that supervision charges should be provided in estimates for works relating not only to excise licensees but also to fish-curers in certain fish-curing yards and he is requested to report whether the procedure prescribed in Board's Proceedings, No. 384, dated 13th July 1892, has been extended by him to the, and to submit a list of all the yards to which that procedure has been extended by him up to date.—Letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, reporting that the procedure has been extended to only five fish-curing yards in the division, recorded.	5th ,, ,, 3729, Mis. 28th ,, ,, 4163, Mis.

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Tinnevelly Sub-dicision.—Letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, submitting report from the Assistant Commissioner explaining the circumstances under which large issues of salt were made in the fish-curing yards in the, recorded with remarks.	5th Sept., No. 3826, Mis.
Trestles in fish-curing yards.—Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, informed that the Board does not approve of the use of,	29th „ „ 4057, Mis.
Complaint of the fish-curers of the Paravannah yard that the cost price of salt was enhanced, referred to the Assistant Commissioner, Calicut Sub-division, for early enquiry and report through the Deputy Commissioner.—Letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, reporting on the, recorded with remarks.	8th Oct., „ 4191, Mis. 10th Nov., „ 4741, Mis.
Thatichettipalem fish-curing yard.—Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, informed that the Inspector, Iskapalle Circle, should be directed to continue in charge of the, and that if any preventive action should become necessary, he should leave the matter to the Inspector, Atmakúru Circle.	7th „ „ 4686, Mis.
Muttupet fish-curing yard.—The proposal of the Assistant Commissioner, Negapatam Sub-division, supported by the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, to close the, for a period of three months, approved, and copy of these proceedings submitted to Government for information.	20th Dec., „ 5235, Mis.
FLOODS.	
Kistna district.—Board's Proceedings (Revenue Settlement, Land Records and Agriculture) submitting to Government report of the Collector with Board's observations thereon on the floods in the, recorded.—Letter from the Collector, forwarding extracts from his report on the recent floods and on the conduct of Salt and Abkári officers, recorded.	19th Oct., „ 4415, Mis. 28th Nov., „ 4989, Mis.
FOREST.	
Leringepuram.—Orders passed regarding the payment of Rs. 42-4-0 claimed by contractor Sudalaimuthu Pillai for cutting down certain odai trees from the sand dunes of the salt jungle at,	2nd Sept., „ 3688, Mis.
FORMS.	
Inland message form books.—Government Order addressing the Superintendent, Government Printing, Calcutta, with a view to supply the Board with 70 copies of, annually instead of 40 copies, recorded.—Government requested to remind the Superintendent, Government Printing, Calcutta, to supply the Board with certain, at an early date.	8th Jan., „ 69, Mis. 22nd April, „ 1581, Mis.
English and Vernacular copies of arrack foreign liquor, ganja and opium licenses for 1896-97.—Collectors and the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, requested to intimate to the Superintendent, Government Press, direct the number required by them of, mentioned in the list enclosed and to indent on the Superintendent of Stamps for the necessary stamp papers and the Superintendent, Government Press, requested to see that no delay takes place in supplying the forms.	14th Feb., „ 619, Mis.

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Sample forms forwarded by the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, for use in the Madras Depôt and the factories storing their salt at the depôt, approved with certain modifications.	6th Mar., No. 890, Mis.
Patrol register.—Deputy Commissioners informed that the Board will not object to their prescribing a suitable form of, for adoption in their divisions if they find such a register useful in checking the work of the parties at their inspections.—Letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, submitting copy of his proceedings requesting the Assistant Commissioners in his division to report whether a certain form of, will meet their requirements, recorded.	7th „ „ 936, Mis. 1st May, „ 1830, Mis.
Register in which abkári locks and ticket books received by Assistant Commissioners and Circle officers are to be accounted for.—Letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, requesting to be informed of the, recorded with the remark that a sub-circular order will issue.	13th Mar., „ 1078, Mis.
A modified form of indent for stamps to be presented by stamp-vendors, circulated.	14th „ „ 111.
Form of permit for the transport of foreign liquor imported from French territory forwarded by the Collector of Malabar, approved with certain modifications and stated that it will be printed and bound into books of 100 forms each and that ten such books will be furnished to each of the Collectors of Gódávari, South Arcot, Tanjore and Malabar.	16th „ „ 115.
Quarterly return of advances now submitted by the Assistant Commissioners to the Board.—Assistant Commissioners informed that Circle officers should submit to Assistant Commissioners a copy of E.-24 return with the fourth week's cash account and that the, should be compiled from these monthly returns and be in the same form.	25th „ „ 1300, Mis.
Perforating certain abkári forms.—Collector of South Canara permitted to continue the practice of, in private presses until the Collector's Press office is supplied with a perforating machine.	21st April, „ 1570, Mis.
R.-1 Statement.—Instructions to enter the names of all recipients of rewards except informers in column 20 of, in addition to their designations, issued; and certain entries in the sample, circulated with Board's Proceedings, No. 557, dated 5th December 1895, ordered to be corrected.	28th „ „ 163.
Issues to independent shops beyond the district of issue.—Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, informed that the Vepery Distillery officer should be directed to advise, in form D.-18 pending receipt of further orders from the Board.	18th May, „ 2038, Mis.
Tickets taken off the abkári locks in use in refineries and their counterfoils.—Ordered that the, be sent to the Inspector with the weekly extracts of P.S.-8 and that translations of the rules regarding abkári locks be communicated to the amins for information and guidance.—Assistant Commissioner, Trichinopoly Sub-division, informed that his presumption that the, should be sent to the Inspector with the extract from P.S.-8 for the last day of each week is correct.	23rd „ „ 2163, Mis. 13th June, „ 2463, Mis.

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Form of certificate relating to exports to British Indian ports.—Instructions to all officers as to how the, is to be filled up, issued.	27th May, No. 2191, Mis.
Form of security bond prescribed for shroffs.—Government Solicitor requested to alter the, in order that it may be adopted for certain officials in the office of the Superintendent of Stamps, Madras.	4th June, ,, 2326, Mis.
Revised form of agreement to be executed by tailoring contractors for making up suits for petty officers and peons of the department, forwarded to the Clothing Committee.	24th ,, ,, 2624, Mis.
Form of the excise (abkári and opium) administration report.—Certain changes in the, suggested, and early orders of Government on the subject, requested.—Government Order approving the changes, recorded.	1st July, ,, 2711, Mis. 24th ,, ,, 3277, Mis.
Abkári sale notices and license forms for the ensuing lease.—Collector of Malabar informed that the, may be printed at private presses and that the notices have been amended and submitted to Government for approval and requested to see that they are set in type and kept ready for publication immediately the approval of Government is communicated to him.—Telegram from the Collector of Malabar requesting early orders on his letter regarding abkári sale notices relating to the lease 1896-97, recorded.	6th ,, ,, 2786, Mis. 7th ,, ,, 2862, Mis.
Register of individual dittam book M.-2 A.—Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, informed, with remarks, that certain conditions printed in the, are unnecessary and may be omitted.	10th ,, ,, 2885, Mis.
Form of license to be granted to toddy shop licensees in the Madras Town Circle for the lease 1896-97, submitted to Government for its approval.—Government Order approving, with remark, communicated to Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, for information and guidance.—A copy of Board's Proceedings, Mis. No. 2920, dated 14th July 1896, forwarded to the Inspector, Madras Town Circle, as requested.	14th ,, ,, 2920, Mis. 23rd ,, ,, 3099, Mis. 6th Aug., ,, 3287, Mis.
Register of receipts and issues of arrack to be maintained at the excise depôts in Malabar.—The amended form of the, approved with remarks.	17th July, ,, 3010, Mis.
Malabar.—Draft forms of abkári licenses to be issued for the lease beginning from 1st October 1896, submitted to Government with the request to communicate its approval of them to the Collector direct and the Collector requested to see that all necessary alterations are carried out in certain other license forms which have already received the approval of Government in the shape of sale notices.—Letter and telegram from the Collector of Malabar requesting to pass early orders on his letter, dated 30th June 1896, submitting for approval, recorded.—Government Order approving, recorded.	23rd ,, ,, 3083, Mis. 28th ,, ,, 3161, Mis. 3rd Aug., ,, 3279, Mis.
English and Vernacular copies of toddy shop licenses and agreements for the lease 1896-97.—Collector and Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, requested to intimate to the Superintendent, Government Press, direct the number of,	29th July, ,, 3163, Mis. 1st Aug., ,, 3222, Mis.

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required by them and to indent on the Superintendent of Stamps for the necessary stamp papers and the Superintendent, Government Press, requested to see that no delay takes place in supplying the forms.—Collector of Vizagapatam requested to indent on the Superintendent, Government Press, Madras, for the required number of,	
Kistna.—Collector requested to send two sets of draft abkári license forms for the next lease with copies of amended sale notices.	4th Aug., No. 3255, Mis.
Kanuparti factory.—Assistant Commissioner, Nellore Sub-division, requested to submit at once a revised administration report form I for the, for 1895–96.—Letter from the Assistant Commissioner, Nellore Sub-division, submitting a revised form, recorded.	30th July, „ 3281, Mis.
Unauthorised forms in use in the several sub-divisions in the Presidency.—Orders passed on reports of the Deputy Commissioners regarding the,	31st „ „ 303.
Security bonds to be executed by the Supervisor, his Assistant and the Cash-keeper of the Stamp office.—Government requested to sanction the adoption of certain forms of,—Government Order approving the adoption of the forms of, communicated to the Superintendent of Stamps.	13th Aug., „ 3414, Mis. 7th Oct., „ 4247, Mis.
Indemnity bonds circulated with Board's Proceedings, Nos. 304 *and* 554, *dated* 11*th July* 1891 *and* 28*th November* 1895, *respectively.*—Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, informed, with remarks, that the, will be printed and supplied to Assistant Commissioners on indent.	15th Aug., „ 3446, Mis.
Kistna.—Certain abkári license forms amended and returned to the Collector and copies of them submitted to Government with the request that its approval of them may be communicated to the Collector direct at an early date.—Government Order approving the license forms, recorded.	21st „ „ 3533, Mis. 1st Sept., „ 3691, Mis.
R. Series of accounts.—Orders passed on the reports of the Deputy Commissioners on certain modifications proposed to be made in the,	5th „ „ 351.
The maintenance of certain forms in Factory, Circle and Sub-Divisional offices, ordered, and instructions in connection therewith issued.—Certain Assistant Commissioners requested to see that the forms ordered to be maintained are all filled in before the Commissioner's next inspection of those sub-divisions.—Further instructions in regard to, issued.	7th „ „ 3812, Mis. 21st Nov., „ 3492, R. 21st „ „ 4816, Mis.
Circular from the Accountant-General, Madras, requesting all Treasury officers, with remarks, to use a certain form on all occasions when a remittance is made, communicated to Deputy and Assistant Commissioners and Inspectors for information.	10th Sept., „ 2743, R.
Certain license forms relating to the Gódávari district for the lease 1896–97, submitted to Government with the request to wire its approval to the Collector direct.—Government Order approving, recorded.	12th „ „ 3843, Mis. 24th „ „ 4160, Mis.

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A register showing the quantity of coal available for supply to the Commissioner's steam launch to be maintained by the driver, prescribed, and instructions to the Inspectors of Circles in the canals for making the necessary entries in the register at the time the coal is issued to the driver, issued.	29th Sept., No. 386.
Supply of printed forms from a Central depôt.—Government Order requesting the Board of Revenue to take steps for the inclusion of the Collectorate of Madras in the system of, communicated to the Collector of Sea Customs, Madras, the Superintendent of Stamps and the Deputy and Assistant Commissioners.	26th „ „ 407.
E.-12 forms supplied to the Vêdâranniyam Circle.—Orders passed on letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, bringing to notice certain irregularities noticed in the printing of the,	10th Oct., „ 4301, Mis.
Committee for the revision of forms now in use in Taluk offices.—Board's Proceedings (Land Revenue) requesting the Separate Revenue Department to depute a competent subordinate for placing himself in communication with the, recorded.	28th „ „ 4495, Mis.
The recommendation of the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, to extend the application of Circular Order No. 1/47 of 1893 to the filling up of M.-7, the account of the monopoly series corresponding to E.-7, disapproved.	4th Nov., „ 4590, Mis.
Form of certificate to be submitted in connection with the order that officers of the department holding appointments in any factory circle in which their relatives are employed in any capacity by the excise licensees or salt traders should not be allowed to continue in such circle, prescribed.	6th „ „ 451.
Forms of indemnity bond to be executed by the ostensible heir of a deceased licensee in a monopoly factory.—Certain, forwarded to the Assistant Commissioner, Chatrapur Sub-division, and his query whether the instruction in Circular Order No. 1/41 of 1893 should be followed in the case of the indemnity bonds executed by the ostensible heirs of deceased monopoly licensees, answered in the affirmative.	30th „ „ 4964, Mis.
Revision of certain stamp registers.—Orders passed on the suggestions made by the Treasury Deputy Collector, Malabar, for the,	1st Dec., „ 480.
Statements of rewards paid to informers, &c., under the Sea Customs Act.—Collectors of Maritime districts requested to open an additional column in the,	17th „ „ 503.
FRAUD.	
Tuticorin Circle.—Letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, submitting copy of letter from the Assistant Commissioner, Tinnevelly Sub-division, reporting on the fraudulent removal of 160 maunds of monopoly salt from platform No. VII of the, recorded.—Letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, reporting that the Tuticorin salt fraud case was acquitted by the Joint Magistrate, Tuticorin, on the 29th June 1896, recorded with remark.—Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, requested to report the result of a certain reference made by	28th Jan., „ 525, Mis. 6th Aug., „ 3339, Mis. 14th Oct., „ 4249, Mis.

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the District Magistrate of Tinnevelly regarding the acquittal of the accused in the Tuticorin salt fraud case.	
Messrs. Veerabadrappa and Company's distillery at Bellary.—Orders passed on letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, submitting a report on the suspected frauds at,	2nd Mar., No. 860, Mis.
FRENCH GOVERNMENT.	
A statement showing the rates to be charged for salt to be supplied to the French Government during the triennium ending 1897–98, submitted for the approval of Government.—Government Order approving, communicated to Deputy Commissioners and Assistant Commissioners, Cocanada, Chingleput and Negapatam Sub-divisions, with instructions.	24th Mar., ,, 1277, Mis. 28th April, ,, 161.
Salt supplied to French Government at Karikal.—The payment of Rs. 769–5–3 to the French Government at Karikal being a moiety of the charges incurred for the transport of salt supplied in 1895, sanctioned, and the Assistant Commissioner, Negapatam Sub-division, requested to recover the price of salt, &c., due by that Government at an early date.	17th June, ,, 2517, Mis.
Instructions as to the method of exhibiting in the stock accounts the quantity supplied to the French Government at Pondicherry, issued.	2nd Dec., ,, 5001, Mis.
FRONTIER.	
Cochin Frontier Circle No. I.—Suggestion of the Inspector, to continue the existing arrangements regarding post No. XII, approved, and Deputy Commissioner requested to submit a statement showing the parties, posts, &c., as they stand now and their respective strength.—Remarked on the changes effected by Mr. Barter in the strength and allocation of certain parties and posts in, and the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, requested to report whether he considers them necessary.	10th Jan., ,, 98, Mis. 9th Sept., ,, 3819, Mis.
Frontier force in the Kurnool Circle.—Letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, reporting on the necessity of entertaining a, for preventing the smuggling of arrack from Hyderabad, recorded with remark.	22nd Feb., ,, 703, Mis.
Anantapur and Bellary frontiers.—Orders passed on letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, submitting proposals for guarding the,	22nd July, ,, 3067, Mis.
Kistna-Gódávari frontier.—Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, requested to submit proposals for guarding the,—Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, informed that a two-mile belt of country devoid of arrack shops and stills has been constituted in the Gódávari district along the, and that a special establishment for guarding the frontier will be hardly necessary at present and the Assistant Commissioner, Masulipatam Sub-division, requested to watch the frontier and see if there is much indication of smuggling.—Government Order recording Board's Proceedings, Mis. No. 4228, communicated to the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, with the request to submit a report on the effect of the arrangement after the close of six months.	24th ,, ,, 295. 12th Oct., ,, 4228, Mis. 6th Nov., ,, 4692, Mis.

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Chowkies in the Kurnool district for regulating the transport of Hyderabad toddy.—Central Division Deputy Commissioner's revised proposals for the establishment of, approved with remarks.—Board's Proceedings, No. 322, dated 15th August 1896, recorded by Government.	15th Aug., No. 322. 5th Sept., ,, 3835, Mis.
Hyderabad frontier.—Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, and Assistant Commissioner, Masulipatam Sub-division, informed that the proposal for a special force along the, should be accompanied by a note on the character of the country on each side of the border considered in connection with the probability for smuggling.	20th Oct., ,, 4367, Mis.
Cases of bonâ fide travellers taking with them across the frontier of British territory less than 20 tolas of salt.—Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, informed that, are not offences and should not be entered in P.-21.	13th Nov., ,, 454.
FURNITURE.	
Punkahs.—Stated that, may be provided for offices in which Inspectors and Assistant Inspectors actually do their work.	2nd May, ,, 1805, Mis.
FACTORY.	
ORISSA.	
Tua and Gurubai factories.—Letter from the Board of Revenue, Lower Provinces, passing orders on the Commissioner's report on the working of the, in the season of 1895, communicated to the Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, and Assistant Commissioner, Chatrapur Sub-Division, with instructions.—A certain communication received from the Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, on the question of continuing manufacture in the, forwarded with remarks for the early orders of the Board of Revenue, Lower Provinces.—Endorsement of the Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, submitting, with remarks, the report of the Inspector, Manikpatna Circle, on the working of the, in the season of 1896, recorded.—Endorsement of the Board of Revenue, Lower Provinces, forwarding copy of letter from the Government of Bengal passing orders on the question of continuing manufacture in the, communicated to the Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, and Assistant Commissioner, Chatrapur Sub-division, with remarks.	20th Mar., ,, 123 12th Sept., ,, 3842, Mis. 14th ,, ,, 3922, Mis. 4th Dec., ,, 5028, Mis.
Machgaon Circle.—Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, informed that the Board is not prepared to address the Bengal Government to accord sanction for the opening of a new factory in the,	6th April, ,, 1452, Mis.
FAMINE.	
Test famine-relief works.—The action of the Assistant Commissioner, Chatrapur Sub-division, in directing the Inspector, Manikpatna Circle, to render assistance to the Collector of Puri in the supervision of, approved.	3rd Dec., ,, 4988, Mis.
FEES.	
Fees for examining candidates on first appointment in Government service.—The Board of Revenue, Lower Provinces,	9th Dec., ,, 5081, Mis.

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"*Fort St. George Gazette.*"—Government requested to sanction the supply of the, for certain newly-formed circles.—Government Order, Financial Department, authorising the Superintendent, Government Press, to supply certain Inspectors with a copy of the, from 1st October 1896, communicated to the Assistant Commissioners, Bellary, Nellore and Negapatam Sub-divisions.	3rd Nov., No. 4562, Mis. 25th „ „ 3644, R.
GUARDING.	
Merkanam platform No. XVIII.—Certain information called for in connection with the men entertained for guarding the, — Sanction of Government to an increase of three third-grade peons in the permanent establishment and to the reduction of a corresponding number in the temporary establishment of the Merkanam Circle on account of the guarding of, solicited.—Government Order sanctioning the proposition statement, communicated to the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, and Assistant Commissioner, Chingleput Sub-division.	6th April, „ 1459, Mis. 11th Sept., „ 361. 28th Oct., „ 437.
Guarding the coast line of British Cochin between the mouth of the river and the southern boundary pillar of the State.—Government Order recording Political Department endorsement transferring letter from the Resident in Travancore and Cochin regarding the steps to be taken for guarding the coast line within the limits of the State against smuggling and requesting the Board to report on the steps taken towards, communicated to the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, for report.—Reported to Government that the portion of coast line of British Cochin between the mouth of the river and the southern boundary pillar of the Cochin State is guarded by the Cochin Sub-Inspector's Party.	29th May, „ 2281, Mis. 18th Aug., „ 3470, Mis.
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HEAD-QUARTERS.	
Transfer of the head-quarters of the Tranquebar Circle from Tranquebar to Neidavasal.—Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, requested to further report after his next inspection of the circle on the question of the, and on that of accommodation at Tranquebar.	6th Feb., „ 529, Mis.
Transfer of the head-quarters of the Vinukonda Circle.—Assistant Commissioner, Masulipatam Sub-division, informed that he should have addressed the Deputy Commissioner and not the Board direct in the matter of the, and the letter forwarded to the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, for his remarks.—Agreed with the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, in considering that Guntúr is not suitable for the head-quarters of the Inspector, Vinukonda Circle, and the Assistant Commissioner, Masulipatam Sub-division,	14th Mar., „ 1076, Mis. 5th April, „ 1455, Mis.

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directed that he should secure a site for the Inspector's office at Narasaraopet without further delay.	
Transfer of the head-quarters of the Assistant Commissioner, Cocanada Sub-division, from Cocanada to Rajahmundry.—Government informed that as suitable house accommodation has been secured for the Assistant Commissioner at Cocanada, the Board withdraws its proposal to the,—Board's Proceedings, Mis. No. 1456, recorded by Government.	5th April, No. 1456, Mis. 11th May, „ 2003, Mis.
Absence of Collectors from their districts.—Board's Proceedings (Land Revenue) recording Government Order directing that, in future, every Collector and Magistrate shall arrange to have a member of the Indian Civil Service or Statutory Civilian at the head-quarters station whenever he may be himself absent from his district, and that when he is absent from his head-quarters station within the district, he should place a Deputy Collector and Magistrate with first-class powers at the head-quarters station, communicated to the Collector of Sea Customs, Madras, and the Superintendent of Stamps, Madras.	7th July, „ 2888, Mis.
Ponnáni Circle.—Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, informed that the Inspector, may be permitted to go into Calicut for a few hours at any time and that the head-quarters of that circle should not be moved to Calicut.	12th Sept., „ 3855, Mis.
Aska Circle.—Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, requested to consider whether Aska is the best place for the head-quarters of the circle.	19th Sept., „ 3957, Mis.
Atmakúru Circle.—The proposal of the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, to fix Kávali as the head-quarters of the, approved as a temporary measure.—Board's Proceedings, Mis. No. 4097, dated 1st October 1896, recorded by Government.	1st Oct., „ 4097, Mis. 20th „ „ 4421, Mis.
Arcot Sub-division.—Government requested to treat Vellore as the temporary head-quarters of the Assistant Commissioner, from 1st September 1896 till the construction of quarters at Ránipéttai.—Government Order sanctioning, with remark, the transfer of the head-quarters of the, from Ránipéttai to Vellore as a temporary measure, communicated to the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, and Assistant Commissioner, Arcot Sub-division.	16th „ „ 4306, Mis. 7th Nov., „ 4643, Mis.
Absence from head-quarters during the greater part of the manufacturing season.—Endorsement of the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, submitting the explanation of Mr. Poole, Inspector, Manginapudi Circle, regarding his, in 1896, recorded with remark.	19th Nov., „ 4795, Mis.
HOLIDAYS.	
Mr. Norfor, Inspector of Salt and Abkári Revenue, Frontier No. II Circle.—Remarked that the explanation of, for availing himself of two days' leave during Christmas holidays without order is not at all satisfactory.	9th May, „ 1942, Mis.
HORSES.	
N. S. Brodie, Esq.—The cost of conveyance of the tents and horses of, from Trichinopoly to Tuticorin and back, sanctioned as a charge against the State.	17th Jan., „ 203, Mis.

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Assistant Commissioner, Bellary, and Inspector, Cumbum Circle.—Sanction to, to rail their horses and tents from Giddalore to Gazulapalli at Government expense, accorded.	25th Jan., No. 371, Mis.
Assistant Commissioner, Chicacole Sub-division.—The carriage by rail of the horse of the, from Chicacole Road station to Waltair at the expense of the State, sanctioned.	28th „ „ 393, Mis.
Mr. C. M. Sherman, Assistant Commissioner, Tinnevelly Sub-division.—Letter from, submitting a bill for conveyance of his horses by rail from Tuticorin to Tinnevelly, forwarded to the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, for remarks. —The cost of conveyance by rail of the horses of, from Tuticorin to Tinnevelly, sanctioned as a charge against the State.	30th „ „ 258, R. 25th Feb., „ 738, Mis.
Assistant Commissioner, Bellary Sub-division.—The cost of conveyance of the horse and tents of, by rail from Bellary to Markapur and from Kurnool to Markapur, respectively, admitted as a charge against the State.	1st „ „ 435, Mis.
Mr. St. John, Assistant Commissioner, Arcot Sub-division.—The railing of the horse and tents of from Arcot to Tiruppattúr and back to Arcot from such station as he may return from at Government expense, sanctioned.	31st Jan., „ 445, Mis.
Mr. Warner.—The cost of conveyance by rail of the horse of, from Muttupet to Cuddalore, sanctioned as a charge against the State.	11th Feb. „ 594, Mis.
Assistant Commissioner, Bellary Sub-division.—The railing of the horses and tents of the, from Panyam to Kurnool Road station at Government expense, sanctioned.	20th „ „ 698, Mis.
Mr. St. John, Assistant Commissioner, Arcot Sub-division.—The railing of the horse of, from Samulpatti to Suramangalam Railway station, at Government expense, sanctioned.	21st „ „ 706, Mis.
Mr. St. John.—The cost of conveyance by rail of the horse of, from Arcot to Tuticorin, sanctioned as a charge against the State.	5th Mar., „ 870, Mis.
Mr. Maincaring.—The cost of carriage by rail of the horses and tents of, from Negapatam to Villupuram, sanctioned as a charge against the State.	7th „ „ 938, Mis.
Inspector, Cumbum Circle.—The cost of carriage by rail of the tents and horses of the, from Cumbum to Gazulapalli, admitted as a charge against the State.	17th „ „ 1155, Mis.
Masulipatam Sub-division.—Letter from the Assistant Commissioner, replying to the Board's review on the report on horses and saddlery owned by officers in his sub-division for the half-year ending 31st December 1895, recorded.	19th „ „ 1160, Mis.
Mr. C. V. Dalrymple-Hay.—The conveyance of the horse of, by rail from Salem to Waltair at Government expense, sanctioned with remarks.	21st „ „ 1200, Mis.
Mr. A. C. Woodhouse.—Sanction to the conveyance of the horse of, to Villupuram by rail at Government expense, accorded.	21st „ „ 1223, Mis.

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Applications for permission to convey their horses and tents by rail or steamer at Government expense.—All officers informed that no action will be taken by the Board on their, unless they are submitted through the proper channel.—Stated, with remarks, that the Inspector, Cumbum Circle, may rail his horse and tents in anticipation of sanction in those cases only in which they will otherwise have to be marched across the Nallamalais.	23rd Mar., No. 1235, Mis. 19th May, „ 2076, Mis.
Mr. Kearns.—The carriage of the horse of, by rail to Bezwada at Government expense, sanctioned.	20th Mar., „ 1268, Mis.
M.R.Ry. N. Koman Nair, Assistant Inspector.—Letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, submitting the explanation of, for his failure to provide himself with a horse, recorded with remarks.	24th „ „ 1279, Mis.
Bryce McMaster.—The railing of two horses of, to Waltair at Government expense, sanctioned by wire.	26th „ „ 1336, Mis.
Mr. H. J. Simpson.—The cost of conveyance by rail of the horses of, to Calicut at Government expense, sanctioned.	29th „ „ 1338, Mis.
Assistant Commissioner, Bellary Sub-division.—The conveyance by rail of the horses of the, from Bellary to Hindupur at Government expense, sanctioned.	6th April, „ 1413, Mis.
Failure to provide himself with a horse as ordered by the Deputy Commissioner. — Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, requested to ascertain and report the date on which Mr. Vas's pony actually reached him and to submit any further explanation which he has to offer for his disingenuous conduct in the matter of his explanation for his,	4th „ „ 1419, Mis.
Mr. Fowler.—The railing of the horses of, from Calicut to Madras at Government expense, sanctioned.—Permission granted to, Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, by wire to rail his horses to Guntakal and he is requested to furnish certain further particulars in regard to his application for railing his horses.—Letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, furnishing further particulars regarding the necessity for railing his horses, recorded.	9th „ „ 1442, Mis. 11th July, „ 2887, Mis. 21st „ „ 3077, Mis.
M.R.Ry. R. Srinivasa Aiyangar.—The cost of conveying by rail of the horse of, from Negapatam to Cuddalore Old Town, sanctioned as a charge against the State.	10th April, „ 1461, Mis.
M.R.Ry. P. Lakshmiah Naidu.—The railing of the horse of, from Chittoor to Anakápalle at the expense of the State, sanctioned.	14th „ „ 1492, Mis.
Mr. N. S. Brodie.—The cost of conveyance by rail of the horses and tents of, to Coimbatore and back, sanctioned as a charge against the State.	25th „ „ 1627, Mis.
Mr. H. J. Simpson.—The cost of conveyance by steamer of the horse of, from Calicut to Mangalore, sanctioned as a charge against the State.—The cost of carriage by rail of the horses and tents of, from Calicut to Palghat, sanctioned as a charge against the State.	6th May, „ 1891, Mis. 6th June, „ 2379, Mis.

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Mr. McMaster, Acting Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division.—The conveyance of two horses of, by rail from Waltair to Humma and back, sanctioned as a charge against the State.	13th May, No. 2009, Mis.
Assistant Inspector Mr. Tillard.—The conveyance by rail of the horse of, from Nellore to Vizagapatam at the expense of the State, sanctioned.	15th „ „ 2020, Mis.
Mr. C. B. Shawe, Assistant Commissioner, Chingleput Sub-division.—The cost of conveyance by rail of the horse and tents of, from Madras to Tindivanam, sanctioned as a charge against the State.	21st „ „ 2140, Mis.
Mr. Mitchell.—Sanction to the carriage by rail at the expense of the State of the horse of, from Karassa to Khorda, telegraphed to the Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division.	22nd „ „ 2151, Mis.
Mr. Blake, Inspector, Karassa Circle, permitted to rail his horse from Karassa to Naupada at the expense of Government on his transfer to the latter circle.	1st June, „ 2293, Mis.
Mr. Brown.—The cost of carriage by rail of the horse of, from Calicut to Erode, sanctioned as a charge against the State.	11th „ „ 2450, Mis.
Mr. C. V. Dalrymple-Hay, Assistant Commissioner, Chicacole Sub-division.—The carriage by rail at Government expense of one horse of, from Vizianagram to Naupada, sanctioned.	13th „ „ 2499, Mis.
Application of article 1093 of the Civil Service Regulations (carriage of horses and tents by rail).—Government Order drawing the attention of the Board of Revenue, the Inspector-General of Police and the Superintendent, Revenue Survey, to the principles laid down by the Government of India as regards the, and directing the submission of an annual return of sanctions accorded by those authorities under that article, communicated with instructions to all Deputy and Assistant Commissioners.	17th „ „ 234.
Mr. Hawkins.—The cost of conveyance by rail of the horses of, from Coimbatore to Negapatam, sanctioned as a charge against the State.	29th „ „ 2712, Mis.
M.R.Ry. Panchapagesa Aiyar.—The cost of carriage by rail of the pony of, from Madras to Tinnevelly, sanctioned as a charge against the State.	2nd July, „ 2738, Mis.
Mr. C. M. Sherman.—The cost of carriage by rail of the horses of, from Madura to Tuticorin, sanctioned as a charge against the State.	9th „ „ 2827, Mis.
Mr. Hawkins.—The cost of carriage by rail of the horses of, from Negapatam to Cuddalore, sanctioned as a charge against the State.	9th „ „ 2840, Mis.
Mr. G. W. Brown, Assistant Commissioner, Nellore Sub-division.—The railing of horses of, to Bellary, sanctioned as a charge against the State.	6th Aug., „ 3326, Mis.
Mr. Platts.—The cost of conveyance of the horses of, from Cuddapah to Nellore, sanctioned as a charge against the State.	27th „ „ 3620, Mis.

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Mr. F. W. Ditmas, Assistant Commissioner, Arcot Sub-division.—The cost of conveyance by rail of the tents and horses of, from Vellore to Sankaridrug, sanctioned as a charge against the State.	27th Aug., No. 3621, Mis.
M.R.Ry. M. Gopala Row.—The cost of conveyance by rail of the horse of, to Nandyal, sanctioned as a charge against the State.	1st Sept., „ 3638, Mis.
Mr. C. V. Dalrymple-Hay.—Sanction to the carriage by rail of a horse of, from Waltair to Kattavalsa at the expense of the State, declined.	8th „ „ 3806, Mis.
Mr. J. A. Fernandez, Assistant Inspector in charge of Messrs. Abraham and Company's distillery at Bellary.—The exemption of, from keeping a horse as long as he is in charge of the distillery, sanctioned with remarks.	26th „ „ 4119, Mis.
Mr. E. R. R. Mainwaring.—Stated that the sanction for the conveyance of the horses and tents of, by rail to Nellikuppam will not be granted until the necessity is more fully explained.—The cost of conveyance by rail of the horses and tents of, to Nellikuppam, sanctioned as a charge against the State.	8th Oct., „ 4194, Mis. 1st Nov., „ 4572, Mis.
Mr. W. A. Fowler.—The cost of conveyance by rail of the horses of, from Madras to Trichinopoly, sanctioned as a charge against the State.	8th Oct., „ 4210, Mis.
Mr. D. Holman.—The cost of conveyance by rail of the horse of, from Negapatam to Erode, sanctioned as a charge against the State.	12th „ „ 4223, Mis.
Mr. Johnston, Assistant Inspector.—The conveyance by rail of the horse of, from Madras to Tiruppattúr at the expense of the State, sanctioned.	16th „ „ 4318, Mis.
Mr. H. C. Sherman.—The cost of carriage by rail of the horse of, from Madras to Tuticorin, sanctioned as a charge against the State.	21st „ „ 4368, Mis.
Mr. J. E. F. Vas, Assistant Inspector, exempted from keeping a horse while he is in charge of the Chowghat distillery.	20th „ „ 4375, Mis.
Mr. Brown, Assistant Commissioner, Bellary Sub-division.—Stated, with remarks, that the Board has no objection to, railing his horses from one station to another within his sub-division in anticipation of sanction when he has no time to apply for it beforehand.	23rd „ „ 4419, Mis.
Mr. C. G. Todhunter, Deputy Commissioner, Central Division.—The railing of the horses and tents of, from Madras to the Kurnool Road station and back from Gooty station to Madras at the expense of the State, sanctioned.	30th „ „ 4555, Mis.
Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division.—The carriage by rail, at the expense of the State, of two horses of the, from Waltair to Berhampur, Ganjám, Aska and Surlá and back, sanctioned.	3rd Nov., „ 4563, Mis.
Mr. Hawkins.—The cost of carriage by rail of the horses of, from Negapatam to Trichinopoly, sanctioned as a charge against the State.	13th „ „ 4710, Mis.

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Mr. Brown, Assistant Commissioner, Bellary Sub-division.—The cost of conveyance of the horses and tents of, from Gooty to Cuddapah, sanctioned as a charge against the State.	13th Dec., No. 4729, Mis.
Assistant Inspector M.R.Ry. A. Seshagiri Rao.—The carriage by rail of the pony of, to Ellore at the expense of the State, sanctioned.	17th „ „ 4769, Mis.
The purchase by Mr. Tremenheere of a horse from the mittadar of Tiruppattúr, sanctioned.	29th „ „ 4919, Mis.
Mr. C. M. Sherman.—The cost of carriage by rail of two horses of, from Tuticorin to Tinnevelly, sanctioned as a charge against the State.	29th „ „ 4954, Mis.
Mr. C. V. Dalrymple-Hay—The cost of conveyance by rail of the horse of, from Waltair to Trichinopoly, sanctioned as a charge against the State.	5th „ „ 5033, Mis.
Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division.—The conveyance by rail of the horses of, from Waltair to Rajahmundry at the expense of the State, sanctioned.	9th „ „ 5115, Mis.
Assistant Commissioner, Chicacole Sub-division.—The conveyance by rail of the horse of, from Waltair to Naupada at the expense of the State, sanctioned.	10th „ „ 5116, Mis.
Deputy Commissioner, Central Division.—The cost of conveyance by rail of the horses and tent of the, from Madras to Adóni, sanctioned as a charge against the State.	17th „ „ 5160, Mis.
Mr. C. M. Sherman.—The cost of carriage by rail of the horse of, from Tinnevelly to Tuticorin, sanctioned as a charge against the State.	17th „ „ 5253, Mis.
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Basudebpur Circle.—Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, informed that Kulikhati is the most suitable locality for the head-quarters of the,	10th Mar., „ 1002, Mis.
HORSES.	
Mr. C. W. P. St. John, Assistant Commissioner, Balasore Sub-division, exempted from keeping a horse pending the settlement of the question of the retransfer of Orissa to the Bengal Government.	1st Oct., „ 4100, Mis.
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INCOME-TAX.	
Village Munsif of Negapatam.—The recommendation made by the Collector of Tanjore regarding the grant of a commission of ½ per cent. on income-tax collections up to a limit of Rs. 100 to the, submitted for the favourable consideration of Government.—Government Order accepting the proposal	10th Jan., „ 99, Mis. 7th Feb., „ 522, Mis.

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to allow the, a commission of ½ per cent. on income-tax collections, but stating that the maximum amount should be fixed at Rs. 150 per annum, communicated to the Collector of Tanjore.	
Liability to income-tax of legacies or bequests obtained under the Hindu or Muhammadan Law.—Government Order ordering that the Government of India be addressed on the question raised by the Board as to the, recorded.—Collector of Madras informed that the Government of India has been addressed on the question of, and that its decision will be duly communicated to him.—Letter from the Government of India stating, with remarks, that legacies and bequests are *primâ facie* not liable to income-tax, but may, in some cases, be properly treated as income, communicated to all Collectors for information and guidance in supersession of Board's Proceedings, No. 274, dated 20th June 1895.	22nd Jan., No. 269, Mis. 24th „ „ 281, Mis. 15th April, „ 144.
Income earned and received in a Native State, but brought or remitted into British India.—Paragraph 1 of Government Order, Revenue Department, communicating Government Order, Financial Department, communicating letter from the Government of India forwarding, for information and guidance, copy of the papers containing the opinion of the Honourable the Advocate-General on the question of liability to income-tax of, communicated to all Collectors for information and guidance.—Collector of Madras requested to refund to Mr. Norton the amount of income-tax levied from him on the amount of the income earned and received by him at Hyderabad, and the Collectors of Tinnevelly and Malabar requested to report whether the Government of India ruling exempting from assessment to income-tax income earned and received in Native States applies in the case of the incomes on which Sundara Aiyar and Mr. P. A. Stevanage, respectively, were assessed to income-tax.—The assessment to income-tax made on Mr. P. A. Stevenage since 1887–88, cancelled, and the refund of the whole of the tax levied from him amounting to Rs. 135, ordered.—Government Order communicating letter from the Government of India stating that it is at present undesirable to amend the Income-tax Act as suggested by the Government regarding, communicated to all Collectors.—Government Order communicating endorsement of the Government of India forwarding copy of papers containing the opinion of the Honourable the Advocate-General, Bengal, on the question of the liability to income-tax of, communicated to all Collectors for careful attention.—The assessment to income-tax made on K. Sundara Aiyar since 1892–93, cancelled, and the refund of the whole of the tax levied from him amounting to Rs. 55, ordered.—Government informed that its presumption that the order of the Board cancelling the income-tax levied from K. Sundara Aiyar of Native Cochin since 1892–93 is not inconsistent with a certain recent order is correct.	30th Jan., „ 33. 30th „ „ 384, Mis. 21st Mar., „ 1242, Mis. 20th April, „ 154. 15th July, „ 282. 18th „ „ 3018, Mis. 13th Aug., „ 3409, Mis.
Procedure to be followed in assessing to income-tax the proprietor of a travelling show or circus and his employés who have no permanent residence or principal place of business in India.—Government Order communicating resolution of the Government of India prescribing the, communicated to all Collectors.	31st Jan., „ 35.

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Bellary district.—Income-tax inspection report of the, for the quarter ending 31st December 1895, reviewed.—Report for the quarter ending 31st March 1896, reviewed.—Collector of Bellary requested to enquire fully regarding the alleged dismissal of certain income-tax objection petitions by Tahsildar M.R.Ry. C. Guru Row Garu for default although the parties were present.—The action of the Collector of Bellary in stopping further proceedings against Mr. C. Guru Row, Tahsildar, Rayadrug, as Government has ordered his dismissal, approved.—Report for the quarter ending 30th June 1896, recorded.—Report for the quarter ending 30th September 1896, recorded.	31st Jan., No. 424, Mis. 12th May, „ 1987, Mis. 13th June, „ 2498, Mis. 2nd July, „ 2743, Mis. 18th „ „ 3020, Mis. 18th Nov., „ 4863, Mis.
Anantapur district.—Income-tax inspection report of the, for the quarter ending 31st December 1895, recorded with remarks.—Report for the quarter ending 31st March 1896, recorded with remark.—Report for the quarter ending 30th June 1896, recorded.—Report for the quarter ending 30th September 1896, reviewed.	4th Feb., „ 478, Mis. 8th May, „ 1907, Mis. 13th Aug., „ 3430, Mis. 17th Nov., „ 4768, Mis.
Coimbatore district.—Income-tax inspection report of the, for the quarter ending 31st December 1895, recorded.—Report for the quarter ending 31st March 1896, recorded.—Report for the quarter ending 30th June 1896, reviewed.—Report for the quarter ending 30th September 1896, recorded with remarks.	7th Feb., „ 535, Mis. 8th May, „ 1978, Mis. 25th Aug., „ 3572, Mis. 17th Nov., „ 4774, Mis.
Salem district.—Income-tax inspection report of the, for the quarter ending 31st December 1895, recorded.—Report for the quarter ending 31st March 1896, reviewed.—Report for the quarter ending 30th June 1896, reviewed.—Report for the quarter ending 30th September 1896, recorded with remarks.	4th Feb., „ 551, Mis. 7th May, „ 1893, Mis. 15th Aug., „ 3455, Mis. 17th Nov., „ 4765, Mis.
Nilgiri district.—Income-tax inspection report of the, for the quarter ending 31st December 1895, recorded.—Report for the quarter ending 31st March 1896, recorded with remarks.—Report for the quarter ending 30th June 1896, recorded.—Report for the quarter ending 30th September 1896, recorded with remark.	6th Feb., „ 575, Mis. 25th April, „ 1656, Mis. 18th July, „ 3022, Mis. 11th Oct., „ 4257, Mis.
Interest accruing on the fixed deposits of the States of Cochin and Travancore in the Branch Bank of Madras at Cochin.—The extent of the investments in the Bank of Madras at Cochin by the Native States of Travancore and Cochin, reported to Government with the request that orders of the Government of India may be obtained as to whether the, should be assessed to income-tax.—Government Order ordering that the Government of India be addressed on the subject, recorded.—Government Order communicating letter from the Government of India stating that the, should be treated as exempt from income-tax, communicated to the Collector of Malabar for information and guidance.	3rd Feb., „ 576, Mis. 28th „ „ 798, Mis. 27th April, „ 1655, Mis.
Irrecoverable arrears of income-tax.—Sanction of Government for writing off the accounts the sum of Rs. 4,369 being the, outstanding in the Presidency at the close of 1894-95, requested.—Government Order sanctioning the proposal to write off the accounts the sum reported to be irrecoverable and to refund the amount of Rs. 7 wrongly collected in Ganjám and Kurnool, communicated to all Collectors for information and guidance.	8th Feb., „ 51. 5th Mar., „ 84.

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INCOME-TAX—*cont.*	
M. Kamaraju Pantulu, Head Clerk, Jeypore State Engineer's office.—Paragraph 2 of Board's Proceedings, Mis. No. 4196, dated 17th October 1893, passing orders on letter from the Collector of Vizagapatam submitting the application of, for refund of income-tax deducted from his salary, cancelled.—Proceedings of the Board of Revenue (Land Revenue) passing orders on Board's Proceedings, Mis. No. 582, dated 12th February 1896, recorded.	12th Feb., No. 582, Mis. 5th Mar., „ 864, Mis.
South Canara district.—Income-tax inspection report of the, for the quarter ending 31st December 1895, reviewed.—Report for the quarter ending 31st March 1896, recorded.—Report for the quarter ending 30th June 1896, reviewed.—Report for the quarter ending 30th September 1896, recorded.	13th Feb., „ 609, Mis. 9th May, „ 1983, Mis. 19th Aug., „ 3485, Mis. 20th Nov., „ 4900, Mis.
Chingleput district.—Income-tax inspection report of the, for the quarter ending 31st December 1895, recorded.—Report for the quarter ending 31st March 1896, recorded.—Report for the quarter ending 30th June 1896, recorded with remarks.—Report for the quarter ending 30th September 1896, reviewed.	14th Feb., „ 623, Mis. 7th May, „ 1980, Mis. 19th Aug., „ 3483, Mis. 19th Nov., „ 4814, Mis.
Nellore district.—Income-tax inspection report of the, for the quarter ending 31st December 1895, reviewed.—Report for the quarter ending 31st March 1896, recorded with remarks.—Report for the quarter ending 30th June 1896, reviewed.—Report for the quarter ending 30th September 1896, reviewed.	17th Feb., „ 641, Mis. 9th May, „ 1937, Mis. 18th Aug., „ 3490, Mis. 17th Nov., „ 4854, Mis.
North Arcot district.—Income-tax inspection report of the, for the quarter ending 31st December 1895, recorded with remarks.—Report for the quarter ending 31st March 1896, recorded.—Report for the quarter ending 30th June 1896, recorded.—Report for the quarter ending 30th September 1896, recorded.	17th Feb., „ 642, Mis. 2nd June, „ 2352, Mis. 19th Aug., „ 3514, Mis. 24th Nov., „ 4982, Mis.
Kurnool district.—Income-tax inspection report of the, for the quarter ending 31st December 1895, recorded.—Report for the quarter ending 31st March 1896, reviewed.—Report for the quarter ending 30th June 1896, recorded with remark.—Report for the quarter ending 30th September 1896, reviewed.	24th Feb., „ 724, Mis. 18th May, „ 2044, Mis. 19th Aug., „ 3491, Mis. 26th Nov., „ 4915, Mis.
South Arcot district.—Income-tax inspection report of the, for the quarter ending 31st December 1895, recorded with remarks.—Report for the quarter ending 31st March 1896, reviewed.—Report for the quarter ending 30th June 1896, reviewed.—The supplemental notes of inspection of the Kallakurchi taluk, for the quarter ending 30th June 1896, recorded.—Report for the quarter ending 30th September 1896, reviewed.	24th Feb., „ 727, Mis. 18th May, „ 2048, Mis. 15th Aug., „ 3453, Mis. 5th Sept., „ 3735, Mis. 18th Nov., „ 4778, Mis.
Trichinopoly district.—Income-tax inspection report of the, for the quarter ending 31st December 1895, recorded.—Report for the quarter ending 31st March 1896, recorded.—Report for the quarter ending 30th June 1896, recorded with remarks.—Report for the quarter ending 30th September 1896, recorded with remarks.	24th Feb., „ 728, Mis. 7th May, „ 1981, Mis. 19th Aug., „ 3482, Mis. 20th Nov., „ 4818, Mis.

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Tanjore district.—Income-tax inspection report of the, for the quarter ending 31st December 1895, recorded.—Report for the quarter ending 31st March 1896, reviewed.—Report for the quarter ending 30th June 1896, recorded with remarks.—Report for the quarter ending 30th September 1896, reviewed.	24th Feb., No. 730, Mis. 4th June, „ 2318, Mis. 5th Sept., „ 3733, Mis. 18th Nov., „ 4763, Mis.
Madras district.—Income-tax inspection report of the, for the quarter ending 31st December 1895, recorded.—Report for the period ending 31st May 1896, recorded with remarks.—Report for the quarter ending 30th June 1896, recorded with remark.— Report for the quarter ending 30th September 1896, recorded with remark.	2nd Mar., „ 808, Mis. 4th June, „ 2328, Mis. 13th Aug., „ 3408 Mis. 21st Oct., „ 4389, Mis.
Madura district.—Income-tax inspection report of the, for the quarter ending 31st December 1895, reviewed.—Report for the quarter ending 31st March 1896, recorded. —Report for the quarter ending 30th June 1896, recorded with remark.—Report for the quarter ending 30th September 1896, recorded with remarks.	3rd Mar., „ 847, Mis. 18th May, „ 2101, Mis. 24th Aug., „ 3560, Mis. 18th Nov., „ 4823, Mis.
Malabar.—Income-tax inspection report of the, for the quarter ending 31st December 1895, recorded with remarks.—Report for the quarter ending 31st March 1896, recorded with remarks.—Report for the quarter ending 30th June 1896, recorded with remarks.—Report for the quarter ending 30th September 1896, recorded.	3rd Mar. „ 848, Mis. 6th May, „ 1881, Mis. 19th Aug., „ 3486, Mis. 25th Nov., „ 4826, Mis.
Mr. C. A. Patterson.—Government Order communicating to, letter from the Government of India intimating that the action taken by the Madras Government in the matter of his assessment to income-tax was correct and that the Government of India do not find in the case any legitimate cause for complaints, recorded.	26th Feb., „ 853, Mis.
Ganjám district.—Income-tax inspection report of the, for the quarter ending 31st December 1895, recorded with remark. —Report for the quarter ending 31st March 1896, reviewed. —Report for the quarter ending 30th June 1896, recorded. —Report for the quarter ending 30th September 1896, reviewed.	3rd Mar., „ 854. Mis. 22nd May, „ 2136, Mis. 19th Aug., „ 3517, Mis. 20th Nov., „ 4804, Mis.
Tinnevelly district.—Income-tax inspection report of the, for the quarter ending 31st December 1895, reviewed.—Letter from the Collector of, reporting on the question of the liability to income-tax of the trustees of the Tirumalai Kumaraswami temple in Paupuli village, recorded with remarks.—Report for the quarter ending 31st March 1896, reviewed.—A *nil* report for the quarter ending 30th June 1896, recorded with remark.— Report for the quarter ending 30th September 1896, recorded with remarks.	10th Mar., „ 984, Mis. 27th April, „ 1653, Mis. 29th May, „ 2229, Mis. 11th Aug., „ 3380, Mis. 1st Dec., „ 5026, Mis.
V. Subbanna Mudaliar, clerk, Forest Account Department, Accountant-General's office.—The refund to, of Rs. 5 being the amount of income-tax levied on his salary in certain months of 1894–95 when it exceeded Rs. 41–10–8, sanctioned.	10th Mar., „ 993, Mis
Income-tax administration report for 1894–95.—Government Order reviewing the, communicated to all Collectors with remarks.—Letter from the Collector of Kistna explaining the decrease in the number of general merchants in his	10th „ „ 107. 30th April, „ 1766, Mis. 5th June, „ 2340, Mis.

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district in 1894–95 as compared with 1893–94, submitted to Government.—Letter from the Collector of Vizagapatam explaining the increase in the number of general merchants in his district in 1894–95 as compared with 1893–94, submitted to Government.	
Granting a larger commission under section 9 (2) of the Income-tax Act to induce private employers to collect and remit the tax due from their employés.—Reported to Government on the question of,—Government Order recording Board's Proceedings reporting to Government on the question of, communicated to all Collectors.—Letter from the Collector of Nilgiris reporting that some of the employers in his district are not willing to collect income-tax from their employés even though the maximum rate of commission is allowed, recorded.	10th Mar., No. 108. 16th April, „ 147. 19th May, „ 2097, Mis.
Cuddapah district.—Income-tax inspection report of the, for the quarter ending 31st December 1895, reviewed.—Report for the quarter ending 31st March 1896, reviewed.—Report for the quarter ending 30th June 1896, recorded with remark.—Report for the quarter ending 30th September 1896, reviewed.	14th Mar., „ 1089, Mis. 11th June, „ 2433, Mis. 15th Aug., „ 3454, Mis. 17th Nov., „ 4773, Mis.
Loss sustained by certain share-holders of the Bellary Spinning and Weaving Company owing to the Company's having failed and gone into liquidation.—Government Order stating that the, should not be allowed to be deducted in calculating their income for the purpose of assessment to income-tax, communicated to the Collector of Bellary for information and guidance.	17th Mar., „ 114.
Notes of inspection by the Second Member of the Board of Revenue of the income-tax registers and records of certain offices in the Bellary district, communicated to all Collectors for information and guidance.	18th „ „ 117.
Interest accruing to the Pudukkóttai State from a certain investment.—Government requested to obtain the orders of the Government of India as to whether the, should be assessed to income-tax.—Government Order ordering that Government of India be addressed on the subject, recorded.—Government Order communicating letter from the Government of India stating that the, should be treated as exempt from income-tax, communicated to the Collector of Trichinopoly.	23rd „ „ 1253, Mis. 8th May, „ 1903, Mis. 4th June, „ 2330, Mis.
Vizagapatam district.—Income-tax inspection report of the, for the quarter ending 31st December 1895, reviewed.—Report for the quarter ending 31st March 1896, recorded.—Report for the quarter ending 30th June 1896, reviewed.—Report for the quarter ending 30th September 1896, reviewed.	24th Mar., „ 1261, Mis. 28th May, „ 2256, Mis. 4th Sept., „ 3721, Mis. 26th Nov., „ 4928, Mis.
Kistna district.—Income-tax inspection report of the, for the quarter ending 31st December 1895, reviewed.—Report for the quarter ending 31st March 1896, reviewed.—Report for the quarter ending 30th June 1896, recorded with remark.—Report for the quarter ending 30th September 1896, recorded.	25th Mar., „ 1297, Mis. 2nd June, „ 2285, Mis. 19th Aug., „ 3492, Mis. 18th Nov., „ 4891, Mis.

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Guaranteed interest.—Collector of Trichinopoly informed that the so-called, paid to the share-holders of certain companies in his district is liable to be assessed to income-tax.	27th Mar., No. 1329, Mis.
Income-tax certificates for 1896–97.—Circular from the Accountant-General, Madras, requesting, with remarks, to forward by the 20th April next all, communicated to certain officers for compliance.	31st „ „ 1356, Mis.
Income-tax administration report for 1895–96.—Instructions for the submission of the, issued.	14th April, „ 1488, Mis.
Three statements showing the ordinary collections, refunds and adjustments, respectively, under Income-tax for the first eleven months of 1895–96 as per Accountant-General's monthly statements, circulated to all Collectors with the request to explain any differences between the Accountant-General's figures and those entered in enclosures 1, 2, 7 and 8 to their income-tax administration reports.	24th „ „ 150.
Certain erroneous income-tax assessments made by the Tahsildar of Kalyandrug.—Orders passed on letter from the Collector of Anantapur requesting sanction for the cancellation of, and for the refund of Rs. 3–14–9 erroneously levied from one of the assessees.	26th „ „ 1657, Mis.
Notes of inspection by the Second Member of the Board of Revenue of the income-tax registers and records of certain offices in the Ganjám, Vizagapatam and Gódávari districts, communicated to all Collectors for information and guidance.	28th „ „ 164.
Góddvari district.—Income-tax inspection report of the, for the quarter ending 31st December 1895, reviewed.—Report for the quarter ending 31st March 1896, reviewed.—Supplemental report for the quarter ending 31st March 1896, recorded with remarks.—Report for the quarter ending 30th June 1896, reviewed.—Report for the quarter ending 30th September 1896, recorded with remarks.	28th „ „ 1684, Mis. 18th June, „ 2536, Mis. 11th July, „ 2928, Mis. 25th Aug., „ 3576, Mis. 30th Nov., „ 4959, Mis.
Tables relating to income-tax with figures up to 1894–95.—Endorsement of Government forwarding for early attention resolution of the Government of India forwarding copy of, and requesting that the figures for 1895–96 may be added thereto, recorded pending compilation of the Presidency report.—The, returned to Government duly filled in with the figures for 1895–96.	11th May, „ 1935, Mis. 2nd Sept., „ 3665, Mis.
Refund to one Chelapati of Nandyal of Rs. 42 *being income-tax erroneously imposed on him.*—Letter from the Collector of Kurnool requesting that Government may be moved to renew its sanction for the, submitted to Government with support.—Government Order renewing the sanction already granted for the, communicated to the Collector of Kurnool.	18th May, „ 2043, Mis. 13th June, „ 2468, Mis.
The refund of Rs. 45–15–0 being the amount of income-tax paid on horse and house-rent allowance of one Mr. Ewing of the Madras Railway Company from 1st April to 31st December 1895 less the commission retained by the Company, sanctioned.	22nd May, „ 2126, Mis.
A statement showing the ordinary collections and refunds under "Income-tax" for March 1896, circulated to all Collectors.	27th „ „ 2160, Mis.

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Securities held by the Madras Harbour Trust Provident Fund.—The Collector of Madras informed that a certificate exempting from income-tax the interest on may be granted.	18th June, No. 2539, Mis.
Fees or honoraria paid by Government to Examiners for conducting examinations.—Government Order communicating decision of the Government of India that, are not taxable as salary or gratuity under Part I of Schedule II of Act II of 1886, communicated to all Collectors for information and guidance.	18th ,, ,, 233.
G. Sankara Iyer, Sub-Inspector of the Salem Circle.—The refund of As. 14 collected on account of income-tax from, sanctioned with remark.	20th ,, ,, 2571, Mis.
Income-tax payable by University and other Examiners resident in the Travancore State on the fees received by them.—A report on the suggestions made by the Resident in Travancore and Cochin on the subject of, submitted to Government.—Government Order passing orders on the subject of, communicated to all Collectors for information and guidance.	23rd ,, ,, 2617, Mis. 13th Aug., ,, 318.
Rajah Sri Velugoti Venkatakrishnayachendralavaru of Venkatagiri.—The income-tax imposed on, reduced; the refund of the excess tax of Rs. 301-9-0 levied from him, ordered and remarked that the re-assessment of his brother Rajah Muddukristna after the close of the official year is erroneous.	29th June, ,, 2696, Mis.
Travelling allowance portion of the District Board Engineer, Nilgiris.—Ruled that the, is not liable to income-tax and the refund of the tax levied on it, ordered.	1st July, ,, 2718, Mis.
The assessment to income-tax made by the Tahsildar of Saidapet on the salary of the Head Clerk, Teachers' College, paid from April 1895 to February 1896, cancelled, and the refund of the tax levied, if any, ordered.	8th ,, ,, 2820, Mis.
S. Venkataramanayya, clerk, Registrar's office, Vizagapatam.—The refund to, of Rs. 2 being the amount of income-tax levied on his salary for certain months of 1894-95 when it exceeded Rs. 41-10-8 a month, sanctioned.	14th ,, ,, 2938, Mis.
T. Visvanathan, Accountant, Collector's office, Vizagapatam.—The refund to, of Rs. 8-5-4 being the amount of income-tax levied on his salary for certain months of 1894-95 when it exceeded Rs. 41-10-8 a month, sanctioned.	27th ,, ,, 3114, Mis.
Income-tax administration report for 189[illegible]-96. — Reports received from certain Collectors, reviewed.—Portion of the Board's administration report relating to income-tax and stamps, submitted to Government.—Letters from the Collectors of Kistna and Tanjore reporting the causes of the large pendency of income-tax objection petitions in their districts at the close of 1895-96, recorded, and Government requested to make certain alterations in the statement appended to paragraph 29 of the, and in the explanatory remarks thereto. — Letter from the Accountant-General, Madras, forwarding a statement explaining the difference in the receipts under "Income-tax" for 1895-96 between the figures as shown in his account book and those adopted by the Board in its, submitted for the information of Government.—Reported to Government that the poor income-tax collections made in the Trichinopoly and Madura districts during 1895-96 is ascribed to late assessments.	24th Aug., ,, 3562, Mis. 16th Sept., ,, 363. 7th Oct., ,, 4189, Mis. 13th Nov., ,, 4728, Mis. 17th ,, ,, 4824, Mis.

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Ganjám.—Collector informed that the Board's order in Board's Proceedings, Mis. No. 283, dated 22nd January 1895, was intended to refer to all refunds made under the Income-tax Act.	25th Aug., No. 3578, Mis.
Bad debts ascertained in one year but written off the accounts in the subsequent year.—The Collector of Madras informed that in the case of the Marvadi and Guzerati assessees, should be allowed as a deduction in the year in which they are actually written off.	9th Sept., ,, 3802, Mis.
Perumal Chetti of Vembadithalam.—The income-tax imposed on, reduced from Rs. 57-4-8 to Rs. 28, and the refund of the excess tax levied from him, ordered.	9th ,, ,, 3804, Mis.
Salaries received by the employés of His Highness the Nizam's State Railway who were working up in Ootacamund for four months.—The Collector of Nilgiris informed that the, are liable to be assessed to income-tax under Part I.—The Collector of Nilgiris informed that the Board does not see any necessity for referring to the Government of India the question of the liability to income-tax of the, and requested to report if the tax is not paid even after the service of demand notices on the assessees through the Resident.—Board's Proceedings, Mis. No. 4038, dated 20th September 1896, recorded by Government.	26th ,, ,, 4038, Mis. 26th Nov., ,, 4947, Mis. 26th ,, ,, 4948, Mis.
Refunds of income-tax paid on the salaries and allowances of Government servants. — Accountant-General requested to favour the Board with his opinion as to whether Collectors are empowered to sanction,—Letter from the Accountant-General reporting that Collectors are not empowered to sanction the refunds, recorded.	3rd Oct., ,, 4143, Mis. 22nd ,, ,, 4411, Mis.
Government securities of the Madras Harbour Trust Cooly Provident Fund. — Collector of Madras informed that a certificate exempting from income-tax the interest on the, may be granted.	3rd ,, ,, 4144, Mis.
Payment of Rs. 5 to a Muhammadan who was temporarily employed by him for examining the Arabic accounts of one of the assessees for 1895-96.—Letter from the Collector of Malabar applying for sanction for the, submitted to Government.—Government Order sanctioning the, communicated to the Collector of Malabar.	14th ,, ,, 4250, Mis. 10th Nov., ,, 4689, Mis.
M. Kristnamacharlu of Tirupati. — The income-tax imposed for 1895-96 on, under the Income-tax Act (II of 1886) remitted with remarks, and the refund of Rs. 54-11-0 collected from him, ordered.	9th Oct., ,, 4239, Mis.
Madras.—Orders passed on letter from the Collector of Madras submitting letter from his Deputy Collector soliciting orders on certain questions regarding the admissibility of certain deductions and the liability to income-tax of certain incomes.	21st ,, ,, 425
Salem.—The Collector of, informed that Mr. Vardon's salary as a reservist need not be taxed, and that his salary as the superintendent of a coffee estate should be taxed.	27th ,, ,, 4487, Mis.

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Interest collected by the zemindar of Udaiyárpálaiyam from his tenants on overdue rents under the provisions of Act VIII of 1865.—Collector of Trichinopoly informed that the, is liable to income-tax.	17th Nov., No. 4772, Mis.
Notes of inspection by the Acting Third Member of the Board of Revenue of the income-tax registers and records of certain offices in the Tinnevelly district, communicated to all Collectors for information and guidance.	18th ,, ,, 464.
Despatch from the Secretary of State stating that the pay or pension drawn by certain persons through an Agent in England although they appear to be permanently residing in India is not liable to Indian income-tax.—Government Order communicating resolution of the Government of India communicating copy of, communicated with remarks to all Collectors and to the Resident in Travancore and Cochin for information and guidance.	1st Dec., ,, 479.
Mode of assessing for 1896–97 *a Company which started work on* 1*st September* 1894 *and which makes up its accounts for the fasli year.*—The Collector of Madura informed of the,	1st ,, ,, 481.
Malabar district.—Notes of inspection by the Acting Third Member of the Board of Revenue of the income-tax registers and records of certain assessing officers in the, communicated to all Collectors for information and guidance.	5th ,, ,, 489.
Office of the General Charge Deputy Collector, Narsapur. — The notes of inspection by the Acting Third Member of the Board of Revenue of the income-tax registers and records of the, communicated to the Collector of Gódávari.	26th ,, ,, 518.
INCREMENT.	
C. Venkatasubbiah, Sub-Inspector of the Krishnápatnam Circle.—An increment of Rs. 3 to, from 1st March 1896, sanctioned with remarks.	11th May, ,, 1941, Mis.
INDUSTRIES.	
Large industries for the calendar year 1895. — Government Order forwarding to the Board, for necessary action, letter from the Director-General of Statistics relating to, recorded pending compilation of the Board's statement of large industries for 1895 and all Collectors requested to submit before the 20th June information regarding dairy farms called for by the Director-General.—Statement of, submitted to the Government of India, Finance and Commerce Department (Statistical Branch).—Government Order recording Board's Proceedings, No. 260, dated 7th July 1896, communicated to the Collector of South Canara with the request to report whether the figures showing the value of the outturn of the aërated water factories given in his statement of large industries are correct.—Letter from the Collector of South Canara reporting that the figures showing the value and the quantity of the outturn from aërated water factories in his district given in his statement of large industries for 1895 are correct, submitted to Government.—A supplemental statement of certain, submitted.—Government Order	4th June, ,, 211. 7th July, ,, 260. 7th Aug., ,, 3305, Mis. 5th Sept., ,, 3736, Mis. 26th ,, ,, 381. 10th Oct., ,, 4298, Mis. 16th ,, ,, 416.

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recording, with remark, Board's Proceedings, Mis. No. 3736, dated 5th September 1896, communicated to the Collector of South Canara.—Government Order communicating letter from the Director-General of Statistics pointing out certain discrepancies in the statement of, referred to the Collectors of all districts except Cuddapah and Kurnool.	
INITIALS.	
Dates under initials should in future show the year as well as the day and month.—Instructions to all officers in the department that, issued.	29th ..., No. 1734, Mis.
INSOLVENCY.	
V. Dhanakoti Raju.—Notice from Mr. R. Ramanujacharry, Attorney, stating that, has applied for the benefit of the Insolvency Act, 11 and 12, Vic., Chapter 21, communicated to the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division.	28th Jan., ,, 321, Mis.
INSPECTION.	
Bellary Sub-division.—Endorsement of the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, on the statement of inspections made by the Assistant Commissioner, during the quarter ending 31st December 1895, recorded with remarks.—Statement of inspections made by the Assistant Commissioner, during the quarter ending 31st March 1896, recorded with remark.—Statement of inspections made by the Assistant Commissioner, during the quarter ending 30th June 1896, reviewed.—Statement of inspections made by the Assistant Commissioner, during the quarter ending 30th September 1896, recorded.	24th Jan., ,, 299, Mis. 10th July, ,, 2897, Mis. 19th Aug., ,, 3493, Mis. 26th Oct., ,, 4468, Mis.
Rajahmundry Circle.—Report of the Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, on his inspection of the, reviewed—Copy of proceedings of the Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, on his inspection of the office records of the, recorded.	22nd Jan., ,, 307, Mis. 21st Sept., ,, 4076, Mis.
Chingleput Sub-division.—Statement of inspections made by the Assistant Commissioner, during the quarter ending 31st December 1895, recorded.—Statement for the quarter ending 31st March 1896, recorded.—Statement for the quarter ending 30th June 1896, recorded.—Statement of inspections made by the Assistant Commissioner, during the quarter ending 30th September 1896, recorded.	24th Jan., ,, 316, Mis. 28th April, ,, 1697, Mis. 7th Aug., ,, 3291, Mis. 6th Nov., ,, 4617, Mis.
Duration of visit to a factory for the purpose of inspection.—Revised instructions modifying the rule prescribing the, issued.	27th Jan., ,, 37.
Deputy Commissioner, Central Division.—Statement of inspections made by the, during the quarter ending 31st December 1895, recorded.—Statement for the quarter ending 31st March 1896, recorded.—Statement for the quarter ending 30th June 1896, recorded.—Statement for the quarter ending 30th September 1896, recorded.	28th ,, ,, 339, Mis. 28th April, ,, 1698, Mis. 1st Aug., ,, 3238, Mis. 4th Nov., ,, 4616, Mis.
Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division.—Statement of inspection made by the, during the quarter ending 31st December 1895, recorded.—Statement of inspections made by the,	22nd Jan. ,, 346, Mis. 28th April, ,, 1681, Mis. 19th Aug., ,, 3513, Mis.

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during the quarter ending 31st March 1896, recorded with remark.—Statement of inspections made by the, during the quarter ending 30th June 1896, recorded.—Statement of inspections made by the, during the quarter ending 30th September 1896, recorded.	24th Oct., No. 4467, Mis.
... of affairs discovered by the Acting Commissioner on his ...ection of salt heaps at Negapatam factory.—The remar... the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, on the exp... ion of the Assistant Commissioner, Negapatam Sub-div... for the, awaited.—Remarked on the insufficiency of the ... nation offered by Mr. Mainwaring for the,—Orders passed ... he report of the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, ...ishing particulars regarding the steps taken towards the ...estruction of excise salt over five years old in the Negapatam Sub-division.	1st Feb., ,, 437, Mis. 28th April, ,, 1682, Mis. 30th June, ,, 2693, Mis.
Kurnool Circle.—Report of the Assistant Com... sioner, Bellary Sub-division, on his inspection of the, returned ... the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, after perusal.	3rd Feb., ,, 469, Mis.
Nellore Sub-division.—Statement of inspection made ... the Assistant Commissioner during the quarter ending 31st December 1895, reviewed.—Statement of inspection made by the Assistant Commissioner, during the quarter ending 31st March 1896, recorded with remark.—Statement of inspections made by the Assistant Commissioner, during the quarter ending 30th June 1896, recorded.—Statement of inspections made by the Assistant Commissioner, during the quarter ending 30th September 1896, recorded.	6th Feb., ,, 512, Mis. 24th June, ,, 2701, Mis. 6th Aug., ,, 3290, Mis. 23rd Oct., ,, 4425, Mis.
Rénigunta.—Orders passed on endorsement of the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, submitting Arcot Sub-division Assistant Commissioner's notes of inspection of the distillery buildings at,—Letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, reporting on the Arcot Assistant Commissioner's inspection of the distillery at, recorded with remarks.	6th Feb., ,, 563, Mis. 2nd June, ,, 2397, Mis.
Trichinopoly Sub-division.—Endorsement of the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, on the statement of inspections made by the Assistant Commissioner, during the quarter ending 31st December 1895, recorded with remark.—Statement for the quarter ending 31st March 1896, recorded with remark.—Statement of inspections made by the Assistant Commissioner, during the quarter ending 30th June 1896, recorded with remark.—Statement of inspections made by the Assistant Commissioner, during the quarter ending 30th September 1896, recorded.	12th Feb., ,, 595, Mis. 22nd May, ,, 2127, Mis. 3rd Sept., ,, 3718, Mis. 14th Nov., ,, 4799, Mis.
Negapatam Sub-division.—Endorsement of the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, on the statement of inspections made by the Assistant Commissioner, for the quarter ending 31st December 1895, recorded with remark.—Statement for the quarter ending 31st March 1896, recorded with remark.—Statement of inspections made by the Assistant Commissioner, during the quarter ending 30th June 1896, recorded.—Statement of inspections made by the Assistant Commissioner, during the quarter ending 30th September 1896, recorded.	13th Feb., ,, 618, Mis. 21st May, ,, 2108, Mis. 19th Aug., ,, 3512, Mis. 14th Nov., ,, 4865, Mis.

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Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division.—Statement of inspection made by the, during the quarter ending 31st December 1895, recorded with remarks.—Statement for the quarter ending 31st March 1896, recorded.—Statement of inspection made by the, during the quarter ending 30th June 1896, recorded.—Statement of inspection made by the, during the quarter ending 30th September 1896, recorded.	18th Feb., No. 654, Mis 4th May, „ 1850, Mis 31st July, „ 3213, Mis. 31st Oct., „ 4529, Mis.
Chicacole Sub-division.—Statement of inspections made by the Assistant Commissioner, during the quarter ending 31st December 1895, recorded.—Statement of inspections made by the Assistant Commissioner, during the quarter ending 31st March 1896, recorded with remark.—Statement of inspections made by the Assistant Commissioner, during the quarter ending 30th June 1896, recorded.—Statement of inspections made by the Assistant Commissioner, during the quarter ending 30th September 1896, recorded.	20th Feb., „ 677, Mis. 11th May, „ 1943, Mis. 6th Aug., „ 3292, Mis. 23rd Oct., „ 4424, Mis.
Masulipatam Sub-division.—Statement of inspections made by the Assistant Commissioner, during the quarter ending 31st December 1895, recorded with remark.—Letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, submitting certain revised statement of inspections made by the Assistant Commissioner, during the quarters ending 30th June, 30th September and 31st December 1895, respectively, recorded with remark.—Statement of inspections made by the Assistant Commissioner during the quarter ending 31st March 1896, recorded.—Letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, submitting a copy of the statemen. of inspections made by the Assistant Commissioner, during the quarter ending 30th June 1896, recorded with remark.—Statement of inspections made by the Assistant Commissioner, for the quarter ending 30th September 1896, recorded.	22nd Feb., „ 707, Mis. 26th Mar., „ 1304, Mis. 4th May, „ 1851, Mis. 19th Sept., „ 3968, Mis 24th Oct., „ 4477, Mis.
Chatrapur Sub-division.—Statement of inspections made by the Assistant Commissioner, for the quarter ending 31st December 1895, recorded.—Statement of inspections, made by the Assistant Commissioner, during the quarter ending 31st March 1896, recorded.—Endorsement of the Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, on the statement of inspections made by the Assistant Commissioner, during the quarter ending 30th June 1896, recorded with remarks.—Statement of inspections made by the Assistant Commissioner, during the quarter ending 30th September 1896, recorded.	22nd Feb., „ 715, Mis. 24th April, „ 1623, Mis. 30th July, „ 3177, Mis. 23rd Oct., „ 4423, Mis.
Tinnevelly Sub-division.—Statement of inspections made by the Assistant Commissioner, during the quarter ending 31st December 1895 and his reply to the Deputy Commissioner's review thereon, recorded.—Statement of inspections made by the Assistant Commissioner, during the quarter ending 31st March 1896, reviewed.—Statement of inspections made by the Assistant Commissioner, during the quarter ending 30th June 1896, recorded.—Statement of inspections made by the Assistant Commissioner, during the quarter ending 30th September 1896, recorded with remarks.	22nd Feb., „ 716, Mis. 23rd April, „ 1613, Mis. 20th Aug., „ 3642, Mis. 26th Oct., „ 4459, Mis.
Calicut Sub-division.—Statement of inspections made by the Assistant Commissioner, during the quarter ending 31st December 1895, recorded.—Endorsement of the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, on the statement of	24th Feb., „ 729, Mis. 18th May, „ 2047, Mis. 28th Aug., „ 3704, Mis. 26th Oct., „ 4531, Mis.

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inspections made by the Assistant Commissioner, during the quarter ending 31st March 1896, recorded with remark. —Statement of inspections made by the Assistant Commissioner, during the quarter ending 30th June 1896, recorded.—Statement of inspections made by the Assistant Commissioner, during the quarter ending 30th September 1896, recorded with remarks.	
Cocanada Sub-division.—Endorsement of the Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, on the statement of inspections made by the Assistant Commissioner, during the quarter ending 31st December 1895, recorded with remark.—Statement of inspections made by the Assistant Commissioner, during the quarter ending 31st March 1896, recorded.—Statement of inspections made by the Assistant Commissioner, during the quarter ending 30th June 1896, recorded. —Statement of inspections made by the Assistant Commissioner, during the quarter ending 30th September 1896, recorded with remark.	24th Feb., No. 799, Mis. 11th May, „ 1932, Mis. 1st Aug., „ 3237, Mis. 23rd Oct., „ 4426, Mis.
Assistant Commissioner's office, Arcot Sub-division.—Letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, submitting his report on his inspection of the, recorded.	26th Feb., „ 834, Mis.
Notes of inspection of the Aska distillery by the Commissioner of Salt, Abkári and Separate Revenue, communicated to the Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, and to Mr. Minchin.—Letters from the Aska distillers submitting remarks on the, forwarded to the Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, for early remarks.—Orders passed on letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, remarking on the Aska distillers' proposals regarding certain alterations ordered by the Commissioner in his notes of inspection of the distillery.—Certain arrangements suggested by the Assistant Commissioner, Chatrapur Sub-division, in lieu of closing up certain doors in the Aska distillery, approved temporarily.	5th Mar., „ 85. 8th June, „ 2385, Mis. 24th Aug., „ 3542, Mis. 17th Sept., „ 3934, Mis.
Notes of inspection of the two distilleries at Bellary by the Commissioner of Salt, Abkári and Separate Revenue, communicated to the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division.—Orders passed on petitions from Messrs. Abraham and Company, distillers at Bellary, regarding the Commissioner's notes of inspection of their distillery and the Central Division Deputy Commissioner's remarks thereon.—Letter from the Assistant Commissioner, Bellary Sub-division, reporting the progress made in the Bellary distilleries in carrying out the Commissioner's orders on his inspection of the distilleries, recorded with remarks.—Messrs. G. Veerabhadrappa and Company, distillers at Bellary, granted one month's time to complete the alterations ordered by the Commissioner, on his inspection of the distillery.	6th Mar., „ 89. 4th June, „ 2324, Mis. 24th „ „ 2642, Mis. 24th „ „ 2643, Mis.
Tadpatri distillery.—Notes of inspection of the, by the Commissioner of Salt, Abkári and Separate Revenue, communicated to the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division.—Petition from the Tadpatri distiller making certain representations in connection with the remarks of the Commissioner on his recent inspection of the distillery, recorded pending receipt of the Central Division Deputy Commissioner's report.	7th Mar., „ 92. 29th May, „ 2227, Mis.

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Vizagapatam distillery.—Notes of inspection of the, by the Commissioner of Salt, Abkári and Separate Revenue, communicated to the Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division.	7th Mar., No. 93.
Ránipéttai distillery.—Orders passed on letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, reporting on his inspection of the,	7th „ „ 896, Mis.
Ránipéttai Circle.—The report of the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, on his inspection of the, reviewed.	9th „ „ 953, Mis.
Arcot Sub-division.—Statement of inspection made by the Assistant Commissioner, during the quarter ending 31st December 1895, and letter from the same officer submitting a list showing the names of the Sub-Inspector's ranges and petty officers' parties in the several circles of his sub-division, recorded with remark.—Statement of inspections made by the Assistant Commissioner, during the quarter ending 31st March 1896, recorded with remark.—Statement of inspections made by Assistant Commissioner, during the quarter ending 30th June 1896, recorded.—Statement of inspections made by the Assistant Commissioner, during the quarter ending 30th September 1896, recorded.	10th „ „ 961, Mis. 12th May, „ 1961, Mis. 1st Aug., „ 3236, Mis. 10th Nov., „ 4737, Mis.
Arni Circle.—The report of the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, on his inspection of the, reviewed.	7th „ „ 1013, Mis.
Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, informed with remarks that the Board is not prepared to direct Inspectors to send a list of villages visited by them with their monthly statement of inspections.	12th Mar., „ 1092, Mis.
Notes of inspection of the Tondiarpet distillery by the Commissioner of Salt, Abkári and Separate Revenue, communicated to the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division.	19th „ „ 121.
Ganjám factory.—Remarks of the Commissioner on his inspection of the, communicated to the Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, and the Assistant Commissioner, Chatrapur Sub-division.	14th April, „ 1556, Mis.
Naupada factory.—The remarks of the Commissioner on his inspection of the, communicated to the Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, and the Assistant Commissioner, Chicacole Sub-division.—Orders passed on the Deputy Commissioner's reply to the remarks made by Commissioner on his inspection of the,	17th „ „ 1584, Mis. 12th June, „ 2462, Mis.
Half circuits.—Copy of proceedings of the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, to the Assistant Commissioner, Chingleput Sub-division, passing orders on the report of the Assistant Commissioner regarding the concession of, granted for certain factories in his sub-division, recorded.	27th April, „ 1670, Mis.
Bobbili Circle.—The report of the Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, on his inspection of the, reviewed.	26th „ „ 1674, Mis.
Aska Circle.—The report of the Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, on his inspection of the, reviewed.	29th „ „ 1732, Mis.
Calingapatam.—The report of the Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, on his inspection of the, reviewed.	30th „ „ 1770, Mis.

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Balacheruvu factory.—The remarks of the Commissioner on his inspection of the, communicated to the Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, and the Assistant Commissioner, Chicacole Sub-division.	1st May, No. 1789, Mis.
Vepery Crown distillery.—The Central Division Deputy Commissioner's notes of inspection of the, reviewed.	1st ,, ,, 1793, Mis.
Surlá Circle.—Report of the Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, on his inspection of the, recorded with remarks.	6th ,, ,, 1879, Mis.
Konada Circle.—The report of the Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, on his inspection of the, reviewed.—The remarks of the Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, on his inspection of the, reviewed.	6th ,, ,, 1882, Mis. 21st Sept., ,, 3969, Mis.
Tuticorin Circle.—The report of the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, on his inspection of the, reviewed.	7th May, ,, 1946, Mis.
Karassa factory.—The remarks of the Commissioner on his inspection of the, communicated to the Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, and the Assistant Commissioner, Chicacole Sub-division.—Orders passed on the explanation submitted by Mr. Blake for certain defects noticed by the Commissioner on his inspection of the.—Letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, submitting Mr. Blake's explanation of a certain statement made by him when replying to the Commissioner's remark on his inspection of the, recorded with remark.	18th April, ,, 1999, Mis. 10th June, ,, 2454, Mis. 12th Oct., ,, 4243, Mis.
Inspection of parties by Circle officers.—Copy of proceedings of the Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, issuing certain instructions regarding the, recorded.	11th May, ,, 2004, Mis.
Morekolam Circle.—The remarks of the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, on his inspection of the, reviewed.	1st June, ,, 2278, Mis.
Penugudury Circle.—The remarks of the Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, on his inspection of the, reviewed.	2nd ,, ,, 2309, Mis.
Vattanam Circle.—The remarks of the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, on his inspection of the, reviewed.	3rd ,, ,, 2319, Mis.
Inspection remarks.—The attention of the Deputy Commissioners called to the orders of the Board regarding the reporting of only important matters to the Board in their, —The attention of the Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, drawn to the instructions issued in Board's Proceedings, No. 466, dated 6th October 1890, and Mis. No. 2332, dated 4th June 1896, and to Circular Order No. 1/47 of 1891.—The first portion of paragraph 8 of Board's Proceedings, Mis. No. 3130, dated 27th July 1896, cancelled, and the Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, instructed as to certain matters to be dealt with in,	4th ,, ,, 2332, Mis. 27th July, ,, 3130, Mis. 4th Sept., ,, 3891, Mis.
Kit inspection.—Detailed instructions issued by Mr. C. V. Dalrymple-Hay, Assistant Commissioner, Chicacole Sub-division, as to how, is to be conducted, disapproved.	8th June, ,, 2375, Mis.
Vayalur factory.—The remarks of the Commissioner on his inspection of the, communicated to the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, the Assistant Commissioner, Chingleput Sub-division, and the Inspector, Vayalur Circle.—	10th ,, ,, 2417, Mis. 21st July, ,, 3040, Mis. 11th Aug., ,, 3369, Mis. 22nd Oct., ,, 4478, Mis.

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Orders passed on the replies of the Inspector, Vayalur Circle, to the remarks of the Commissioner on his inspection of the,—Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, requested to report the origin of private drying grounds in the Ennore and Vayalur Circles and to state whether any of them are along the banks of the boat channels.—Orders passed on letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, replying to Board's Proceedings, Mis. No. 3369, dated 11th August 1896.	
Tondiarpet distillery.—Central Division Deputy Commissioner's report on his inspection of the, reviewed.	11th June, No. 2432, Mis.
Karassa Circle.—The report of the Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, on his inspection of the, reviewed.	24th „ „ 2632, Mis.
Anantapur Circle.—Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, requested to inform Mr. Platts that his report on the inspection of the, will be submitted to Government along with certain other report and called for a list showing the halts and marches made by the Assistant Commissioner in April and May last.—Explanation of Mr. Platts in regard to the remarks of the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, on his (Mr. Platts) notes of inspection of the, forwarded to the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, for remarks.	3rd July, „ 2744, Mis. 13th Aug., „ 3404, Mis.
Polavaram Circle.—The report of the Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, on his inspection of the, recorded.	25th June, „ 2772, Mis.
Depôt and shop inspections.—The attention of the Deputy and Assistant Commissioners called to the instructions on the subject of, contained in Board's Proceedings, Mis. No. 3936, dated 2nd December 1888.	10th July, „ 2883, Mis.
Coimbatore Circle.—The report of the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, on his inspection of the, reviewed.	10th „ „ 2884, Mis.
Tuni Circle.—The remarks of the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, on his inspection of the, reviewed.	11th „ „ 2944, Mis.
Nellore Sub-division.—The report of the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, on his inspection of the factories in the, reviewed.	16th „ „ 2981, Mis.
Anakápalle Circle.—The report of the Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, on his inspection of the, reviewed.—The first portion of paragraph 8 of Board's Proceedings, Mis. No. 3130, dated 27th July 1896, cancelled, and the Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, instructed as to certain matters to be dealt with in inspection reports.	27th „ „ 3130, Mis. 4th Sept., „ 3891, Mis.
Bhavání Circle.—The remarks of the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, on his inspection of the, reviewed.	7th Aug., „ 3286, Mis.
Vadasamanjeri factory.—The remarks of the Commissioner on his inspection of the, communicated to the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, and Assistant Commissioner, Chingleput Sub-division.	6th „ „ 3321, Mis.
Nizampatam Circle.—The remarks of the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, on his inspection of the, reviewed.	10th „ „ 3350, Mis.

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Covelong factory.—The remarks of Commissioner on his inspection of the, communicated to the officers concerned for information and guidance.	12th Aug., No. 3397, Mis.
Bezwada Circle.—The remarks of the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, on his inspection of the, reviewed.	18th „ „ 3495, Mis.
Kurnool Circle.—The report of the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, on his inspection of the, reviewed.	20th „ „ 3530, Mis.
Manginapudi Circle.—The report of the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, on his inspection of the, reviewed.	2nd Sept., „ 3668, Mis.
Penuguduru, Rajahmundry and Ellore Circles.—The remarks of the Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, on his inspection of the, reviewed.	5th „ „ 3892, Mis.
Ránipéttai distillery. — Notes of inspection of the, by the Acting Commissioner of Salt, Abkári and Separate Revenue, communicated to the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division.	5th „ „ 353.
Inspection of the two distilleries at Bellary.—Letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, submitting his report on the, recorded.	20th „ „ 4065, Mis.
Vinukonda Circle.—Central Division Deputy Commissioner's report on his inspection of the, reviewed.	2nd Oct., „ 4132, Mis.
Tadpatri distillery.—Central Division Deputy Commissioner's reports on his inspection of the, reviewed.	5th „ „ 4142, Mis.
Calingapatam Circle.—The report of the Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, on his inspection of the, reviewed.	8th „ „ 4204, Mis.
Udipi Circle.—The remarks of the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, on his inspection of the, reviewed.	14th „ „ 4281, Mis.
Cocanada Sea Customs Treasury.—Copy of proceedings of the Board of Revenue (Land Revenue) agreeing with the Collector of Gódávari in his opinion that the inspection of the, should be conducted by the Divisional officers also, recorded.	14th „ „ 4293, Mis.
Naupada Circle.—The remarks of the Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, on his inspection of the, reviewed.	10th „ „ 4308, Mis.
Tachanallúr distillery.—Notes of inspection of the, by the Commissioner of Salt, Abkári and Separate Revenue, communicated to the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, and the Assistant Commissioner, Tinnevelly Sub-division.	3rd Nov., „ 456.
Inspectors, Vayalur and Ennore Circles, informed that the Commissioner will visit Kathiwakkam on Wednesday the 11th instant and that the excise licensees may make at that time their representations, if any, regarding the disposal of their stocks and the opening of sales of Government salt at the Madras Depôt.	6th „ „ 4582, Mis.
Mogalturru factory.—Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, informed that the Commissioner proposes to inspect Mogalturru in next month and that the points calling for attention in the Deputy Commissioner's inspection remarks will	5th „ „ 4610, Mis. 27th Dec., „ 5295, Mis.

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...s with by him on the spot.—The remarks of the ...issioner on his inspection of the, communicated to ...Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, and the Assist... Commissioner, Cocanada Sub-division, for information and guidance.	
Tuticorin Circle.—The remarks of the Commissioner on his inspection of the head-quarter factories of the, communicated to the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, and the Assistant Commissioner, Tinnevelly Sub-division.	13th Nov., No. 4724, Mis.
Report of inspection of certain ports on the Western Coast by the Presidency Port Officer.—Government Order, Revenue Department, recording Proceedings of the Marine Department recording, with remarks, recorded.	2nd Dec., „ 4979, Mis.
Tiruvangore distillery.—Notes of inspection of the, by the Commissioner of Salt, Abkári and Separate Revenue, communicated to the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division.	7th „ „ 500.
Vizagapatam distillery.—Letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, submitting report on his inspection of the, recorded.	29th „ „ 5252, Mis.
Manginapudi factory.—The remarks of the Commissioner on his inspection of the, communicated to the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, and the Assistant Commissioner, Masulipatam Sub-division, for informatoin and guidance.	18th „ „ 5287, Mis.
INSTRUMENT.	
Hydrometer invented by Mr. Scarisbrick. — Government informed that the, will not be required as there are no tables and the cost of preparing them is great.	10th Mar., „ 1041, Mis.
Azimuttu compass.—Collector of Kistna informed that the, which is required solely in the interests of the Marine Department, should be supplied by that department.	1st May, „ 1769, Mis.
Supplemental set of specific gravity tables prepared by Assistant Inspector M.R.Ry. Venkatasa Aiyar of the Bezwada Circle.—Remarks passed on the,	8th June, „ 2828, Mis.
Symons' rain-gauges.—Board's Proceedings (Revenue Settlement) revising the list of salt factories to be included in the list of rain-recording stations, communicated to Deputy and Assistant Commissioners with instructions that the Inspectors concerned should be directed to address the Collectors with a view to have, set up by the Public Works Department.	6th Aug., „ 310.
Hydrometers.—Collector of Vizagapatam informed that it is not considered worthwhile to supply such a large number of, as that indented for by him.	1st Oct., „ 4091, Mis.
INSPECTION.	
ORISSA.	
Balasore Sub-division.—Statement of inspection made by the Assistant Commissioner, during the quarter ending 31st	15th Feb., „ 629, Mis. 18th May, „ 2094, Mis.

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December 1895, recorded.—Statement for the quarter ending 31st March 1896, recorded.—Statement of inspections made by the Assistant Commissioner, during the quarter ending 30th June 1896, recorded.—Statement of inspections made by the Assistant Commissioner, during the quarter ending 30th September 1896, recorded with remarks. — 31st July, No. 24th Oct., „ 4

Tua and Gurubai factories.—Remarks of the Commissioner on his inspection of the, communicated to the Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, the Assistant Commissioner, Chatrapur Sub-division, and the Inspector, Manikpatna Circle, for information and guidance. — 10th Mar., „ 978, Mis.

Orissa Circles.—The remarks of the Commissioner on his inspection of the, communicated to the Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division.—Reprimanded Mr. Beale for giving inaccurate information that a case was acquitted on the sole ground that outside evidence was not adduced and Mr. H. J. Simpson's explanation for the fall in detection, accepted with remarks. — 18th „ „ 1150, Mis. 4th June, „ 2345, Mis.

Manikpatna Circle.—Report of the Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, on his inspection of the, recorded with remarks. — 18th April, „ 1552, Mis.

Report of the Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, on his inspection of the several circles in the Balasore Sub-division, reviewed. — 25th „ „ 1640, Mis.

Satpara dispensary.—Endorsement of the Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, submitting, for information, remarks of the District Magistrate and Chairman of the District Board, Puri, on the inspection of the, recorded. — 20th Sept., „ 4161, Mis

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JURY.

Assistant Secretary to the Board of Revenue, Separate Revenue.—Government requested to exempt the, from serving on the jury.—Government requested to pass early orders.—Government Order exempting the, from liability to serve as a juror, recorded. — 10th Jan., „ 131, Mis. 18th „ „ 199, Mis. 5th Mar., „ 1021, Mis.

Collector of Sea Customs informed that he may himself exempt from service on the jury such customs officials as are engaged in the collections of the customs revenue and cannot be spared and communicate the exemption to the High Court.—Letter from the Collector of Sea Customs, Madras, requesting that Government be addressed to exempt him and his Deputy from liability to serve as jurors, submitted to Government for orders. — 7th Feb., „ 521, Mis. 1st May, „ 1804, Mis.

Inspector, Madras Depôt Circle.—Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, informed that the, must attend the High Court on the 20th instant in obedience to the summons directing him to serve on the common jury and that application will be made to Government to have the, exempted — 14th April, „ 1480, Mis. 27th May, „ 2182, Mis. 26th June, „ 2685, Mis.

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from serving as a juror in future.—Government requested to exempt the, from serving on the jury.—Government Order sanctioning the exemption of the, from the liability to serve as a juror, communicated to the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division.	
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KIST.	
Vinukonda.—Sanction for the payment of kist of a certain toddy shop at, in six instalments commencing from January 1896 instead of in eight instalments, accorded.	8th Jan., No. 36, Mis.
Kistna.—Action of the Collector in having permitted Mr. J. W. Maiden, purchaser of toddy shop, to pay up the kists in seven instalments instead of in eight, approved.	10th „ „ 127, Mis.
Permission to the renter of Munumaka toddy shop, Narasaraopet taluk, Kistna district, to pay kists in eight instalments commencing from February 1896, granted.	10th Feb., „ 593, Mis.
Bellary Town.—Stated that the sum of Rs. 309-10-10 being the kist of toddy shop No. 16 of the, for the first 24 days of October 1895 during which it was not opened, may be refunded to the licensee.	10th April, „ 1435, Mis.
Kistna.—The concession granted to an abkári defaulter in the Bápatla taluk to pay the kists due by him in six equal monthly instalments from April 1896, approved.	6th May, „ 1873, Mis.
Delay in the payment of kists by the renters.—Proceedings of the Board of Revenue (Land Revenue) passing orders on letter from the Collector of Anantapur suggesting that a condition be inserted in the leases of Government date trees to guard against, recorded.	8th July, „ 2917, Mis.
Syed Pacha Sahib, opium renter of Cuddapah and other taluks.—Interference on behalf of, in the matter of his request for the abatement of kist for the period during which his shops were kept closed, declined.	10th „ „ 2962, Mis.
The payment of toddy shop kists by shop-keepers to the village munsifs in the Vinukonda, Palnad and Nandigáma taluks, sanctioned.	19th Aug., „ 3529, Mis.
The proposal of the Collector of Ganjám to authorise the village heads in the Government taluks to collect toddy shop kists under the T.T. system, sanctioned.	4th Nov., „ 4627, Mis.
KUDIVARAM.	
Calingapatam extension.—Government Order sanctioning the recommendation of the Board to raise the rate of kudivaram paid to the manufacturers of salt at the, from Rs. 9-6-0 to Rs. 12 per garce, communicated to the Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, and the Assistant Commissioner, Chicacole sub-division.	20th Jan., „ 24.

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KUDIVARAM—*cont.*	
Kudivaram due on salt manufactured under a joint license.—Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, informed that the, cannot be paid except on the application of all the joint holders and that it should be kept in deposit until applied for.	27th Jan., No. 448, Mis.
Messrs. D. Namberumaliah and Sons.—Orders passed on letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, submitting, with remarks, a petition from, requesting payment of kudivaram for the salt manufactured by them in the season of 1895.—Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, requested to report the amount of kudivaram stated to have been claimed by, for salt manufactured in their pans in the season of 1895.—Letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, reporting the amount of kudivaram due to, recorded.	25th Mar., „ 1276, Mis. 6th June, „ 2347, Mis. 28th July, „ 3252, Mis.
Ganiám factory.—The licensees of the, informed that their request for an enhancement of the rate of kudivaram will be considered when the railway is brought into the factory.—A petition from certain licensees of the, giving notice of their intention to stop work at the factory if kudivaram is not raised to Rs. 15 a garce, forwarded to the Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, with the request to ascertain privately and report who the ringleaders in the movement are.	22nd April, „ 1582, Mis. 20th July, „ 3027, Mis.
Surlá extension factory.—The licensees of the, informed that the Board is not prepared to recommend any further increase of kudivaram at present.	21st May, „ 2080, Mis.
Manakkudi factory.—Petition from the licensees of the, praying that their kudivaram may be raised to Rs. 11–4–0 a garce, forwarded to the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, with the request to report whether this enhancement is necessary for the successful working of the factory.	27th July, „ 3123, Mis.
Adirámpatnam extension.—Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, requested to raise the question of increasing the kudivaram to the licensees of the, in January next.	19th Nov., „ 4652, Mis.
Advances of kudivaram to manufacturers in factories worked for the sale of salt to Government.—Government Order sanctioning the delegation to the Board of the power to sanction, communicated to all Deputy and Assistant Commissioners.	8th Dec., „ 494.
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LAND.	
Land used by the Madras Railway Company for the landing of coal at the Madras Depôt.—Government Order transferring to Public Works Department (Railway Branch) Proceedings of the Board of Revenue (Separate Revenue) requesting that the, may be handed over by the end of May 1896 at the latest, communicated to the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division.—Government Order forwarding copy of a letter from the Agent and Manager, Madras Railway, and requesting that the date of relinquishment of the	8th Jan., „ 26, Mis. 31st Mar., „ 1362, Mis. 1st May, „ 1783, Mis. 18th „ „ 2085, Mis. 4th June, „ 2316, Mis. 19th „ „ 2597, Mis. 21st July, „ 3103, Mis.

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present site occupied by the Company may be extended, communicated to the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, for very early report.—Stated that the Madras Railway Company may be permitted to retain possession of the land up to the end of July next.—Government Order transferring to the Public Works Department Board's Proceedings, Mis. No. 1783, dated 1st May 1896, recorded.—Reported to Government that the Board has no objection to allow the Madras Railway Company to continue to occupy the present coal yard up to end of June 1897.—Government Order transferring Board's Proceedings, Mis. No. 2316, dated 4th June 1896, to the Public Works Department, recorded.—Government Order communicating Proceedings of the Public Works Department cancelling the sanction accorded to an estimate for the new coal siding near Vyasarpadi, recorded.	
Kathivakkam.—Letter from the Special Deputy Collector, Pulicat Division, Bezwada-Madras Railway, requesting certain information in connection with certain land belonging to the Salt department at, referred to the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, for report.—The Special Deputy Collector, Pulicat Division, Bezwada-Madras Railway, advised of the amount of compensation to be paid to the Salt and Abkári department on account of certain land and huts at, taken up for the railway and stated how the amount in question should be adjusted in the accounts.	11th Jan., No. 117, Mis. 20th Feb., ,, 673, Mis.
A new Custom House at Baindur.—The site proposed by the Collector of South Canara for the construction of, approved.—The Collector of South Canara requested to state what it would cost to open up a view of the mouth of the river from the present Custom House.—The Collector of South Canara informed that the proposed construction of, may remain in abeyance for the present.	16th Jan., ,, 178, Mis. 23rd Oct., ,, 4417, Mis. 19th Dec., ,, 5248, Mis.
Covelong factory.—Collector of Chingleput requested to furnish certain information in connection with the land taken up for the construction of a salt platform at the,—Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, informed that certain waste lands may be assigned to the shrotriemdar of Tiruvadanthai village in lieu of certain other lands taken up for platform No. III, and Collector of Chingleput requested to furnish certain information in regard to the payment of compensation for certain waste lands and to report what steps have been taken to obtain possession of certain other lands.—Collector of Chingleput requested to furnish certain information in regard to the land proposed to be assigned to the shrotriemdar of Tiruvadanthai, and the Deputy Commissioner to report the date on which certain lands were transferred to the department.	11th Jan., ,, 212, Mis. 4th May, ,, 1820, Mis. 5th Sept., ,, 3725, Mis.
Salt gollah at Ponnáni.—Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, informed that the site on which the old, was constructed should not be given up.	12th Feb., ,, 587, Mis.
Itamukkala port.—Draft notification for the acquisition of certain lands within the limits of the, submitted to Government for approval and publication in the *Fort St. George Gazette.*—Government Order, Revenue Department, on Government Order, Marine Department, ordering the publication of the notification, recorded.	9th Mar., ,, 957, Mis. 6th May, ,, 1982, Mis.

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Old salt cotaurs at Hemmadi.—Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, informed that the site on which the, was located may be given up on darkhast.	20th Mar., No. 1271, Mis.
Sea Custom House at Vizagapatam.—Government Order, Revenue Department, directing the Collector to take early steps for the acquisition of the site required for the construction of the building, communicated to the Collector of Vizagapatam for information and guidance.—A draft notification for the acquisition of certain land required for the construction of a new, submitted to Government for approval and publication in the *Fort St. George Gazette*.	31st „ „ 1358, Mis. 8th July, „ 2825, Mis.
Acquisition of a piece of land for a fish-curing yard in the Talayur amsom of Ponnáni táluk, Malabar district.—Government Order ordering the publication in the *Fort St. George Gazette* of the draft notification for the, communicated to the Collector of Malabar.	20th April, „ 1636, Mis.
Attiput and Vallur factories.—Orders passed on letter from the Special Deputy Collector, Pulicat Division, Bezwada-Madras Railway, requesting to be informed whether compensation is payable to the Salt department for certain lands taken up for the railway in the,	26th „ „ 1645, Mis.
Gurazanapalle, Penuguduru Circle.—Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, requested to furnish information in connection with the piece of land proposed to be acquired near the Circle office at,	25th „ „ 1692, Mis.
Certain land required for the construction of a road and petty officers' and peons' huts in the Pandraka salt factory.—A draft notification and schedule from the Collector of Kistna for the acquisition of, communicated to the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, with remarks.	30th „ „ 1740, Mis.
Ullal fish-curing yard in the Mangalore Circle.—Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, informed with remarks that the Collector of South Canara may be addressed with a view to steps being taken to acquire certain land under the Land Acquisition Act for the location of the,—Remarked upon the letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, requesting sanction to the payment of certain amount estimated by the Collector of South Canara as compensation for the site required for the location of the,	2nd June, „ 2294, Mis. 24th Aug., „ 3544, Mis.
Madras Salt depôt.—Pointed out to Government that if there is a possibility of the land occupied by the, being required for the East Coast Railway, four years' notice should be given to allow of the stocks in the present depôt being cleared and arrangements made for establishing a new one.—Government Order stating that there is no likelihood of the land occupied by the, being required for railway purposes, recorded.	24th June, „ 2623, Mis. 25th Nov., „ 5021, Mis.
Manginapudi factory.—The proposal of the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, to acquire under the Act a piece of land required for the peons' lines in the, sanctioned with remark, and the Collector of Kistna requested to send the draft notification direct to Government for approval and publication in the *Fort St. George Gazette*.	31st July, „ 3207, Mis.

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Elathur fish-curing yard.—The proposal of the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, to acquire certain land under the Land Acquisition Act in view to the removal of the, thereto, approved.	20th Aug., No. 3511, Mis.
Nellikuppam.— Assistant Commissioner, Negapatam Sub-division, requested to select a suitable site for the Inspector's quarters at,	9th Sept., „ 3955, Mis.
Aska Circle.—Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, requested to investigate personally the question of selecting a site for the Inspector's quarters.—Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, informed that the question of constructing quarters for the Inspector may lie over for the present.	19th „ „ 3957, Mis. 19th Nov., „ 4797, Mis.
Morekolam factory.—The proposal of the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, to acquire under the Land Acquisition Act a certain piece of land in the Kangirangudi tank-bed for sinking a well for the use of the officers in, approved.	28th Sept., „ 4032, Mis.
Kattumavadi Circle.—The proposal of the Assistant Commissioner, Negapatam Sub-division, to acquire under the Act certain lands required for the construction of peons' huts and clerks' quarters, approved.	2nd Oct., „ 4110, Mis.
Chowkies at Sangala and Mudumala.—Endorsement of the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, approving the action of the Assistant Commissioner, Bellary Sub-division, in the matter of selecting sites for, recorded.	20th Sept., „ 4156, Mis.
Reservation of waste lands for the formation of palm topes in zemindari and whole inam villages.—Proceedings of the Board of Revenue (Land Revenue) communicating to all Collectors and Conservators report from the Conservator of Forests, Northern Circle, on the question of, and stating that the Board will be prepared to consider proposals in regard thereto, communicated to all Deputy Commissioners.	3rd Oct., „ 400.
Penuguduru.—The proposal of the Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, to acquire under the Act the land taken up for the construction of Sub-Inspectors' and clerks' quarters at, approved with remarks.	16th „ „ 4280, Mis.
Kurichi fish-curing yard.—The proposal of the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, to acquire a certain piece of land under the Land Acquisition Act for the extension of the, approved with remarks.—Government Order approving the action of the Board in accepting the Deputy Commissioner's proposal to acquire a piece of land for the extension of the, communicated to the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division.	22nd „ „ 4400, Mis. 20th Nov., „ 4859, Mis.
The system of allowing licensees to take exclusive possession of channel banks or other waste lands in their factories as drying grounds.—Directed that, must be put a stop to.	22nd Oct., „ 4478, Mis.
Waste lands lying to the east of the Karu Manjeri canal.—Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, instructed to bring to the notice of the Commissioner when he visits the Penuguduru factory the question of the relinquishment of the,	23rd „ „ 4483, Mis.

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Peons' lines, &c., attached to the Negapatam Salt depôt.—Government requested to order the withdrawal of a certain notification already published in the *Fort St. George Gazette* regarding the acquisition for the South Indian Railway Company of the site of the,	20th Nov., No. 4788, Mis.
Site of the Madras Salt depôt.—Reported to Government that the, belongs to Government.	19th Dec., „ 5209, Mis.
LAW.	
List of notifications, rules and orders having the force of law revised up to the 31st December 1894.—A statement of additions and corrections to be made in the third supplement to the, submitted to Government with remarks.	9th Jan., „ 79, Mis.
Criminal appeals Nos. 46 and 50 on the file of the Head Assistant Magistrate, South Arcot.—Government Order stating that the Government Pleader will be requested to present an appeal to the High Court under section 417, Code of Criminal Procedure, against the judgments of acquittals in, communicated to the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division.—Government Order communicating letter from the Government Pleader, Madras, stating that he has preferred an appeal against the judgment of acquittal in, communicated to the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division.—The order of the High Court in criminal appeal No. 703 of 1895, recorded.—Offered remarks on the judgments of the High Court in criminal appeals Nos. 702 and 703 of 1895 and reported to Government on the necessity for amending section 47 of the Madras Salt Act IV of 1889 and section 31 of the Madras Abkári Act I of 1886.	10th „ „ 107, Mis. 28th „ „ 345, Mis. 2nd May, „ 1832, Mis. 18th Oct., „ 4360, Mis.
Acquittal in calendar case No. 62 of 1895 on the file of the Second-class Magistrate of Cuddapah Town.—The judgment of the High Court in the appeal against the order of, communicated to the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division.—Endorsement of Government communicating letter from the Government Pleader reporting the result of the appeal presented to the High Court on the, recorded.—Letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, reporting that the case was retried and the peon convicted, recorded.	16th Jan., „ 6. 10th Mar., „ 1019, Mis. 10th „ „ 1020, Mis.
Calendar case No. 611 of 1895 on the file of the Second-class Magistrate, Cochin.—Letter from the Joint Magistrate in charge, Malabar, submitting copy of his letter referring to High Court, recorded pending receipt of the order of High Court.	18th Jan., „ 296, Mis.
Withdrawing certain abkári cases from the Magistrate's file without the Deputy Commissioner's sanction.—Letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, submitting the explanation of Mr. Norfor for, recorded with remark.	22nd „ „ 314, Mis.
Criminal appeal No. 344 of 1895 on the file of the High Court.—Copies of certain Board's Proceedings called for by the High Court, forwarded to the Registrar, High Court, Appellate Side. — Government Order communicating, with remarks, letter from the Government Pleader forwarding copy of judgment in, and also copy of report from the	30th „ „ 397, Mis. 20th April, „ 1759, Mis.

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ıte of *matter he making a search.* d Public Prosecutor a' peal against the,— part ment, communicating apa rtment, requesting the nt an appeal to the High ated to the Deputy Commis- —Government Order communi- ernment Pleader, Madras, stating ae, has been admitted by the High the Deputy Commissioner, Southern of the High Court reversing the, gment of the High Court in the appeal nunicated to the Deputy Commissioner, on.	20th Feb., No. 775, Mis. 1st April, „ 1377, Mis. 23rd May, „ 2154, Mis. 7th Aug., „ 3335, Mis. 21st Sept., „ 374.
e accused) in calendar case No. 185 *of* 1895 *on the Second-class Magistrate of Kattuparamba.*— ntion of the Collector of Malabar called to a ruling with reference to the, and remarked on the in the submission of the case for the orders of the ard.	10th Mar., „ 979, Mis.
ellikuppam abkári case.—Report on the representation of Messrs. Parry and Company addressed to Government on the subject of the, submitted.—Government Order concurring generally in the Board's remarks on Messrs. Parry and Company's letter on the subject of the, recorded.—Certain papers submitted by him in connection with the, returned to the Collector of South Arcot.	17th „ „ 1188, Mis. 3rd June, „ 2353, Mis. 24th Sept., „ 4001, Mis.
Legislative Council to be held on the 8th April 1896.—Certain queries to be put at the meeting of the, answered.	4th April, „ 1399, Mis.
Criminal appeal No. 33 *of* 1895 *on the file of the Sessions Court of South Canara.*—Government requested to instruct the Public Prosecutor to present an appeal to the High Court against the order of acquittal passed in,—Government Order requesting the Board to obtain and forward to Government the records in, communicated to the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, for very early attention.—The records called for, forwarded to the Under Secretary to Government, Judicial Department, and Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, requested to send exhibit marked A which is not found in the records forwarded by him.—Government Order stating that the Government Pleader will be instructed to present an appeal to the High Court against the order of the acquittal in, communicated to the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division.—Endorsement of Government communicating letter from the Government Pleader stating that an appeal has been admitted by the High Court and numbered as criminal appeal No. 257 of 1896, recorded.—Copy of the judgment of the High Court in criminal appeal No. 257 of 1896 and the records connected with it, forwarded to the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division.	5th „ „ 1447, Mis. 24th „ „ 1595, Mis. 3rd June, „ 2299, Mis. 13th July, „ 2921, Mis. 24th „ „ 3202, Mis. 17th Dec., „ 5176, Mis.

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Criminal appeal No. 3(*Magistrate, Narsapur.* Division, informed th acquittal in, is preclu is requested to explain ays Letter from the Deputy missioner submitting explanation of the Assistant nada Sub-division, for delay in applying n ment of the Deputy Magistrate of Narsap r koduru abkári case and in giving intimation of Original Suit No. 642 of 1895 on the file of th Munsif, Narsapur, recorded with remarks.—Lett the Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, rep that the Original Suit No. 642 of 1895 on the file o. District Munsif of Narsapur was dismissed as barred limitation and that copy of the judgment will be submitte on receipt, recorded.			
Tapping implements seized in illicit-tapping cases.—Further instructions in the matter of the return by the departmental officers to the accused of, issued.			
Government Order stating that in serious charges against the police and in cases when the facts or issues are complicated or difficult, the Commissioner of Police and the Presidency Magistrate should move Government to employ the services of the Crown Prosecutor and reminding heads of departments that the assistance of this officer in important cases instituted under their orders will be available on requisition to Government, communicated to Deputy Commissioners.	28th	,,	
Criminal appeal No. 223 *of* 1894 *on the file of the Joint Magistrate of Coimbatore and calender case No.* 31 *of* 1895 *on the file of the Second-class Magistrate, Erode.*—Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, requested to have the erroneous decisions in, brought to the notice of the District Magistrate of Coimbatore and report and explanation on the delay in submitting the cases for the orders of the Board, called for.—Remarked on the explanation of the Inspector, Erode Circle, for the delay in bringing to the notice of the Board the decisions of the Joint Magistrate of Coimbatore and the Second-class Magistrate of Erode in,	29th 14th July,	,, ,,	1773, M. 2956, M.
Criminal appeal No. 28 *of* 1895 *on the file of the Headquarters Deputy Magistrate of South Canara.*—Decided that it is not necessary to take any action in the matter of the acquittal in,	29th April,	,,	1774, Mis.
Calendar cases Nos. 353 *and* 354 *of* 1895 *on the file of the Second-class Magistrate of Negapatam.*—Orders passed on endorsement of the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, submitting letter from the Assistant Commissioner, Negapatam Sub-division, requesting orders as to the disposal of tapping implements in illicit-tapping cases when the Magistrates order their confiscation and give the accused the option of getting the implements back on payment of a fine proposed by the Inspector.	29th	,,	1810, Mis.
Calendar case No. 282 *of* 1895 *on the file of the Second-class Magistrate of Palamcottah.*—Orders passed on endorsement of the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, on letter from the Assistant Commissioner, Tinnevelly Sub-division, reporting on the acquittal in,	4th May,	,,	1814, Mis.

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Calendar cases Nos. 45 of 1896 and 539–541 of 1895 on the file of the Second-class Magistrate of Kasaragod.—Orders passed on letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, reporting on the acquittal in,	13th June, No. 2464, Mis.
Calendar case No. 71 of 1896 on the file of the Stationary Sub-Magistrate of Bellary charging certain toddy shopkeepers of having permitted gambling within the premises of their shops.—Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, informed that it is unnecessary to move the High Court for a retrial of the case in,	18th „ „ 2546, Mis
Judgment of the Stationary Second-class Magistrate of Ponnéri acquitting a certain peon of the Ennore Circle who was prosecuted under section 62 of Act I of 1886.—Stated that the Board is not prepared to prefer an appeal against the,	30th „ „ 2724, Mis
Cases of smuggling of dutiable goods detected at the time of the importers crossing the line of French frontier.—Certain officers of the Salt, Abkári and Customs department instructed that, should be dealt with under the Land Customs Act.—Certain officers of the Salt, Abkári and Customs department instructed that, though not dealt with departmentally should be entered in P.–21 but should not appear in P.–22.	8th July, „ 268. 7th Nov., „ 445.
Calendar case No. 190 of 1895 on the file of the Second-class Magistrate of Vellore.—Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, informed that the orders of the High Court setting aside the order of confiscation of ganja in, must be carried out.	31st July, „ 3223, Mis.
Acquittal judgment of the Joint Magistrate, Tellicherry, in the case of U. K. Krishnan, clerk of the Tellicherry Cutcherry, who was charged with criminal breach of trust.—Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, informed, with remarks, that no appeal need be made to the High Court against the,	3rd Aug., „ 3235, Mis.
Calendar case No. 437 of 1896 on the file of the Second-class Magistrate, Coimbatore Town.—Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, informed that it is not considered necessary to take further action in the matter of the acquittal in,	8th „ „ 3346, Mis.
Judgment of acquittal in calendar case No. 846 of 1895 passed by the Second-class Magistrate of Vallam, Tanjore district, in a case under section 174 of the Indian Penal Code wherein the accused was let off taking a technical objection to the section 58 of the Salt Act.—Government requested to instruct the Public Prosecutor to present an appeal to the High Court against the,—Government Order directing the Government Pleader to present an appeal to the High Court under section 417, Criminal Procedure Code, against the, communicated to the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division.	24th „ „ 3543, Mis. 28th Sept., „ 4033, Mis.
Whether the purchaser of toddy in cases of tree-foot sales should be prosecuted as abettor of the offence or not.—The Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, informed that the question of, should be left to the decision of the Collector and District Magistrate.	26th Aug., „ 3608, Mis.

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Calendar cases Nos. 374 *and* 376 *of* 1896 *on the file of the Second-class Magistrate, Sivakodu, Gódávari district.*—The attention of the Collector of Gódávari drawn to the erroneous view of the law held by the Second-class Magistrate in, Copy of letter from the District Magistrate of Gódávari, to the Registrar of the High Court, Madras, forwarding for the orders of the Judges of the High Court the records in, recorded.	18th Sept., No. 3945, Mis. 17th Nov., „ 4890, Mis.
Excavation of brine-pits and removal of brine therefrom.—Orders passed on copy of proceedings of the Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, on the question as to whether, should be treated as offences punishable under the Indian Salt Act, 1882.	20th Oct., „ 4357, Mis.
Criminal cases connected with Customs.—The Collector of Madura requested to state how many, have been tried by the Superintendent of Sea Customs, Pámban, in the last three years in his capacity of Sub-Magistrate.	4th Nov., „ 4619, Mis.
Case of alleged perjury brought against Assistant Inspector M.R.Ry. M. A. Mangesha Row.—M.R.Ry. P. Subramania Aiyar, Attorney-at-Law, requested by wire to object to Mr. Levy's report of June 1894 being read in evidence in the,	9th Dec., „ 5103, Mis.
Gódávari.—Letter from the Collector of, requesting that the godown clerk at the Sea Customs office, Cocanada, may be permitted to take legal proceedings against the Editor of *Desopakari* for making certain defamatory statements, submitted to Government with recommendation.	9th „ „ 5107, Mis.
LEASE.	
Manakkudi factory.—Government Order forwarding to the Board a signed copy of the notice to be served on the lessee of the, recorded.—Government Order informing Kuttayan Chetti, late lessee of the, that his request for the extension of the period of the lease of the factory cannot be complied with, recorded.	11th Jan., „ 110, Mis. 3rd July, „ 2769, Mis.
Surrender of the lease of the compound of the District Munsif's Court, Amalápuram.—Government Order resolving that, under the circumstances, the cost of compensating the lessee for his, be borne by Government in the Civil department and stating that the prohibitory orders with regard to the leasing of compounds of public buildings do not apply to grazing leases, recorded.	27th Jan., „ 353, Mis.
Leases to be granted to the licensees of Government factories and extensions.—Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, informed of the number of years for which the, is to be current and of the time from which the terms of the leases are to commence.—Orders passed on letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, requesting instructions in connection with the leases to be executed by the licensees of extensions Nos. I and II of the Kishnápatnam factory.—Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, informed that, should not be taken from manufacturers in factories which have recently come under the monopoly system.—Letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, inquiring	3rd Feb., „ 571, Mis. 16th Mar., „ 1106, Mis. 26th April, „ 1649, Mis. 13th May, „ 2030, Mis.

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whether manufacturers of the Chinna Ganjám factory should be required to execute leases for pans licensed to them on that factory, recorded.	
Arumuganéri and Kulasékarapatnam factories. — Reminder from Government regarding the explanation called for from Dr. W. E. Dhanakoti Raju as to why his lease of the, should not be determined, communicated to the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, and he is requested to expedite the explanation received from the lessee.—The explanation of Dr. W. E. Dhanakoti Raju, the lessee of the, showing cause why his lease of those factories should not be determined, submitted to Government with remarks —Dr. W. E. Dhanakoti Raju requested to state by what process he proposes to manufacture carbonate of soda and how much he intends to invest in the necessary apparatus. — Letter from Dr. W. E. Dhanakoti Raju explaining the process proposed to be adopted for the manufacture of carbonate of soda, submitted to Government with remarks. —Government Order directing that the lease of the, granted to Dr. W. E. Dhanakoti Raju need not now be interfered with, communicated to the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, and Assistant Commisioner, Tinnevelly Sub-division.—Messrs. Parry and Company informed that the death of Dr. W. E. Dhanakoti Raju does not determine the lease granted to him for the,	14th Mar., No. 1088, Mis. 6th April, „ 1458, Mis. 28th May, „ 2177, Mis. 13th July, „ 2918, Mis. 13th Aug., „ 3415, Mis. 13th „ „ 3416, Mis.
LEAVE.	
Mr. R. W. Kite, Assistant Commissioner.—Application of, for one year's leave on medical certificate, submitted for the favourable consideration and orders of Government.—Government Order sanctioning one year's furlough to, recorded.	10th Feb., „ 555, Mis. 20th „ „ 709, Mis.
Mr. J. H. Merriman, Deputy Commissioner, Central Division. — The Surgeon-General with the Government of Madras requested to bring, before a Medical Board in view to his being granted leave.—An application from, for one year's furlough on medical certificate, submitted to Government, Revenue Department, for favourable consideration and orders.—Government Order granting one year's furlough on medical certificate, communicated to,—Copy of Government Order requesting, to submit the explanation required by article 891 of the Civil Service Regulations in connection with the application for one year's furlough, submitted by him within three months from the date of his return from privilege leave, recorded.	10th „ „ 559, Mis. 20th „ „ 680, Mis. 7th Mar., „ 954, Mis. 6th „ „ 1022, Mis.
Mr. F. W. Ditmas.—Letter from, requesting that his furlough may be cancelled and, if necessary, converted into suspension, and that he may be granted arrears of pay for the period of suspension, forwarded to the Accountant-General, Madras, for transmission to Government, Revenue Department.—Government Order recording pending receipt of Board's Proceedings petition of, praying for the cancellation of his furlough, recorded.—Certain appointments in consequence of the restoration of, to the post of Assistant Commissioner, suggested to Government.—Sanction of Government for the payment to, of the difference of pay and exchange compensation allowance for the period during which he is considered to have been under suspension pending enquiry,	12th Feb., „ 596, Mis. 21st „ „ 708, Mis. 20th Mar., „ 1183, Mis. 5th May, „ 1855, Mis. 15th June, „ 2496, Mis.

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which suspension has been cancelled, solicited.—Government Order sanctioning the payment of the difference of pay and exchange compensation allowance, communicated to, for information and guidance.	
Amount of casual leave that can be granted at one time.—Orders passed on proceedings of the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, regarding the,	15th Feb., No. 625, Mis.
Casual leave.—Government Order stating that the word "year" means *calendar* year in paragraph 1 of G.O., No. 853, Financial, dated 17th October 1894, fixing the periods for which, can be granted, communicated to all Deputy and Assistant Commissioners, the Collector of Sea Customs, Madras, and the Superintendent of Stamps, Madras.	24th ,, ,, 82.
Mr. W. C. F. Leggatt.—Application from, for six months' special leave with effect from 6th April 1896, submitted to Government for favourable consideration.—Government Order sanctioning the special leave, communicated to.—Pointed out to Government that Mr. W. C. F. Leggatt's leave has not been gazetted and it is requested to issue certain erratum.—Informed that his suggestion to remain in England a short time beyond his leave on distillery inspection will be considered if it is decided not to get out a distillery expert from England.—Government Order issuing an erratum in regard to the leave granted to, recorded.—Government Order communicating extract from despatch from the Secretary of State granting extension of leave to, recorded.—Letter from, communicating copy of despatch from the Secretary of State sanctioning his deputation on special duty for one month in England and reporting the probable date of his return to India, recorded.—Government Order intimating that the Secretary of State for India has permitted, to return to duty within the period of his leave, recorded.—Letter from, requesting that the unexpired portion of his leave may be cancelled, forwarded to the Accountant-General, Madras.	11th Mar., ,, 1004, Mis. 21st ,, ,, 1337, Mis. 15th April, ,, 1503, Mis. 1st May, ,, 1808, Mis. 18th ,, ,, 2173, Mis. 26th Aug., ,, 3713, Mis. 8th Oct., ,, 4364, Mis. 30th ,, ,, 4680, Mis. 18th Dec., ,, 5187, Mis.
Mr. W. C. F. Leggatt, Assistant Commissioner, Chicacole Subdivision.—An appeal to His Excellency the Viceroy from, in the matter of the hardship caused by the new leave rules, submitted to Government for orders.—Letter from, requesting permission to withdraw his memorial to His Excellency the Viceroy, submitted to Government in continuation of Board's Proceedings, Mis. No. 1008, dated 10th March 1896.	10th Mar., ,, 1008, Mis. 14th April, ,, 1481, Mis.
M.R.Ry. P. Subramania Aiyar, Assistant Inspector, Calingapatam Circle.—Orders passed on the conduct of, in overstaying casual leave.	11th April, ,, 1502, Mis.
B. C. Kamarazu, Sub-Inspector.—Orders passed on the petition of, praying for two years' lien on his appointment or leave for that period to enable him to hold the appointment of Police Inspector.	21st ,, ,, 1566, Mis.
Extraordinary leave without allowances.—Memorandum of the Accountant-General drawing special attention to the rules regarding the grant of, only when no other leave is admissible by rule, communicated to the Collector of Sea Customs, Madras, Superintendent of Stamps and all Deputy and Assistant Commissioners for information and guidance.	27th ,, ,, 167.

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Mr. J. M. Simpson, Port officer, Mangalore.—Government Order, Revenue Department, on Government Order, Marine Department, granting leave for six months on medical certificate to, and approving the arrangements proposed for the conduct of the Port officer's duties, communicated to the Collector of South Canara.	4th May, No. 1844, Mis.
Mr. E. R. R. Mainwaring, Assistant Commissioner, Negapatam Sub-division.—Application of, for three months' privilege leave, submitted to Government for favourable consideration and orders.—Government Order sanctioning three months' privilege leave to, recorded.	19th „ „ 2050, Mis. 6th June, „ 2359, Mis.
Mr. Puddephatt, Second Appraiser, Madras Sea Custom House.—Accountant-General requested to report if, is entitled to the privilege leave for one month applied for.—One month's privilege leave to, granted.	19th May, „ 2065, Mis. 23rd „ „ 2142, Mis.
Mr. Kiernander, Head Appraiser, Madras Sea Custom House. The Accountant-General, Madras, requested to report if, is entitled to the one month's privilege leave applied for.	25th June, „ 2654, Mis.
Hospital leave granted to men of the Salt and Abkári Department.—The Accountant-General, Madras, informed that the Board has no information as to how, is treated and Deputy and Assistant Commissioners requested to report by return of post as to whether such leave granted to inferior servants has been treated as an interruption of service for privilege leave.—The Accountant-General, Madras, informed that there is no uniformity in the treatment of, and that the Board considers that such leave should not be treated as an interruption of service for privilege leave.	6th July, „ 2781, Mis. 14th Aug., „ 3429, Mis.
Manner in which the calculation of the leave earned, &c., is to be made in the case of officers to whom the Indian Services Leave rules are applicable during the earlier part of their service, but who at a later stage become entitled to leave under the European Services Leave rules.—Resolution of the Government of India prescribing the, communicated to the Collector of Sea Customs, Madras, and Superintendent of Stamps, Madras, and to all Deputy and Assistant Commissioners.—Endorsement of the Secretary to the Board of Revenue, Lower Provinces, forwarding for information correspondence regarding the, recorded with reference to Board's Proceedings, No. 299, dated 21st July 1896.	21st July, „ 299. 13th Aug., „ 3418, Mis.
M.R.Ry. A. Krishnaswami Iyengar Avargal, Assistant Commissioner, Trichinopoly Sub-division.—Application for two months' privilege leave from, submitted for the favourable consideration and early orders of Government.—Government Order sanctioning the leave applied for by, recorded.	13th Oct., „ 4226, Mis. 28th „ „ 4513, Mis.
Mr. C. J. M. Blake, Inspector.—Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, informed by wire that leave has been granted to, and directed to order Mr. W. E. Tremenheere to relieve him and to nominate a Sub-Inspector to act for Mr. Tremenheere.	5th Nov., „ 4578, Mis.
Mr. J. Brown, Inspector.—Government Order communicating extract from India Office despatch permitting, to return within the period of his leave, recorded.	6th „ „ 4678, Mis.

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Absence without leave for a few days of a public servant should be treated as casual leave moderate fines being imposed upon them for such absences.—Letter from the Accountant-General, Madras, inviting the attention of the Board to the ruling in a Government Order of 1873 under which, recorded.	24th Nov., No. 4901, Mis.
Sub-Inspector Ramasawmi Iyengar and Chelva Iyengar.—Sanction of Government to the grant of leave on loss of pay for one year with lien on their permanent appointments during that period to, for employment in the Mysore service, solicited.	19th Dec., ,, 5232, Mis.
LICENSE.	
Trichinopoly.—A license in counterfoil for the import by V. Dorasami Pillai and Maduranayagam Pillai of 4,800 tolas of poppy heads from Bangalore, forwarded to the Collector with remarks.	8th Jan., ,, 21, Mis.
Question of entrusting to Tahsildars the work of sanctioning the checkbundi of shops and issuing licenses, and to Divisional officers that of granting farmers' licenses.—Letter from the Collector of Ganjám reporting on the, recorded.—Letter from the Collector of Vizagapatam reporting on the, recorded.—Letter from the Collector of Tanjore reporting on the, recorded.—Letter from the Collector of North Arcot reporting on the, recorded.—Letter from the Collector of South Canara reporting on the, recorded.—Letter from the Collector of Salem reporting on the, recorded.—Letter from the Collector of South Arcot reporting on the, recorded.—Letter from the Collector of Chingleput reporting on the, recorded.—Letter from the Collector of Nellore reporting on the, recorded.—Letter from the Collector of Kurnool reporting on the, recorded.—Letter from the Collector of Anantapur reporting on the, recorded.—Letter from the Collector of Cuddapah reporting on the, recorded.—Letter from the Collector of Nilgiris reporting on the, recorded.—Letter from the Collector of Madura reporting on the, recorded.—Letter from the Collector of Kistna reporting on the, recorded.—Letter from the Collector of Gódávari reporting on the, recorded.—Letter from the Collector of Tinnevelly reporting on the, recorded.—The delegation to Divisional officers of the power of granting licenses for exclusive privileges and to Tahsildars and Deputy Tahsildars in independent charge that of sanctioning the checkbundi (limits) of shops and issuing abkári shop licenses, approved with remarks, and a notification on the subject submitted to Government.—Government Order approving and ordering the publication in the *Fort St. George Gazette* of the draft notification, communicated to all Collectors and the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division.—Collector of Cuddapah informed that Tahsildars and Deputy Tahsildars in independent charge may issue licenses for shops.	6th ,, ,, 51, Mis. 6th ,, ,, 52, Mis. 6th ,, ,, 53, Mis. 6th ,, ,, 54, Mis. 6th ,, ,, 55, Mis. 6th ,, ,, 56, Mis. 6th ,, ,, 59, Mis. 11th ,, ,, 167, Mis. 15th ,, ,, 261, Mis. 29th ,, ,, 459, Mis. 10th Feb., ,, 588, Mis. 10th ,, ,, 608, Mis. 10th ,, ,, 636, Mis. 17th ,, ,, 713, Mis. 24th ,, ,, 788, Mis. 10th Mar., ,, 1015, Mis. 23rd May, ,, 2172, Mis. 15th June, ,, 231. 15th Aug., ,, 327. 2nd Dec., ,, 4981, Mis.
Nellore.—Letter from the Collector reporting that the license of the opium renter of the Atmakúru taluk for 1895–96 has been cancelled on account of his conviction of an offence against the Opium Act I of 1878 and that the farm has been resold to another renter for the remaining portion of the lease, recorded.	10th Jan., ,, 162, Mis.

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Foreign liquor tavern licenses for the year 1896–97.—Government Order approving with remarks the draft notice for the sale of, recorded.	15th Jan., No. 164, Mis.
Draft notification regulating the issue of foreign liquor licenses during the year 1896–97.—Government Order approving and ordering the, to be published, communicated to all Collectors and the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division.	15th „ „ 10.
Practice of issuing T.T. licenses in the names of the tappers instead of the renters who employ them.—Orders passed on letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, reporting on a petition from certain toddy renters of the Cuddalore taluk complaining of the,	22nd „ „ 255, Mis.
Alleged delay in the issue of tree-tapping licenses in the Gódávari district.—Endorsement of the Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, on letter from the Assistant Commissioner, Cocanada Sub-division, reporting on the, recorded.	24th „ „ 293, Mis.
Tree-tapping licenses and permits.—Letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, agreeing with Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, in the matter of permitting Sub-Inspectors to deliver, through their peons in the presence of village munsifs, recorded.—Sub-Inspectors (in tracts in which they have been permitted to mark trees before receipt of licenses) permitted to have, delivered to the licensees through the departmental peons in the presence of village munsifs.—The suggestion of the Assistant Commissioner, Cocanada Sub-division, to authorise the delivery of T.T. 10s and 11s to the licensees in the presence of karnams during the absence of village munsifs, approved and stated that a sub-circular order will issue on the subject.	23rd „ „ 380, Mis. 7th Mar., „ 98. 3rd July, „ 3150, Mis
Tachanallúr distillery.—The renewal of the license for the year 1896–97, sanctioned.	8th Feb., „ 591, Mis.
Condition suggested by the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, regarding the location of arrack vend depôts in rooms separate from dwelling-houses.—Stated that the, will be inserted in the licenses to be printed for the lease 1896–97.	17th „ „ 635, Mis.
Abkári and opium licenses relating to 1896–97.—Copies of certain, submitted to Government for approval.—Government Order approving the, recorded.	18th „ „ 658, Mis. 8th Mar., „ 865, Mis.
License to open a private warehouse at Pódanúr during 1896–97.—Letter from the Collector of Coimbatore forwarding the application of the Manager of the Arcot Sugar Works and Distilleries for the grant of a, referred to the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, for very early report.—Orders passed on letter from the Collector of Coimbatore forwarding the application of the Manager of the Arcot Sugar Works and Distilleries for the grant of a,	24th Feb., „ 731, Mis. 13th Mar., „ 1059, Mis.
Conditions 16 *and* 19 *of the form of license to be issued to arrack shopkeepers in the agency tracts of the Gódávari district.*—The amendments proposed by the Collector to, approved with certain modifications.	20th Feb., „ 776, Mis.

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Forms of licenses to be granted to arrack shopkeepers and depôt-keepers in the Bandur taluk and in the Guntúr, Masulipatam and Bezwada towns, amended and submitted to Government for approval.—Government Order approving, as amended by the Board, the, communicated to the Collector of Kistna.	6th Mar., No. 905, Mis. 1st April, „ 1391, Mis.
Toddy farmer's license.—Orders passed on letter from the Collector of Cuddapah proposing that a condition similar to No. 9 of the lease executed by the lessee of Government toddy-yielding trees may be inserted in the,	9th Mar., „ 951, Mis.
Special licenses for the sale of rectified spirits by chemists and druggists.—Letter from the Collector of Anantapur stating that no, have been granted in the district during 1895–96, recorded.—Collector of Madura requested to report certain particulars in connection with the issue of the chemists and druggists' license.—Letter from the Collector of Bellary reporting on the working of the, recorded.—Letter from the Collector of Kurnool reporting that no, were issued during the year 1895–96, recorded.—Letter from the Collector of Kistna reporting that no, were issued in the district during the year 1895–96, recorded.—Letter from the Collector of Nilgiris reporting on the working of the, recorded.—Letter from the Collector of Vizagaptam reporting that no, were issued in the district during the year 1895–96, recorded.—Letter from the Collector of Trichinopoly reporting that no, were issued in the district during the year 1895–96, recorded.—Letter from the Collector of Salem reporting that no, were issued in the district during the year 1895–96, recorded.—Letter from the Collector of Ganjám reporting that no, were issued in the district during the year 1895–96, recorded.—Letter from the Collector of Coimbatore reporting on the working of the, recorded.—Letter from the Collector of Tanjore reporting on the working of the, during the year 1895–96, recorded.—Letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, reporting on the working of the, recorded.—Letter from the Collector of Malabar reporting on the working of the, recorded.—Letter from the Collector of Cuddapah stating that no, were issued in his district during 1895–96, recorded.—The Inspector, Madras Town Circle, requested to furnish particulars of the quantities of rectified spirits sold by chemists and druggists during the year 1895–96.—Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, informed that it is considered unnecessary to place restrictions on the possession of sherry brandy, &c., by chemists and druggists for pharmaceutical purposes.—Memorandum from Government requesting an early reply to Government Order calling for a report on the working of the, recorded.—Letter from the Collector of Gódávari reporting that no, were issued in the district during 1895–96, recorded.—Report on the working of the, submitted to Government.—Government Order deciding that the "Chemists and druggists' license" may be allowed to continue subject to certain amendments proposed by the Board in the form of the license, communicated to all Collectors and the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division.—The Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, requested to have condition 4 of the chemists and druggists' licenses issued to Messrs. W. E. Smith and Company amended so as to enable them to issue in one transaction up to three gallons of rectified spirits to Government Local Fund and Municipal hospitals.	19th „ „ 1181, Mis. 1st May, „ 1812, Mis. 30th April, „ 1822, Mis. 28th „ „ 1823, Mis. 28th „ „ 1824, Mis. 27th „ „ 1825, Mis. 27th „ „ 1826, Mis. 30th „ „ 1827, Mis. 4th May, „ 1983, Mis. 16th „ „ 2175, Mis. 19th „ „ 2176, Mis. 28th „ „ 2262, Mis. 28th „ „ 2263, Mis. 1st June, „ 2350, Mis. 1st „ „ 2351, Mis. 30th „ „ 2707, Mis. 14th July, „ 2971, Mis. 14th „ „ 2972, Mis. 11th June, „ 3007, Mis. 30th July, „ 3230, Mis. 20th Sept., „ 383. 25th „ „ 4052, Mis.

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Aska distillery.—The renewal of the license for the year 1896–97, sanctioned.	20th Mar., No. 1198, Mis.
North Arcot.—Collector informed by wire of the amount to be entered in condition 2 of the license for the private warehouse at Rénigunta.	30th „ „ 1339, Mis.
Rungarazulu Naidu, Proprietor of the Madura distillery, referred to the Collector of Madura for permission to prepare wash in anticipation of formal license.	30th „ „ 1345, Mis.
Hajee Omer Bin Meanjee Sait and Company.—A license in duplicate authorising, to import opium from Indore, forwarded to the Collector of Nilgiris to be forwarded to,—Collector of Nilgiris informed that licenses for the import of opium from Bombay cannot be granted.	31st „ „ 1357, Mis. 4th May, „ 1813, Mis
Mutturagunádapatnam factory.—Orders passed on letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, requesting orders as to the disposal of license No. 138 of the, which stands in the names of two individuals, of whom one has been convicted under section 74 (*a*) of the Salt Act.—Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, informed that condition 30 of the excise license need not be enforced in the case of a certain licensee of the, who had been convicted in a petty case under the Salt Act.	21st April, „ 1569, Mis. 5th July, „ 2783, Mis.
Term toddy occurring in the licenses for the lease 1895–96.—Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, informed with remarks that the, will be suitably modified in the licenses to be printed for the lease 1896–97.—Letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, reporting why action was not taken against a certain licensee for breach of condition 3 of the toddy shopkeeper's license, recorded.	26th April, „ 1690, Mis. 14th July, „ 2959, Mis.
Mariappa Gramany.—Copy of proceedings of the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, ordering the removal of the name of, from the license of toddy shop No. 215, recorded.	9th May, „ 1968, Mis.
M.R.Ry. M. Ramoji Row.—Collector of Nilgiris informed that a foreign liquor retail license for the year 1896–97 may be issued to,	23rd May, „ 2156, Mis.
Special license for the supply of Colombo arrack to hospitals.—Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, informed that he may grant Messrs. Spencer and Company of Madras a, if they consent to pay such fee as may be fixed hereafter and requested to report the quantity likely to be supplied to the hospitals under the special license and the price charged per gallon.—The recommendation of the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, that a fee of Rs. 5 may be levied for a, approved.	12th June, „ 2430, Mis. 23rd July, „ 3086, Mis.
The insertion of a condition in the opium vendors' license requiring the use of brass weights in shops similar to those used in treasuries.—The proposal of the Collector of Kistna for, disapproved.	18th June, „ 2528, Mis.
Collector of Kistna informed with remarks that he is competent to authorise his Divisional officers to grant licenses to independent shopkeepers and fine them for breach of the conditions of the license.	23rd „ „ 2620, Mis.

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Arrack and other licenses for 1896–97.—Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, informed with remarks that the conditions of, have received the approval of Government and that a certain case may be prosecuted as directed by the Collector of Tanjore.	2nd July, No. 2748, Mis.
The insertion of a condition in the opium vendors' license requiring them to provide themselves with pair of scales and weights stamped by the district stamping establishment.—The proposal of the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division for, disapproved.	9th ,, ,, 2846, Mis.
Form of license to be granted to toddy shop licensees in the Madras Town Circle for the lease 1896–97, submitted to Government for its approval.—Government Order approving, with remark, communicated to the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, for information and guidance.—A copy of Board's Proceedings, Mis. No. 2920, dated 14th July 1896, forwarded to the Inspector, Madras Town Circle, as requested.	14th ,, ,, 2920, Mis. 23rd ,, ,, 3099, Mis. 6th Aug., ,, 3287, Mis.
Tanjore.—The Collector of, informed that he may grant a special license to one Aiyavu Mudali of Kumbakónam, a foreign liquor retail licensee during 1895–96, authorising him to transfer the stock of foreign liquor with him to a licensed dealer in one transaction.	14th July, ,, 2963, Mis.
Form of opium license in force in the agency tracts.—Collector of Gódávari requested to forward a copy of the Chódavaramu Sub-Magistrate's judgment in a certain opium case and to submit two copies of the opium license forms in use at the time in the agency tracts of the district and the Collectors of Ganjám and Vizagapatam requested to submit copies of the, of their districts.—Letters from the Collectors of Ganjám and Vizagapatam replying to Board's Proceedings, Mis. No. 2964, dated 14th July 1896, recorded.—Letter from the District Magistrate of Gódávari forwarding copy of judgment in calender case No. 35 of 1894 on the file of the Chódavaramu Sub Magistrate, recorded.—Copies of the Chódavaramu Sub-Magistrate's judgment and of the forms of license issued in the agency tracts, submitted to Government with remarks.	14th ,, ,, 2964, Mis. 8th Aug., ,, 3334, Mis. 18th Sept., ,, 4089, Mis. 30th Nov., ,, 4962, Mis.
Formal exemption from the liability to have their licenses cancelled under section 27 of the Salt Act.—Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, informed that the Board sees no reason to grant the excise licensees in factories where the stocks are unduly large.	21st July, ,, 3051, Mis.
Malabar—Draft forms of abkári licenses to be issued for the lease beginning from 1st October 1896, submitted to Government with the request to communicate its approval of them to the Collector direct and the Collector requested to see that all necessary alterations are carried out in certain other license-forms which have already received the approval of Government in the shape of sale notices.—Letter and telegram from the Collector, requesting to pass early orders on his letter submitting, for approval, recorded.—Government Order approving the, recorded.	23rd ,, ,, 3083, Mis. 28th ,, ,, 3161, Mis. 3rd Aug., ,, 3279, Mis.
The insertion of a clause in form T. T. 10d (a) sweet-toddy license to the effect that when the tapping of sweet-toddy trees is given up, the spathes should be cut off and the fact reported	30th July, ,, 3199, Mis.

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to the Range Sub-Inspector.—Orders passed on endorsement of the Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, on letter from the Assistant Commissioner, Cocanada Sub-division, suggesting,	
Gódávari.—Collector requested by wire to send two sets of draft abkári license forms to be used for the next lease with a set of amended notices of sales.—Collector requested by wire to send English translations of such of the abkári licenses for the lease 1896–97 as require approval of Government.	8th Aug., No. 3311, Mis. 25th „ „ 3559, Mis.
T. T. licenses.—Deputy Commissioners requested to report on certain matters connected with the issue of,—Letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, submitting his views on the subject, recorded.—Letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, submitting his views on certain matters connected with the issue of, recorded.	10th „ „ 3355, Mis. 19th Oct., „ 4548, Mis. 17th Dec., „ 5308, Mis.
Kistna.—Certain abkári license forms amended and returned to the Collector and copies of them submitted to Government with the request that its approval of them may be communicated to the Collector direct at an early date.—Government Order approving the license forms, recorded.	21st Aug., „ 3533 Mis. 1st Sept., „ 369
Ganjám factory.—Orders passed on letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, requesting instructions as to whether a formal license may be issued to one Gangathara Sahathu for certain pans relinquished by Abhimanya Biswah in the,	27th Aug., „ 3610, Mis.
Polavaram factory.—Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, informed that the Board is not prepared to adopt his suggestion to cancel the license of one V. Kamaswaran of the, for influencing certain ignorant licensees to affix their marks to a petition for increased kudivaram.	24th „ „ 3617, Mis.
Certain license forms relating to the Gódávari district for the lease 1896–97, submitted to Government with the request to wire its approval to the Collector direct.—Government Order approving, recorded.	12th Sept., „ 3843, Mis. 24th „ „ 4160, Mis.
Grant of an occasional foreign liquor license for the sale of liquor at a race meeting for seventeen days.—Orders passed on letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, regarding the,	25th „ „ 4015, Mis.
License for the monopoly of sale of the fullers-earth for five years in certain parts of the Madura district.—Anantha Ramachandra Baghavathar and Kamunadi Kristnasami Aiyar informed that a, cannot be granted under the Madras Salt Act.	25th „ „ 4017, Mis.
Messrs. Muni Hoochanna and Company.—Collector of North Arcot informed that, may be granted a wholesale license for the sale of foreign liquor not to be consumed on the premises to licensed dealers only which will cover the sale of beer.	26th „ „ 4045, Mis.
Mr. Mengel, Proprietor of the Dindigul Club.—Collector of Madura requested to submit a copy of the rules of the Club stated to have been started at Dindigul by,—The	5th Oct., „ 4185, Mis. 13th Nov., „ 4720, Mis.

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issue to, of a special license for the sale of foreign liquor to the members of the Club and their guests, sanctioned with remarks.	
Deputy Tahsildars in independent charge may be empowered to suspend foreign liquor and beer tavern licenses in case where it is directed to resell the privileges for default in payment of kist.—The Collector of Nilgiris informed that his proposal that, will be adopted when revising the licenses for the next year.	14th Oct., No. 4237, Mis.
Licensing trees in British territory for export of toddy to Mysore.—Inspector, Madanapalle Circle, informed by wire that trees can only be marked on the application of the local shopkeepers who must obtain permits from the Collector for the exportation of toddy to Mysore.	13th ,, ,, 4253, Mis.
Issue of monopoly licenses in the Kanuparti factory and in the factories of the Vayalur and Ennore Circles.—Letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, reporting the progress made in the, recorded with remarks.	19th Nov., ,, 4787, Mis.
Proposals for regulating the issue of foreign liquor licenses for the year 1897-98, submitted to Government.	22nd ,, ,, 469.
Permits for transport and licenses for possession of country spirits up to a limit of 500 gallons.—The proposal of the Collector of Gódávari to authorise Deputy Tahsildars in the district to issue, approved.	29th ,, ,, 4933, Mis.
Delay in the delivery of abkári licenses in the Bezwada taluk.—Letter from the Collector of Kistna reporting the cause of, recorded with remarks.	3rd Dec., ,, 4997, Mis.
T.T. licenses issued in each district under clause (1), Rule 1 of the T.T. rules since the introduction of the T.T. system.—The Assistant Commissioners and the Inspector, Madras Town Circle, requested to report at once to the Board direct the number of,—Letter from the Inspector, Madras Town Circle, reporting the number of, recorded.	7th Nov., ,, 5027, Mis. 23rd Dec., ,, 5267, Mis.
Licenses or permits granted to tradesmen to purchase opium in Malwa or Rajputana.—Government Order forwarding, for compliance, letter from the General Superintendent of Operations for the suppression of Thagi and Dacoity requesting to furnish the extra Assistant to the General Superintendent, Thagi and Dacoity Department at Indore, in future with a copy of all, recorded.	4th ,, ,, 5102, Mis.
Condition 8 of the arrack wholesale vendors' license.—Collector of Tinnevelly informed that, will be modified so as to restrict the limit of half a gallon to sales to others than wholesale vendors.	11th ,, ,, 5123, Mis.
Licenses for the sale of rum manufactured at sugar refineries in the Presidency.—Certain information regarding the rules for the grant of, submitted to Government.	12th ,, ,, 5162, Mis.
The rule that sweet-toddy licenses in Gódávari shall be issued from the 1st January of each year.—Recommendation of the Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, that, may be relaxed as a special case at present and that licenses may be allowed to be issued from any date prior to 1st January next, approved with remarks.	14th ,, ,, 5183, Mis.

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Spirits imported up to date by the Mangalore distillers from Ceylon.—Collector of South Canara requested to report by wire the proof quantity of, and likely to be so imported before the close of the current and ensuing official years.—Telegram from the Collector of South Canara reporting the proof quantity of, recorded.—Government Order communicating to the Accountant-General certain correspondence regarding the amount to be adjusted from Imperial to Provincial on account of certain importation of country spirits into South Canara, recorded.—Collector of South Canara requested to report whether any quantities of country spirits were imported from Ceylon by the excise arrack-supply contractors after the 8th January 1896, and if so, to specify the quantities and the dates of importation.—Accountant-General informed that the amount to be adjusted from Imperial to Provincial account of one-fourth duty on country spirits imported into South Canara is only Rs. 824.	7th Jan., No. 4, Mis. 18th ,, ,, 264, Mis. 3rd Feb., ,, 476, Mis. 4th June, ,, 2322, Mis. 16th ,, ,, 2502, Mis.
Issue of spirits from the Yedtare sub-still direct to the Baindur depôt.—Stated that the, cannot be permitted.	8th Jan., ,, 31, Mis.
Malabar—Failure of arrack supply.—Letter from the Collector of, informing that the arrack-supply contractor has been fined Rs. 1,900 for failure to supply arrack and reporting the state of supply in the district from the 1st December 1895, recorded.—Government Order recording Board's Proceedings passing orders on the letter from the Collector of Malabar regarding the failure of the arrack-supply contractor to maintain an adequate stock of spirits, recorded.—The arrack-supply contractor, Malabar, requested to explain why he has not complied with the orders of the Collector of Malabar for the re-opening of the Korapuzha distillery.—Letter from M.R.Ry. T. Ratnaswamy Nadar, arrack-supply contractor, Malabar, stating that arrangements are being made for the re-opening of the Korapuzha distillery, communicated to the Collector of Malabar.—The fine of Rs. 1,900 imposed on M.R.Ry. T. Ratnaswamy Nadar, arrack-supply contractor, Malabar, for failure of supply in the months of October and November 1895, remitted.	8th ,, ,, 58, Mis. 16th ,, ,, 258, Mis. 25th Feb., ,, 736, Mis. 6th Mar., ,, 883, Mis. 6th April, ,, 1471, Mis.
Advisability or otherwise of prohibiting the issue of spirits from distilleries and warehouses to independent shops if the liquor is to be transported either from or through a tract in which a higher rate of duty is levied than that in force in the district in which the shop is situated.—Letter from the Collector of Nellore reporting on the, recorded.—Letter from the Collector of Chingleput reporting on the, recorded.—Letter from the Collector of Kurnool reporting on the, recorded.—Letter from the Collector of Coimbatore reporting on the, recorded.—Letter from the Collector of Madura reporting on the, recorded.—Letter from the Collector of North Arcot reporting on the, recorded.—Letter from the Collector of Tanjore reporting on the, recorded.—Letter from the Collector of Bellary reporting on the, recorded.—Letter from the Collector of Cuddapah reporting on the, recorded.—Letter from the Collector of Tinnevelly reporting on the, recorded.—Letter from the Collector of Anantapur reporting on the, recorded.—Letter from the Collector of Trichinopoly reporting on the, recorded.—Letter from the Collector of Salem reporting on the, recorded.—Letter from the Collector of Nilgiris reporting on the, recorded.	9th Jan., ,, 67, Mis. 11th ,, ,, 166, Mis. 19th ,, ,, 407, Mis. 23rd ,, ,, 408, Mis. 27th ,, ,, 460, Mis. 1st Feb., ,, 600, Mis. 10th ,, ,, 601, Mis. 6th ,, ,, 607, Mis. 10th ,, ,, 614, Mis. 17th ,, ,, 690, Mis. 22nd ,, ,, 720, Mis. 6th Mar., ,, 922, Mis. 4th ,, ,, 923, Mis. 26th ,, ,, 1723, Mis.

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Messrs. Parry and Company's warehouse at Arkonam.—Stated that the storing of spirits in casks in the, beyond the sanctioned period and the great delay in providing vats are unsatisfactory, the suggestion of the Assistant Commissioner, Arcot Sub-division, to stop all transactions in the, if vats, &c., are not provided within 31st January 1896, accepted, and orders passed on the request of the Manager, Arcot Sugar Works and Distilleries, Ránipéttai, to grant him the concession of storing spirits in casks in certain warehouses proposed to be established.—Sanction accorded to the issue of liquor from casks for ten days only and Assistant Commissioner, Arcot Sub-division, requested to explain why certain vats in the, were not gauged.—The issue of liquor from casks in, until 20th April 1896, permitted.—The issue of liquor from casks at, until the end of April 1896, sanctioned.—Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, informed that it is not necessary to frame any rule embodying the Arcot Assistant Commissioner's suggestion that distillers and warehousekeepers should be required to give one month's notice of the date of completion of the gauging of vats, &c.—Assistant Commissioner, Arcot Sub-division, requested to report by return of post whether any further extension of time for issuing liquor from casks in, should be granted and stated that issues may continue to be made from casks in the warehouse till receipt of orders on his report.—An extension of the permission granted for the issue of liquor from casks at the Arkonam warehouse up to the 15th May, sanctioned.—Letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, reporting that the calculation of the tables of the capacities of the vats in, has been completed and passed, recorded with remarks.—Letter from the Assistant Commissioner, Arcot Sub-division, reporting on the arrangements made for locking up the vats in, and issue of liquor therefrom, recorded.	11th Jan., No. 108, Mis. 27th Mar., ,, 1323, Mis. 5th April, ,, 1400, Mis. 10th ,, ,, 1431, Mis. 21st ,, ,, 1597, Mis. 30th ,, ,, 1728, Mis. 8th May, ,, 1897, Mis. 18th July, ,, 3028, Mis. 1st Sept., ,, 3809, Mis.
Messrs. Parry and Company's claim to the refund of the value of, and the excise duty on, certain quantity of spirits alleged to have been lost in certain consignments through delay in the verification of the same.—Reconsideration of its decision in the matter of, declined.—Report in the matter of, submitted to Government.—Government Order declining to interfere in the matter of, recorded.	10th Jan., ,, 129, Mis. 10th Mar., ,, 980, Mis. 29th April, ,, 1862, Mis.
Issue of country spirits from the Ránipéttai distillery required by Messrs. Parry and Company.—Orders passed on a reference from the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, as to whether certain information about the, can be given them.	18th Jan., ,, 213, Mis.
Collectors requested to draw the special attention of officers appointed to verify consignments of arrack to the instructions on the subject, to see that they thoroughly understand their work and to direct such of them as do not to take instructions from Circle officers.	28th ,, ,, 40.
Gódávari district.—Copy of Northern Division Deputy Commissioner's report on the concentration of arrack manufacture in the, recorded.	30th ,, ,, 402, Mis.
Spirits imported in bulk and bottled locally.—Secretary to the Board of Revenue, Lower Provinces of Bengal, and the Commissioner of Customs, Salt, Opium and Abkári, requested to state whether, are required to bear any special	6th Feb., ,, 510, Mis. 6th ,, ,, 511, Mis 26th ,, ,, 750, Mis. 20th Mar., ,, 1219, Mis.

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label, and if so, to forward a sample of the label.—Government Order requesting the Board to ascertain and report whether in Bombay and Calcutta whether, are required to bear any special label, recorded.—Letter from the Commissioner of Customs, Salt, Opium and Abkári, Bombay, forwarding a copy of the rules relating to the bottling of spirits, recorded.—The practice obtaining in Bombay and Calcutta regarding the requirement that, shall bear a special label, reported to Government.—Commissioner of Customs, Salt, Opium and Abkári, Bombay, requested to state whether foreign liquor vendors who import foreign liquor and bottle it elsewhere than in a customs bonded warehouse are required to affix special labels to bottles.—Government Order awaiting the result of the further reference made in regard to, bearing a special label, recorded.—Reported to Government that importers of foreign liquor in Bombay who bottle the liquor elsewhere than in a customs bonded warehouse are required to affix printed labels to the bottles giving their names and stating that the liquor was bottled in Bombay.—Government Order requesting the Board to consider the question of imposing some such restriction as that in force in Bombay and Calcutta in regard to, recorded.	20th Mar., No. 1220, Mis. 17th April, „ 1534, Mis. 6th May, „ 1874, Mis. 13th July, „ 2950, Mis.
Kurnool.—Sanction to store spirit in casks in the Markapur excise depôt during the month of March 1896, accorded, and the Collector requested to see that an adequate supply of arrack is maintained in the Cumbum and Markapur taluks from April next.	13th Feb., „ 666, Mis.
South Canara.—Orders passed on letter from the Collector of, regarding the disposal of arrack which remained unsold in certain arrack shops in the old and new excise areas of the district at the commencement of the current lease.—Government Order approving Board's Proceedings, Mis. No. 674, recorded.—The royalty of one anna per gallon to be paid to the South Canara excise contractors on the liquor sealed at the end of the lease 1894–95 in some of the shops, approved with remarks.	13th „ „ 674, Mis. 30th Mar., „ 1365, Mis. 7th May, „ 1906, Mis.
Wine used for sacramental purposes at the convents in the Presidency.—The Revd. Mother Superior of the Convent of St. Thomas, Mylapore, requested to state when, by whom and in what method, is manufactured and what quantity of it is annually used in the four convents and to forward two quart bottles of the average wine used in the convents.—Letter from the Revd. Mother Superior of the Convent of St. Thomas, Mylapore, furnishing certain information called for regarding, submitted to Government with remarks.—Government Order declining to accede to the request of the Revd. Mother, recorded.	26th Feb., „ 747, Mis. 10th Mar., „ 985, Mis. 21st April, „ 1760, Mis.
H. Madhawa Rao, wholesale depôt-keeper, Kosgi, permitted to supply arrack from his wholesale depôt to the arrack shops of Kosgi firka.	26th Feb., „ 758, Mis.
Transport of liquor from one part of the Nizam's territory to another through intervening British territory.—Certain Board's Proceedings on the subject of the, communicated to the Collectors concerned and Deputy Commissioners, Northern and Central Divisions.	7th Mar., „ 87.

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Cashew arrack.—Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, informed that no notification has ever been published prohibiting the manufacture of, in the South Canara district and the destruction of all cashew liquor in the possession of individuals or licensees and of all implements and utensils used in its manufacture, directed.	9th Mar., No. 963, Mis.
Verification of consignments of spirits from one depôt to another.—Orders passed on letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, requesting certain instructions in the matter of, and suggesting certain modifications in the condition of the wholesale depôt license.—Orders passed on endorsement of the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, submitting letter from the Collector of Tinnevelly soliciting instructions in the matter of the,	10th ,, ,, 998, Mis. 30th July, ,, 3190, Mis.
Responsibility of distillers in issuing spirits to wrong individuals.—Messrs. Parry and Company, Madras, referred to Rules Nos. 62 and 63 of the Distillery and Warehouse rules in the matter of the,	10th Mar., ,, 999, Mis.
Disposal of stocks of liquor in the renters' depôts and in shops on the night of the 31st March 1896 in certain tracts in which the rate of excise duty on country spirits is to be enhanced from 1st April 1896.—The attention of the officers concerned drawn to the detailed instructions issued in Board's Proceedings, Mis. No. 607, dated 4th March 1890, as to the,	13th ,, ,, 1058, Mis.
Tadpatri distillery.—Letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, reporting on the consumption of arrack in the vend farms held by the proprietors of the, recorded.	16th ,, ,, 1115, Mis.
Deputy Commissioners requested to ascertain and report whether spirits flavoured or coloured in the distilleries in their divisions and issued to foreign liquor vendors resemble gin, brandy, whisky or rum or whether the liquor is not distingnishable from ordinary arrack. — Letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, reporting that the spirits flavoured or colored and issued to foreign liquor vendors in the Aska distillery resemble gin, brandy, &c., and that no spirits flavoured or coloured were ever issued from the Vizagapatam distillery, recorded.—Orders passed on reports from Deputy Commissioners on the practice obtaining at distilleries in the matter of colouring or flavouring spirits intended for issue to licensed vendors of foreign liquor.	21st ,, ,, 1233, Mis. 28th May, ,, 2261, Mis. 5th Aug., ,, 3275, Mis.
Supply of arrack from a depôt in one vend area to the shops in another.—Collector of Ganjám informed with remarks that the practice of allowing the, should be discontinued in his district.	24th Mar., ,, 1281, Mis.
Bellary district.—Supply of liquor direct from the wholesale depôt at Harpanahalli to the shops of Alagilavada and Arasikeri firkas, sanctioned.	31st ,, ,, 1366, Mis.
Limit of error allowed in the case of the issue strength of liquor.—Malabar Collector's recommendation to alter the, in Malabar excise depôts from 1° to 3°, approved.	29th April, ,, 1749, Mis.
Ráyápettai distillery.—The Manager, Arcot Sugar Works and Distilleries, directed to forward a report through the Assistant Commissioner, Arcot Sub-division, as to the concession	9th May, ,, 1915, Mis. 11th ,, ,, 1931, Mis. 13th ,, ,, 2014, Mis.

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requested by him for the use of casks in charging the rectifying still at the,—Distillery officer, Ránipéttai, instructed by wire to permit for a week rectificators in the, to be charged from casks and Mr. Stranack requested to forward to the Board's office the cost of the telegram.—Letter from Mr. Stranack acknowledging the receipt of a copy of Board's Proceedings, Mis. No. 1931, dated 11th May 1896, recorded.—Letter from the Manager, Arcot Sugar Works and Distilleries, acknowledging with thanks the receipt of the Board's telegram permitting the rectificators at the, being charged from casks for a week, recorded.—The extension of the period of one week for charging the rectifying still at the, from casks to one month, sanctioned with remark.—Copy of letter from the Assistant Commissioner, Arcot Sub-division, to the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, submitting with remarks copy of letter from the Manager, Arcot Sugar Works, requesting permission for the weak liquor being transferred from vats to casks and casks to still temporarily, recorded.—Declined with remarks to grant any further extension of the period of one month, sanctioned in Board's Proceedings, Mis. No. 2145, dated 23rd May 1896.—Orders passed on letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, submitting with remarks the letter of the Manager, Arcot Sugar Works and Distilleries, protesting against his order in regard to the removal of certain metal tanks in the,—Letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, reporting on the means adopted for charging the rectifying still with spirits in the, recorded.	13th May, No. 2015, Mis. 23rd „ „ 2145, Mis. 19th „ „ 2146, Mis. 6th July, „ 2782, Mis. 24th „ „ 3127, Mis. 17th Oct., „ 4469, Mis.
Messrs. Veerabhadrappa and Company's distillery at Bellary.—Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, requested to withdraw his order prohibiting the manufacture and issue of foreign liquor at,	19th May, „ 1988, Mis.
Kistna.—Messrs. Parry and Company informed that due notice will be given them if the Board decides to renew their arrack monopoly supply contract in,	16th „ „ 2024, Mis.
Issues to independent shops beyond the district of issue.—The Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, informed that the Vepery Distillery officer should be directed to advise, in form D-18 pending receipt of further orders from the Board.	18th „ „ 2038, Mis.
Issues from the Vepery and Tondiarpet distilleries to independent shops outside the town (including the four outside shops).—A statement of, forwarded to the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, with instructions to get it scrutinised with a view to ascertain whether there is ground for suspecting malpractices in the case of such issues.—Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, requested to furnish a statement containing shopwar details of the spirits issued from the Tondiarpet distillery to independent arrack shops in the Cuddalore Circle during the year 1895-96.	18th „ „ 2039, Mis. 14th Oct., „ 4274, Mis.
Falling off in the consumption of country spirits in certain districts.—Certain Collectors requested to report the causes for the difference which has taken place since 1883-84 in the drinking habits of the population of their districts.—Letter from the Collector of Anantapur reporting on the, recorded.—Letter from the Collector of the Nilgiris explaining the, in the district, recorded.—Letter from the Collector of Kurnool explaining the, in the district and	22nd May, „ 168. 18th July, „ 3036, Mis. 11th Aug., „ 3374, Mis. 21st „ „ 3528, Mis. 11th Sept., „ 3940, Mis. 20th „ „ 4064, Mis. 19th „ „ 4466, Mis. 7th Oct., „ 4471, Mis.

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forwarding an extract of it to the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, recorded.—Letter from the Collector of Cuddapah explaining the, in the district, recorded.—Letter from the Collector of Chingleput explaining the, in the district, recorded.—Letter from the Collector of Bellary explaining the, in the district, recorded.—Letter from the Collector of Coimbatore explaining the, in the district, recorded.—Letter from the Collector of Madura reporting the cause for the, in the district, recorded.	16th Dec., No. 5168, Mis.
Supply of Colombo arrack to hospitals.—Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, informed that he may grant Messrs. Spencer and Company a special license for the, if they consent to pay such fee as may be fixed hereafter and requested to report the quantity likely to be supplied to the hospitals under the special license and the price charged per gallon.—The recommendation of the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, that a fee of Rs. 5 may be levied for a special license for the sale of foreign liquor to be issued to Messrs. Spencer and Company, Madras, approved.	12th June, „ 2430, Mis. 23rd July, „ 3086, Mis.
Kurnool.—Collector requested to remark fully in the D.-22 statement for May 1896 on the variations in the consumption of country spirits in the several taluks and specially as to how matters stand in the Cumbum and Markapur taluks.	12th June, „ 2442, Mis.
Balance of toddy arrack remaining with the last year's renters in Bandar and Répalle taluks.—Letter from the Collector of Kistna reporting that the, will be re-verified and the result communicated, recorded with remark.	23rd „ „ 2618, Mis.
Anantapur.—Letter from the Collector of, reporting on the consumption of arrack in the Roddam range during 1894–95 and 1895–96, recorded.	1st July, „ 2715, Mis.
The liquor washings of the bottles and flasks at the Madras Sea Customs.—Directed that, shall in future be destroyed.	3rd „ „ 2762, Mis.
Tanjore.—The Collector of, informed that he may grant a special license to Aiyavu Mudali of Kumbakónam, a foreign liquor retail licensee during 1895–96, authorising him to transfer the stock of foreign liquor with him to a licensed dealer in one transaction.	14th „ „ 2963, Mis.
Kistna district.—The tender of Messrs. Parry and Company for the supply of country spirits to the excise tracts of the, for the year ending 30th September 1897, accepted, and the Collector informed by wire.—Collector of Kistna requested to report whether Messrs. Parry and Company's deposit of Rs. 5,000 in respect of their abkári contract for the current lease may be transferred to their contract for the next lease, and the Assistant Commissioner, Negapatam Sub-division, directed to instruct the Distillery officer, Nellikuppam, to issue spirits under bond against the next lease in Kistna.—Messrs. Parry and Company informed that their deposit for the current lease cannot be transferred for their next contract before the close of the current lease.	15th Aug., „ 321. 19th „ „ 3473, Mis. 21st Sept., „ 3981, Mis.
Decrease in the consumption of country spirits during 1895–96.—Collectors of Cuddapah, Anantapur, Bellary and South Arcot requested to report whether the, was due to high	15th „ „ 3897, Mis. 17th Oct., „ 5794, Mis. 16th „ „ 5795, Mis.

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prices charged by wholesale vendors in their districts, and if so, whether steps were taken to check the tendency of wholesale vendors to charge exorbitant prices.—Letter from the Collector of South Arcot reporting on the, recorded.—Letter from the Collector of Bellary reporting on the, recorded.—Letter from the Collector of Anantapur reporting on the, recorded.—Letter from the Collector of Cuddapah reporting on the, recorded.	28th Oct., No. 6011, Sub. 2nd Dec., „ 6509, Sub.
"*Strong spirit.*".—Copy of proceedings of the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, explaining to the Assistant Commissioner, Tinnevelly Sub-division, the correct meaning of, referred to in Board's Proceedings, Mis. No. 740, dated 16th February 1894, recorded with remarks.	16th Sept., „ 3927, Mis.
Gódávari.—The proposals of the Collector of, for sealing up of the surplus stock of toddy arrack in the district at the end of the current lease and for issues being made therefrom during the first few months of the next lease, approved.—Government Order approving the instructions issued, communicated to the Collector of Gódávari, Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, and Assistant Commissioner, Cocanada Sub-division.	21st Sept., „ 375. 16th Oct., „ 419.
Kistna.—Orders passed on letter from the Collector of, regarding the surplus stocks of toddy arrack in the Bandur, Répalle and Bápatla taluks at the end of the current lease.—Government Order approving the instructions issued, communicated to the Collector of Kistna.	21st Sept., „ 376. 19th Oct., „ 422.
The attention of the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, drawn to certain Board's Proceedings permitting the distillers at Ránipéttai to remove molasses to the Suramangalam distillery.	22nd Sept., „ 4030, Mis.
Decrease in the consumption of jaggery arrack in the Mangalore taluk during the current year.—Copy of proceedings of the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, requesting the Assistant Commissioner, Calicut Sub-division, to submit a detailed report on the, recorded.	5th Oct., „ 4305, Mis.
Compulsory verification of consignments of arrack transported from wholesale depôts to arrack vend depôts.—Decided that it is unnecessary to maintain the,—Board's Proceedings, No. 414, dated 9th October 1896, recorded by Government.	9th „ „ 414. 28th Nov., „ 5136, Mis.
Falling off in the issues of foreign liquor from the Tadpatri distillery. — Endorsement of the Collector of Anantapur submitting copy of letter from the Deputy Collector, Gooty, reporting on the, recorded pending receipt of the further report promised.—Supplemental report from the Collector of Anantapur accounting for the, recorded.	12th Oct., „ 4409, Mis. 22nd „ „ 4509, Mis.
Tender of Rs. 1,600 *for the combined privilege and vend of arrack in the Munagala and Lingagiri zemindaries.* — Letter from the Collector of Kistna reporting that he has accepted a, on condition that the distillation from jaggery is to be allowed, submitted for the approval of Government.—Government Order approving the acceptance of a, communicated to the Collector of Kistna for very early report.	24th „ „ 4430 Mis. 29th Nov., „ 4925, Mis.

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South Canara district.—Collector of, requested by wire to report what steps have been taken for the supply of arrack. —Arrangements made for the supply of arrack to the district consequent on the destruction of the Mangalore distillery by fire, recorded.—Letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, submitting a further report on the arrangements made for supply of arrack to the excise tracts of the, on account of the fire at the Mangalore distillery, recorded.—Assistant Commissioner, Calicut Subdivision, requested by wire to report on the proposal of the Inspector, Mangalore Circle, for the supply of arrack to the excise tracts of the,	3rd Nov., No. 4552, Mis. 5th ,, ,, 4704, Mis. 14th ,, ,, 4843, Mis. 23rd ,, ,, 4922, Mis.
"The temperature test" indicating the pressure of alcohol in spent wash.—The Chemical Examiner requested to report whether, would be applicable to jaggery wash in which sugar was only partially fermented. — Letter from the Chemical Examiner reporting on the, recorded.	16th ,, ,, 4745, Mis. 5th Dec., ,, 5099, Mis.
Vizagapatam.—Collector of, requested to report whether the distillers at, are willing to supply arrack next year.—Telegram from the Collector of, stating that the local distillers will supply arrack for the next year also at the same rate as in the current year, recorded.	19th Nov., ,, 4770, Mis. 8th Dec., ,, 5098, Mis.
Proposals for regulating the issue of foreign liquor licenses for the year 1897–98, submitted to Government.	22nd Nov., ,, 469.
Sealing bungholes in casks.—Deputy Commissioners, Central and Southern Divisions, informed with remark that final orders will be passed on the subject of, on the arrival of the distillery expert from England.	2nd Dec., ,, 4994, Mis.
Verification of arrack consignments by Revenue officers.—Collector of Kistna informed that, should be insisted on until orders dispensing with it are passed.	7th ,, ,, 5038, Mis.
Issues of spirits from distilleries direct to shops.—Orders passed on letter from the Collector of Bellary submitting proposals for modifying the rule in regard to,	17th ,, ,, 5259, Mis.
LOANS.	
Government Order recording resolution of the Government of India passing orders on the question of extending to municipalities and other debtors to Government the relief obtained by Government in the matter of interest by the conversion of 4 per cent. loans into 3½ per cent., recorded.	8th Jan., ,, 158, Mis.
The loan applied for by the owner of the office building at Manambadi.—Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, informed that the Board is not prepared to address Government in the matter of the,	17th Mar., ,, 1129, Mis.
Conversion of their promissory notes of 3½ per cent. loan of 1893–94 and 1853–54 from 3½ per cent. to 3 per cent. loan of 1896–97.—The attention of certain credit merchants and contractors drawn to certain notifications and requested to notify before 15th September 1896 their wishes regarding the,—The Secretary and Treasurer, Bank of Madras, requested to report whether the commission offered in the Government of India notification will be realised and	7th Sept., ,, 3737, Mis. 18th ,, ,, 3924, Mis. 24th ,, ,, 4004, Mis.

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credited to the accounts of the Secretary to the Commissioner of Salt, Abkári and Separate Revenue.—Certain promissory notes of the 3½ per cent. loan of 1893-94 and 1853-54 tendered for transfer to 3 per cent. loan of 1896-97, and the Superintendent, Public Department office, requested to acknowledge the receipt of the notes to draw interest and the Commission due thereon and credit them to Government under the head of "Salt cash remittances."	
Rules relating to the conduct of Government servants.—Government Order notifying that the ruling and prohibition contained in the Government of India resolution of 16th January 1890, No. 2-R—87-103, in regard to money being lent by Covenanted and Statutory Civil Servants and officers of the Provincial and Subordinate executive and judicial services shall be held applicable to loans to Europeans or Eurasians equally with Natives, irrespective of the fact that the lender merely acts as a trustee under a marriage settlement or that money was lent on the security of a house in a hill station or other town, communicated to all Deputy and Assistant Commissioners and Inspectors, the Collector of Sea Customs and the Superintendent of Stamps, Madras.	18th Dec., No. 516.
LAND.	
ORISSA.	
Balasore Circle.—Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, requested to revise the schedule of land required for the construction of quarters for the establishment of the, as the Bengal Government has declined to sanction the construction of huts for the clerks and the peons of the circle.—Further information called for in connection with the acquisition of the land.	15th Jan., „ 153, Mis. 20th April, „ 1561, Mis.
Panchpara.—Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, informed with remarks that the proposal to acquire certain land at, should lie over pending the settlement of the question of the transfer of Orissa to Bengal.	10th Aug., „ 3348, Mis.
LEASE.	
Gurubai factory.—Orders passed on the report of the Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, in regard to the renewal of the lease for the land occupied by the, and the possibility of reduction in the present rate of royalty paid to the Rajah of Perikud.	9th July, „ 2839, Mis.
LEAVE.	
Mr. R. N. Thorpe, Sub-Inspector, Manikpatna Circle.—Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, informed that, may be granted two years' leave without allowances.	21st Feb., „ 688, Mis.
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MACHINES.	
Grainger's pan machines.—Remarks passed on the report of the Assistant Commissioner, Nellore Sub-division, regarding the number of, and 2-maund cup scales required for his	21st Jan., „ 247, Mis. 7th Mar., „ 910, Mis. 7th „ „ 913, Mis.

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sub-division and Messrs. Oakes and Company requested to make certain iron 1-maund standard weights.—Messrs. Oakes and Company requested to put in hand the making of certain, and instructions for the distribution of certain, and 2-maund cup scales, issued.—Orders passed on letter from the Machine Committee reporting on the examination of certain 2-maund cup scales received from Messrs. Oakes and Company.—Orders passed on letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, requesting the supply of certain salt-weighing machines and Messrs. Oakes and Company requested to put in hand the making of six,—The recommendation of the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, with regard to the disposal of certain condemned, approved.—Orders passed on letter from the Assistant Commissioner, Negapatam Sub-division, requesting to supply of certain, and 2-maund cup scales for the Védáranniyam factory and Messrs. Oakes and Company requested to put in hand the making of two,—A cheque on the Madras Bank for Rs. 1,947 being the cost of certain, supplied by them forwarded to Messrs. Oakes and Company, Madras, with the request to furnish a stamped receipt for the amount.—Orders passed on letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, requesting sanction for the sale of certain old Grainger's pan scales at the Theethandathanam factory.—A cheque on the Bank of Madras for Rs. 1,062 being the cost of certain, supplied by them, forwarded to Messrs. Oakes and Company with the request to furnish a stamped receipt for the amount.	16th April, No. 1514, Mis. 1st May, „ 1790, Mis. 1st „ „ 1791, Mis. 9th June, „ 2390, Mis. 22nd „ „ 2596, Mis. 20th July, „ 3033, Mis.
Ennore Circle.—Letter from the Committee for passing machines submitting copy of letter from Messrs. Oakes and Company explaining the circumstances under which they put in the small screw to certain weights supplied to the, communicated to the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, with remarks.	28th Jan., „ 361, Mis.
Pulsometer.—Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, informed that the, is not necessary for the Ganjám factory and requested to submit an official report in regard to his suggestion that it might be more usefully employed in the Calingapatam factory.—Letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, stating that an official report regarding the use of the, at the Calingapatam factory will be submitted shortly, recorded.—Reported to Government that it is needless to incur any further expenditure on account of the, in the Ganjám factory, and its sanction to the sale of the machine, requested.—Government Order sanctioning the sale of the, communicated to the Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, and Assistant Commissioner, Chatrapur Sub-division.	17th Mar., „ 1133, Mis. 10th Aug., „ 3396, Mis. 30th Sept., „ 4106, Mis. 3rd Nov., „ 4634, Mis.
Nellore Sub-Division.—The recommendation of the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, regarding the disposal of certain old and unserviceable machines in the, approved.	19th Mar., „ 1241, Mis.
Fire-engine for the Custom House at Calicut.—Collector of Malabar requested to raise the question of the purchase of a, when the Acting Commissioner visits the district.—Considered it inadvisable and unnecessary to provide fire-engines for Custom Houses and the Collector of Malabar informed accordingly.	2nd June, „ 2283, Mis. 13th „ „ 2470, Mis.

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Plumbago for cleaning machines.—The opinion of Mr. Frier regarding the use of, communicated to the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division.	11th June, No. 2471, Mis.
Pooley's and Avery's machines.—Certain Assistant Commissioners requested to test the, with test weights and submit a report to the Board on their condition by the 1st September next at the latest.	18th „ „ 2525, Mis.
Certain old Medhurst platform machine at the Káyalpatnam factory.—The sale of a, sanctioned.	2nd July, „ 2747, Mis.
Testing of the Pooley's and Avery's machines.—Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, requested to instruct the Assistant Commissioner, Tinnevelly Sub-division, to show the Commissioner personally when an opportunity occurs how he does the,	11th Aug., „ 3395, Mis.
Kilby's machines of the Negapatam factory.—Orders passed on endorsement of the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, submitting with remarks the explanation of Assistant Inspector M.R.Ry. T. N. Subramania Aiyar for the bad state in which certain, were found by the Assistant Commissioner.	19th „ „ 3536, Mis.
Kilby's machines. — The sale in the local market of the, ordered.	13th Oct., „ 4242, Mis.
Two cheques for Rs. 1,680-2-0 being the cost of certain repairs and supplies made by them, forwarded to Messrs. Oakes and Company, and the Inspector, Madras Depôt Circle, called on to report at once whether certain articles have been despatched to the Assistant Commissioner, Tinnevelly Sub-division, and the Sub-Collector, Gódávari.	13th Nov., „ 4714, Mis.
Stands for Grainger's pan machines.—The Inspector, Madras Depôt Circle, requested to submit an estimate for making certain, and the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, to report after a fair trial on the result of the working of the machines with stands.	13th „ „ 4727, Mis.
Knife edges and fish plates.—A cheque for Rs. 165-12-0 on account of the cost of certain, supplied and for repairing certain abkári locks, forwarded to Messrs. Oakes and Company with a request to send a stamped receipt for the amount.	21st „ „ 4801, Mis.
MANUFACTURE.	
Nellore Sub-division.—Dittam proposed for certain Government factories in the, for the season of 1896, approved with remarks.—Orders passed on letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, furnishing certain explanations called for by the Board in Board's Proceedings, Mis. No. 170, dated 16th January 1896.	16th Jan., „ 170, Mis. 13th April, „ 1474, Mis.
Copy of proceedings of the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, passing orders on the dittam and commencement of manufacture in certain factories of the Chingleput Sub-division, recorded pending receipt of Government Order on Board's Proceedings, dated 19th October 1895, No. 490.	16th Jan., „ 171, Mis.

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Fixing of dittam for the Government factories and extensions in the Northern Division for the season of 1896.—The proposals of the Deputy Commissioner in regard to the, approved.	24th Jan., No. 331, Mis.
Manginapudi factory.—Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, informed that the request of the Company and some of the licensees of the, to prohibit manufacture of salt in that factory in the season of 1896 cannot be acceded to.	29th ,, ,, 394, Mis.
Rule for resuming the pans of those excise licensees who may not manufacture salt for two consecutive seasons.—The proposal of the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, to issue a notice that, will be held in abeyance pending further orders in the case of the licensees of the Vayalur, Ennore and Covelong Circles, approved.—Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, informed that the Board sees no reason to grant the excise licensees in factories where the stocks are unduly large, formal exemption from the liability to have their licenses cancelled under section 27 of the Salt Act.	26th ,, ,, 475, Mis. 21st July, ,, 3051, Mis.
Merkanam Circle.—Orders passed on letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, submitting proposals for the manufacture of salt in the season of 1896 in the factories of the,	6th Mar., ,, 901, Mis.
Krishnápatnam extension No. II.—Letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, recommending the grant of a concession to a certain female heir of a licensee of the, to conduct manufacture storage and sale of salt by her agent, submitted to Government with remarks.—Government Order sanctioning as a special case the concession recommended, communicated to the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division.	10th ,, ,, 989, Mis. 27th ,, ,, 1397, Mis.
Dittams proposed by the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, for the factories of the Vayalur and Ennore Circles in the season of 1896.—Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, requested to explain certain discrepancies in the statement enclosed regarding the quantity of salt manufactured in the factories of the Vayalur and Ennore Circles and stored at the Madras Depôt in the season of 1895.—The, approved with remarks.	23rd ,, ,, 1239, Mis. 8th May, ,, 1899, Mis.
Invention for "an improvement of bay salt" by Mr. Willock, Collector of the Vizagapatam district.—Government Order directing that a letter be despatched to the Government of India regarding, recorded.	20th Mar., ,, 1282, Mis.
Preparation of fibre from the outer bark of palmyra trees for the manufacture of brushes in the Palghat and Walavanad taluks.—Endorsement of the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, submitting copy of letter from the Inspector, Palghat Circle, regarding the, recorded.	10th April, ,, 1462, Mis.
Improvements in salt manufacture under trial by Messrs. Stuart, Hall and Company at Karassa.—The report called for regarding the, submitted to Government.—Telegram from Messrs. Stuart, Hall and Company of Karassa complaining against the withdrawal of certain concessions granted to them for clearing salt in that factory, submitted with remarks for the very early orders of Government.—Telegram from	14th ,, ,, 1520, Mis. 1st May, ,, 1763, Mis. 12th ,, ,, 1944, Mis. 18th ,, ,, 2036, Mis. 21st ,, ,, 2087, Mis. 9th June, ,, 2394, Mis.

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Messrs. Stuart, Hall and Company requesting early orders on their petition praying for permission to proceed with their salt-clearing operations in their factory at Karassa, submitted to Government. — Messrs. Stuart, Hall and Company informed by wire that Government has approved with certain restrictions the, — The Inspector, Karassa Circle, directed by wire to permit Messrs. Stuart, Hall and Company to introduce with certain restrictions the,—Government Order approving with certain restrictions the, communicated to Deputy and Assistant Commissioners.	
Fixing dittam for the Government factories and extensions in the Southern Division for the season of 1896.—The proposal of the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, approved with remarks.—The proposal of the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, to fix an unlimited dittam for the Manakkudi factory for the season of 1896, approved with remarks.	17th April, No. 1562, Mis. 6th July, „ 2777, Mis.
Karassa extension.—Permission to continue manufacture in the, up to the limit of the available storage space, granted.	18th May, „ 2041, Mis.
Carbonate of soda.—Dr. W. E. Dhanakoti Raju requested to state by what process he proposes to manufacture, and how much he intends to invest in the necessary apparatus.—Letter from Dr. W. E. Dhanakoti Raju explaining the process proposed to be adopted for the manufacture of, submitted to Government.—Government Order directing that the lease of the Arumuganeri and Kulasékarapatnam factories granted to Dr. W. E. Dhanakoti Raju need not now be interfered with, communicated to the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, and the Assistant Commissioner, Tinnevelly Sub-division.	28th „ „ 2177, Mis. 13th July, „ 2918, Mis. 13th Aug., „ 3415, Mis.
Ennore and Vayalur Circles.—Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, requested to direct that manufacture be discontinued in the factories of the, from and after the 4th July 1896.	20th June, „ 2564, Mis.
Manakkudi factory.—Endorsement of the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, submitting copy of letter from the Assistant Commissioner, Tinnevelly Sub-division, forwarding with remarks a notice from Kuttayan Chetti stating that he should be permitted to proceed with manufacture in that factory, recorded.	19th „ „ 2692, Mis.
Ennore Circle.—Copy of proceedings of the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, approving the Assistant Commissioner's recommendation to close manufacture in the factories of the, on the 25th June 1896, recorded.	30th „ „ 2721, Mis.
Armuganeri factory.—Orders passed on letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, submitting with remarks petition from Ganapathi Pillai regarding the stoppage of manufacture and sales in the, ordered by the Assistant Commissioner, Tinnevelly Sub-division, in consequence of the death of Dr. Dhanakoti Raju.—Endorsement of the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, on the petition from H. Dhanakoti Raju, eldest daughter of the late Dr. Dhanakoti Raju, stating that she with her brothers will shortly put an application for a temporary license for the manufacture of salt in the, and that W. E. Ganapathi	1st Aug., „ 3218, Mis. 24th „ „ 3564, Mis. 5th Sept., „ 3723, Mis.

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Pillai, her late father's agent, has no right to transact any business in that factory, recorded with reference to Board's Proceedings, Mis. No. 3218, dated 1st August 1896.—Orders passed on petition from Ganapathi Pillai requesting to cancel the order of the Assistant Commissioner, Tinnevelly Sub-division, stopping sales of the salt stored in the, in the name of the late Dr. Dhanakoti Raju.	
Manufacture of salt in the current season largely in excess of the storage capacity of the platform in the Covelong factory.—Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, requested to explain how, was allowed to occur.	12th Aug., No. 3397, Mis.
Penuguduru extension.—Recommendation of the Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, to stop manufacture in the, in the season of 1897, approved.	7th Nov., ,, 4623, Mis.
Penuguduru.—Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, informed that the fines imposed by the Assistant Commissioner, Cocanada Sub-division, on the excise licensees at Penuguduru for delay in commencing manufacture are illegal and should be refunded to the licensees concerned.	10th ,, ,, 4650, Mis.
Naupada factory.—Orders passed regarding the manufacture of salt for the ensuing season at the,	12th Dec., ,, 5175, Mis.
Salt required by Messrs. Hall, Wilson and Company of Cocanada for their experiments at their Jagannaikpur factory.—Inspector, Penuguduru Circle, directed to supply them with salt not exceeding 50 maunds.	24th ,, ,, 5297, Mis.
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Map of the Madras Presidency in three sections for illustrating the salt administration report for 1895-96.—A copy of the, forwarded with instructions to the Superintendent, Revenue Survey, Madras, with the request to send a proof of it at an early date.—Letter from the Superintendent, Madras Survey, stating that the proof of the, will be ready on the 30th June 1896, recorded.—The proofs of the Northern, Central and Southern sections of the, returned duly corrected to the Superintendent, Madras Survey, with the request to strike off 360 copies of each of the sections and send them to the Board's office at a very early date.—Letter from the Superintendent, Madras Survey, promising to send 100 copies of the, on the 15th August 1896 and the remaining 260 copies on the 15th September 1896, recorded.—Letter from the Superintendent, Madras Survey, forwarding 100 copies of the, recorded.—Letters from the Superintendent, Madras Survey, forwarding 260 copies of the, recorded.	18th May, ,, 2032, Mis. 29th ,, ,, 2250, Mis. 30th July, ,, 3168, Mis. 10th Aug., ,, 3366, Mis. 20th ,, ,, 3649, Mis. 3rd Oct., ,, 4165, Mis.
A rough diagram of salt sales for three years and a statement of sales for 1895-96, forwarded to the Superintendent, Revenue Survey, with the request to photozincograph the diagram and send a proof of it at an early date.—The Deputy Superintendent, Madras Survey, requested to strike off 360 copies of the diagram of salt sales and send them to the Board's office at an early date.—Letter from the Superintendent, Madras Survey, forwarding 360 copies of the diagram of sales to be embodied in the administration report for 1895-96, recorded.	28th May, ,, 2192, Mis. 2nd July, ,, 2736, Mis. 20th ,, ,, 3038, Mis.

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Arrack and toddy administration maps for the year 1895-96.—Fifteen spare copies of the, forwarded to Government.	1st Oct., No. 4092, Mis.
Map of the Madras Presidency embodied in the salt administration report.—The Superintendent, Madras Survey, requested to arrange to show in one view the three sections of the,—Letter from the Superintendent, Madras Survey, stating that the application for the map has been registered, recorded.—A corrected proof of the, returned to the Superintendent, Revenue Survey, with remarks.	3rd „ „ 4124, Mis. 19th „ „ 4345, Mis. 9th Dec., „ 5087, Mis.
MEDICINE.	
Instructions regarding the new medicine boxes and of the lists of their contents.—A proof of the, forwarded to the Secretary to the Surgeon-General with the Government of Madras with the request to inform the Board if the lists are complete and correct.—Letter from the Surgeon-General with the Government of Madras returning corrected the proof of the, recorded.	12th Mar., „ 1054, Mis. 5th May, „ 1865, Mis.
MEETING.	
A certain meeting held at Tirukkóyilúr.—The reply from Inspector M.E.Ry. M. Gopala Rao regarding, submitted to Government.	31st July, „ 3210, Mis.
MONOPOLY SYSTEM.	
Reported to Government that the offer of Messrs. Namberumaliah and Sons to revert to the monopoly system had already been accepted and enquired whether a certain telephonic order regarding the acceptance of further offers to revert to monopoly should be regarded as applying only to those licensees whose offers had not been accepted before the 1st December 1895.—The orders of Government requested as to whether the offers of two licensees of the Vallur factory to revert to monopoly system may be accepted.—Letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, stating that he has issued orders to treat Messrs. Namberumaliah and Sons exactly like other licensees who had reverted to the monopoly system in the matter of granting dittams, recorded.—Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, requested to inform certain licensees of the Covelong factory who desire to revert to the monopoly system that the petition of other licensees will be awaited.—Copy of proceedings of the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, withdrawing with remarks the permission accorded by him to certain licensees of the Covelong factory to manufacture salt for Government during 1896, recorded.—The petitions from certain licensees of the Covelong factory praying that they may be allowed to revert to the monopoly system, returned to the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, with the request to submit for reference the agreements for reversion to monopoly executed by certain other licensees in that factory.—Government Order explaining a certain telephone message in regard to the acceptance of offers to revert to the monopoly system, communicated to the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division.—Government Order informing Messrs. Namberumaliah and Sons that their request to be allowed	9th Jan., „ 39, Mis. 10th Feb., „ 560, Mis. 10th „ „ 561, Mis. 3rd Mar., „ 835, Mis. 6th „ „ 879, Mis. 6th „ „ 880, Mis. 6th „ „ 881, Mis. 5th „ „ 1045, Mis. 14th „ „ 1073, Mis. 21st „ „ 1202, Mis. 1st April, „ 1388, Mis. 15th „ „ 1528, Mis. 15th „ „ 1535, Mis. 18th „ „ 1540, Mis. 23rd „ „ 1591, Mis. 28th „ „ 1679, Mis. 28th „ „ 1712, Mis. 5th May, „ 1854, Mis. 11th „ „ 1947, Mis. 13th „ „ 1995, Mis. 28th „ „ 2194, Mis. 11th June, „ 2423, Mis. 15th „ „ 230. 25th Aug., „ 3570, Mis. 16th Sept., „ 3910, Mis. 19th Nov., „ 4787, Mis.

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to store their salt at the Madras depôt cannot be complied with, recorded.—Letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, forwarding petitions from certain licensees of the Pulidiwak, Attiput and Vallur factories expressing their willingness to revert to the monopoly system, submitted to Government for orders.—Government Order authorising the Board to permit the reversion to the monopoly system of such of the licensees of the Vayalur and Ennore Circles as may now and hereafter express their willingness to do so on condition of their executing agreements in the new form drawn up by Government, communicated to the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, with instructions with the request to submit to the Board a list of such licensees with the extent of their holdings before 15th May next.—Certain petitions from the licensees of the factories of the Ennore Circle expressing their willingness to revert to the monopoly system, returned to the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, for disposal.—T. Gulam Mohideen Sahib Company and others of Madras informed that their request that the sales of Government salt at the Madras depôt may be postponed as long as possible is inadmissible.—Letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, placing on record his belief that in bulk of the excise factories in the Northern and Central Divisions, the only opponents to a reversion to the monopoly system are the capitalists and middlemen, &c., recorded.—Certain petitions from the licensees of the factories of the Ennore Circle expressing their willingness to revert to the monopoly system of salt manufacture, forwarded to the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, for disposal.—Orders passed on the question as to whether certain resumed pans in the Kattur and Vayalur factories should be re-assigned to such of their original holders as have agreed to work under the monopoly system.—Orders of Government requested as to whether the offers of certain joint licensees of the Kanuparti factory to revert to the monopoly system may be accepted. —Letters from the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, submitting the agreements for reversion to the monopoly system executed by certain licensees of the Covelong factory, recorded. — Letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, forwarding a petition from one Anantha Kottappa, licensee No. 107 of the Kanuparti factory, expressing his willingness to revert to the monopoly system, submitted for the orders of Government.—Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, requested to report what progress has been made in issuing monopoly licenses to manufacturers now working under the monopoly system in the factories of the Vayalur and Ennore Circles and in the Kanuparti factory. — A draft notification for working portions of certain excise factories in the Chingleput and Nellore Sub-divisions for sale of salt to Government from the 1st January 1897, submitted to Government.—Government Order authorising the Board to accept the offers to revert to the monopoly system of such of the licensees of the Kanuparti factory as may now or hereafter express their willingness to do so on condition of their executing agreements in the new form drawn up by Government, communicated to the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, with instructions.—Copy of letter from the Assistant Commissioner, Chingleput Sub-division, submitting a list of the licensees in the factories of the Ennore Circle who	

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have expressed their willingness to revert to the monopoly system in the current year, recorded with remarks.—Government Order directing the publication in the *Fort St. George Gazette* of the draft notification submitted with Board's Proceedings, Mis. No. 1995, dated 13th May 1896, recorded.—The form of agreement executed by the licensees of the Kanuparti factory who reverted to the monopoly system, submitted to Government with remarks.—Board's Proceedings, Mis. No. 3570, dated 25th August 1896, recorded by Government.—Letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, reporting the progress made in the issue of monopoly licenses in the Kanuparti factory and in the factories of the Vayalur and Ennore Circles, recorded with remarks.	
Naupada factory.—Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, requested to submit the petition from the licensees of the, for reversion to the monopoly system, with his remarks for the orders of the Board.—Letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, reporting that the question of the reversion of the licensees of the, to the monopoly system may be dropped as most of them are now unwilling to revert to that system, submitted to Government.—Board's Proceedings, Mis. No. 1527, recorded by Government.	25th Feb., No. 75. 15th April, „ 1527, Mis. 16th May, „ 2165, Mis.
Nizampatam factory.—Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, requested to ascertain and report the wishes of the licensees of the, with reference to his remark in paragraph 23 (*a*) of his administration report that the general body of the licensees will probably ere long pray for a reversion to the monopoly system.	25th Feb., „ 75.
An extract from a letter from Messrs. Arbuthnot and Company stating that Messrs. Binny and Company were compelled in 1894 *to sign a petition in favour of the monopoly system in order to escape from the effects of a penal cess of three annas a maund.*—Replied to Government Order calling for a report on,—Messrs. Binny and Company referred to certain Board's Proceedings in regard to the statement that no reply has been vouchsafed to some of their letters.	5th Dec., „ 5040, Mis. 5th „ „ 5041, Mis.
MANUFACTURE.	
ORISSA.	
Tua and Gurubai factories.—A certain communication received from the Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, on the question of continuing manufacture in the, forwarded with remarks for the early orders of the Board of Revenue, Lower Provinces.—Endorsement of the Board of Revenue, Lower Provinces, forwarding copy of letter from the Government of Bengal passing orders on the question, communicated to the Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, and Assistant Commissioner, Chatrapur Subdivision, with remarks.	12th Sept., „ 3842, Mis. 4th Dec., „ 5028, Mis.
MAPS.	
Orissa map to be embodied in the Salt Administration report for 1895–96.—The Assistant Surveyor-General, Calcutta, requested to forward a proof of the,—Proof of the, returned with instructions to the Assistant Surveyor-General,	21st April, „ 1575, Mis. 7th May, „ 1877, Mis. 15th June, „ 2482, Mis.

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Calcutta.—The receipt of the 370 copies of the, forwarded by the Assistant Surveyor-General, Calcutta, acknowledged and the triplicate of his bill for Rs. 56-6-0 returned duly signed.	
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NOTIFICATION.	
List of Notifications, Rules and orders having the force of law revised up to the 31st December 1894.—A statement of additions and corrections to be made in the third supplement to the, submitted to Government with remarks.	9th Jan., No. 79, Mis.
Arrack, opium and ganja sale notices proposed to be issued for the lease commencing on 1st April 1896.—Copies of the, submitted to Government for approval.—Government Order approving subject to certain modifications the notices relating to, recorded.—Collector of Malabar informed by wire that ganja notification for 1896-97 will probably appear in the *Fort St. George Gazette*, dated 28th January 1896.—Government Order approving the sale notice in respect of ganja shops submitted with Board's Proceedings, Mis. No. 146, dated 15th January 1896, recorded.	15th Jan., „ 146, Mis. 22nd „ „ 322, Mis. 25th „ „ 333, Mis. 31st „ „ 552, Mis.
Draft notification regulating the issue of foreign liquor licenses during the year 1896-97.—Government Order approving and ordering the, to be published, communicated to all Collectors and Deputy Commissioner, Central Division.	15th „ „ 10.
Draft notification authorising the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, to exercise the powers of a Collector under the Madras Opium rules within the district of Madras and the Saidapet taluk of the Chingleput district.—Government Order approving and ordering to be published in the *Fort St. George Gazette* a, communicated to the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division.	22nd „ „ 275, Mis.
Notification prescribing the minimum price per dram below which country spirits shall not be retailed in the independent arrack shops of the Vizagapatam taluk and of certain towns in the Vizagapatam district, ordered to be published in the Fort St. George and the Vizagapatam District Gazettes.	27th Feb., „ 767, Mis.
Draft of a revised notification under section 9 of the Abkári Act, submitted to Government for approval and publication in the *Fort St. George Gazette*.—Government Order ordering the publication in the *Fort St. George Gazette* the, communicated to all Collectors and Deputy and Assistant Commissioners.	27th „ „ 768, Mis. 1st April, „ 137.
Draft notification for the acquisition of certain lands within the limits of the Itamukkala port, submitted to Government for approval and publication in the *Fort St. George Gazette*.—Government Order, Revenue Department, on Government Order, Marine Department, ordering the publication of the, recorded.	9th Mar., „ 957, Mis. 6th May, „ 1982, Mis.

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Omission of condition No. 21 *in the arrack sale notification No.* 2.—Collector of Cuddapah informed that the, was intentional and that there is no objection to toddy shopkeepers holding arrack shops also.	20th Mar., No. 1232, Mis.
A draft notification modifying Rules 3 *and* 23 *of the Distillery and Warehouse rules,* submitted to Government for approval and publication in the *Fort St. George Gazette.*—Government Order approving and ordering to be published in the *Fort St. George Gazette*, communicated to all Deputy and Assistant Commissioners.	3rd April, „ 1412, Mis. 15th May, „ 191.
A revised notification under the Opium Act for giving effect to the decision of the Government of India that licenses should not be issued for the sale of preparations of opium used for smoking, submitted to Government.—Government Order forwarding for the sanction of the Government of India the Opium rules, as slightly altered by the Local Government, communicated to all Collectors, Deputy and Assistant Commissioners and Inspectors of Salt, Abkári and Customs Department.—Notification containing the revised rules under the Opium Act I of 1878, as amended by the Government of India, communicated to all Collectors, Deputy and Assistant Commissioners and Inspectors.	4th April, „ 139. 6th July, „ 264. 13th Dec., „ 502.
Draft notification for the acquisition of a piece of land for a fish-curing yard in the Talayur amsam of Ponnáni taluk, Malabar district.—Government Order ordering the publication in the *Fort St. George Gazette* of the, communicated to the Collector of Malabar.	20th April, „ 1636, Mis.
Notification exempting water-tanks from import duty when imported by or under the orders of a Railway Company.—Government Order communicating endorsement of the Government of India forwarding a copy of, communicated to the Collectors of all the Maritime districts.	4th May, „ 175.
Notification of the Government of India exempting from import duty machinery which is intended for the manufacture of paint and composition for application to leather, wood and metals, communicated to the Collectors of all the Maritime districts.	8th „ „ 182.
A draft notification for working portions of certain excise factories in the Chingleput and Nellore Sub-divisions for sale of salt to Government from the 1*st January* 1897, submitted to Government.—Government Order directing the despatch of a telegram in the Public Department to the Superintendent, Government Press, for the publication of a Gazette Extraordinary on or before the 1st June 1896, recorded.—Government Order directing the publication in the *Fort St. George Gazette* of, recorded.	13th „ „ 1995, Mis. 1st June, „ 2363, Mis. 15th „ „ 230.
Draft abkári sale notices for the lease commencing from 1*st October* 1896.—Collectors of South Canara and Malabar requested to submit at an early date.—Amended abkári sale notices for the lease 1896–97 to be published in the South Canara District Gazette, submitted to Government with the request to communicate its approval of them to the Collector of South Canara by wire.—Amended abkári sale notices for the lease 1896–97 to be published in the	11th „ „ 2408, Mis. 4th July, „ 2774, Mis. 4th „ „ 2775, Mis. 15th „ „ 2997, Mis. 15th „ „ 2978, Mis.

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Malabar District Gazette, submitted to Government with the request to communicate its approval of them to the Collector of Malabar by wire.—Government Order communicating to the Collector of Malabar, by wire, approval of Government of the amended abkári sale notices submitted with Board's Proceedings, Mis. No. 2775, dated 4th July 1896, recorded.—Government Order communicating to the Collector of South Canara, by wire, approval by Government of the amended abkári sale notices submitted with Board's Proceedings, Mis. No. 2774, dated 6th July 1896, recorded.	
Delegation to Divisional officers of the power of granting licenses for exclusive privileges, and to Tahsildars and Deputy Tahsildars in independent charge that of sanctioning the checkbundi (limits) of shops and issuing arrack shop licenses, approved with remarks, and a notification on the subject submitted to Government.—Government Order approving and ordering the publication in the *Fort St. George Gazette* of the draft notification, communicated to all Collectors and the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division.	15th June, No. 231. 15th Aug., ,, 327.
Revised draft notification under section 24 of the Madras Abkári Act I of 1886 prescribing rules for tapping toddy-producing trees and drawing toddy therefrom for the lease commencing from the 1st October 1896, submitted to Government for approval and publication in the *Fort St. George Gazette*.—Government requested by wire to amend and publish in the *Fort St. George Gazette* the draft tree-tax notification submitted in Board's Proceedings Mis. No. 2573, dated 18th June 1896.—Collectors of districts in which the rates of tree-tax have been ordered to be enhanced for the next lease, requested to notify the fact to bidders at the ensuing sales of toddy shops.—Government Order, Revenue Department, ordering the publication in the *Fort St. George Gazette* of the draft notification, communicated to all Deputy and Assistant Commissioners.	18th June, ,, 2573, Mis. 10th July, ,, 2842, Mis. 13th ,, ,, 2909, Mis. 20th Aug., ,, 334.
Toddy sale notices for the lease 1896-97, submitted to Government with the request that the approval thereof may be communicated to the Board as early as practicable.—Government requested by wire to telegraph its approval of, —Telegram from Government approving, with remark, the, recorded.—Government Order approving, with remark the, recorded.	26th June, ,, 2658, Mis. 4th July, ,, 2755, Mis. 7th ,, ,, 2861, Mis 9th ,, ,, 2880, Mis.
A draft notification for the acquisition of certain land required for the construction of a new Sea Customs office at Vizagapatam, submitted to Government for approval and publication in the *Fort St. George Gazette*.	8th ,, ,, 2825, Mis.
A draft notification to constitute the Nellikuppam distillery a separate circle, submitted to Government for approval and publication in the *Fort St. George Gazette*.—Government Order ordering the publication of the notification in the *Fort St. George Gazette*, recorded.	13th ,, ,, 272. 19th Aug., ,, 3541, Mis.
Draft abkári sale notices relating to the Kistna district for the next lease.—Copies of, submitted to Government with the request to communicate its approval thereof to the Collector of Kistna district by wire and the Collector	17th July, ,, 3001, Mis. 31st ,, ,, 3278, Mis.

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requested to have the amended notices set in type ready for publication on receipt of intimation from Government. —Government Order approving the, recorded.	
Abkári sale notices relating to the Gódávari district for the ensuing lease.—Copies of, submitted to Government with the request to communicate its approval of them to the Collector direct by wire.—Government Order approving with remarks the, recorded.	27th July, No. 3109, Mis. 8th Aug., „ 3420, Mis.
Condition 21 of the notice inviting tenders for the supply of spirits to the excise tracts of the Kistna district. — Messrs. Parry and Company informed that, does not apply to banking transactions.	4th „ „ 3263, Mis.
A draft notification under section 9 of the Abkári Act I of 1886, prohibiting except under a permit granted by an officer duly authorised in that behalf, the transport of country spirits from and into certain local areas, submitted to Government for approval and publication in the *Fort St. George Gazette*.—Government Order approving and ordering to be published in the *Fort St. George Gazette*, communicated to the Collectors of certain districts, all Deputy Commissioners and Assistant Commissioners of certain sub-divisions.	14th „ „ 3436, Mis. 28th Sept., „ 382.
Notification prohibiting the transport, except under a permit, of fermented toddy from the Ramnad division and certain portions of the Sivaganga division into the adjoining tracts of the Madura district.—Assistant Commissioner, Trichinopoly Sub-division, informed that it is not considered necessary to recommend the issue of a,	14th Aug., „ 3437, Mis.
A draft notification amending Government notification No. 57, dated 15th January 1890, in accordance with certain proposals made for the administration of the abkári revenue in the Gódávari and Kurnool districts for the lease commencing with 1st October 1896, submitted to Government for approval and publication in the *Fort St. George Gazette*.—Government Order approving and ordering the draft notification to be published in the *Fort St. George Gazette*, communicated to certain Collectors and Deputy and Assistant Commissioners.—A notification amplifying the Government notification referred to in Board's Proceedings, No. 393, dated 29th September 1896, issued.	20th „ „ 3499, Mis. 29th Sept., „ 393. 29th Nov., „ 4933, Mis.
Draft notification amending the tree-tax rules for 1896-97 published in the *Fort St. George Gazette*, dated 28th July 1896, submitted to Government for approval and publication in the *Fort St. George Gazette*.—Government Order, Revenue Department, directing the publication of the, recorded.	19th Aug., „ 3509, Mis. 8th Sept., „ 358.
Copies of the pamphlet containing the notifications and rules under the Sea Customs Act VIII of 1878 corrected up to 31st January 1896, distributed.	25th Aug., „ 3574, Mis.
A draft notification under section 11 of the Sea Customs Act VIII of 1878 declaring the Madras Customs House to be a Custom House for the purposes of the Act and another building and certain areas to be parts of the Custom House, submitted to Government for publication in the	26th „ „ 3591, Mis. 8th Oct., „ 404.

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Fort St. George Gazette.—Government order approving and ordering to be published in the *Fort St. George Gazette*, recorded.	
A notification omitting Ennore and Cocelong from the list of ports noted in the margin of Rule 1 *of the rules for the export of salt to the Straits Settlements, Mauritius and Zanzibar published on page* 906, *Part I of the Fort St. George Gazette.*—Government requested to approve and publish in the *Fort St. George Gazette*,—Government Order approving and ordering the publication in the *Fort St. George Gazette* of, communicated to the Collector of Sea Customs, Madras.	11th Sept., No. 3849, Mis. 5th Oct., ,, 4263, Mis.
Two draft notifications revising the limits of circles and the local areas in which salt-earth is declared to be contraband salt with reference to certain changes recently sanctioned, submitted to Government for approval and publication in the *Fort St. George Gazette.*—Government Order approving and ordering the publication in the *Fort St. George Gazette*, communicated to Deputy and Assistant Commissioners.	18th Sept., ,, 367. 24th Oct., ,, 436.
Notification submitted with Board's Proceedings, No. 479, *dated* 12*th November* 1894, *making certain modifications in the rules for the export of salt to British Indian Ports.*—Government Order approving and ordering to be published in the *Fort St. George Gazette*, communicated to all Deputy and Assistant Commissioners.	28th Sept., ,, 387.
Notice of the sale of arrack vend areas in the Ganjám district for the year 1896–97.—Orders passed on letter from the Collector of Ganjám regarding the interpretation of conditions 6 (*a*), (*b*) and (*c*) of the,	2nd Oct., ,, 4112, Mis.
Certain notification relating to the Salt and Abkári Department.—The Commissioner for Government Examinations, Madras, requested to state whether a, has not been incorrectly printed in the *Fort St. George Gazette.*	7th ,, ,, 4182, Mis.
Notice regarding the sale of Government salt at Madras Depôt.—Copies of a certain, forwarded to the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, for circulation.	13th ,, ,, 4245, Mis.
Government of India notification printed at page 1031 *of the Fort St. George Gazette, dated* 11*th August* 1896.—The Collector of Tanjore informed that the, contains executive instructions for the guidance of Customs officers and that it does not appear to the Board to be necessary to publish them with the District Gazette.	16th ,, ,, 4322, Mis.
Notification remitting the fee of one anna chargeable under Court-fees Act on application for the grant of tree-tapping licenses.—Government requested to address the Government of India for the issue of a,—Government Order ordering that the Government of India be addressed, recorded.	24th ,, ,, 4462, Mis. 14th Dec., ,, 517.
Public Service notification regarding employment of Military Pensioners as Sub-Inspectors in the Salt, Abkári and Customs Department.—Government requested to amend article 4 (2) of the,	4th Nov., ,, 4644, Mis.

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Draft notification for altering the limits of the Alagankolam sub-port in the Madura district, submitted to Government.	13th Nov., No. 4725, Mis.
Certain notification framed under section 7 of the Madras Salt Act IV of 1889.—The Superintendent, Government Press, requested to arrange to have a, published in three and two successive issues of the Fort St. George and District Gazettes, respectively.	17th „ „ 462.
Periyár Project Camps.—A draft notification cancelling notification No. 150, dated 14th March 1895, conferring certain powers under the Abkári Act I of 1886 on the Sub-Magistrate of the, submitted to Government for approval and publication in the *Fort St. George Gazette.*—Proceedings of the Public Works Department communicating to the Resident in Travancore and ordering to be re-published in the *Fort St. George Gazette*, notification of the Government of India, Foreign Department, cancelling their former notifications regarding lands occupied by the, with effect from the date of the closing of the camps, communicated to the Collector of Madura, the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, and the Assistant Commissioner, Tinnevelly Sub-division.	12th Dec., „ 5147, Mis. 20th Nov., „ 5264, Mis.
Notification exempting fish maws, shark-fins and mother of pearl shells from import duty.—Government Order communicating endorsement of the Government of India forwarding copy of its, communicated to the Collectors of all the Maritime districts.	29th „ „ 476.
Notifications altering the limits of the Port of Calicut and declaring certain places to be wharves for the landing and shipping of goods at that port.—Government Order ordering that, be published in the Fort St. George and Malabar District Gazettes, communicated to the Collector of Malabar.	5th Dec., „ 5061, Mis.
Notification containing amendment in the rules regarding overtime works and fees therefor in Custom Houses in the Madras Presidency.—The Superintendent, Government Press, requested to publish in the *Fort St. George Gazette* certain,	14th „ „ 5266, Mis.
Notification declaring that the entries "Copper, Australian" and "Copper, Japan" shall be eliminated from No. 15 of Schedule IV to the Indian Tariff Act as amended.—Government Order communicating endorsement of the Government of India forwarding a copy of its, communicated to the Collectors of all the Maritime districts for information and guidance.	17th „ „ 512.
Extension of the restriction regarding the minimum selling price of arrack in force in the Berhampur, Gopalpur, Parlákimedi and Chicacole towns in Ganjám to certain other towns in the district in which shops are sold separately.—A notification regarding the, in the *Fort St. George Gazette*, issued.	24th „ „ 5278, Mis.
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OFFICE.	
Mangalore Circle office.—Orders passed on the report of the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, bringing to notice the unsatisfactory state in which the, was found by the Assistant Commissioner.	10th Jan., „ 102, Mis.

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OFFICE—*cont.*	
Combined Post and Telegraph office at Oumbum, Madura district.—Government Order communicating letter from the Superintendent of Telegraphs, Madras Division, reporting the opening of a, communicated to the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, and the Assistant Commissioner, Trichinopoly Sub-division.	26th June, No. 2673, Mis.
Combined Post and Telegraph office at Uttamapálaiyam, Madura district.—Government Order communicating letter from the Superintendent of Telegraphs, Madras Division, reporting the opening of a, communicated to the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, and the Assistant Commissioner, Trichinopoly Sub-division.	26th „ „ 2674, Mis.
Vinukonda Circle.—The Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, requested to submit a site plan of the office proposed for the Inspector,—The work of constructing a Circle office at Narasaraopet, re-sanctioned and the site on which it is proposed to construct it, approved.	17th Aug., „ 3458, Mis. 25th Nov., „ 4861, Mis.
Pámban Sea Customs office.—The Collector of Madura requested to state what the nature of the records which occupy one room in the, is and whether the cost of improving the building can fairly be debited to Customs.	24th Oct., „ 4480, Mis.
Tuticorin port.—Proposals of the Collector of Tinnevelly for the erection of a new combined Port office and Custom House and for other improvements of the, submitted for the orders of Government.	7th Nov., „ 4662, Mis.
Discontinuance of work on Sundays in Public offices.—Government Order directing the attention of all Collectors and District Magistrates to the orders on the subject of the, communicated to all Deputy and Assistant Commissioners, the Collector of Sea Customs and the Superintendent of Stamps, Madras.	5th Dec., „ 497.
OFFICERS.	
T. K. Krishna Iyer, late Sub-Inspector, Palghat Circle.—Government Order declining to interfere on behalf of, in the matter of his request to be employed in the department, recorded.—Petition from, requesting re-consideration of the order passed by Government in the matter of his request to be re-employed in the department, submitted to Government.—Government Order rejecting petition from, recorded.—Petition from, praying that he may be allowed travelling allowance for the journey made by him for the purpose of obtaining certificate of physical fitness for the public service, rejected.	8th Jan., „ 43, Mis. 24th June, „ 2633, Mis. 13th July, „ 2115, R. 1st Oct., „ 4096, Mis.
Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, requested to hand over charge of the office to Mr. Brodie who will proceed to enquire into the matter of fraudulent delivery of 160 maunds of monopoly salt at Tuticorin without payment of duty.	8th Jan., „ 44, Mis.
Hajee Syed Omer Sahib.—Endorsement of the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, submitting with remarks petition from, representing his claims for promotion, recorded.	8th „ „ 70, Mis.

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OFFICERS—*cont.*	1896.
Mr. W. P. Enright, Assistant Inspector.—Memorial addressed to His Excellency the Governor in Council from, regarding his supersession, forwarded to Government, Revenue Department.—Extract of Government Order declining to interfere on behalf of, communicated to,	10th Jan., No. 87, Mis. 27th April, „ 1643, Mis.
Mr. R. M. Brookes.—Orders passed on letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, bringing to notice the conduct of, for the gross delay in replying to the Assistant Commissioner's inspection remarks of the Mangalore Circle office and rectifying the errors pointed out.	10th Jan., „ 102, Mis.
Head Appraiser of the Madras Custom House.—Government Order ordering the publication of a notification declaring, to be *ex-officio* Inspector of cotton mills for the whole Presidency and the Revenue Divisional officers in the mofussil to be *ex-officio* Inspectors of mills within their respective divisions, communicated to the Collectors of all the districts and the attention of the Collector of Sea Customs, Madras, drawn to the remarks of Government in paragraph 2 of its order.—Letter from the Collector of Sea Customs, Madras, pointing out the difficulty arising from the appointment of the, as Inspector of all the mills in the Presidency, submitted to Government with remarks.—Government Order requesting the sanction of the Government of India to reduce from Rs. 50 to Rs. 30 the local allowance granted to, communicated to the Collector of Sea Customs, Madras, and certain Collectors requested to make further enquiries and to report whether there are any weaving mills in their districts other than those mentioned.	10th „ „ 5. 9th Mar., „ 965, Mis. 7th May, „ 178.
A. Narayanaswami Naidu, late Sub-Inspector, Udipi Circle.—Orders passed on petition of, appealing against the orders of the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, declaring him to have forfeited his appointment.	15th Jan., „ 175, Mis.
Government Order transferring to Financial Department certain papers regarding the inclusion of the record of services of certain officers in the histories of gazetted and other officers, recorded.	15th „ „ 267, Mis.
Mr. Hawkins, Inspector, Coimbatore Circle.—Government requested to Gazette, as having been in charge of the Assistant Commissioner's office, late Erode Sub-division, from 28th September to the 16th October 1895.	16th „ „ 183, Mis.
Mr. C. H. McBride, Inspector, Madura Circle.—Reprimanded for his carelessness and disregard of orders in employing certain overaged men as peons.	17th „ „ 195, Mis.
A. Subbaramania Aiyar, Sub-Inspector, Chittoor Circle.—The order of suspension passed by the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, on, cancelled with remarks.	21st „ „ 367, Mis.
Mr. Norfor.—Letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, submitting the explanation of, for withdrawing certain abkári cases from the Magistrate's file without the Deputy Commissioner's sanction, recorded with remark.	22nd „ „ 314, Mis.
The attention of the officers of the Salt and Abkári Department is drawn to the fact that they have been declared to be Customs officers for the purposes of sections 171 and 173 of the Sea Customs Act and that they will in future be designated as officers of the Salt, Abkári and Customs Department.	27th „ „ 38.

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Mr. E. R. R. Mainwaring, Assistant Commissioner, Negapatam Sub-division.—The remarks of the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, on the explanation of, for the state of affairs discovered by the Acting Commissioner, on his inspection of the salt heaps at Negapatam awaited.—Remarked on the insufficiency of the explanation offered by,—Orders passed on the report of the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, furnishing particulars regarding the steps taken towards the destruction of excise salt over five years old in the Negapatam Sub-division.	1st Feb., No. 437, Mis. 28th April, „ 1682, Mis. 30th June, „ 2693, Mis.
Mr. Platts, Assistant Commissioner of Salt, Abkári and Customs Department.—Government Order communicating letter from the Government of Bengal declining to allow him to return to his former appointment in the Bengal Police, communicated to,—Petition of, praying for a transfer to Orissa, submitted to Government with remarks.	6th Feb., „ 558, Mis. 25th Aug., „ 3565, Mis.
Mr. T. R. Barter, Inspector, Madura Circle.—Memorial from, praying that he may be restored to the position in the grade of Inspectors which he occupied prior to 1890 and that he may be given another chance as Acting Assistant Commissioner, submitted to Government with remarks.—Replied to the request of, to be informed whether he is considered ineligible to hold the post of Assistant Commissioner.	5th Feb., „ 562, Mis. 19th June, „ 2550, Mis.
Mr. Rhenius.—Severely reprimanded for the highly objectionable and irritating tone of his letter of 6th October 1895, No. 492, to the Cumbum Station master and directed to withdraw it.	27th Jan., „ 444, Mis.
T. G. Krishnaswami Pillai, Sub-Inspector, Morekolam Circle.—The punishment inflicted by the Deputy Commissioner on, modified with remarks.	27th „ „ 484, Mis.
Mr. Mitchell, Inspector, Tranquebar Circle.—Copy of proceedings of the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, passing orders on endorsement of the Assistant Commissioner, Negapatam Sub-division, regarding the delay on the part of, in submitting the progress report referred to in paragraph 98 of circular order No. I of 1891, recorded with remark.	3rd Feb., „ 568, Mis.
K. H. Rama Rao, Sub-Inspector, Námakkal Circle.—Interference on behalf of, in the matter of his petition requesting to be promoted and transferred to the Southern Division, declined.	3rd „ „ 569, Mis.
Assistant Inspector M.R.Ry. Panchapagesa Iyer.—Orders passed on the endorsement of the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, submitting a petition from, appealing against the Board's decision in connection with the extension of platform No. XVII, Merkanam factory.	6th „ „ 570, Mis.
Sub-Inspector Radhakrishna Aiyar.—Government Order cancelling the Deputy Commissioner's order awarding to, a black mark and also the punishment of suspension for three months, communicated to the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, and the petitioner informed of the same.	10th „ „ 627, Mis.
Mr. Chamier.—Orders passed on letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, reporting on certain irregularities committed in clearing silt from the channels in the Surlá extension.	17th „ „ 639, Mis.

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Mr. S. W. Tremenheere, Inspector, Covelong Circle.—Remarked on the action of, in having sent certain tents of the circle to the Vellore jail, for repairs without obtaining the Board's previous sanction thereto.	20th Feb., No. 682, Mis.
Alleged tyranny of the Shoranur Salt officers.—Government Order on Proceedings of the Board of Revenue reporting on the, communicated to the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, and the Assistant Commissioner, Calicut Sub-division.	13th ,, ,, 683, Mis.
Mr. Kearns.—Letter from the Accountant-General stating that, may be allowed three days' joining time for the journey by steamer from Mangalore to Calicut on his transfer from the Udipi to the Védáranniyam Circle, communicated to the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division.	27th ,, ,, 757, Mis.
S. Mayurnada Aiyar.—Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, informed that, will revert as soon as another Assistant Inspector is appointed to the Vattanam Circle and will not be promoted again as Acting Assistant Inspector until he is thoroughly well reported on.	7th Mar., ,, 909, Mis.
Assistant Commissioner, Tinnevelly Sub-division. — Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, informed that the Board sees no reason to withdraw the remark passed on the, in Board's Proceedings, Mis. No. 5484, dated 28th December 1895.	9th ,, ,, 917, Mis.
Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, informed that clerks in the Salt, Abkári and Customs Department cannot be required to learn drill but that they should be encouraged to learn it voluntarily and better qualify themselves for the post of Sub-Inspectors.	5th ,, ,, 937, Mis.
Mr. Chanier, Inspector, Cuddapah Circle.—The action of, in having forwarded certain mahazarnamah direct to the Medical Board instead of through his official superiors, remarked on.	5th ,, ,, 952, Mis.
Mr. A. J. Mitchell, Assistant Inspector, reduced from the first to second grade for submitting false diaries.	10th ,, ,, 966, Mis.
M.R.Ry. P. Koman Menon.—Orders passed on the letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, bringing to notice the disregard for orders by, regarding the wearing of uniforms, the delay in submitting his explanation, and the insubordinate language in which the explanation was couched.—Order passed on letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, bringing to the notice of the Board the conduct of, in having failed to take with him his horse and tents when he went into camp.—Orders passed on letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, submitting copy of the apology tendered by, for the insubordinate language in which a certain explanation was couched.	13th ,, ,, 1085, Mis. 7th ,, ,, 1086, Mis. 6th July, ,, 2802, Mis.
Tendency on the part of some of the officers to carry no tents or only half the set when they go on tour.—Directed that irregularities of the kind on the part of the officers must be put a stop to.	7th Mar., ,, 1086, Mis.

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Mr. Blake.—Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, informed that, may address Government by petition if he thinks fit in the matter of his transfer to the Land Revenue Department as Deputy Collector.	17th Mar., No. 1158, Mis.
List from the Principal, College of Engineering, Madras, showing the names of qualified Engineers, Engineer subordinates, draftsmen and surveyors who completed their course of instruction on 31st December 1895, recorded.	17th „ „ 1173, Mis.
Mr. Ditmas.—Certain appointments in consequence of the restoration of, to the post of Assistant Commissioner, suggested to Government.—Government Order approving the arrangements proposed, recorded.	20th „ „ 1183, Mis. 28th May, „ 2403, Mis.
Free access to all officials of the Salt, Abkári and Customs Department, when on duty, whether in uniform or not to Railway platforms and premises.—Traffic Manager, Madras Railway, requested to issue instructions to Station Masters to allow, —Traffic Manager, Southern Mahratta Railway Company, requested to modify, if necessary, the orders issued to the station staff on his railway so as to allow,—Letters from the Traffic Managers of the Madras and Southern Mahratta Railways stating that instructions will be issued to the officers of their companies to allow, communicated to certain officers.	20th Mar., „ 1210, Mis. 20th „ „ 1211, Mis. 27th April, „ 156.
Mr. A. C. Woodhouse.—Directed by wire to hand over charge of the Nannilam Circle to the Inspector, Negapatam Circle.	21st Mar, „ 1223, Mis
Deputy Tahsildar and Second-class Magistrate of Vanur.—Copy of letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, to the Collector of South Arcot bringing to his notice the conduct of, in having taken by force and threats certain statements from certain bandy men at the Madalapet and Thukanapakam sayer stations, recorded with remarks.—Copy of letter from the Collector of South Arcot to the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, stating that an enquiry has been directed to be made on the alleged misconduct on the part of, recorded.—Letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, stating that an enquiry has been directed to be made on the alleged misconduct on the part of the, and that the result will be reported in due course, recorded.	23rd „ „ 1280, Mis. 11th April, „ 1468, Mis. 4th May, „ 1871, Mis.
Mr. Stone.—Orders passed on letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, submitting, with remarks, the explanation called for from, in connection with his work in the Nizampatam Circle.	24th Mar., „ 1288, Mis.
N. Veerrazu.—Interference on behalf of, in the matter of reduction from the post of Sub-Inspector to a clerk's place on Rs. 15, declined.	26th „ „ 1309, Mis.
M.R.Ry. M. Ragavulu Naidu, Assistant Inspector.—Strictly warned and a note in the confidential register made against, for the bad quality of the salt manufactured in the Pákala factory during the season of 1895.	25th „ „ 1314, Mis.
M.R.Ry. Rungasamy Iyer, Inspector, Kanuparti Circle.—Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, informed that, also should be informed that he too is not free from blame in the matter of the bad quality of the salt manufactured in the Pákala factory during the season of 1895.	25th „ „ 1314, Mis.

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Mr. Holman.—Government Order reducing, to a first-grade Assistant Inspector subject to report at the end of six months, communicated to the Deputy Commissioners, Central and Southern Divisions, and to Mr. Holman; and the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, requested to have his work carefully watched and reported on at the end of six months.—A report on the work of, in the Negapatam Circle, submitted to Government.—Minute of appointment appointing, as fourth grade Inspector with effect from the 11th October 1896, submitted to Government, Revenue Department.	30th Mar., No. 1344, Mis. 25th Sept., „ 4023, Mis. 13th Oct., „ 4288, Mis.
Sub-Inspector Krishnaswami Iyengar of the Kattumavadi Circle.—Declined to modify the orders passed in Board's Proceedings, Mis. No. 2555, dated 18th June 1895, in the matter of the order of reduction from the third to fourth grade of Sub-Inspectors passed on.	31st Mar., „ 1398, Mis.
Assistant Commissioner, Tinnevelly Sub-division, informed that Sub-Inspector Vairavanatha Pillay may be put in temporary charge of the Madura distillery when necessary.	6th April, „ 1404, Mis.
Mr. Vas.—Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, requested to ascertain and report the date on which the pony of, actually reached him and to submit any further explanation which he has to offer for his disingenuous conduct in the matter of his explanation for his failure to provide himself with a horse as ordered by the Deputy Commissioner.	4th „ „ 1419, Mis.
Syed Ali Sahib Bahadur, Khan Sahib, Treasury Deputy Collector, Kistna.—Exonerated from responsibility for the non-recovery of Rs. 79-1-6 from Mr. C. M. Stuart and Mr. Poole alone held responsible in the matter and directed to remit Rs. 39-8-9 to, without delay.	6th „ „ 1453, Mis.
Mr. Tillard.—Secretary to the Commissioner for Government Examinations requested to take steps for correcting the error in the Christian name of.	11th „ „ 1469, Mis.
M.R.Ry. P. Subramania Aiyah, Assistant Inspector, Calingapatam Circle.—Orders passed on the conduct of, in overstaying casual leave.—Remarked on the explanation of, for overstaying his casual leave in February 1896 and reduced to the third grade.—Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, informed that the Board will be prepared to reconsider its order of reduction passed in the case of, at the request of Mr. Leggatt the officer aggrieved and directed to hand over the papers connected with the case on his return to duty.	11th „ „ 1502, Mis. 8th Sept., „ 3794, Mis. 22nd Oct., „ 4403, Mis.
Assistant Inspector M.R.Ry. P. Subramania Aiyah.—Declined to modify the orders already passed regarding the conduct of, while he was in charge of the Karassa and Polavaram Circles.	27th April, „ 1658, Mis.
Assistant Inspector M.R.Ry. A. Madhaviah.—Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, requested to inform, that he has no ground for complaint in the matter of his rank in the Departmental establishment list.	27th „ „ 1662, Mis.

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Mr. Enright.—Copy of proceedings of the Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, passing orders in the matter of certain charges brought against, while he was in charge of the Kuppili factory, Kónáda Circle, recorded.	29th April, No. 1708, Mis.
Mr. Poole.—Remarked on the neglect of, to see that the coverings of heaps were attended to in the Manginapudi Circle.	30th ,, ,, 1731, Mis.
Mr. Nash.—Restored to the first grade of Assistant Inspectors with effect from the 4th January 1896.	26th ,, ,, 1733, Mis.
Studying the working of the English distilleries.—Mr. Leggatt informed that his suggestion to remain in England a short time beyond his leave on distillery inspection will be considered if it is decided not to get out a distillery expert from England.—Recommended to Government that Messrs. Leggatt and Marshall may each be permitted to remain in England for a month beyond their leave for the purpose of,—Government Order requesting the sanction of the Secretary of State for India for their deputation on special duty in England for one month beyond the period of their leave for the purpose of, communicated to Messrs. Leggatt and Marshall.—Letter from Mr. Leggatt communicating copy of despatch from the Secretary of State sanctioning his deputation on special duty for one month in England and reporting the probable date of his return to India, recorded.	1st May, ,, 1808, Mis. 21st July, ,, 3069, Mis. 11th Aug., ,, 3362, Mis. 8th Oct., ,, 4364, Mis.
Mr. Rosemeyer.—Orders passed on letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, submitting certain particulars on the subject of the deviations made by, in executing certain works at Bimlipatam.	6th May, ,, 1878, Mis.
Assistant Inspector Mr. Vas.—Certain further information in connection with the report of the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, recommending the reduction by one grade of, for neglect of duty, called for.—Orders passed on letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, reporting on the conduct of, in charge of the Cannanore distillery in regard to his failure to notice certain defects in the distillery arrangement.	5th ,, ,, 1887, Mis. 14th July, ,, 2954, Mis.
Mr. Norfor, Inspector of Salt and Abkári Revenue, Frontier No. II Circle.—Remarked that the explanation of, for availing himself of two days' leave during Christmas holidays without orders is not at all satisfactory.	9th May, ,, 1942, Mis.
Sub-Inspector G. Ananthanatha Pillai.—Copy of proceedings of the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, passing orders on the case of, in regard to his dealings with petty officer M. Sankara Nair, recorded.—Interference on behalf of, appealing against the order of the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, reducing him to the third grade of Sub-Inspectors, declined.	8th ,, ,, 1964, Mis. 18th Dec., ,, 5279, Mis.
M R.Ry. M. A. Mangesha Row informed that he should apply to the District Magistrate of South Arcot to appoint a vakil to defend him against the charge of perjury brought against him by the amin of S. Daivanayaga Mudaliar of Cuddalore and by Mr. F. W. G. Gill, Agent of Messrs. Parry and Company at Nellikuppam.—Letter from the	19th May, ,, 2057, Mis. 21st ,, ,, 2157, Mis.

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Collector of South Arcot reporting that he has received a copy of M. A. Mangesha Row's application to the Board and requesting early orders on the same, recorded with reference to Board's Proceedings, Mis. No. 2057.	
Deputy Tahsildar of Vissannapet.—Government Order sanctioning the recommendation of the Collector of Kistna that the official designation of the, should be altered to Deputy Tahsildar of Tiruvur, recorded.	27th May, No. 2217, Mis.
An intermediate class of officers between Jemadars and Sub-Inspectors, fifth grade, for tree-marking work.—The opinion of the Deputy and Assistant Commissioners as the advisability of creating, invited.—Letter from the Assistant Commissioner, Chingleput Sub-division, submitting his opinion on the advisability of creating, recorded.—Letter from the Assistant Commissioner, Chicacole Sub-division, reporting on the advisability of creating, recorded.—Letter from the Assistant Commissioner, Chatrapur Sub-division, giving his opinion as to the advisability of creating, recorded.—Letter from the Assistant Commissioner, Bellary Sub-division, reporting on the advisability of creating, recorded.—Letter from the Assistant Commissioner, Balasore Sub-division, expressing his opinion as to the advisability of creating, recorded.—Letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, reporting on the advisability of creating, recorded.—Letter from the Assistant Commissioner, Masulipatam Sub-division, expressing his opinion as to the advisability of creating, recorded.—Letter from the Assistant Commissioner, Calicut Sub-division, expressing his opinion on the advisability of creating, recorded.—Endorsement of the Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, submitting copy of Cocanada Assistant Commissioner's letter giving his views as to the advisability of creating, recorded.—Letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, offering his own opinion and those of the Assistant Commissioners in the Central Division, except Masulipatam as to the advisability of creating, recorded.—Letters from the Assistant Commissioners, Arcot, Nellore and Negapatam Sub-divisions, submitting copy of the letter to their respective Deputy Commissioners as to the advisability of creating, recorded.	1st June, „ 2265, Mis. 19th „ „ 2603, Mis. 23rd „ „ 2614, Mis. 25th „ „ 2659, Mis. 20th „ „ 2668, Mis. 30th „ „ 2705, Mis. 4th July, „ 2812, Mis. 10th „ „ 2852, Mis. 8th „ „ 2854, Mis. 24th „ „ 3146, Mis. 17th Aug., „ 3467, Mis. 18th Sept., „ 3947, Mis.
Hours of attendance of the Distillery officer at Messrs. Abraham and Company's distillery, Bellary.—Letter from the Assistant Commissioner, Bellary Sub-division, changing the, recorded.	2nd June, „ 2303, Mis.
Wastage of 62 maunds ascertained in a heap of the Védáranniyam factory.—Remarked on the carelessness of certain officers in the matter of their failure to show in the accounts the, and the explanation called for by the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, from the officers concerned, awaited.—Letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, forwarding the explanations of the Assistant Inspector and the clerk concerned, recorded with remarks.	2nd „ „ 2311, Mis. 8th Oct., „ 4217, Mis.
Mr. Kearns.—Orders passed on letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, submitting with remarks, the explanation of, for the unauthorized deviations from and additions to the estimates sanctioned for constructing Inspector's quarters, out-houses and office at Udipi.—Orders	6th June, „ 2374, Mis. 21st July, „ 3050, Mis.

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passed on letter from, requesting reconsideration of the orders passed by the Board in Board's Proceedings, Mis. No. 2374, dated 6th June 1896.	
Mr. Greatorex.—Remarked upon certain irregularities committed by, in connection with the repair of the coverings of certain heaps in the Penugudury Circle in 1889 and Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, requested to call upon that officer to show cause why he should not be made to pay a certain amount now claimed by the contractor on that account.	11th June, No. 2448, Mis.
Mr. Blake, Inspector, Karassa Circle.—Orders passed on the explanation submitted by, for certain defects noticed by the Commissioner on his inspection of the Karassa factory.—A note made against, in the confidential register on account of the most unsatisfactory state of the office records.—Letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, submitting Mr. Blake's explanation of a statement made by him when replying to the Commissioner's remarks on his inspection of the Karassa factory, recorded with remark.	10th ,, ,, 2454, Mis. 24th ,, ,, 2632, Mis. 12th Oct., ,, 4243, Mis.
Mr. Hawkins.—Directed by wire to proceed to Negapatam at once handing over charge to his Assistant	11th June, ,, 2410, Mis.
C. R. Sesha Iyer, Sub-Inspector, Mangalore Circle.—Interference on behalf of, in the matter of his petition praying that a certain period of his absence from duty may be treated as sick leave on half pay or furlough or leave on private affairs, declined.	15th ,, ,, 2507, Mis.
Obtaining the services of an officer of the Inland Revenue Department in England for the supervision and efficient administration of distilleries in the Presidency.—Government Order concurring in the Board's views on the subject of, communicated to Deputy and Assistant Commissioners.—The advisability of asking that the decision of the Secretary of State on the subject of, may be communicated by telegram, suggested to Government.—Copy of Government Order informing the Government of India by wire that if the services of an expert in distillery matters could not be secured on the terms quoted by the Local Government it is desirable to give the terms asked in the telegram received from the Government of India, recorded.—Government Order communicating endorsement of the Government of India forwarding copy of telegram to the Secretary of State on the subject, recorded.—Government Order communicating endorsement of the Government of India forwarding copy of telegram from the Secretary of State intimating the appointment of Mr. Bennett as Supervisor, Madras distilleries, recorded.—Deputy and Assistant Commissioners informed that Mr. Bennett is expected to arrive very shortly and the Assistant Commissioners requested to have a short note prepared regarding the history of each distillery for him.	19th ,, ,, 235. 22nd Oct., ,, 4394, Mis. 18th Nov., ,, 4642, Mis. 20th ,, ,, 4896, Mis. 28th ,, ,, 4951, Mis. 30th ,, ,, 4952, Mis
Mr. V. S. F. Wilson.—A further explanation from, regarding his handing over charge to his Assistant when he proceeded on casual leave, called for.—Reprimanded for his conduct in having left his station without proper relief.	25th June, ,, 2655, Mis. 4th Dec., ,, 5108, Mis.
Assistant Inspector M.R.Ry. P. R. Krishna Aiyar.—Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, requested to submit a detailed report on the work of,	29th June, ,, 2695, Mis.

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Assistant Inspector M.R.Ry. A. R. Anantarama Iyer of the Neidavasal factory.—Remarked on the report of the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, bringing to notice the conduct of, in having removed certain wood sold in auction and belonging to certain licensees and stated that the Assistant Inspector will be transferred to another circle when an opportunity offers.	29th June, No. 2706, Mis.
M.R.Ry. C. Guru Row, Tahsildar of Rayadrug.—The action of the Collector of Bellary in stopping further proceedings against, as Government has ordered his dismissal, approved.	2nd July, „ 2743, Mis.
Assistant Inspector M.R.Ry. M. A. Mangesha Row.—Reprimanded for not having adopted the usual course to be followed when documents are required in Court.	8th „ „ 2817, Mis.
Mr. S. C. W. Ottmann, Inspector, Erode Circle.—Ordered an entry to be made in the confidential register against, for the delay in bringing to the notice of the Board the decisions of the Joint Magistrate of Coimbatore and the Second-class Magistrate of Erode in Criminal appeal No. 233 of 1894 and Calendar Case No. 31 of 1895, respectively.	14th „ „ 2956, Mis.
Old system of showing officers in the Establishment list according to the latest dates of acting appointments.—Endorsement of the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, submitting letter from the Acting Assistant Commissioner, Tinnevelly Sub-division, suggesting a reversion to the, recorded with remarks.	15th „ „ 3017, Mis.
Mr. E. H. Brookes.—Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, instructed with remarks to inform, that the Board declines to examine the records again to enable it to answer his questions.	18th „ „ 3024, Mis.
Mr. J. J. Brindley, Inspector, Ganjám Circle.—Reprimanded for not having reported a certain case of murder at Humma in which Acting Assistant Inspector McMurray was suspected to have been concerned.	21st „ „ 3090, Mis.
D. S. Loganatha Pillai.—Reconsideration of the order passed in the case of, in the matter of his reduction from the fourth to the fifth grade of Sub-Inspectors, declined.	28th „ „ 3166, Mis.
Sub-Inspector S. A. Saldanha of the Udipi Circle.—The order of reduction passed by the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, on, set aside.	31st „ „ 3203, Mis.
Reported to Government that February and March are the busiest months for Sub-Inspectors in the Bápatla and Polur taluks and that it will, however, be possible to depute permanent Sub-Inspectors to supervise the harvesting of the hemp crop, replacing them by temporary men.	1st Aug., „ 3215, Mis.
List of qualified Engineers and Engineer Subordinates who completed their courses of instruction on the 30th June 1896 in the College of Engineering, Madras, recorded.	4th „ „ 3271, Mis.
Certain officers of the Land Revenue Department meeting the Assistant Commissioners while on tour in view to their consulting them on abkári matters.—Orders passed on endorsement of the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, on letter from the Assistant Commissioner, Tinnevelly Sub-division, requesting to arrange for,	8th „ „ 3329, Mis.

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Conservancy establishment at Kónáda.—Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, informed that the Board will not take objection to the Kónáda Inspector's or Assistant Inspector's supervising the work of the,	25th Aug., No. 3567, Mis.
M R.Ry. P. Periaswami Pillai, Assistant Inspector, Kuttanguli Circle.—Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, informed that, may be treated as having been on duty from the 23rd April to 6th May 1896 as he handed over charge of his office only on the 7th May 1896.	26th ,, ,, 3616, Mis.
M.R.Ry. V. R. Rangaswami Aiyar, Inspector.—Remarked that, exceeded his powers in a most improper manner in having relieved Assistant Inspector S. Appayya in anticipation of sanction and stated that an entry will be made against his name in the confidential register.—Remarked that the explanation of, is unsatisfactory and that the entry against his name in the confidential register, cannot be cancelled.	2nd Sept., ,, 3749, Mis. 9th Dec., ,, 5084, Mis.
K. R. Sivaminadha Aiyar, Distillery officer, Chávakkát.—Orders passed on letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, reporting on the conduct of, in certain matters.	7th Sept., ,, 3768, Mis.
Non-gazetted officer who should be added to the History of Services.—Government Order stating that the Government is of opinion that the only, is the Superintendent of the Government Press, recorded.	5th ,, ,, 3770, Mis.
Extract from telegram from Government appointing Mr. Todhunter to act as Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, communicated to Messrs. Todhunter and Fowler for information and guidance.	8th ,, ,, 3775, Mis.
Mr. Platts' removal from the Orissa Province.—Government informed that there are no Board's Proceedings showing the reasons for,	9th ,, ,, 3801, Mis.
Inspector, Ponnáni Circle.—Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, informed with remarks that the, may be permitted to go into Calicut for a few hours at any time and that the Board concurs with him in considering that the head-quarters of that circle should not be moved to Calicut.	12th ,, ,, 3855, Mis.
The action of the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, in placing fourth-grade Sub-Inspector A. Thumbusami Mudali of the Arkonam Circle on special duty in the Pákala Circle, approved.	15th ,, ,, 3893, Mis.
Transfer of charge of the office of the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, by Mr. Brodie to Mr. Fowler at Madras instead of at Trichinopoly.—Sanction of Government to the, solicited.—Government Order sanctioning the, recorded.	16th ,, ,, 3907, Mis. 5th Oct., ,, 4283, Mis.
Mr. C. W. P. St. John.—Instructed to take no action on the summons received from the Assistant Magistrate, Cuddalore, pending further orders and the Assistant Magistrate asked if, cannot be examined on commission as his absence from Cuttack will cause great inconvenience.—Letter from the Assistant Magistrate, South Arcot, expressing his inability to give a decisive answer as to the necessity of the presence of, in his Court until he hears the arguments of the parties concerned in the matter, recorded.	22nd Sept., ,, 3972, Mis. 28th ,, ,, 4155, Mis.

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Deputation of an officer having practical experience of the Indian system of storing salt in the open to give instructions on the subject to Ceylon.—Reported to Government on letter from the Government of India requesting that necessary assistance may be given to the Ceylon Government in the matter of,—Government Order directing that a certain letter be despatched to the Government of Ceylon regarding the, recorded.—Government Order regarding the deputation of an experienced Inspector, recorded.	28th Sept., No. 4043, Mis. 17th Nov., ,, 4889, Mis. 24th Dec., ,, 5313, Mis.
Acting Assistant Inspector M.R.Ry. Sundarappier.—Orders passed on letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, reporting on certain irregularities on the part of, in the execution of certain petty construction and repair works in the Kattumavadi factory.	2nd Oct., ,, 4113, Mis.
S. Nallathambi Nadan, Sub-Inspector, Tuticorin Circle.—The order of suspension passed by the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, on, cancelled and the attention of the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, drawn to paragraph 129 of Circular No. I of 1893.	29th Sept., ,, 4122, Mis.
R. Saminatha Aiyar.—Interference with the orders of the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, reducing, from the fourth to fifth grade, declined.	23rd ,, ,, 4114, Mis.
Assistant Inspector M.R.Ry. P. K. Krishna Iyer.—Orders passed on report from the Assistant Commissioner, Tinnevelly Sub-division, regarding the work of,	3rd Oct., ,, 4135, Mis.
Transfers of officers of the Salt and Abkári Department who are candidates for the Departmental and Special Tests.—Letter from the Secretary to the Commissioner for Government Examinations reporting the inconvenience caused to his office by, recorded and Deputy and Assistant Commissioners requested to avoid unnecessarily transferring such candidates from one station to another during the months of September and October.	3rd ,, ,, 409.
Sub-Inspector V. Sankara Nambiar informed that he had ample time to apply for a reconsideration of his case before the permanent Commissioner left the department and that the Acting Commissioner is not prepared to revise the order already passed unless on very strong grounds.	5th ,, ,, 4140, Mis.
Mr. M. G. K. Waite, Assistant Inspector.—Stated that, in the circumstances reported by the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, will be considered to have been on duty during his illness.	7th ,, ,, 4176, Mis.
The journey of the Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, from Mogulturu to Masulipatam to confer with the Commissioner on official matters, authorized.	16th ,, ,, 4286, Mis.
V. Srinivasa Aiyar, late Sub-Inspector, Srivilliputtúr Circle.—The reinstatement of, directed.	20th ,, ,, 4374, Mis.
Mr. R. M. Thurley, Inspector, Madras Town Circle.—Reprimanded for his disregard of distinct orders prohibiting the marking of trees for toddy in cemeteries.	20th ,, ,, 4384, Mis.

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OFFICERS—*cont.*	1896.
Relief of officers who are to undergo practical training in Engineering.—Copy of proceedings of the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, issuing instructions for the, recorded.—Endorsement of the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, on letter from the Executive Engineer, Trichinopoly, regarding the period during which the Salt officers may undergo training under him, recorded.	30th Oct., No. 4683, Mis. 11th Nov., „ 4759, Mis.
Officers of the department holding appointments in any Factory Circle in which their relatives are employed in any capacity by the excise licensees or salt traders.—Directed that, should not be allowed to continue in such circles and a form of certificate to be submitted in connection therewith, prescribed.	6th „ „ 451.
Mr. Poole, Inspector, Manginapudi Circle.—Endorsement of the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, submitting the explanation of, regarding his absence from headquarters during the greater part of the manufacturing season in 1896, recorded with remark.	19th „ „ 4795, Mis.
Mr. E. W. Smither, Inspector, Ponnáni Circle.—Orders passed on the explanation of, in regard to certain irregularities noticed in the accounts maintained by the officer in charge of the Chávakkát distillery.	20th „ „ 4842, Mis.
Restriction of sales in the factories of the Tuticorin Circle.—Letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, submitting, with remarks, the explanation of Inspector M.R Ry. Kuppuswamy Aiyar regarding the, recorded.	19th „ „ 4845, Mis.
B. Morais, Assistant Sea Customs Superintendent at Kulasékarapatnam.—Certain arrangements of the Collector of Tinnevelly in consequence of the suspension of, approved with remarks.	28th „ „ 4847, Mis
Consular clerks.—Government Order, Revenue Department, communicating Proceedings, Public Department, regarding the recommendation of the British Consular Agent, Pondicherry and Karikal, relative to the promotion of the, recorded.	19th „ „ 4895, Mis
The case of an officer whose year of birth is known but not the exact date.—Government Order directing that in, the 1st July should be treated as the date of birth, communicated to all Deputy and Assistant Commissioners and the Collector of Sea Customs, Madras, and the Superintendent of Stamps, Madras.	22nd „ „ 471.
The good work done by certain Sub-Inspectors of the Negapatam Circle during the late workmen's strike in the Railway Workshops, commended with remarks to the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division.	26th „ „ 4969, Mis.
Summons received from the Joint Magistrate, Kumbakónam, forwarded to the officers concerned for service of the originals and the return of the duplicate duly endorsed to the Joint Magistrate direct so as to reach him before the 6th January 1897.	16th Dec., „ 5145, Mis.
Black-mailing of cooly-recruitors for Ceylon.—The Inspector-General of Police, Madras, requested to furnish certain information regarding the statements made by him about the subordinates of the Salt and Abkári Department in his letter on the question of,	19th „ „ 5189, Mis.

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Messrs. Wilkins, A. J. Mitchell, Brindley and Blake.—The explanation of, for their neglect to see that certain heaps were properly covered and shaped while they were in charge of the Naupada, Calingapatam and Karassa Circles, recorded.	30th Dec., No. 5294, Mis.
Mr. S. A. McD'Calder.—A note ordered to be made in the confidential register against, regarding the way in which he dealt the case of two peons of the Villupuram Circle who were dismissed by the Assistant Commissioner and subsequently reinstated by the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division.	31st „ „ 5305, Mis.
OPIUM.	
Draft notification authorizing the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, to exercise the powers of a Collector under the Madras Opium Rules within the District of Madras and the Saidapet taluk of the Chingleput district.—Government Order approving and ordering to be published in the *Fort St. George Gazette* a, communicated to the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division.	22nd Jan., „ 275, Mis.
Illicit export of opium and other intoxicating drugs to Port Blair.—Government Order recording letter from the Superintendent of Port Blair conveying thanks for the action of the Madras Government in the matter of preventing the, recorded.—Letter from the Collector of Chingleput stating that no information is available as to the whereabouts of one Govinda Mudali of the 26th Madras Native Infantry alleged to be concerned in a case of unauthorized export of opium, recorded.—Government Order communicating letter from the Superintendent of Port Blair stating that the 26th Madras Native Infantry has left Port Blair and is believed to be stationed at Belgaum, communicated to the Collector of Chingleput.	15th „ „ 284, Mis. 29th „ „ 360, Mis. 18th Mar., „ 1162, Mis.
Condition 12 of the Opium sale notice.—Collector of Malabar informed that the amendment suggested by him to, will be carried out in the notice for 1897–98.	27th Jan., „ 311, Mis.
Tender of Hemraj Ramlal for the privilege of supplying opium to vendors in the Agency tracts of the Vizagapatam district for the lease 1896–97.—Collector informed by wire that the, has been accepted.	29th „ „ 350, Mis.
Excess dryage ascertained in a consignment of opium imported from Indore into British Cochin.—Orders passed on letter from the Collector of Malabar reporting on certain,	1st Feb., „ 431, Mis.
Sub-dividing the opium farms.—Collector of Gódávari informed by wire that no change with regard to, of the district is necessary and the petitioners informed that the Board is not prepared to make the changes suggested in the matter of the disposal of the opium farms.	5th „ „ 488, Mis.
Opium dens in Madras.—An extract from the January 1896 number of "Abkári" regarding, forwarded to the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, and requested to verify the statement made therein and to submit a report thereon for the Board's information.—Report from the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, on the prosecution of the owner of an opium den in the town of Madras, recorded.	7th Mar., „ 973, Mis. 11th June, „ 2418, Mis.

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Import or transport of medical opium.—Reported to Government on the question of issuing executive orders to ensure that the, shall not be interfered with though such opium may not be covered by a pass.—Government Order directing that the, consigned from the Patna factory to the Hyderabad or Mysore Medical Store depôts shall not be interfered with although such opium may not be covered by a pass, communicated to all Collectors and Deputy and Assistant Commissioners.	16th Mar., No. 1131, Mis. 4th May, ,, 184.
Transfer of the opium farms of Madras Town and Saidapet taluk from A. Sabapathy Naicker to Narayana Chetty and Gurumurthi Chetty.—Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, informed that the, may be carried out if he is satisfied of the solvency of the transferees—Endorsement of the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, on the petition from A. Sabapathy Naicker stating that a power-of-attorney has been granted in favour of G. Narayana Chetty and Gurumurthi Chetty and requesting that the necessary license may be issued in their favour, recorded.	26th Mar., ,, 1322, Mis. 10th April, ,, 1463, Mis.
Hajee Omer Bin Meanjee Sait and Company.—Authorized to import one chest of opium from Indore and a license in duplicate to be forwarded to, forwarded to the Collector of the Nilgiris.—Collector of the Nilgiris informed that licenses for the import of opium from Bombay cannot be granted.	31st Mar., ,, 1357, Mis. 4th May, ,, 1813, Mis.
Sale of preparations of opium used for smoking.—A revised notification under the Opium Act for giving effect to the decision of the Government of India that licenses should not be issued for the, submitted to Government.—Government Order forwarding for the sanction of the Government of India the Opium rules, as slightly altered by the Local Government, communicated to all Collectors, Deputy and Assistant Commissioners and Inspectors of Salt, Abkári and Customs Department.—Notification containing the revised rules under the Opium Act I of 1878, as amended by the Government of India, communicated to all Collectors and Deputy and Assistant Commissioners and Inspectors.	4th April, ,, 139. 4th July, ,, 264. 13th Dec., ,, 502.
Suppressing by legislation the use of rooms as smoking saloons either by the public generally or by so-called clubs.—Collectors and Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, requested to report on the necessity for,—Letter from the Collector of Coimbatore reporting on the question of, recorded.—Letter from the Collector of South Arcot reporting on the question of, recorded.—Letter from the Collector of Anantapur reporting on the question of, recorded.—Letter from the Collector of Nellore reporting on the question of, recorded.—Letter from the Collector of South Canara reporting on the question of, recorded.—Letter from the Collector of Ganjám reporting on the question of, recorded. — Letter from the Collector of Vizagapatam reporting on the question of, recorded.—Letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, reporting on the question of, recorded. — Letter from the Collector of the Nilgiris reporting on the question of, recorded.—Letter from the Collector of Malabar reporting on the question of, recorded.—Letter from the Collector of Salem reporting on the question of, recorded.—Letter from the Collector of	4th April, ,, 139. 6th June, ,, 2404, Mis. 13th ,, ,, 2677, Mis. 4th July, ,, 2868, Mis. 10th ,, ,, 2878, Mis. 11th ,, ,, 2949, Mis. 20th ,, ,, 3079, Mis. 22nd ,, ,, 3106, Mis. 29th ,, ,, 3259, Mis. 29th ,, ,, 3269, Mis. 1st Aug., ,, 3297, Mis. 1st ,, ,, 3298, Mis. 3rd ,, ,, 3300, Mis. 7th ,, ,, 3364, Mis. 14th ,, ,, 3463, Mis. 25th ,, ,, 3675, Mis. 27th ,, ,, 3676, Mis. 29th ,, ,, 3692, Mis. 8th Sept., ,, 3830, Mis. 12th ,, ,, 3902, Mis.

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Kistna submitting report on the question of, recorded.—Letter from the Collector of Kurnool reporting on the question of, recorded.—Letter from the Collector of Chingleput reporting on the question of, recorded.—Letter from the Collector of Bellary submitting report on the question of, recorded.—Letter from the Collector of Tinnevelly reporting on the question of, recorded.—Letter from the Collector of Tanjore reporting on the question of, recorded.—Letter from the Collector of North Arcot reporting that there are no opium smoking saloons in the district, recorded.—Letter from the Collector of Gódávari reporting on the question of, recorded.—Letters from the Collectors of Cuddapah and Trichinopoly reporting on the question of, recorded.—Reported to Government on the question of,—Government Order ordering that a letter be despatched to the Government of India on the subject of, communicated to all Collectors and Deputy and Assistant Commissioners.	12th Sept., No. 3903, Mis. 25th „ „ 4022, Mis. 22nd Nov., „ 475.
Statement of petty cases of opium smuggling in which convictions have been recorded during the half-year ending 31st March 1896, submitted to Government.—Statement for the half-year ending 30th September 1896, submitted to Government.	22nd May, „ 2120, Mis. 11th Nov., „ 4671, Mis.
A license in duplicate authorizing the opium renter of the Ramallakot taluk to import one chest of opium from Indore, forwarded to the Collector of Kurnool.	12th June, „ 2431, Mis.
Nannilam opium farm.—The closure of the, for the lease 1896-97, ordered.	10th Aug., „ 3340, Mis.
Stationary Sub-Magistrate of Adóni to check opium consignments transported from outside the district.—Collector of Bellary informed that it is not necessary to empower the,	25th Sept., „ 4047, Mis.
Vizagapatam.—Proposal of the Collector of, to call for tenders for the supply of opium to the agency tracts of the district for the lease 1897–98, sanctioned.	5th Nov., „ 4600, Mis.
OFFICERS.	
ORISSA.	
Balasore Circle.—Copy of a report from the Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, regarding the complicity of certain officers of the Salt Department in a certain case of the alleged abuse of the Salt Laws in the, forwarded to the Secretary to the Board of Revenue, Lower Provinces.	10th Jan., „ 103, Mis.
Mr. Beale.—Reprimanded for giving inaccurate information that a case was acquitted on the sole ground that outside evidence was not adduced.	4th June, „ 2345, Mis.
Sub-Inspectors Amrootananda Jachack and T. Lakshminarayana Mudali.—Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, requested to report the circumstances under which, were transferred from certain departments in Orissa to the Salt and Abkári Department while they have not passed any examination and to submit a copy of the Examination	11th July, „ 2895, Mis. 23rd Oct., „ 4416, Mis. 20th Nov., „ 4834, Mis.

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ORISSA—*cont.*	
rules in force in Orissa at the time of the entertainment.—Application for the exemption from the Examination rules of T. Lakshmi Narayana Mudali, Sub-Inspector, Ganjám Circle, submitted for the favourable consideration and sanction of Government.—Government Order exempting T. Lakshmi Narayana Mudali from the Examination rules, communicated to the Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, and the Assistant Commissioner, Chatrapur Sub-division.	
Mr. E. J. B. Chapman, Inspector, Balasore Circle.—Copy of proceedings of the Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, directing the Assistant Commissioner, Balasore Sub-division, to call upon, to explain the constant delays in his office work.	5th Aug., No. 3382, Mis.
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PANS.	
Penuguduru extension No. II.—Government Order declining to interfere on behalf of P. Venkatarayudu and others, excise licensees of salt factory at Penuguduru, in the matter of granting them certain pans in the, recorded.	11th Jan., „ 260, Mis.
Rules for resuming the pans of those excise licensees who may not manufacture salt for two consecutive seasons.—Proposal of the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, to issue a notice that the, will be held in abeyance pending further orders in the case of the licensees of the Vayalur, Ennore and Covelong Circles, approved.—Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, informed that the Board sees no reason to grant the excise licensees in factories where the stocks are unduly large formal exemption from the liability to have their licenses cancelled under section 27 of the Salt Act.	26th „ „ 475, Mis. 21st July, „ 3051, Mis.
Waste lands fit and available for salt manufacture in the Thambikkanallavankóttai factory.—A statement showing the extent of, submitted to Government for orders with recommendation as to their disposal.—Government Order sanctioning the Board's recommendation, communicated to the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, and Assistant Commissioner, Negapatam Sub-division.—Letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, reporting that no applications have hitherto been received for the waste lands, recorded.	19th Feb., „ 763, Mis. 26th Mar., „ 1306, Mis. 10th July, „ 2851, Mis.
Re-opening of the Gopalpur salt-pans.—Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, requested to return the petition of Mr. F. J. V. Minchin of Aska regarding the, which were forwarded to him with Board's Proceedings, Mis. No. 5449, dated 20th December 1895.—Board's remarks on the petition of Mr. F. J. V. Minchin of Aska regarding the, submitted to Government.—Government Order stating that the objections to the, are strong and that Mr. Minchin's application to re-open the pans should not be entertained, recorded.	26th Mar., „ 1316, Mis. 26th April, „ 1650, Mis. 3rd July, „ 2770, Mis.

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PANS—*cont.*	1896.
Attiput factory.—The acceptance of certain applications for transfers of pans under special circumstances in the, as recommended by the Deputy Commissioner, ordered.—The acceptance of certain application for transfer of pans under special circumstances in the, ordered.	23rd May, No. 2149, Mis. 23rd June, „ 2616, Mis.
Kistnapatnam factory.—Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, requested to furnish certain further information in connection with the disposal of certain waste lands in the,—Orders passed in regard to the assignment of certain waste lands in the,	1st „ „ 2272, Mis. 14th Oct., „ 4244, Mis.
Sathavoo Pannayan, late licensee of Sevandakolam extension.—Orders passed on letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, reporting on the petition of, praying that his license which was cancelled on account of his having mortgaged his pans, may be restored to him.	6th June, „ 2357, Mis.
Karassa factory.—Sanction for the permanent assignment of a certain pan, the licensee of which was convicted of theft of salt in the, to one Yemala Ramiah to whom the pans were temporarily assigned as recommended by the Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, accorded.	25th „ „ 2650, Mis.
The system of allowing licensees to take exclusive possession of channels, banks or other waste lands in their factories as drying grounds.—Directed that, must be put a stop to.	22nd Oct., „ 4478, Mis.
Waste lands lying to the east of the Kovur-Manjeri canal.—Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, instructed to bring to the notice of the Commissioner, when he visits the Penuguduru factory the question of the relinquishment of,	23rd „ „ 4483, Mis.
Calingapatam factory.—Recommendation of the Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, to assign permanently to one Challa Thammadu certain pans in the, sanctioned.	4th Dec., „ 5074, Mis.
PASSAGE.	
Mr. St. John.—Requisition for passage ticket on behalf of,	18th Mar., „ 1148, Mis.
PENSION.	
Bapudu, late second-grade peon, Penuguduru Circle.—An application for an invalid pension on behalf of, forwarded to the Accountant-General, Madras, for submission to Government.—Government Order sanctioning an invalid pension to, communicated to the Assistant Commissioner, Cocanada Sub-division.	8th Jan., „ 20, Mis. 10th Mar., „ 1051, Mis.
V. Venkiah, late peon, Iskapalle Circle.—Service book of, forwarded to the Assistant Commissioner, Nellore Sub-division, for transmission to the Inspector of that Circle in view to the submission of the explanation for the delay in the verification of the peon's service books called for by the Board.	20th Jan., „ 220, Mis.

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S. Govinda Chetti, late fifth-grade Sub-Inspector, Vayalur Circle.—Application for the grant of an invalid pension of Rs. 15 per mensem on behalf of, forwarded with remarks to the Accountant-General for submission to Government.—Government Order, Revenue Department, granting an invalid pension of Rs. 15 per mensem to, communicated to the Assistant Commissioner, Chingleput Sub-division.	21st Jan., No. 238, Mis. 27th Mar., „ 1394, Mis.
Venkatasami Naidu, late second-grade peon, Merkanam Circle.—Application for the grant of an invalid gratuity of Rs. 28 on behalf of, forwarded with remarks to the Accountant-General for submission to Government.—Government Order, Pension Department, sanctioning with remarks an invalid gratuity of Rs. 25 to, communicated to the Assistant Commissioner, Chingleput Sub-division.	22nd Jan., „ 250, Mis. 8th July, „ 284, Mis.
M. Guriah, late second-grade peon, Ganjám Circle.—Government Order sanctioning an invalid gratuity of Rs. 35 to, communicated to Assistant Commissioner, Chatrapur Sub-division.	20th Jan., „ 272, Mis.
Dasari Vallayya, late third-grade peon, Naupada Circle.—Government Order sanctioning an invalid gratuity of Rs. 24 to, communicated to the Assistant Commissioner, Chicacole Sub-division.	20th „ „ 273, Mis.
S. Ramasawmy Chetty, late Accountant, Customs and Trade Department of the Board's office.—An application for the grant of a superannuation pension of Rs. 25 per mensem on behalf of, forwarded to the Accountant-General, Madras, for submission to Government.—Government Order sanctioning a superannuation pension of Rs. 25 per mensem to, communicated to,	23rd „ „ 277, Mis. 28th April, „ 1711, Mis.
Mr. C. Powell, late Inspector, Dindigul Circle.—Government Order, Pension Department, granting in supersession of G.O., No. 1347, Pension, dated 25th October 1894, a superannuation pension of Rs. 66-10-8 per mensem to, recorded.—Memorial from, praying for the grant of a special pension, submitted to Government for favourable consideration.	17th Jan., „ 364, Mis. 19th Oct., „ 4342, Mis.
Perumal Naick, late a third-grade peon of the Negapatam Circle.—Application for gratuity of Rs. 18 on behalf of, forwarded to the Accountant-General, Madras, for submission to Government, and the Assistant Commissioner, Negapatam Sub-division, requested to furnish certain information in connection therewith.—Government Order granting an invalid gratuity of Rs. 24 to, communicated to the Assistant Commissioner, Negapatam Sub-division.	4th Feb., „ 472, Mis. 21st May, „ 2139, Mis.
Vaithi Pillai, late second-grade peon, Tanjore Circle.—Government Order, Pension Department, granting an invalid gratuity of Rs. 28 to, communicated to the Assistant Commissioner, Trichinopoly Sub-division.	12th Feb., „ 617, Mis.
Special Pensions.—Government Order communicating, for general information, the instructions issued by the Secretary of State in regard to the class of cases in which proposals for the grant of, in excess of the maximum	15th „ „ 67. 5th Mar., „ 97.

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limit of Rs. 5,000 a year prescribed by the rules may be made, communicated to all Deputy and Assistant Commissioners, the Collector of Sea Customs and the Superintendent of Stamps, Madras.—Government Order communicating to the Departments of the Secretariat concerned letter from the Government of India interpreting the term "effective service" which occurs in their resolution sanctioning, for certain heads of departments, communicated to all Deputy and Assistant Commissioners, the Collector of Sea Customs, Madras, and Superintendent of Stamps, Madras.	
V. Macalingam Pillai, late Sub-Inspector, Ennore Circle.—Government Order sanctioning an invalid pension of Rs. 15 per mensem to, communicated to the Assistant Commissioner, Chingleput Sub-division.	15th Feb., No. 630, Mis.
Kunhappu Nair, late a second-grade duffadar of the Tellicherry Circle.—Application for an invalid gratuity of Rs. 36 on behalf of, forwarded to the Accountant-General for submission to Government.—Government Order, Pension Department, sanctioning with remarks the grant of an invalid gratuity of Rs. 36 to, communicated to the Assistant Commissioner, Calicut Sub-division.	7th ,, ,, 645, Mis. 13th May, ,, 2011, Mis.
M. Govindan Nair, late duffadar, Ponnáni Circle.—Government Order, Pension Department, granting an invalid pension of Rs. 1-11-10 per mensem to, communicated to the Assistant Commissioner, Calicut Sub-division.	20th Feb., ,, 711, Mis.
Sankaran Nair, late a first-grade peon, Calicut Circle.—Applications for an invalid pension of Rs. 4 per mensem on behalf of, forwarded to the Accountant-General for submission to Government, and the Assistant Commissioner, Calicut Sub-division, requested to furnish certain information in connection therewith.—Government Order sanctioning an invalid pension of Rs. 4 per mensem to, communicated to the Assistant Commissioner, Calicut Sub-division.	26th ,, ,, 754, Mis. 10th June, ,, 2447, Mis.
P. Pitchigadu, late third-grade peon, Kanuparti Circle.—An application for the grant of an invalid pension of Rs. 3 per mensem on behalf of, forwarded with remarks to the Accountant-General, Madras, for submission to Government.—Government Order granting an invalid pension to, communicated to the Assistant Commissioner, Nellore Sub-division.	2nd Mar., ,, 810, Mis. 16th Nov., ,, 4761, Mis.
Diwan Bahadur R. Dharma Row Naidu Garu, Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division.—Informing that arrangements will be made for his relief on the 1st April next and requested to obtain and submit a last-pay certificate immediately after his retirement.—An application for pension on behalf of, forwarded to the Accountant-General with remarks for submission to Government, and the Collector of Gódávari requested to verify the applicant's service as clerk, Sibbandy Corps, Rajahmundry, from 15th May to 19th June 1861 and to report the result to the Board at an early date.—Government requested to obtain the sanction of the Secretary of State for the grant of a special pension of Rs. 6,000 per annum to, in lieu of the Rs. 5,000	25th Feb., ,, 842, Mis. 24th April, ,, 1493, Mis 8th May, ,, 1917, Mis. 13th June, ,, 2486, Mis. 18th Aug., ,, 3521, Mis.

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already recommended on his behalf.—Government Order granting him a superannuation pension of Rs. 461-10-8 per mensem, communicated to,—Government Order stating that the Government of India will be requested to move the Secretary of State to sanction a special pension of Rs. 6,000 per annum to, recorded.	
A. Subbadu, late second-grade peon, Penuguduru Circle.—Government Order sanctioning an invalid pension of Rs. 3-8-0 to, communicated to the Assistant Commissioner, Cocanada Sub-division.	5th Mar., No. 971, Mis.
Kanagan, late second-grade peon, Védáranniyam Circle.—Government Order, Pension Department, granting an invalid gratuity of Rs. 42 to, communicated to the Assistant Commissioner, Negapatam Sub-division.	17th „ „ 1151, Mis.
M. Murugesa Pillai, clerk in the Separate Revenue Department of the Board's office.—An application for the grant of an invalid pension of Rs. 9-14-8 per mensem on behalf of, forwarded to the Accountant-General for submission to Government.—Government Order, Pension Department, granting him an invalid pension of Rs. 9-14-8 per mensem, communicated to,	10th April, „ 1446, Mis. 3rd July, „ 2778, Mis.
Muthusami Pillai, late first-grade peon, South Trichinopoly Circle.—An application for an invalid gratuity of Rs. 32 on behalf of, forwarded to the Accountant-General, Madras, for submission to Government, and Assistant Commissioner, Trichinopoly Sub-division, requested to furnish certain information in connection therewith.—Government Order, Pension Department, granting an invalid gratuity of Rs. 32 to, communicated to the Assistant Commissioner, Trichinopoly Sub-division.	15th April, „ 1495, Mis. 3rd July, „ 2766, Mis.
Officers in the Salt, Abkári and Customs Department who submit pension applications.—A complete list of, submitted to Government.	15th April, „ 1497, Mis.
Sheik Adam Sahib, late first-grade peon, Konada Circle.—An application for an invalid gratuity of Rs. 48 on behalf of, forwarded to the Accountant-General, Madras, for submission to Government.—Government Order sanctioning an invalid gratuity of Rs. 48 to, communicated to the Assistant Commissioner, Chicacole Sub-division.	15th „ „ 1501, Mis. 19th June, „ 2570, Mis.
P. Gopalakrishnama, late fifth-grade Sub-Inspector, Ganjám Circle.—An application for a superannuation pension of Rs. 14-11-2 on behalf of, forwarded to the Accountant-General, with remarks, for submission to Government.—Government Order sanctioning a superannuation pension of Rs. 14-11-2 to, communicated to the Assistant Commissioner, Chatrapur Sub-division.	21st April, „ 1567, Mis. 4th Aug., „ 3320, Mis.
C. Kasi Aiyar, late fourth-grade Sub-Inspector, Tada Circle.—An application for the grant of a superannuation pension of Rs. 20 per mensem on behalf of, forwarded with remarks to the Accountant-General, Madras, for submission to Government.—Government Order, Pension Department, granting a superannuation pension of Rs. 20 to, communicated to the Assistant Commissioner, Chingleput Sub-division.	29th April, „ 1702, Mis. 27th Aug., „ 3625, Mis.

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Kuttalanada Mudali, late a fifth-grade Sub-Inspector, Tuticorin Circle.—Application for a superannuation pension of Rs. 8 on behalf of, forwarded to the Accountant-General for submission to Government.—Government Order sanctioning a superannuation pension of Rs. 7-12-0 per mensem to, communicated to the Assistant Commissioner, Tinnevelly Sub-division.	4th May, No. 1806, Mis. 17th Aug., „ 3487, Mis.
Mahomed Abdul Kadir, late second-grade peon, Cuddalore Circle.—An application for an invalid gratuity of Rs. 42 on behalf of, forwarded to the Accountant-General for submission to Government and the Assistant Commissioner, Negapatam Sub-division, requested to furnish certain information in connection therewith.—Government Order sanctioning an invalid gratuity of Rs. 40 to, communicated to the Assistant Commissioner, Negapatam Sub-division.	13th May, „ 1996, Mis. 20th Aug., „ 3534, Mis.
V. Vegneswaradu, late fifth-grade Sub-Inspector, Nizampatnam Circle.—Application for an invalid pension of Rs. 6 per mensem on behalf of, forwarded to the Accountant-General, Madras, for submission to Government, and the Assistant Commissioner, Masulipatam Sub-division, requested to submit the Nizampatnam Inspector's explanation in regard to the delay in the verification of the applicant's service.	4th June, „ 2323, Mis.
V. Kelappa Kurup, late first-grade duffadar, Calicut Circle.—An application for pension on behalf of, forwarded to the Accountant-General, Madras, for submission to Government.	13th „ „ 2460, Mis.
P. Parvati, late third-grade peon, Konada Circle.—An application for an invalid pension of Rs. 3 per mensem on behalf of, forwarded to the Accountant-General, Madras, for submission to Government. — Government Order granting an invalid pension of Rs. 3 to, communicated to the Assistant Commissioner, Chicacole Sub-division.	23rd „ „ 2591, Mis. 8th Sept., „ 3823, Mis.
P. Rapaniah, late second-grade peon, Manginapudi Circle.—An application for an invalid pension of Rs. 3-8-0 on behalf of, forwarded to the Accountant-General Madras, with remarks, for submission to Government.—Government Order granting an invalid pension of Rs. 3-8-0 to, communicated to the Assistant Commissioner, Masulipatam Sub-division.	24th June, „ 2622, Mis. 8th Dec., „ 5105, Mis.
V. Cunnappa Mudali, late first-grade peon, Ennore Circle.—An application for the grant of an invalid gratuity of Rs. 48 to, forwarded to the Accountant-General, Madras, for submission to Government.—Government Order granting an invalid gratuity of Rs. 48 to, communicated to the Assistant Commissioner, Chingleput Sub-division.	26th June, „ 2652, Mis. 11th Sept., „ 3881, Mis.
Grant of pension to an officer whose service has been for some time inferior and for some time superior.—Government Order, Pension Department, furnishing the Board with a copy of the Government of India letter No. 1757 P., dated 18th April 1896, regarding the, recorded.	25th June, „ 2683, Mis.
Veerasawmy Naick, late first-grade peon, Kattumavadi Circle.—An application for an invalid pension of Rs. 4 per mensem on behalf of, forwarded to the Accountant-General, Madras,	13th July, „ 2916, Mis. 30th Oct., „ 4527, Mis.

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for submission to Government and the Assistant Commissioner, Negapatam Sub-division, requested to furnish further information in connection therewith.—Government Order sanctioning the pension, communicated to the Assistant Commissioner, Negapatam Sub-division.	
T. C. Pakkianatha Pillai, late Translator in the office of the Board of Revenue (Separate Revenue).—An application for an invalid pension of Rs. 22 per mensem on behalf of, forwarded to the Accountant-General, Madras, for submission to Government.—Government Order sanctioning the grant of an invalid pension of Rs. 23 per mensem to, communicated to,	16th July, No. 2976, Mis. 29th Oct., „ 4526, Mis.
Ch. Subbarayadu, late fifth-grade Sub-Inspector, Manginapudi Circle.—An application for a superannuation pension of Rs. 15 per mensem on behalf of, forwarded to the Accountant-General, Madras, with remarks, for submission to Government and the Assistant Commissioner, Masulipatam Sub-division, requested to submit a copy of the order suspending the applicant in 1881.—Government Order sanctioning the pension, communicated to the Assistant Commissioner, Masulipatam Sub-division.	17th July, „ 2984, Mis. 23rd Oct., „ 4515, Mis.
A. Appanna, late second-grade peon, Penugudúru Circle.—Application for an invalid pension of Rs. 3-8-0 per mensem on behalf of, forwarded to the Accountant-General, Madras, for submission to Government.—Government Order sanctioning an invalid pension of Rs. 3-8-0 to, communicated to the Assistant Commissioner, Cocanada Sub-division.	30th July, „ 3169, Mis. 11th Sept., „ 3884, Mis.
Pensions in the case of all officers subordinate to it drawing pay not exceeding Rs. 20 per mensem.—Government informed that the Board has no objection to its being empowered to grant,—Government Order stating that the Government of India will be addressed in view to the Local Government being enabled to delegate to the Board of Revenue the powers exercised by Divisional Commissioners in Bombay under article 999 of the Civil Service Regulations in regard to the grant of petty pensions, recorded.	14th Aug., „ 3439, Mis. 6th Nov., „ 4688, Mis.
Kali Konan Vaithy, late second-grade peon, Kattumavadi Circle.—An application for an invalid gratuity of Rs. 35 on behalf of, forwarded to the Accountant-General, Madras, and the Assistant Commissioner, Negapatam Sub-division, requested to furnish certain certificates and to call upon the Inspector, Kattumavadi Circle, to explain the delay in the submission of the application.—Government Order, Pension Department, granting an invalid gratuity of Rs. 35 to, communicated to the Assistant Commissioner, Negapatam Sub-division.	21st Aug., „ 3524, Mis. 18th Nov., „ 4783, Mis.
Grant of pensions to menial servants employed in the Salt, Abkári and Customs Department.—Statement furnishing certain particulars in connection with the question of the, submitted to Government.	7th Sept., „ 3765, Mis.
V. Ramakrishna Aiyar, late fourth-grade Sub-Inspector, South Trichinopoly Circle.—Application for an invalid pension of Rs. 9-13-10 per mensem on behalf of, forwarded to the Accountant-General, Madras, with remarks, for submission to Government.—Government Order sanctioning an invalid pension of Rs. 10-10-0 to, communicated to the Assistant Commissioner, Trichinopoly Sub-division.	8th „ „ 3767, Mis. 19th Dec., „ 5229, Mis.

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Sheik Ibrahim, late a third-grade peon, Madura Circle.—Application for an invalid gratuity of Rs. 18 on behalf of, forwarded to the Accountant-General, Madras, for submission to Government and the Assistant Commissioner, Trichinopoly Sub-division, requested with remarks to return a certain document with certain omission supplied.	12th Sept., No. 3839, Mis.
P. Abboy Nayudu, late fifth-grade Sub-Inspector, Tindivanam Circle.—An application for the grant of an invalid pension of Rs. 8–15–1 per mensem on behalf of, forwarded with remarks to the Accountant-General, Madras, for submission to Government and the Assistant Commissioner, Arcot Sub-division, requested to submit a certain certificate.—An invalid pension of Rs. 8–15–1, sanctioned by Government.	28th „ „ 4034, Mis. 26th Oct., „ 4486, Mis.
Vedachella Naick, late first-grade peon, Védáranniyam Circle.—Application for an invalid pension of Rs. 4 per mensem on behalf of, forwarded to the Accountant-General, Madras, for submission to Government and the Assistant Commissioner, Negapatam Sub-division, requested to submit certain information and correspondence in connection therewith.	2nd „ „ 4103, Mis.
Hamed Khan, late a third-grade peon of the Tellicherry Circle.—Application for an invalid gratuity of Rs. 18 on behalf of, forwarded to the Accountant-General, Madras, for submission to Government and the Assistant Commissioner, Calicut Sub-division, requested to furnish further information in connection therewith.	17th „ „ 4317, Mis.
D. Ramaswamy, late second-grade peon, Rajahmundry Circle.—An application for a gratuity of Rs. 28 on behalf of, forwarded with remarks to the Accountant-General, Madras, and the Assistant Commissioner, Cocanada Sub-division, requested to furnish certain information in connection with the hospital leave granted to the applicant.	26th „ „ 4464, Mis.
T. H. Krishna Rao, late fifth-grade Sub-Inspector, Ránipéttai Circle.—An application for the grant of an invalid gratuity of Rs. 120 to, forwarded to the Accountant-General, Madras, for submission to Government and the Assistant Commissioner, Arcot Sub-division, requested to furnish certain information in connection therewith.	5th Nov., „ 4577, Mis.
Khoppai, late a second-grade peon, Negapatam Circle.—Application for an invalid pension of Rs. 3–8–0 per mensem on behalf of, forwarded to the Accountant-General, Madras, for submission to Government and the Assistant Commissioner, Negapatam Sub-division, requested to furnish certain information in connection therewith.	6th „ „ 4583, Mis.
S. Sivasami Pillai, late fifth-grade Sub-Inspector, Adirámpatnam Circle.—An application for a superannuation pension of Rs. 6–15–7 per mensem on behalf of, forwarded to the Accountant-General, Madras, for submission to Government and the Assistant Commissioner, Negapatam Sub-division, requested to submit a revised last-pay certificate on behalf of the applicant.	18th „ „ 4753, Mis.
Ramasawmy, late peon, Morekolam Circle.—An application for an invalid gratuity of Rs. 35 on behalf of, forwarded to the Accountant-General, Madras, and the Assistant Commissioner, Tinnevelly Sub-division, requested to furnish	25th „ „ 4867, Mis.

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certain information in connection therewith and to direct the applicant to produce at once a certificate of unfitness for further service from the District Surgeon, Madura.	
Veerasawmi Pillai, late a first-grade duffadar, Adirámpatnam Circle.—An application for an invalid gratuity of Rs. 40 on behalf of, forwarded to the Accountant-General, Madras, for submission to Government and the Assistant Commissioner, Negapatam Sub-division, requested to furnish certain information in connection therewith.—Letter from the Assistant Commissioner, Negapatam Sub-division, stating that the amount of pay drawn by, for a certain period of leave with pay, since converted into leave without allowances was credited into the treasury in August 1896, communicated to the Accountant-General, Madras.	26th Nov., No. 4880, Mis. 12th Dec., „ 5121, Mis.
Krishnáppa Naicken, late second-grade peon, Tranquebar Circle.—Application for an invalid pension of Rs. 3-8-0 per mensem on behalf of, forwarded to the Accountant-General, Madras, for submission to Government and the Assistant Commissioner, Negapatam Sub-division, requested to furnish certain information in connection therewith.	5th „ „ 5011, Mis.
P. Narayanasawmy Mudali, late Pressman in the office of the Board of Revenue (Separate Revenue).—An application for the grant of a superannuation pension of Rs. 4 per mensem on behalf of, forwarded with remarks to the Accountant-General, Madras, for submission to Government.	10th „ „ 5109, Mis
PENSIONERS.	
Applications for sanction for the re-employment of pensioners.—Government Order stating that all, will in future be dealt with in the Pension Department, recorded.	24th Jan., „ 355, Mis.
Employment of Native Military pensioners in Civil capacities.—Government Order regarding the, communicated to the Collector of Sea Customs and the Superintendent of Stamps, Madras, and to all Deputy and Assistant Commissioners and Inspectors for information and guidance.	7th July, „ 266.
Pensioned Subadar S. Venkataswamy Naidu.—Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, authorized to employ, as a first-grade Sub-Inspector on probation.	1st Nov., „ 4573, Mis.
Employment of Military pensioners as Sub-Inspectors of Salt, Abkári and Customs Department.—Government requested to amend article 4 (2) of the Public Service Notification regarding,	4th „ „ 4644, Mis.
PEONS.	
P. Narayana Menon, late peon, Ponnáni Circle.—Orders passed on the petition of, appealing against the order of dismissal passed on him by the Assistant Commissioner, Calicut Sub-division, and confirmed by the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division.	6th Mar., „ 885.
P. Mutyalu, late peon, Rajahmundry Circle.—Interference on behalf of, appealing against the order of the Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, dispensing with his services for absence without leave, declined.	9th „ „ 1053, Mis.

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Shaik Dustagiri, late peon, Bellary Circle.—Interference on behalf of, in the matter of his petition appealing against the order of the Assistant Commissioner, Bellary Sub-division, upheld by the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, declaring him to have forfeited his appointment, declined.	5th April, No. 1475, Mis.
Narayanaswami, late peon, Tirukkóyilúr Circle.—Petition of, appealing against the order of the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, directing his dismissal from service, dismissed with remarks.—Declined to modify the orders already passed on behalf of,	15th „ „ 1573, Mis. 1st July, „ 2725, Mis.
Kuppusami Naidu and Govindu Naidu, peons of Vayalur Circle.—Stated that the Board has no objection to the transfers of, to Chicacole Sub-division, subject to certain conditions.	20th April, „ 1609, Mis.
Narayana Nair, late peon, Coimbatore Circle.—Interference on behalf of, appealing against his dismissal from the service by the Assistant Commissioner, Erode Sub-division, declined.—Remarked upon the delay in the disposal of the case of,	5th June, „ 2397, Mis. 18th „ „ 2584, Mis.
Ponnuswamy, late peon, Védáranniyam Circle.—Interference on behalf of, appealing against the order of the Assistant Commissioner, Negapatam Sub-division, upheld by the Deputy Commissioner dismissing him from the service, declined.	22nd „ „ 2666, Mis.
Hossain Ally, late peon, Madura Circle.—Declined to modify the order already passed in the case of, directing that his services be dispensed with.	6th July, „ 2779, Mis.
Rayarappa Kurup, peon, Tellicherry Circle.—Interference on behalf of, in the matter of his reduction from the second to the third grade, declined.	9th „ „ 2882, Mis.
Akbar Hussain, second-grade peon, office of the Commissioner of Salt, Abkári and Separate Revenue, transferred to the Chingleput Sub-division and directed to report himself to the Assistant Commissioner at Ennore at once.	9th Sept., „ 3799, Mis.
P. C. Mathiyankutti, late acting peon, No. 1316, Cochin Frontier No. II Circle.—Interference with the orders of the Assistant Commissioner, Calicut Sub-division, dispensing with the services of, declined.	30th „ „ 4116, Mis.
Peons of the circle to go about without their full uniform.—The Assistant Commissioner, Bellary Sub-division, requested to call upon the Inspector, Markapur Circle, to explain whether it is customary for the, and to submit his explanation on receipt.	2nd Oct., „ 4150, Mis.
Mahomed Imam, first-grade peon, Rajahmundry Circle.—Interference on behalf of, in the matter of his appeal against the order of reduction from the post of second-grade jemadar to that of first-grade peon passed on him by the Assistant Commissioner, Cocanada Sub-division, and upheld by the Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, declined.	14th „ „ 4307, Mis.
Murder of a peon of the Tinnevelly Circle.—Letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, reporting on the,	24th „ „ 4422, Mis. 12th Nov., „ 4718, Mis.

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submitted for the information of Government and further report from the Deputy Commissioner in connection therewith, awaited.—Government Order thereon, recorded.	
M. Chenu Nair, late peon, Ponnáni Circle.—Interference on behalf of, appealing against the order of dismissal passed on him by the Assistant Commissioner, Calicut Sub-division, and upheld by the Deputy Commissioner, declined.	17th Nov., No. 4756, Mis.
Kesavan Nair, Gopalan Nair and Sankaran Nair, peons of the Ponnáni Circle.—Interference on behalf of, with the order of dismissal passed by the Assistant Commissioner, Calicut Sub-division, and upheld by the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, declined.	19th „ „ 4796, Mis.
Villupuram Circle.—Orders passed on letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, bringing to the notice of the Board the circumstances under which two peons of the, were dismissed and subsequently reinstated by the Deputy Commissioner and the conduct of Mr. Calder in connection therewith.	31st Dec., „ 5305, Mis.
PERMITS.	
The suggestion of the Manager, Arcot Sugar Works and Distilleries, that distillery officers be allowed to issue duplicate permits with every consignment of spirit and that checking officers be authorized to open and pass casks on presentation of either the original or the duplicate permit, declined to accept.	11th Jan., „ 140, Mis.
Sub-Inspectors (in tracts in which they have been permitted to mark trees before receipf of licenses) permitted to have tree-tapping licenses and permits delivered to the licensees through the departmental peons in the presence of village munsifs.—The suggestion of the Assistant Commissioner, Cocanada Sub-division, to authorize the delivery of T. T. 10s and 11s to the licensees in the presence of karnams during the absence of village munsifs, approved and stated that a sub-circular order will issue on the subject.	7th Mar., „ 98. 23rd July, „ 3150, Mis.
An application from Messrs. Parry and Company for a permit to transport liquor from the Medical Stores, Madras, to their distillery at Nellikuppam, forwarded with remarks to the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division.	10th „ „ 2855, Mis.
Import of toddy from Mysore.—Collectors of Cuddapah and North Arcot informed with remarks that permits should not be issued for the,	21st Oct., „ 4387, Mis.
Gódávari.—The proposal of the Collector of, to authorize Deputy Tahsildars in the district to issue permits for transport and licenses for possession of country spirits up to a limit of 500 gallons, approved.	29th Nov., „ 4953, Mis.
Licenses or permits granted to tradesmen to purchase opium in Malwa or Rajputana.—Government Order forwarding, for compliance, letter from the General Superintendent of Operations for the suppression of Thagi and Dacoity requesting to furnish the Extra Assistant to the General Superintendent of Thagi and Dacoity department at Indore, in future, with a copy of all, recorded.	4th Dec., „ 5102, Mis.

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T. K. Krishna Iyer, late Sub-Inspector, Palghat Circle.—Government Order declining to interfere on behalf of, in the matter of his request to be re-employed in the department, recorded.—Petition from, requesting reconsideration of the orders passed by Government in the matter of his request to be re-employed in the department, submitted to Government.—Government Order rejecting petition from, recorded.—Petition from, praying that he may be allowed travelling allowance for the journey made by him for the purpose of obtaining certificate of physical fitness for the public service, rejected.	8th Jan., No. 43, Mis. 24th June, ,, 2633, Mis. 13th July, ,, 2115, R. 1st Oct., ,, 4096, Mis.
Messrs. Parry and Company informed that the Board is not prepared to reconsider its decision imposing a fine of Rs. 50 upon them for the removal of wash from the Nellikuppam distillery without the knowledge of the distillery officer.—The sum of Rs. 50 being the amount of fine imposed upon Messrs. Parry and Company, forwarded to the Inspector, Madras Town Circle, for credit in his accounts under the head "Fines and forfeitures."	9th Feb., ,, 75, Mis. 20th Jan., ,, 239, Mis.
E. Rajappa Pillai, Proprietor of Paul and Company, Tuticorin.—Interference declined on behalf of, in the matter of his petition requesting that a license may be issued to him to manufacture salt in certain pans in the Sevandakolam extension which he purchased in auction.	10th ,, ,, 85, Mis.
Mr. W. P. Enright, Assistant Inspector.—Memorial addressed to His Excellency the Governor in Council submitted by, regarding his supersession, forwarded to Government, Revenue Department.—Extract of Government Order declining to interfere on behalf of, communicated to,	10th ,, ,, 87, Mis. 27th April, ,, 1643, Mis.
Manicka Chetti.—Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, informed with remarks that Mr. F. W. Gahon should arrange at once with Murri Kesavulu Naidu for the settlement of the claim of, the repayment of the amount deposited by, on account of the storage contract, ordered and the petitioner referred to the Inspector, Covelong Circle, for orders regarding his claims.—Orders passed in respect of the claim made by, for certain money alleged to be due to him for the transport and storage of salt in the Covelong Circle.	15th Jan., ,, 155, Mis. 28th May, ,, 2185, Mis.
A. Narayanasawmi Naidu, late Sub-Inspector, Udipi Circle.—Orders passed on the petition of, appealing against the orders of the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, declaring him to have forfeited his appointment.	15th Jan., ,, 175, Mis.
Penuguduru Extension No. II.—Government Order declining to interfere on behalf of P. Venkatarayudu and others, excise licensees of Penuguduru salt factory, in the matter of granting them certain pans in the, recorded.	11th ,, ,, 260, Mis.
Messrs. Deschamps and Company.—Informed that the Board declines to interfere in the matter of the levy of duty on a tenoning and morticing machine imported by them.—Government Order declining to interfere on behalf of, in the matter, recorded.	24th ,, ,, 349, Mis. 27th Mar., ,, 1361, Mis.

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Appeals against reductions for the accumulation of black marks.—Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, informed that in the case of, the Board will consider arguments adduced by appellants against the propriety of awarding the individual black marks as well as against the reduction.	28th Jan., No. 455, Mis.
T. G. Krishnaswami Pillai, Sub-Inspector, Morekolam Circle.—The punishment inflicted by the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, on, modified with remarks.	27th „ „ 484, Mis.
Kolindavelu Pillai.—Interference with the order of the Collector of Tanjore cancelling the appointment of, as shroff of the Sea Customs office, Tranquebar, declined.	28th „ „ 493, Mis.
M.R.Ry. D. G. Thomas, late Assistant Inspector.—Government Order declining to interfere on behalf of, in the matter of his dismissal from public service, recorded.	25th „ „ 506, Mis.
Mr. Barter, Inspector, Madura Circle.—Memorial from, praying that he may be restored to the position in the grade of Inspectors which he occupied prior to 1890 and that he may be given another chance as Acting Assistant Commissioner, submitted to Government with remarks.	5th Feb., „ 562, Mis.
K. H. Rama Row, Sub-Inspector, Námakkal Circle.—Interference on behalf of, in the matter of his petition requesting to be promoted and transferred to the Southern Division, declined.	3rd „ „ 569, Mis.
B. Appalaswami, late petty officer, Bobbili Circle.—Interference on behalf of, appealing against the order of the Assistant Commissioner, Chicacole Sub-division, dismissing from service, declined.	7th „ „ 620, Mis.
B. Annappiya, acting stamp-vendor, District Munsif's Court, Udipi, South Canara district.—Informed that the Board sees no reason to reconsider the order already passed by the Board in connection with his appeal against the order of the Collector of South Canara confirming the order of the Head Assistant Collector appointing T. F. Aliva as the permanent stamp-vendor, District Munsif's Court, Udipi.	14th „ „ 665, Mis.
A. M. Kuppuswami Mudaliar.—Government Order transferring petition from, praying for the return of certain enclosures, communicated to the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, with remarks.	20th „ „ 685, Mis.
Some of the licensees of the Cheyur factory.—Orders passed on letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, submitting a petition from, praying that they may be allowed to carry out themselves their portion of the excise works during the current manufacturing season.—The licensees of the Cheyur factory informed that the Board can only collect the outstanding amount in the shape of cess and that if they choose to combine and pay off the whole or any part of the arrears due to Government, the amount will be accepted and a proportionate reduction made in the rate of cess.	13th „ „ 689, Mis. 22nd July, „ 3098, Mis.

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Shangaran, peon, Ponnâni Circle.—Petition of, appealing against the order of reduction from the grade of a petty officer passed on him by the Assistant Commissioner, Calicut Sub-division, and confirmed by the Deputy Commissioner, rejected with remarks.	20th Feb., No. 800, Mis.
Mr. McMaster, Assistant Commissioner, Masulipatam Sub-division.—Petition from, regarding his claim to be promoted to act as Deputy Commissioner in preference to Mr. Fowler, forwarded to Government.—Government Order passing orders on Board's Proceedings, Mis. No. 875, communicated to,	6th Mar., „ 875, Mis. 20th „ „ 862, R.
T. Ramasawmy Aiyar, late Sub-Inspector, Cuddalore Circle.—Interference on behalf of, in the matter of his dismissal from service, declined.—Petition from, appealing against the order of the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, upheld by the Board, dismissing him from the service, submitted to Government with remarks.—Government Order declining to interfere on behalf of, in the matter of his dismissal from the service, recorded.	9th „ „ 935, Mis 29th May, „ 2239, Mis. 11th July, „ 2936, Mis.
Mr. M. G. Cohelho of Mangalore Town.—Report on the petition of, praying for the refund of the duty paid by him on a certain quantity of Colombo arrack imported by him, submitted to Government.	9th Mar., „ 962, Mis.
Mr. W. C. F. Leggatt, Assistant Commissioner, Chicacole Sub-division.—An appeal to His Excellency the Viceroy from, in the matter of the hardship caused by the new leave rules, submitted to Government for orders.—Letter from, requesting permission to withdraw his memorial to His Excellency the Viceroy, submitted to Government in continuation of Board's Proceedings, Mis. No. 1008, dated 10th March 1896.	10th „ „ 1008, Mis. 14th April, „ 1481, Mis.
C. P. Rama Puttar, late Sub-Inspector, Salem Circle.—Interference on behalf of, in the matter of his petition appealing against the order of dismissal passed on him by the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, declined.—Petition from, appealing against the order of dismissal passed on him by the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, and upheld by the Board, submitted to Government with remarks.—Supplemental petition from, submitted to Government in continuation of Board's Proceedings, Mis. No. 3547, dated 24th August 1896.—Government Order declining to interfere on behalf of, recorded.	9th Mar., „ 1036, Mis. 24th Aug., „ 3547, Mis. 9th Sept., „ 3793, Mis. 18th Oct., „ 4404, Mis.
A. Ramanuja Naicker.—Interference on behalf of, in the matter of his reduction from the post of Sub-Inspector to that of a clerk on Rs. 15, declined.—Petition from, appealing against the order of the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, confirmed by the Board reducing him from the post of Sub-Inspector to that of a clerk on Rs. 15, submitted to Government with remarks.—Certain remarks called for by Government in connection with the case of, submitted to Government and Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, requested to forward certain other records connected therewith.—Certain records called for in connection with the case of, submitted to Government.—Government Order declining to interfere on behalf of, recorded with remark.	13th Mar., „ 1037, Mis. 24th June, „ 2636, Mis. 27th Aug., „ 3607, Mis. 24th Sept., „ 4007, Mis. 27th Oct., „ 4514, Mis.

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Transmission of appeals to Her Majesty's Privy Council in which Government is interested.—Government Order communicating copy of despatch from the Secretary of State for India calling attention to the rules already laid down as to the procedure to be followed regarding the, recorded.	5th Mar., No. 1064, Mis.
Owner of the office building at Manambadi.—Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, informed that the Board is not prepared to address Government in the matter of the loan applied for by the,	17th „ „ 1129, Mis.
P. Munisami Naidu.—Petition of, appealing against the Board's order dismissing him from service, submitted to Government with remarks.	18th „ „ 1168, Mis.
Ch. Pentayya Patnayadu, licensee of the Calingapatam factory.—Interference on behalf of, appealing against the order of the Assistant Commissioner, Chicacole Sub-division, and upheld by the Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, in respect of cancelment of his license, declined.—Informed that the Board declines to reconsider the order already passed on his petition.	23rd „ „ 1257, Mis. 7th Oct., „ 4206, Mis.
Krishna Aiyar, contractor.—Orders passed on the report of the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, on the petition from, requesting payment of certain sums withheld in connection with certain works of the Nannilam Circle.	26th Mar., „ 1302, Mis.
N. Veerrazu.—Interference on behalf of, in the matter of his reduction from the post of Sub-Inspector to a clerk's place on Rs. 15, declined.	26th „ „ 1309, Mis.
F. J. V. Minchin of Aska.—Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, requested to return the petition of, regarding the re-opening of the Gopalpur salt-pans which were forwarded to him with Board's Proceedings, Mis. No 5449, dated 20th December 1895.—Board's remarks on the petition of, regarding the re-opening of the Gopalpur salt-pans, submitted to Government.—Government Order stating that the objection to the re-opening of the Gopalpur salt-pans are strong and that Mr. Minchin's application to re-open the pans should not be entertained, recorded.	26th „ „ 1316, Mis. 26th April, „ 1650, Mis. 3rd July, „ 2770, Mis.
Mahomedan residents of the Vizagapatam Municipality.—Reference from Government on a petition from certain, praying that some other spot may be selected for the erection of new building to locate the Sea Custom House at Vizagapatam, forwarded to the Collector of Vizagapatam for early report.—Letter from the Collector reporting that the proposed building will not interfere with the worship at the Durga, submitted to Government with remark.—Government Order stating that Government sees no reason to interfere on behalf of certain, in the matter of their petition, recorded.	31st Mar., „ 1373, Mis. 8th May, „ 1911, Mis. 29th „ „ 2264, Mis.
Sub-Inspector Krishnaswamy Iyengar of the Kattumavadi Circle.—Declined to modify the orders passed in Board's Proceedings, Mis. No. 2555, dated 18th June 1895, in the matter of the order of reduction from the third to the fourth grade of Sub-Inspectors passed on,	31st Mar., „ 1398, Mis.

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Licensees of the Cheyur factory.—Informed that their request for permission to defer the destruction of their old stocks pending the disposal of their memorial to Government regarding their sifting, cannot be granted.	6th April, No. 1411, Mis.
The ryots and traders of Covelong informed that there is no rule against the retail sale of salt by weight.	11th „ „ 1484, Mis.
Mula Ranganna, wholesale depôt-keeper, Dharmavaram.—Orders passed on letter from the Collector of Anantapur reporting on the appeal petition of, requesting that the fine of Rs. 5 / imposed upon him for not maintaining a sufficient supply of liquor at his depôt may be refunded to him.	15th „ „ 1499, Mis.
Certain pattadars of the Sevandakolam extension.—Orders passed on the petition of, requesting that the expenses incurred by them in bringing the pans in the extension into working order may be made good to them.	20th „ „ 1543, Mis.
Perianayagam Pannayan, son of the late licensee No. 7 of the Sevandakolam extension.—Orders passed on the petition of, requesting that the pans held by his father in the extension may be registered in his name.	20th „ „ 1544, Mis.
G. Chinna Ramasami and Bapaniah.—Collector of Kistna requested to report on the transfer of the Guddamanagu village from its original renters to a different contractor and to state whether the Board's orders were obtained for the transfer. — Further information called for from the Collector of Kistna regarding the petition from, in the matter of the location of a new toddy shop at Guddamanagu. —Collector of Kistna requested to correctly work out the amount of compensation to be granted to, and to report it at an early date.	16th „ „ 1568, Mis. 13th June, „ 2466, Mis. 21st Nov., „ 4815, Mis.
G. Varadarajulu Chetti informed that his request for the restoration of certain resumed pans in the Ennore Circle, cannot be complied with.	24th April, „ 1605, Mis.
G. Gurumurti and D. Makayya informed that they should establish their claims to certain pans in the Naupada factory through a competent Civil Court.	24th „ „ 1624, Mis.
M. Seshadri Iyengar, clerk, office of the Assistant Commissioner, Tinnevelly Sub-division.—Orders passed on letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, submitting with remarks petition from, appealing against the order of reduction passed by the Deputy Commissioner.	21st „ „ 1631, Mis.
S. Raghavendra Row, late stamp-vendor, Hospet.—Interference on behalf of, appealing against the order of the Collector of Bellary cancelling his license, declined.	28th „ „ 1654, Mis.
M.R.Ry. A. V. Panchapagesa Iyer, Assistant Inspector.—Memorial from, praying that he may be promoted with effect from 1st October last, forwarded to Government.—Government Order declining to interfere on his behalf, communicated to,	28th „ „ 1683, Mis. 31st July, „ 3256, Mis.

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Mr. Rosemeyer.—Memorial from, praying for promotion and a transfer to any of the factory circles in the Madras Presidency, submitted to Government with remarks.—Certain enclosure (in original) sent by Assistant Inspector, forwarded to Government with remarks.—Board's Proceedings, Mis. No. 2810, dated 8th July 1896, recorded by Government.	27th April, No. 1673, Mis. 8th July, „ 2810, Mis. 22nd „ „ 3160, Mis.
Thirumalai Iyengar.—Interference on behalf of, in the matter of his petition requesting that orders may be issued for the withdrawal of his prosecution, declined.	28th April, „ 1680, Mis.
Seeni Iyer of Tirukkalur informed that it has been decided to close the factory at Vaippar and that the question cannot be re-opened.	28th „ „ 1716, Mis.
V. Kondalrayudu, late Sub-Inspector, Ellore Circle.—Orders passed on letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, reporting on the petition of, appealing against his dismissal from the service.	5th May, „ 1867, Mis.
Mahomed Ibrahim Sahib.—Petition from one, appealing to the Government of India against the order of the Local Government declining to interfere on his behalf in the matter of the re-assignment of certain pans in the Lakshmi factory, Adirámpatnam Circle, Tanjore district, submitted to Government with remarks.—Government Order enquiring whether certain statements made by, in his appeal to the Government of India are true, referred to the Assistant Commissioner, Negapatam Sub-division, for very early report through the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division.—Report on certain statements made by, submitted to Government.	16th „ „ 2027, Mis. 22nd July, „ 3075, Mis. 29th Sept., „ 4056, Mis.
The licensees of the Surlá extension factory informed that the Board is not prepared to recommend any further increase of kudivaram at present.	21st May, „ 2080, Mis.
Marimuthu Pillai, late peon, Tirumungalam Circle.—Informed that the time allowed to him for appeal, cannot be extended.	27th „ „ 2193, Mis.
P. Sundaram Pillai, late Superintendent, Tuticorin Salt Company.—Interference on behalf of, appealing against the order of the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, prohibiting him from entering the limits of the factories of the Tuticorin Circle, declined.	29th „ „ 2209, Mis.
Tadpatri distiller.—Petition from the, making certain representations in connection with the remarks of the Commissioner on his recent inspection of the distillery, recorded pending receipt of the Central Division Deputy Commissioner's report.	29th „ „ 2227, Mis.
R. Venkata Row of Konada.—Interference on behalf of, appealing against the order of the Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, prohibiting him from entering the salt factory at Konada, declined.	29th „ „ 2243, Mis.
Vaikuntham Aiyar, licensee of the Keranur factory.—Telegram from, informing that one Subramania Iyer has fraudulently transferred one hundred salt heaps to his brother and requesting that salt should not be permitted to be removed on sale, recorded pending receipt of a petition.	1st June, „ 2369, Mis.

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I. Balavendrasawmi Pillai, late Head Clerk, Covelong Circle.—Petition from, appealing against the order of the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, upheld by the Board dismissing him from the service, submitted to Government.—Government Order declining to interfere on behalf of, recorded.	2nd June, No. 2306, Mis. 21st July, „ 3115, Mis.
M.R.Ry. M. A. Mangesha Row, Assistant Inspector of Salt and Abkári Revenue.—Petition from, appealing against the Board's order reducing him from the first to the second grade of Assistant Inspectors in 1889, forwarded to Government with remarks.—Government Order declining to interfere on behalf of, and expressing disapproval of the improper language used by him in his appeal petition, recorded.	30th May, „ 2315, Mis. 15th July, „ 2988, Mis.
Venkoba Chari, late stamp-vendor of the District Munsif's Court, Tindivanam.—Interference on behalf of, appealing against the order of cancelling his license passed by the Sub-Collector and upheld by the Collector of South Arcot, declined.	5th June, „ 2343, Mis.
Sathavoo Pannayar, late licensee of the Sevandakolam extension.—Orders passed on letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, reporting on the petition of, praying that his license may be restored to him.	6th „ „ 2357, Mis.
Narayana Nair, late peon, Coimbatore Circle.—Interference on behalf of, appealing against his dismissal from service by the Assistant Commissioner, Erode Sub-division, declined.—Remarked upon the delay in the disposal of the case of,	5th „ „ 2397, Mis. 18th „ „ 2584, Mis.
Certain licensees of the Keranur salt factory.—Petition from, praying that certain transfer applications put in by one Subramania Iyer who has ceased to be their agent may not be accepted, recorded pending receipt of reply to Board's Proceedings, Mis. No. 2159, dated 16th May 1896, from the Government Pleader, Madras.	11th „ „ 2425, Mis.
Two petitions from R. P. V. Muthiah Chettiar and Brothers, salt merchants of Tuticorin, requesting to order the issue of delivery orders for any quantity of salt that may be applied for on a day on payment of duty and to permit sales being commenced if coolies turn up before 9 A.M., forwarded to the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, for report.—Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, informed that sales should not have been restricted in the Tuticorin factories and that there should be no difficulty in checkweighing any quantity of salt with a Pooley's machine which would weigh eight or ten bags at a lift.	12th „ „ 2437, Mis. 4th Sept., „ 3719, Mis.
Radhakrishna Iyer, Sub-Inspector, Dindigul Circle.—The period of suspension undergone by, treated as leave on loss of pay.	15th June, „ 2503, Mis.
C. R. Sesha Aiyar, Sub-Inspector, Mangalore Circle.—Interference on behalf of, in the matter of his petition praying that a certain period of his absence from duty may be treated as sick leave on half-pay or furlough or leave on private affairs, declined.	15th „ „ 2507, Mis.

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G. Venkatakrishna Rao and P. ...rs ...manayya, stamp-vendors ...of Amalápuram.—Interferenc...de... behalf of, in the matter ... of their appeal against the ...Dir... of the Sub-Collector ... appointing an additional st... ...endor at Amalápuram, declined.	18th June, No. 2547, Mis.
R. Ragunatha Rao, Sub-Inspec... ...ples...*orekolam Circle.*—Inter- ...ference on behalf of, appeal...dir...against the order of the ... Deputy Commissioner, Soutl...—G... Division, reducing him ... for three months from the t...Ve... to the fourth grade of ... Sub-Inspectors, declined.	17th „ „ 2548, Mis.
Nanja Pandaram, peon, Coimba... *Circle.*—Interference on ... behalf of, appealing against ...str...order of reduction passed ... on him by the Deputy Com...e... ...oner, Southern Division, ... declined.	17th „ „ 2549, Mis.
Salai Sheik Abdul Kadir and S... ...e... *Mahomed Meera Lubbai of ... Kayalpatnam.*—Petition fro...r... ...ppealing against the order ... of the Assistant Commissio...C... Tinnevelly Sub-division, ... refusing to grant them a li...e... ...e for the manufacture of ... salt in the pans previously ...he... ...gistered in their father's ... name, referred to the Dep... Commissioner, Southern Division, for report.	22nd „ „ 2583, Mis.
M. A. Chockalinga Mudaliar, l...ate Sub-Inspector.—Petition ... from, appealing against te... order of dismissal passed ... upon him by the Deputy Com... missioner, Central Division, ... and upheld by the Board su...bmitted to Government.— ... Government Order declining ... to interfere on behalf of, recorded.	20th „ „ 2585, Mis. 5th Aug., „ 3371, Mis.
T. Alwariah, late Sub-Inspecto... *...umbum Circle.*—The review ... petition of, against the or...d's order confirming the ... order of dismissal passed ...n him by the Deputy Com... missioner, Central Division ul...bmitted to Government with ... remarks.—Government Orr... declining to reconsider the ... orders passed in the case ofre...corded.	22nd June, „ 2590, Mis. 15th July, „ 2980, Mis.
M. Tharuvasu Mohideen Rowte...f Pettai, Tinnevelly district.— Informed that his request to...e allowed to work the Vaippar Salt factory under the excise system on a twenty years' lease, cannot be granted.	23rd June „ 2669, Mis.
V. S. Athan Iyengar, Agent of the Salt licensees of the Káyalpatnam factory.—Orders passed on the report of the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, on the petition from, representing certain grievances in connection with the extension of the Káyalpatnam factory.	1st July, „ 2709, Mis.
T. S. Nainar Pillai, Sub-Inspector.—Petition from, appealing against the Board's order confirming the order of the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, suspending him for one month and ordering his reversion to his permanent post on Rs. 25 in connection with low wastages discovered in certain heaps of the Káyalpatnam and Arumuganeri factories, submitted to Government with remarks.—Government Order declining to interfere on behalf of, recorded.	1st „ „ 2733, Mis. 24th Aug., „ 3596, Mis.
Certain licensees of the Kattumavadi factory.—Petition from, praying to be permitted to repair their brine supply channels and condensers in the customary manner and to	3rd July, „ 2740, Mis. 18th Oct., „ 4380, Mis.

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be allowed to execute powers-of-attorney on pape with 8 anna Court-fee labels attached to them, forwar l with remarks to the Deputy Commissioner, Southern r vision, for report.—Interference on behalf of, declined.	
K. Kistna Rao.—Interference on behalf of, con ining against the order of the Collector of Anantapur ecting the re-sale of his toddy shop at Pamidi, declined.— overn-ment endorsement transferring telegram from nkata-ramayya of Pamidi requesting to issue orde o the Collector of Anantapur to stop the resale of his t y shop pending the disposal of his appeal, recorded.	6th July, No. 3452, Sub. 28th ,, ,, 3167, Mis.
M. Nammiah Chetty and others informed that the re ctions placed on the manufacture of bad salt and th orders regarding the salt being properly dried are exa y the same as prevailed before the introduction of th excise system, and Deputy Commissioner, Central Division ques-ted to inform the Inspector of Vayalur and Ennor circles that the licensees may be allowed to remove th heaps awaiting transport and thatch them in any way t y like if the salt is reasonably dry.	7th ,, ,, 2819, Mis.
R. Padmanabhudu, late Sub-Inspector, Surlu Circle.—Orders passed on the report of the Deputy Commissioner, N thern Division, on the appeal petition of, requesting t ancel the order of reduction passed on him by the Deputy Commissioner.	10th ,, ,, 2849, Mis.
Krishna Pillai of Karaiyarappu, Tinnevelly district.—l ected to see the Commissioner on the subject of his applic ation to open a salt factory when he visits Tuticorin.—Inform that the Board does not at present see any reason to alress Government again regarding the opening of a salt factory near Tuticorin.	14th ,, ,, 2943, Mis. 29th Oct., ,, 4558, Mis.
Syed Patcha Sahib, opium renter of Cuddapah and other iluks.—Interference on behalf of, in the matter of his request for the abatement of kist for the period during wh ih his shops were kept closed, declined.	10th July, ,, 2962, Mis.
C. Gopalan, late Sub-Inspector, Kattumavadi Circle.—Orders passed on petition from, appealing against the order of the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, dismissing him from the service.—Petition from, appealing against the order of the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, upheld by the Board dismissing him from the service, submitted to Government with remarks.—Government Order declining to interfere on behalf of, recorded.	15th ,, ,, 2967, Mis. 26th Aug., ,, 3609, Mis. 3rd Oct., ,, 4289, Mis.
Appunni Panikar.—Orders passed on petition from, appealing against the order of the Assistant Commissioner, Calicut Sub-division, upheld by the Deputy Commissioner, reducing him from the post of second-grade duffadar to that of a first-grade peon.	16th July, ,, 2968, Mis.
M. Kesavulu and othe s of Madras.—Government Order declining to interfere on behalf of, praying that the Madras Salt depôt may be opened for the sale of salt to the public, recorded.	22nd ,, ,, 3113, Mis.

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Chinnasami Nadar.—Letter from the Collector of Malabar reporting on the petition of, appealing against the Collector's order directing him to pay duty on excess wastages of liquor at the Kunnamangalam Excise depôt, recorded pending receipt of certain information.	27th July, No. 3124, Mis.
Appathurai Gramany.—Petition from, praying for the transfer of the license for temporary toddy shop No. 2 at Kodambakam to his name, returned to the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, for disposal and stated that the question of converting the temporary shops into permanent ones or of dispensing with them will be considered along with the subject of reclassifying toddy shops in the Madras Town Circle.	28th „ „ 3151, Mis.
Ch. Punnayya.—Collector of Kistna requested to furnish certain information in the matter of the petition of one, regarding the disposal of three toddy shops at Pedakallepalli, Bandur taluk.—Collector of Kistna informed that no further steps should be taken to recover the amount of Rs. 399 due from,	28th „ „ 3154, Mis. 19th Oct., „ 4354, Mis.
D. S. Loganatha Pillai.—Reconsideration of the orders passed in the case of, in the matter of his reduction from the fourth to fifth grade of Sub-Inspector, declined.	28th July, „ 3166, Mis.
C. Sundararamayya, late petty officer, Polavaram Circle.—Interference on behalf of, appealing against the order of dismissal passed on him by the Assistant Commissioner, Chicacole Sub-division, and upheld by the Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, declined.	29th „ „ 3193, Mis.
W. E. Ganapathi Pillai.—Orders passed on letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, submitting with remarks petition from, regarding the stoppage of manufacture and sale in the Arumuganéri factory, ordered by the Assistant Commissioner, Tinnevelly Sub-division, in consequence of the death of Dr. Dhanakoti Raju.—Orders passed on petition from, requesting to cancel the order of the Assistant Commissioner, Tinnevelly Sub-division, stopping sales of the salt stored in the Arumuganéri factory in the name of the late Dr. Dhanakoti Raju.—Orders passed on petition from, requesting to permit the sales of the salt stored in the Arumuganéri factory in the name of the late Dr. Dhanakoti Raju and in the names of his *primâ facie* heirs.	1st Aug., „ 3218, Mis. 5th Sept., „ 3723, Mis. 7th Oct., „ 4198, Mis.
Cuppusawmy Gramany.—Interference on behalf of, in the matter of his request to restore to him toddy shop No. 453 in the Saidapet taluk, declined with remarks.	31st July, „ 3243, Mis.
A. Ruthna Mudaliar, Appadurai Mudaliar and other licensees of the Merkanam factory.—Orders passed on petitions from, praying to be allowed to store their salt in the customary manner or in ten garce heaps as of old.	8th Aug., „ 3310, Mis.
Mr. Rosemeyer, Assistant Inspector.—Endorsement of the Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, submitting with remarks petition from, praying for a transfer, recorded.	8th „ „ 3361, Mis.
Mr. S. C. Fernandez, late Sub-Inspector, Ponnâni Circle.—Interference with the order of dismissal passed on, declined.	19th „ „ 3500, Mis.

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David Dhanakoti Raju.—Called upon to send a Court-fee stamp of the value of Re. 1 to be affixed to his petition regarding sale of certain salt at the Arumuganéri factory and the petition forwarded to the Assistant Commissioner, Tinnevelly Sub-division, for immediate report.—Orders passed on report from the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, on the petition of, requesting permission to sell salt manufactured under a temporary license and stored in the names of the *primâ facie* heirs of Dr. Dhanakoti Raju in the Arumuganéri and Kulasekarapatnam factories.	24th Aug., No. 3540, Mis. 7th Oct., „ 4199, Mis.
Mr. Platts, Assistant Commissioner of Salt, Abkári and Customs Department.—The petition of, praying for a transfer to Orissa, submitted to Government with remarks.	25th Aug., „ 3565, Mis.
Salt licensees of the Ennore Circle.—A certain petition addressed to Government from the, praying that the excise system of manufacture may be restored to them, referred to the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, for remarks.	26th „ „ 3594, Mis.
Polavaram factory.—Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, informed that the Board is not prepared to adopt his suggestion to cancel the license of one V. Kamaswaram of the, for influencing certain ignorant licensees to affix their marks to a petition for increased kudivaram.	24th „ „ 3617, Mis.
F. F. Rozario and others.—Endorsement of Government transferring for disposal petition from, complaining against Mr. Brookes, Inspector, Mangalore Circle, recorded.	31st „ „ 3744, Mis.
N. S. Srinivasa Iyer, Sub-Inspector, fifth grade, Udipi Circle.—Interference with the orders of suspension and reduction to the bottom of the grade passed on, by the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, declined.	8th Sept., „ 3783, Mis.
Licensees of the factories of the Kayalpatnam Circle.—Petition from the, with the Assistant Commissioner's report thereon regarding the necessity for protecting the southern flood bank of the Tambraparni river, forwarded with remarks to the Chief Engineer for Irrigation.—Endorsement of the Chief Engineer for Irrigation regarding the measures taken for protecting the southern flood bank of the Tambraparni river near Káyalpatnam, communicated to the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, Assistant Commissioner, Tinnevelly Sub-division, Inspector, Káyalpatnam Circle, and the licensees of the Káyalpatnam factory.	9th „ „ 3791, Mis. 7th Oct., „ 4146, Mis.
Messrs. Binny and Company.—Government Order forwarding to the Government of India memorial of, praying that sifting of salt may be allowed at the Cheyur factory, communicated to the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, and the Assistant Commissioner, Chingleput Sub-division.—Messrs. Binny and Company requested to forward to the Board copies of the correspondence on which they based the statement in their memorial to the Government of India that they had been encouraged to acquire old stocks for the purpose of sifting.—A certain communication received from Messrs. Binny and Company touching their statement in the memorial submitted by them to Government of India, submitted to Government in original.	11th Sept., „ 3876, Mis. 10th Nov., „ 4653, Mis. 25th „ „ 4850, Mis. 30th „ „ 4908, Mis. 9th Dec., „ 5085, Mis.

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—Messrs. Binny and Company requested to furnish certain further information.—Letter from Messrs. Binny and Company furnishing the further information called for, submitted to Government.	
R. Soundararaja Aiyangar, late Sub-Inspector, Védáranniyam Circle.—The order of dismissal passed by the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, on, cancelled with remarks.	12th Sept., No. 3878, Mis.
Doraisawmy Pillai, Agent to the surviving heirs of the late Dr. W. E. Dhanakoti Raju, M.D., the lessee of the Kulasékarapatnam salt factory, directed to address the Assistant Commissioner, Tinnevelly Sub-division, in the matter of the removal of salt stored in the Kulasékarapatnam factory.	10th „ „ 3930, Mis.
Messrs. Hope, Prudhomme and Company, Madras.—Interference on behalf of, in the matter of their petition appealing against the order of the Collector of Sea Customs, Madras, imposing fine for importing certain cases of gilt silver thread under a false trade description, declined.	19th „ „ 3952, Mis.
Mrs. L. L. Snaize.—Orders passed on the report of the Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, on petition from, regarding the proposed requisition of a building owned by her at Aska for the use of the Inspector, Aska Circle.	19th „ „ 3957, Mis.
The inhabitants of Adam Sahib street, Ráyapuram and P. Murugesa Gramany, licensee of toddy shop No. 224, informed that orders already passed in regard to the location of the toddy shop cannot be reconsidered.	21st „ „ 4024, Mis.
K. R. Lewis, stamp-vendor, Coondapoor.—Interference on behalf of, appealing against the order of the Collector of South Canara confirming the order of the Head Assistant Collector appointing an additional stamp-vendor at Coondapoor, declined.	25th „ „ 4037, Mis.
R. Saminatha Aiyar, Sub-Inspector.—Interference with the order of the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, reducing, from the fourth to fifth grade, declined.	23rd „ „ 4114, Mis.
P. C. Mothiyankutti, late acting peon No. 316, Cochin Frontier No. II Circle.—Interference with the order of the Assistant Commissioner, Calicut Sub-division, dispensing with the services of, declined.	30th „ „ 4116, Mis.
Selvanayagi Ammal, widow of Ramanjulu Naidu, one of the joint licensees of the Kadaikadu factory, Tranquebar Circle.—Orders passed on petition from, praying that she may be permitted to sell the salt of 1896.	2nd Oct., „ 4138, Mis.
Sub-Inspector V. Sankara Nambiar informed that he had ample time to apply for a reconsideration of his case before the permanent Commissioner left the department and that the Acting Commissioner is not prepared to revise the order already passed unless on very strong grounds.	5th „ „ 4140, Mis.
Sub-Inspector M. Krishnaswami Naidu of the South Trichinopoly Circle.—Interference with the order of the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, suspending, for three months, declined.	2nd „ „ 4172, Mis.

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P. Chinnaswami Nadar.—Referred to the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, for orders in the matter of his appeal petition regarding the extension of the warehouse in the Cannanore distillery.	8th Oct., No. 4195, Mis.
W. E. Ganapathi Pillai, agent to the heirs of the late Dr. Dhanakoti Raju.—Requested to submit to the Board an additional Court-fee label to be affixed to his petition and certain other records and the Assistant Commissioner, Tinnevelly Sub-division, to report the circumstances under which the salt in the remnant heaps of the late Dr. Dhanakoti Raju was ordered to be destroyed.—Informed that sifting of salt after storage cannot be allowed and that the Deputy Commissioner's action in ordering the destruction of certain salt is approved by the Board.	9th „ „ 4219, Mis. 23rd Dec., „ 5240, Mis.
Kamma Goruntla of Konganapally, Gooty taluk.—Interference on behalf of, in the matter of his appeal petition requesting to cancel the re-sale of certain toddy shop and to confirm his bid, declined.	13th Oct., „ 4252, Mis.
B. Chinna Kamaraju, late Sub-Inspector, Rajahmundry Circle.—The Inspector-General of Police, Madras, informed that the resignation of, has already been accepted and that the Board is not therefore prepared to reconsider the matter.	14th „ „ 4278, Mis.
Mahomed Imam, first-grade peon, Rajahmundry Circle.—Interference on behalf of, in the matter of his appeal against the order of reduction passed on him by the Assistant Commissioner, Cocanada Sub-division, and upheld by the Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, declined.	14th „ „ 4307, Mis.
K. Govindasami Aiyar, Sub-Inspector.—Interference with the order of the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, suspending, for six weeks, declined.	5th „ „ 4311, Mis.
Mr. C. Powell, late Inspector in the Salt and Abkâri Department.—Memorial from, praying for the grant of a special pension, submitted to Government for favourable consideration.	19th „ „ 4342, Mis.
V. Srinivasa Aiyar, late Sub-Inspector, Srivilliputtûr Circle.—The reinstatement of, directed.	20th „ „ 4374, Mis.
S. Mayuranada Aiyar, late Acting Assistant Inspector, Vattanam Circle.—Interference with the orders of the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, disallowing the claims of, to travelling allowance and tentage allowance for December 1895 and January 1896, declined.	21st „ „ 4386, Mis.
Mukkain Kina Mahomed Moideen Thambi and others.—Stated that the Collector of Madura may inform, that Government has decided not to close Tondi and Kilakarai to foreign trade.	24th „ „ 4481, Mis.
R. Subba Naidu and others of Tuticorin informed that the Board has no intention of recommending any additional factories at or near Tuticorin for the sanction of Government.	3rd Nov., „ 4569, Mis.
The widow of late Chinnappa Mudali, Sub-Inspector, Madras Town Circle, informed that the Board is unable to interfere	7th „ „ 4638, Mis.

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on her behalf in the matter of the Deputy Commissioner's order directing the payment of the arrears of pay due to her late husband to her brother-in-law.	
Assistant Inspector M.R.Ry. M. Rama Row.—Requested to say whether in the light of certain information now given him regarding his reinstatement he wishes his petition submitted to Government.	11th Nov., No. 4670, Mis.
N. Krishnasami Iyer, Head Clerk, Bhavâni Circle.—Orders passed on letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, submitting with remarks petition from, appealing against his reduction from a fourth grade Sub-Inspector to a clerkship on Rs. 30 for having contracted debts with a peon.	14th „ „ 4739, Mis.
T. Govinda Row, Sub-Inspector, Erode Circle.—Interference on behalf of, appealing against the order of suspension passed on him by the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, declined.	14th „ „ 4740, Mis.
M. Chenu Nair, late peon, Ponnâni Circle.—Interference on behalf of, appealing against the order of dismissal passed on him by the Assistant Commissioner, Calicut Sub-division, and upheld by the Deputy Commissioner, declined.	17th „ „ 4756, Mis.
S. T. Natesa Iyer.—Interference on behalf of, appealing against the order of the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, reducing him from the third to the fourth grade of Sub-Inspectors, declined.	17th „ „ 4757, Mis.
Kesavan Nair, Gopalan Nair and Sankaran Nair, peons of the Ponnâni Circle.—Interference with the order of dismissal passed by the Assistant Commissioner, Calicut Sub-division, and upheld by the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, on, declined.	19th „ „ 4796, Mis.
M.R.Ry. S. Venkatasa Aiyar, Assistant Inspector.—Petition from, for promotion, returned with remarks.	17th „ „ 4819, Mis.
C. Desikacharri, late Sub-Inspector, Védâranniyam Circle.—Orders passed on letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, submitting, with remarks, the petition of, appealing against the order of dismissal passed on him by the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division.	23rd „ „ 4874, Mis.
Sreehadri Narayadu and two others of the Town of Nellore.—Government Order stating that the request of, for enquiries to be made into their claims as jagirdars of the place is inadmissible, recorded.	4th Dec., „ 5071, Mis.
Tirumalai Aiyangar, late Sub-Inspector of Salt, Abkâri and Customs Department, Hosûr Circle.—Proceedings of the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, passing orders on the petition of, for restoration to his appointment, recorded.	28th Nov., „ 5094, Mis.
Chalapaka Naidu, first-grade duffadar, Ganjâm Circle, informed that the Board declines to order his retention in the service.	14th Dec., „ 5206, Mis.
G. Ananthanatha Pillai, Sub-Inspector, Salt, Abkâri and Customs Department.—Interference on behalf of, appealing	18th „ „ 5279, Mis.

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against the order of the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, reducing him to the third-grade of Sub-Inspectors, declined.	
S. Venkatrama Iyer, Sub-Inspector, Tuticorin Circle.—Interference on behalf of, appealing against the Deputy Commissioner's order reducing him from the fourth to the fifth grade of Sub-Inspectors, declined.	16th Dec., No. 5284, Mis.
H. S. Somasundaram Pillai, Sub-Inspector, Káyalpatnam Circle.—Interference on behalf of, in the matter of his suspension by the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, for low wastages and excess found on the outturn of heaps stored by him in the Káyalpatnam and Arumuganéri factories, declined.	14th ,, ,, 5236, Mis.
T. A. Venkatarama Sastri and K. V. Ramasawmy Iyer, late Head Clerks, Tanjore and Negapatam Circles.—Orders passed on the petitions of, appealing against the punishment of reduction to a clerkship on Rs. 15 and dismissal, respectively, inflicted on them by the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division.	27th ,, ,, 5304, Mis.
PETITION (INCOME-TAX).	
T. Alamelu Ammal of Tiruvallúr, Chingleput.—Interference in the matter of the income-tax revision petition of, declined.	9th Jan., ,, 47, Mis.
Nellore. Korapati Pulliah Chetti and Mylapore Venkatasubbiah Chetti.—Interference in the matter of the income-tax revision petition of, declined.	10th ,, ,, 122, Mis.
R. C. Chinnayyavaru, Dharmakarta of Sri Kaliana Varatharajaswami temple, Kaladipetta, Saidapet taluk.—Orders passed on petition of, praying for the refund of income-tax levied on the tasdik allowance of the temple in 1892–93.	15th ,, ,, 173, Mis.
Balia Swami of Mailam, South Arcot, informed, with remarks, that there is no appeal to the Board against the orders of the Collector on his income-tax revision petition.	15th ,, ,, 174, Mis.
Ganjám.—Killumsetti Jagannaikulu of Russellkonda, Goomsur taluk, informed that his case having been disposed of by the Collector, acting as Commissioner under Act II of 1886, is not open to further revision by the Board.	22nd ,, ,, 304, Mis.
South Arcot. Chinnappa Pillai, Mannárgudi, Chidambaram taluk.—Petition from, appealing against the order of the Head Assistant Collector on his income-tax revision petition, dismissed.	22nd ,, ,, 305, Mis.
South Arcot.—Vythilinga Nadan, Mannárgudi, Chidambaram taluk, informed that his case having been disposed of by the Head Assistant Collector, acting as Commissioner under Act II of 1886, is not open to further revision by the Board.	29th ,, ,, 372, Mis.
South Arcot.—Sankaram Chetti of Cuddalore informed that his case having been disposed of by the Collector, acting as Commissioner under Act II of 1886, is not open to further revision by the Board.	30th ,, ,, 392, Mis.

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Somasundara Chetti of Conjeeveram.—A report on the petition of, appealing against the orders of the Collector of Chingleput on his income-tax revision petition, submitted to Government.—Government Order declining to interfere in the matter of the petition of, communicated to the Collector of Chingleput for communication to,	14th Feb., No. 660, Mis. 1st April, . „ 1378, Mis.
T. A. S. Annamalai Chetti of Devakottai.—Orders passed on the income-tax revision petition from,	1st Feb., „ 692, Mis.
B. Oganatham Chengalroya Chetti.—Interference in the matter of the income-tax revision petition of, declined.	13th „ „ 704, Mis.
Kasinatha Davy, Madras, informed that his case having been disposed of by the Collector, acting as Commissioner under the Income-tax Act, is not liable to further revision by the Board.	27th „ „ 774, Mis.
Pratty Subbayya Chetti of Nellore.—Interference in the matter of the income-tax revision petition of, declined.	20th „ „ 784, Mis.
Kapparappu Venkata Kondiah, Badvel, Cuddapah district, informed that his case having been disposed of by the Collector, acting as Commissioner under the Income-tax Act, is not liable to further revision by the Board.	24th „ „ 801, Mis.
Induri Subbaram Reddi of Kondalapudi, Nellore taluk.—Orders passed on the income-tax revision petition presented by,	24th „ „ 802, Mis.
K. L. B. Nannusami Bagavathar, cloth merchant, Madura, informed that his case having been disposed of by the Collector of Madura, acting as Commissioner under the Income-tax Act, is not open to further revision by the Board.	10th Mar., „ 994, Mis.
Burla Rungareddi of Kovur village, Nellore taluk.—Interference in the matter of the income-tax revision petition of, declined.	10th „ „ 1026, Mis.
Vinjam Basavappa Naidu of Kávali taluk.—Interference in the matter of the income-tax revision petition presented by, declined.	20th „ „ 1208, Mis.
Sree Rajah Venkata Narasimha Apparao Bahadur, Zemindar of the Mirzapur estate, Kistna district.—Interference in the matter of the income-tax revision petition presented by, declined.	27th „ „ 1331, Mis.
Rajah Rangayya Apparao Bahadur, Zemindar of Nuzvid.—Interference in the matter of the income-tax revision petition presented by, declined.	28th „ „ 1352, Mis.
Medur Suryanarayana of Palkonda.—Petition from, appealing against the order of the Principal Assistant Collector, Vizagapatam, on his income-tax revision petition, rejected for certain reasons.	10th April, „ 1437, Mis.
T. Govinda Nair.—Declined to solicit the orders of Government for the restoration of the income-tax revision petition of, to the file of the Sub-Collector, Malabar, in view to its disposal on merits.	20th „ „ 1550, Mis.

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PETITION (INCOME-TAX)—*cont.*	
Messrs. A. Sabapathi Mudaliar and Company of Bellary.—Interference in the matter of the income-tax revision petition presented by, declined.	18th April, No. 1551, Mis.
T. R. M. Arunachella Chetti of Dévakottai.—Interference in the matter of the income-tax revision petition presented by, declined.	13th ,, ,, 1560, Mis.
A. V. E. Adaikkappa Chetti of Dévakottai.—Interference in the matter of the income-tax revision petition presented by, declined.	25th ,, ,, 1714, Mis.
D. Appala Nayudu of Totavadu, Palkonda taluk.—Interference in the matter of the income-tax revision petition presented by, declined.—Government Order declining to interfere on behalf of, in the matter of his income-tax appeal, recorded.	28th ,, ,, 1742, Mis. 3rd Sept., ,, 3709, Mis.
P. C. Sow and two others of Kottayam taluk.—Interference in the matter of the income-tax revision petition presented by, declined.	30th April, ,, 1751, Mis.
Paramathi Subarayaloo Aiyar and Nanda Nannier of Salem Town.—Interference in the matter of the income-tax revision petition presented by, declined.	2nd May, ,, 1895, Mis.
N. Venkatasawmy of Ravinutla, Ongole taluk.—Petition from, appealing against the order of the Collector of Nellore on his income-tax revision petition, dismissed for certain reasons.	16th ,, ,, 2042, Mis.
O. R. M. O. M. O. R. Annamalai Chetti of Dévakottai.—Interference declined in the matter of the income-tax revision petition presented by,	18th ,, ,, 2083, Mis.
Mr. M. Veeraraghava Aiyangar of Tanjore.—Orders passed on the income-tax revision petition presented by, and the income on which he should be assessed, reduced to Rs. 860.	22nd June, ,, 2586, Mis.
A. Appala Narasiah Chetti of Berhampur.—Interference in the matter of the income-tax revision petition of, declined.	30th ,, ,, 2784, Mis.
Muthu Venkatrama Reddi of Singerigudi, Cuddalore taluk.—Government requested to accord its sanction for taking the income-tax revision petition of, on to the file again in view to its disposal on the merits of its case.—Interference on behalf of, in the matter of his income-tax revision petition, declined with remarks.	9th July, ,, 2837, Mis. 29th Oct., ,, 4557, Mis.
V. E. N. K. R. M. Muthiah Chetti of Amarapattuputhur, Madura District.—Interference in the matter of the income-tax revision petition presented by, declined.	10th July, ,, 2886, Mis.
Nagappa Hatwara of Coondapoor taluk.—Petition from, appealing against the order of the Head Assistant Collector on his income-tax revision petition, rejected for certain reasons.	11th ,, ,, 2932, Mis.
Ramiah Bhagavathar of Madura.—Petition from, appealing against the order of the Collector of Madura on his income-tax revision petition, dismissed for certain reasons.	11th ,, ,, 2933, Mis.

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PETITION (INCOME-TAX)—*cont.*	1896.
V. K. A. Kanaka Sabapathi Pillai of Tuticorin.—Interference in the matter of the income-tax revision petition of, declined.	14th July, No. 2977,
Khadir Batcha Sahib of Pallikondai, Vellore taluk.—Interference in the matter of the income-tax revision petition presented by, declined.	15th „ „ 2978, Mis.
S. M. A. V. Nachaippa Nadar and Chidambara Nadar of Sivakási.—Interference in the matter of the income-tax revision petition of, declined.	21st „ „ M
M. Thanigamalai Mudaliar of Conjeeveram.—Petition from, appealing against the order of the Collector of Chingleput on his income-tax revision petition, rejected for certain reasons.	3rd Aug.,
M.R.Ry. M. A. R. M. Arunachellam Chetti of Dévakóttai.—Interference in the matter of the income-tax revision petition of, declined.	8th „
Pratapa Venkatachella Reddiar of Turaiyur.—Petition from, appealing against the orders of the Collector of Trichinopoly on his income-tax revision petition, rejected for certain reasons.	11th „
C. K. Veerasami Naidu of Madura.—Interference in the matter of the income-tax revision petition presented by, declined.	19th „
M. Venkatasubbiah of Nellore.—Petition from, appealing against the orders of the Collector on his income-tax revision petition, dismissed for certain reasons.	25th „
P. L. S. A. R. Annamalai Chetti, son of Arunachellam Chetti of Dévakottai.—Interference in the matter of the income-tax revision petition presented by, declined.	24th „
Sadayappa Chetti of Tiruvannámalai.—Interference on behalf of, praying for the cancellation of the income-tax assessment imposed on him, declined, and the order to postpone the sale of the petitioner's house, withdrawn.	9th Se
Govinda Reddi of Kolyalam, Madurántakam taluk.—Petition from, appealing against the order of the Collector of Chingleput on his income-tax revision petition, dismissed for certain reasons.	9th „ „ 3817, Mis.
Grandhi Rosayya of Santanutalapad, Ongole taluk, Nellore district.—Orders passed on the income-tax revision petition of,	21st „ „ 4027, Mis
A. L. A. R. Ramasami Chetti of Dévakóttai.—Interference on behalf of, in the matter of his income-tax revision petition, declined.	7th Oct., „ 4183, Mi
Viravan Chetti, trustee of Nelleyappar temple, Tinnevelly district.—Orders passed on the petition of, praying for the refund of the income-tax levied on the tasdik allowances of the temple for 1892–93.	7th „ „ 4187,

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TITION (INCOME-TAX)—*cont.*	
M.R.Ry. V. Doraisawmy Iyer, pensioned Deputy Collector, Kumbakónam.—Petition from, appealing against the order of the Collector of Tanjore on his income-tax revision petition, rejected with remarks.	14th Oct., No. 4251, Mis.
Agent to the Mortgagee of the Ayakudi zemindari, Palni taluk.—Petition from the, bringing to notice that the income of the nindari from forest has been assessed to income-tax questing the Board to order the postponement of the on of the tax pending the result of his income-tax n petition to the Collector, rejected.	7th Nov., ,, 4609, Mis.
di of Puthramadhi of Chittoor taluk.—Interference lf of, in the matter of his appeal against the order ollector of North Arcot on his income-tax revision declined.	11th ,, ,, 4660, Mis.
kalinga Chetti and Venkatachella Chetti of Vellore. erence in the matter of the income-tax revision presented by, declined.	7th Dec., ,, 5064, Mis.
kata Narasimha Apparao Bahadur, Zemindar of —Interference in the matter of the income-tax etition of, declined.	7th ,, ,, 5233, Mis.
guruva Reddi of Vadakkampatti, Tirumangalam dura district.—Interference in the matter of the r revision petition presented by, declined.	20th ,, ,, 5262, Mis.
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ni, late petty officer, Bobbili Circle.—Interference , appealing against the order of the Assistant er, Chicacole Sub-division, dismissing him , declined.	7th Feb., ,, 620, Mis.
ssioner, Southern Division, requested to report nd rank of unpassed petty officers who are for promotion in view to the sanction of eing obtained to their employment as tempo- pectors.	21st Mar., ,, 1240, Mis.
nayya, late petty officer, Polavaram Circle.—Interference on behalf of, appealing against the order of dismissal passed on him by the Assistant Commissioner, Chicacole Sub-division, and upheld by the Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, declined.	29th July, ,, 3193, Mis.
Chalapaka Naidu, first-grade duffadar, Ganjám Circle, informed that the Board declines to order his retention in the service.	14th Dec., ,, 5206, Mis.
PLATFORM.	
Upkeep of platforms in the Excise factories of the Presidency.—The attention of all Deputy Commissioners drawn to the increasing expenditure on the, and they are requested to report whether the number of coolies cannot be largely reduced.—Report from the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, stating that the number of platform coolies employed in the factories of the Negapatam and Tinnevelly Sub-divisions cannot be reduced except those of the Morekolam	6th July, ,, 2780, Mis. 9th Oct., ,, 4260, Mis. 5th Nov., ,, 4587, Mis.

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Circle, recorded.—Letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, reporting on the feasibility of reducing the existing strength of platform coolies in the excise factories of his division, recorded.	
Entertainment, as platform coolies, of men not up to standard measurements.—Letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, suggesting the advisability of prohibiting the, communicated to Deputy Commissioners, Central and Southern Divisions, for report.	2nd Oct., No. 4115, Mis.
Manginapudi factory.—The proposal of the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, to respace platforms Nos. V and VI of the, disapproved with remarks.	12th Dec., „ 5196, Mis.
POLICE.	
Head constables.—The Inspector-General of Police requested to state whether, were treated as belonging to the superior service before 1st July 1894.—Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, informed that, cannot be promoted to any post in superior service in the Salt and Abkári department except that of shroff.	10th Jan., „ 82, Mis. 3rd Feb., „ 468, Mis.
PORT.	
Port of Coringa.—A suggestion of the Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, to abolish the, referred to the Collector of Gódávari for report.—Petition of the inhabitants of Coringa division to Government requesting either to retain the Sea Customs office of Coringa as at present or to convert it into a Deputy Tahsildar's office, referred to the Collector of Gódávari for report.—Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, requested to explain fully the nature of the passes to be issued by the ghati gumastahs proposed by him in connection with the proposal to abolish the,—Collector of Gódávari requested to report what the Sea Customs arrangement with regard to Yánam are.	21st Jan., „ 235, Mis. 4th Mar., „ 866, Mis. 22nd May, „ 2112, Mis. 11th Sept., „ 3863, Mis.
Supervision of low paid Superintendents of certain ports open to foreign trade.—Collectors concerned requested to report on the, called for by Government.—Letter from the Collector of Madura submitting the report called for regarding the, recorded.—Letter from the Collector of Tanjore reporting that certain ports in the district should be open to foreign trade, recorded.—Reports from the Collectors of Kistna, Tanjore and Madura on the, and recommending the restriction of the trade of certain ports to coasting trade with customs ports only and increase of salary to certain Sea Customs Superintendents, submitted to Government.—A proposition statement in accordance with the revised scale of pay fixed for the Superintendents of certain ports in the Kistna, Tanjore and Madura districts, submitted to Government; stated that all Superintendents whose pay is Rs. 30 or over should be graded with Sub-Inspectors and Assistant Inspectors and that the information called for regarding the supervision of the work of Superintendents of certain ports by Salt and Abkári officers will be submitted when the instructions for their guidance in custom matters are formulated and approved by Government.	27th Jan., „ 38. 2nd May, „ 1833, Mis. 4th June, „ 2342, Mis. 8th July, „ 2824, Mis. 2nd Nov., „ 440, Mis.

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PORT—*cont.*	
Port of Badagara.—The proposal of the Malabar Chamber of Commerce to re-open to foreign trade the port of, which has been declared to be a port for carrying on coasting trade with customs ports only, recommended to Government.—Government Order declaring Badagara to be a port for the shipment and landing of goods, communicated to the Collector of Malabar and to the Honorary Secretary, Malabar Chamber of Commerce.	17th Feb., No. 644, Mis. 6th Mar., „ 930, Mis.
Port of Calicut.—Proposals of the Collector of Malabar to extend and define the limits of the, to appoint wharves for landing and shipping goods in ordinary weather, and to grant permission for landing and shipping at Varakal in rough weather, recommended to Government.—Government Order, Revenue Department, on Government Order, Marine Department, stating that the sanction of the Government of India will be applied for, recorded.—Government Order, Marine Department, ordering that a notification be published in the Fort St. George and Malabar District Gazettes altering the limits of the, communicated to the Collector of Malabar.	27th „ „ 132. 25th Sept., „ 4069, Mis. 5th Dec., „ 5061, Mis.
Port of Merkanam.—Government Order, Marine Department, directing the publication of a notification in the Fort St. George and South Arcot District Gazettes withdrawing the Indian Ports Act (X of 1889) from the,	21st Sept., „ 4013, Mis.
Port of Pundi in the Ganjám district.—Reported to Government that the trade at the, was confined during 1895-96 to exports coastwise and amounted to Rs. 2,279 only.	21st „ „ 4013, Mis.
Port of Cocanada.—Government Order, Revenue Department, on Government Order, Public Works Department, adopting the recommendations of the Chief Engineer in the matter of the improvement of the, recorded.	21st „ „ 4028, Mis.
Sub-port, Mandapam. — The proposal of the Collector of Madura that the, may be re-opened to foreign trade, submitted to Government with recommendation.—Government Order ordering to be published in the Fort St. George and the Madura District Gazettes notification regarding the re-opening of, to foreign trade, communicated to the Collector of Madura.	10th Nov., „ 4655, Mis. 2nd Dec., „ 4978, Mis.
Alagankolam sub-port in the Madura district.—Draft notification for altering the limits of the, submitted to Government.	13th Nov., „ 4725, Mis.
Tuticorin Custom House.—The report called for regarding the arrangements to be made in the, in connection with the improved passenger and mail service with Ceylon, submitted to Government.	16th „ „ 4760, Mis.
Port of Negapatam.—Government Order stating that His Excellency the Governor in Council is satisfied that the requirements of the, have received constant attention and awaiting the further proposals for the improvement of the port promised by the Presidency Port officer, recorded.	17th „ „ 4776, Mis.
Ports of Vizagapatam and Bimlipatam.—Government Order, Revenue Department, communicating Proceedings of the Marine Department sanctioning a special charge allowance of Rs. 60 per mensem for the period Mr. Ieely performs	25th „ „ 4927, Mis.

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the duties of Port officer and Customs Collector at the, and stating that the Collector should be called on to report how satisfactory arrangement has been made for the conduct, during the period, of the Sea Customs duties at the latter station, communicated to the Collector of Vizagapatam for early report.	
Report of inspection of certain ports on the Western Coast by the Presidency Port Officer.—Government Order, Revenue Department, recording Proceedings of the Marine Department recording, with remarks, recorded.	2nd Dec., No. 4979, Mis.
Calicut pier.—Letter from the Collector of Malabar reporting on the advisability of resuming control of the, and of putting it in thorough repair, submitted to Government, Marine Department. — Government Order, Revenue Department, on Government Order, Marine Department, requesting that the Collector of Malabar be called on in the Revenue Department to expedite the reports required regarding the repair of the, recorded.	3rd „ „ 5013, Mis. 3rd „ „ 5014, Mis.
POWERS.	
Mr. E. A. James.—Two draft notifications conferring powers under the Salt and Abkári Acts respectively on Assistant Inspector, submitted for the approval of Government and for publication in the *Fort St. George Gazette.*—The draft notifications ordered by Government to be published.	10th Jan., „ 84, Mis. 24th „ „ 335, Mis.
Decided that arrack vend renters can delegate their powers to others by powers-of-attorney without the Collectors' permission, but that the renters would still continue responsible to Government.	28th „ „ 496, Mis.
Assistant Inspector M.R.Ry. Dairianaia Pillai. — Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, requested to report whether it is necessary to invest with powers to enquire into cases in the Penuguduru Circle to which he has been transferred.—Stated that the Board considers it unnecessary to empower, to enquire into cases in the Penuguduru Circle.	21st Mar., „ 1221, Mis. 18th May, „ 2049, Mis.
Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, informed that the powers given by section 84 of the Salt Act for the recovery of sums due to Government are ample.	22nd April, „ 1589, Mis.
Orders passed on letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, requesting that a second-grade Assistant Inspector who can be empowered to enquire into salt and abkári cases may be posted to the Bellary Circle.—Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, informed that certain information called for should, unless otherwise ordered, be furnished to the Board only in cases where application is made for the first time to empower an officer.	25th „ „ 1672, Mis. 16th May, „ 2023, Mis.
Delegation to Divisional officers of the power of granting licenses for exclusive privileges, and to Tahsildars and Deputy Tahsildars in independent charge that of sanctioning the cheekbundi (limits) of shops and issuing abkári shop licenses, approved with remarks, and a notification on the subject submitted to Government.—Government Order approving and ordering the publication in the *Fort St.*	15th June, „ 231. 15th Aug., „ 327. 2nd Dec., „ 4981, Mis.

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George Gazette of the draft notification, communicated to all Collectors and Deputy Commissioner, Central Division.—The Collector of Cuddapah informed that Tahsildars and Deputy Tahsildars in independent charge may issue licenses for shops.	
Entertainment in the Revenue Department of unpassed men for periods longer than three months at a time.—Government Order delegating to the Board of Revenue the power to sanction the, and to sanction temporary exemptions from Special tests, communicated to Deputy and Assistant Commissioners for information.	20th June, No. 241.
Collector of Kistna informed with remarks that he is competent to authorise his Divisional officers to grant licenses to shopkeepers and fine them for breach of the condition of the license.	23rd „ „ 2620, Mis.
Certain licensees of the Kattumavadi factory informed that a power-of-attorney must be stamped under article 50 of schedule I of Act I of 1879, but that it need not be registered.	3rd July, „ 2740, Mis.
Powers of officers in respect of establishment, contingent and other charges.—Board's Proceedings (Land Revenue) submitting to Government additions and alterations to tables regarding, communicated to the Collector of Sea Customs, Madras, and Superintendent of Stamps and to all Deputy and Assistant Commissioners.—The Accountant-General requested to favour the Board with his opinion as to whether Collectors are empowered to sanction refunds of income-tax paid on the salaries and allowances of Government servants.—A memorandum of additions and alterations proposed to be made to the tables appended to the Accountant-General's letter regarding the, submitted to Government.—Letter from the Accountant-General reporting that Collectors are not empowered to sanction the refunds referred to, recorded.—Government Order ordering certain additions to, and alterations in the tables showing the financial powers of various officers, communicated to the Collector of Sea Customs and the Superintendent of Stamps, Madras, and to all Deputy and Assistant Commissioners.	7th „ „ 267. 3rd Oct., „ 4143, Mis. 23rd „ „ 4410, Mis. 22nd „ „ 4411, Mis 27th „ „ 433.
Power vested in the Commissioner under the rules framed under the Salt Act to fix the days and hours at which removals of salt shall ordinarily take place at factories, delegated to the Assistant Commissioners of Salt, Abkári and Customs Revenue.	3rd Sept., „ 347.
Power of calling for explanation for high and low wastages in heaps.—Deputy and Assistant Commissioners called upon to state whether it would not be better to confine the, to Assistant Commissioners.—Letter from the Assistant Commissioner, Negapatam Sub-division, reporting on the subject of confining the, recorded.—Letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, expressing his views on the subject of confining the, to Assistant Commissioners, recorded.—Letter from the Assistant Commissioner, Calicut Sub-division, stating that it will be better to confine the, to Assistant Commissioners, recorded.—Letter from the Assistant Commissioner, Cocanada Sub-division, stating that the, may be confined to Assistant Commissioners,	14th „ „ 3895, Mis. 22nd Oct., „ 4503, Mis. 29th „ „ 4547, Mis. 26th „ „ 4549, Mis. 27th „ „ 4550, Mis. 29th „ „ 4551, Mis. 7th Nov., „ 4696, Mis. 25th „ „ 4903, Mis. 23rd Dec., „ 5268, Mis.

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recorded.—Letter from the Assistant Commissioner, Balasore Sub-division, submitting his views on the question of confining the, to Assistant Commissioners, recorded.—Letter from the Assistant Commissioner, Chatrapur Sub-division, reporting on the question of confining the, to Assistant Commissioners, recorded.—Letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, reporting on the question of investing the Assistant Commissioners with the, recorded.—Letters from Assistant Commissioners, Tinnevelly, Chingleput, Chicacole and Nellore Sub-divisions, reporting on the question of investing the Assistant Commissioners with the, recorded.	
The Stationary Sub-Magistrate of Adóni to check opium consignments transported from outside the district.—The Collector of Bellary informed that it is not considered necessary to empower,	25th Sept., No. 4047, Mis.
Delegation of certain powers under the Madras Salt and Abkári Acts.—Government Order approving, with remarks, the Board's recommendations for the, communicated to all Collectors and the Deputy and Assistant Commissioners.	29th „ „ 388.
The proposal of the Collector of Gódávari to delegate to Divisional officers the power of sanctioning the sub-renting of the arrack and toddy privileges in the district, approved.	5th Oct., „ 4139, Mis.
Whether an arrack vend farmer may be allowed to manage his farm by an agent appointed by power-of-attorney.—Orders passed on letter from the Collector of Cuddapah requesting to be informed,	10th „ „ 4231, Mis.
Deputy Tahsildars in independent charge may be empowered to suspend foreign liquor and beer tavern licenses in case where it is directed to re-sell the privileges for default in payment of kist.—The Collector of Nilgiris informed that his proposal that, will be adopted when revising the licenses for the next year.	14th „ „ 4237, Mis.
Bobbili Circle.—Orders passed on the proposals of the Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, that the Assistant Inspector newly sanctioned for the, may be left in charge of the Párvatípuram and Palkonda taluks and empowered to enquire into salt and abkári cases and dispose of T.T. applications.	16th „ „ 4330, Mis.
Assistant Inspector Mr. J. E. F. Vaz.—Two draft notifications conferring powers under the Salt and Abkári Acts respectively on, submitted for the approval of Government and for publication in the *Fort St. George Gazette.*—Government Order approving and ordering the draft notifications to be published in the *Fort St. George Gazette*, recorded.	22nd „ „ 4402, Mis. 19th Nov., „ 4893, Mis.
Mr. T. M. R. Cresswell, Assistant Inspector, third grade.—Two draft notifications conferring powers under the Salt and Abkári Acts respectively on, as a special case, submitted for the approval of Government and for publication in the *Fort St. George Gazette.*—Government Order approving and ordering the draft notifications to be published in the *Fort St. George Gazette*, communicated to the Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division.	28th Oct., „ 4501, Mis. 26th Nov., „ 5003, Mis.

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Transferring shops beyond the notified limits.—The Collector of South Arcot informed that it is not considered necessary to delegate to Collectors the power of,	2nd Nov., No. 4613, Mis.
M.R.Ry. P. Venkatasubbiah, third-grade Assistant Inspector, Naupada Circle.—Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, informed that his request to empower, to enquire into salt and abkári cases should be supported by sufficient reasons.	4th ,, ,, 4639, Mis.
Powers exercised by Divisional Commissioners in Bombay under Article 999 of the Civil Service Regulations in regard to the grant of petty pensions.—Government Order stating that the Government of India will be addressed in view to the Local Government being enabled to delegate to the Board of Revenue the, recorded.	6th ,, ,, 4688, Mis.
Permits for transport and licenses for possession of country spirits up to a limit of 500 gallons.—The proposal of the Collector of Gódávari to authorize Deputy Tahsildars in the district to issue, approved.	29th ,, ,, 4933, Mis.
Assistant Inspector M.R.Ry. B. J. Saldhana.—Two draft notifications conferring powers under the Salt and Abkári Acts respectively on, submitted for the approval of Government and for publication in the *Fort St. George Gazette.*—Government Order approving and ordering the draft notifications to be published in the *Fort St. George Gazette*, recorded.	30th ,, ,, 4910, Mis. 19th Dec., ,, 5221, Mis.
Government requested to authorise the Board and the Salt and Abkári officers to exercise the powers of appointing Customs officers other than those whose appointment has been reserved to Government in view to making in some cases transfers of supervising officers between Customs and the Salt and Abkári department before allowing the increased salaries, sanctioned in the scheme of revised Customs establishment.	4th ,, ,, 5029, Mis.
Delegation to the Board of certain powers.—Government Order sanctioning the, communicated to Deputy and Assistant Commissioners.	8th ,, ,, 494.
Whether an arrack wholesale vend licensee can delegate the power conferred on him by Government of issuing transport permits to his agent.—The Government Solicitor requested to report, and the Collector of Bellary requested to obtain and forward a copy of the Hadagalli Tahsildar-Magistrate's judgment in a certain abkári case tried by him.	16th ,, ,, 5157, Mis.
Delegation of certain powers to Divisional officers and Tahsildars.—Board's report on the proposals made by Collectors for the curtailment of correspondence in the Separate Revenue department and for the, submitted to Government.	27th ,, ,, 520.
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Writing off of undetected scrapings and cases.—The rule in force in the Salt department with regard to the, reported to Government.—Government requested to permit the Board to follow the procedure adopted in 1894 with regard to the,	6th Feb., ,, 504, Mis. 4th July, ,, 2758, Mis. 27th ,, ,, 3121, Mis. 12th Dec., ,, 5128, Mis.

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in the submission of the salt and abkári preventive reports for the year 1895.—Government Order stating that the preventive statements for 1895 received from Deputy Commissioners should be returned for revision with reference to its orders regarding the, communicated to all Deputy Commissioners for information and guidance.—Government informed that certain revised statements called for in connection with the, have not yet been received and that a consolidated statement will be submitted on receipt of those statements.	
P.-12 Books.—Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, informed that the old, should be retained intact until the period prescribed for their retention has elapsed and that the entries in the old register need not be transcribed in the new.	6th May, No. 1859, Mis.
Cases of bonâ fide travellers taking with them across the frontier of British territory less than 20 tolas of salt.—Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, informed that, are not offences and should not be entered in P.-21.	13th Nov., „ 454.
PREVENTION.	
Abkári preventive report, Central Division.—Deputy Commissioner's report for the period ending 30th September 1895, reviewed.—Copy of letter from the Assistant Commissioner, Chingleput Sub-division, submitting a revised enclosure No. III to the, for the period ending 30th September 1895, recorded.—Copy of proceedings of the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, on letter from the Assistant Commissioner, Chingleput Sub-division, explaining certain discrepancy in the enclosures to the abkári preventive report for the period ending 30th September 1895, recorded.—Deputy Commissioner's report for the year ending 31st December 1895, recorded.—Deputy Commissioner's report for the quarter ending 31st March 1896, recorded.—Deputy Commissioner's report for the half-year ending 30th June 1896, reviewed.—Letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, replying to Board's review of the report for the half-year ending 30th June 1896, recorded.	8th Jan., „ 18, Mis. 31st „ „ 413, Mis. 16th Mar., „ 1114, Mis. 22nd April, „ 1587, Mis. 12th Sept., „ 3919, Mis. 14th Oct., „ 4328, Mis. 18th Dec., „ 5225, Mis.
Salt preventive report, Northern Division.—The report of the Deputy Commissioner, for the quarter ending 30th September 1895, reviewed.—Letter from the Deputy Commissioner submitting the report on the salt preventive operations in his division for the year 1895, recorded.—The report of the Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, on the salt preventive operations in his division for the quarter ending 31st March 1896, reviewed.—The report of the Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, on the salt preventive operations for the half-year ending 30th June 1896, reviewed.	10th Jan., „ 141, Mis. 23rd April, „ 1593, Mis. 2nd July, „ 2737, Mis. 5th Nov., „ 4633, Mis.
The submission of the monthly abkári (preventive) reports by Assistant Commissioners to Deputy Commissioners.—Letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, expressing his opinion that, might be discontinued, recorded.—Central Division Deputy Commissioner's suggestion that, may be discontinued, approved with remark.	21st Jan., „ 230, Mis. 13th Feb., „ 64.

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Writing off of undetected scrapings and cases.—The rule in force in the Salt department with regard to the, reported to Government.—Government requested to permit the Board to follow the procedure adopted in 1894 with regard to the, in the submission of the salt and abkári preventive reports for the year 1895.—Government Order stating that the preventive statements for 1895 received from Deputy Commissioners should be returned for revision with reference to its orders regarding the, communicated to all Deputy Commissioners for information and guidance.—Government informed that certain revised statements called for in connection with the, have not yet been received and that a consolidated statement will be submitted on receipt of those statements.	6th Feb., No. 504, Mis. 4th July, „ 2758, Mis. 27th „ „ 3121, Mis. 12th Dec., „ 5128, Mis.
Abkári preventive report, Northern Division.—Deputy Commissioner's report for the nine months ending 30th September 1895, reviewed.—Deputy Commissioner's report for the year 1895, recorded.—Deputy Commissioner's report for the quarter ending 31st March 1896, reviewed.—Deputy Commissioner's report for the half-year ending 30th June 1896, reviewed.—Orders passed on letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, replying to Board's Proceedings, Mis. No. 4401, dated 22nd October 1896.	20th Feb., „ 772, Mis. 24th April, „ 1651, Mis. 31st July, „ 3224, Mis. 22nd Oct., „ 4401, Mis 14th Dec., „ 5139, Mis.
Abkári preventive report, Southern Division.—Deputy Commissioner's report for the nine months ending 30th September 1895, reviewed.—Copy of letter from the Assistant Commissioner, Tinnevelly Sub-division, replying to the Southern Division Deputy Commissioner's proceedings reviewing the abkári preventive report during the nine months ending 30th September 1895, recorded.—Deputy Commissioner's report for the year 1895, recorded.—Deputy Commissioner's report for the quarter ending 31st March 1896, reviewed.—Deputy Commissioner's report for the half-year ending 30th June 1896, reviewed.	24th Feb., „ 791, Mis. 13th Mar., „ 1071, Mis. 17th June, „ 2554, Mis. 3rd Sept., „ 3703, Mis. 25th Nov., „ 4882, Mis.
Salt preventive report, Central Division.—The report of the Deputy Commissioner, for the calendar year 1895, reviewed.—The report of the Deputy Commissioner, for the quarter ending 31st March 1896, reviewed.—The report of the Deputy Commissioner, for the half-year ending 30th June 1896, reviewed.	20th April, „ 1611, Mis. 25th Sept., „ 4050, Mis. 5th Nov., „ 4632, Mis.
Salt preventive operations in the Pudukkóttai State for the calendar year 1895.—Letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, submitting report on the, recorded.	5th May, „ 1864, Mis.
Salt preventive operations, Southern Division.—Report of the Deputy Commissioner, for the calendar year 1895, recorded.—The report of the Deputy Commissioner, for the quarter ending 31st March 1896, reviewed.—Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, informed that his view that the duration of cases should be calculated from the date of the receipt of the occurrence report by the Inspector is correct.—Report of the Deputy Commissioner, for the quarter ending 30th June 1896, reviewed.—Report of the Deputy Commissioner, for the quarter ending 30th September 1896, reviewed.	18th „ „ 2095, Mis. 6th Aug., „ 3302, Mis. 20th Oct., „ 4377, Mis. 6th Nov., „ 4585, Mis. 17th Dec., „ 5242, Mis.
Preventive work in the Pámban and Sayalgudi ranges of the Morekolam Circle.—The present arrangements made for the supervision of, approved with remarks.	2nd June, „ 2296, Mis.

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Kistna.—Collector requested to state the reason for effecting a change in the selling price of country spirits in the Bezwada town.—The action of the Collector in the matter of his fixing the selling price of 20° under-proof spirits in Bezwada at Rs. 6 per gallon, approved.—Letter from the Collector of Kistna stating that the price of liquor of 30° under-proof was proportionately reduced in Bezwada, recorded.	11th Feb., No. 597, Mis. 26th Aug., „ 3611, Mis. 28th Sept., „ 4439, Mis.
Calingapatam extension.—Sanction of Government to reduce the upset price of 1890 salt in the, to 6 pies per maund, solicited.—Government Order approving the reduction of the upset price.—Sanction of Government to sell a certain quantity of Government salt of 1891 in the, at an upset price of 6 pies per maund, requested.—Government Order sanctioning the Board's recommendation, communicated to the Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, and the Assistant Commissioner, Chicacole Sub-division.	17th Feb., „ 646, Mis. 28th „ „ 83. 12th May, „ 1958, Mis. 27th „ „ 205.
Dugarazpatnam factory. — Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, informed that there is no necessity to reduce the price of salt at the, to two annas a maund.	22nd Feb., „ 705, Mis.
Vizagapatam district.—The publication in the Fort St. George and in the Vizagapatam District Gazettes of the notification prescribing the minimum price per dram below which country spirits shall not be retailed in the independent arrack shop of the Vizagapatam taluk and of certain towns in the, ordered.	27th „ „ 767, Mis.
Fixing maximum prices for the sale of country spirits at warehouses and wholesale vend depôts.— Orders passed on the reports of the Collectors of private distillery supply districts and the Deputy Commissioners, Central and Southern Divisions, on the question of,	7th Mar., „ 91.
Penuguduru extension. — Orders passed on letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, requesting permission to sell certain quantities of Government salt in the, No. 1 with an upset price of two annas per maund.—Orders passed on letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, requesting permission to sell certain quantities of Government salt in the, with an upset price of three annas per maund.—Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, informed that the Board is not prepared to reduce further the upset prices fixed for Government salt in the,	16th „ „ 1120, Mis. 22nd May, „ 2133, Mis. 21st July, „ 3042, Mis.
Fixing upset prices for abkári farms and shops.—Declined to alter the existing system of, as suggested by the Assistant Commissioner, Nellore Sub-division, and the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, and stated that Assistant Commissioner may furnish selling officers with a list showing their estimate of the value of each farm or shop to be sold, but that the Collectors' discretion should not be fettered by the list.—Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, informed with remark, that the Board sees no reason to issue further instructions in the matter of furnishing selling officers with a list showing the estimate of the value of each farm or shop to be sold.	6th April, „ 141. 11th July, „ 2922, Mis.

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PRICE—*cont.*	
Sale prices.—Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, informed with remarks, that all holders of two lakhs of maunds of salt and upwards may be permitted to report the, within ten days after the salt is removed from the platform.	11th June, No. 2436, Mis.
The amani depôts in the Pattukkôttai taluk.— Collector of Tanjore informed that the price of country spirits 30° under proof at, may be fixed at Rs. 4. The attention of the Collector of Tanjore and the Assistant Commissioner, Negapatam Sub-division, drawn to Board's Proceedings, No. 91, dated 7th March 1896, and requested to warn depôt-keepers not to charge unduly high prices for the spirits sold by them.	2nd July, „ 2735, Mis. 15th „ „ 2955, Mis
Proposals for fixing the cost price of the Government salt stored at the Madras depôt, submitted to Government.	6th „ „ 255.
Monthly and annual statements showing the retail prices of salt at certain selected centres of trade submitted by the Assistant Commissioners for their respective Sub-divisions to the Board. —Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, informed, with remark, that no fresh column for Imperial seers per rupee need be opened in the,	10th „ „ 2845, Mis.
List showing the cost price of all circular orders and sub-circular orders. — Letter from the Superintendent, Government Press, forwarding a, communicated to the Assistant Commissioner, Tinnevelly Sub-division.	18th „ „ 3034, Mis.
Issue price of salt in the fish-curing yards of the South Canara district.—The orders of Government on the subject of further reducing the, requested.—Reported to Government on the subject of further reducing the,—Government Order approving the Board's proposal to reduce the, communicated to the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, and the Assistant Commissioner, Calicut Sub-division.	31st „ „ 3208, Mis. 3rd Sept., „ 3707, Mis. 19th „ „ 371.
Preventive Petty Officer's Hand-Book (Tamil).—Letter from the Superintendent, Government Press, informing that the price of a copy of the, is Annas 12, communicated to the Assistant Commissioner, Tinnevelly Sub-division, for information.	23rd „ „ 3980, Mis.
Complaint of the fish-curers of the Paravannah yard that the cost price of salt was enhanced.—Referred to the Assistant Commissioner, Calicut Sub-division, for early enquiry and report through the Deputy Commissioner.—Letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, reporting on the, recorded with remarks.	8th Oct., „ 4191, Mis. 10th Nov., „ 4741, Mis.
Pooley's and Grainger's pan machines.—Messrs. Oakes and Company requested to inform the Board of the prices of the various component parts of the,	13th Oct., „ 4242, Mis.
Kistna district.—Letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, explaining certain variations in the retail prices of salt in the, in 1895-96, recorded with remark.	30th „ „ 4523, Mis.
Surlá.—Endorsement of the Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, submitting, with remarks, copy of Surlá Inspector's letter reporting that Messrs. N. Bheemaraju and Company	4th Nov., „ 4618, Mis.

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of Surlá have raised the selling price of their salt at that factory from three to four annas a maund, recorded with remark.	
Ganjám district.—Letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, submitting proposals for the enhancement of the selling price of country spirits in the, recorded pending receipt of the Collector's remarks.—Letter from the Collector submitting his remarks on the Deputy Commissioner's proposals, recorded with reference to Board's Proceedings, No. 488, dated 17th December 1896.	28th Nov., No. 5130, Mis. 13th Dec., „ 5164, Mis.
Proposals for enhancing the price of country spirits both in the town of Vizagapatam and in the rural tracts of Ganjám and Vizagapatam.—Letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, submitting, recorded with reference to Board's Proceedings, No. 488, dated 7th December 1896.	16th „ „ 5167, Mis.
Karassa Circle.—Endorsement of the Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, submitting, with remarks, copy of the Inspector's letter explaining the circumstances under which certain mistakes were made in fixing the upset price in the auction sales of Government salt held in the factory, recorded.	14th „ „ 5223, Mis.
Minimum selling price of arrack in force in the Berhampur, Gopalpur, Parlákimedi and Chicacole towns in Ganjám.—The extension of the restriction regarding the, to certain other towns in the district in which shops are sold separately, approved with remarks and a notification on the subject in the *Fort St. George Gazette*, issued.	24th „ „ 5278, Mis.
PRINTING AND BINDING.	
Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, informed that certain forms may be printed at private presses and their printing charges debited to contingencies.	31st Mar., „ 1350, Mis.
Monthly lists showing the percentage of proof spirit in wines tested in the Madras Customs House.—The Collector of Sea Customs, Madras, informed that the, may in future be printed and distributed by his office.	2nd Sept., „ 3700, Mis.
E.-12 forms supplied to the Védáranniyam Circle.—Orders passed on letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, bringing to notice certain irregularities noticed in the printing of the,	10th Oct., „ 4301, Mis.
Trade volumes of the Presidency for 1895-96.—A cheque for Rs. 3,939-4-0 for printing and binding the, forwarded to the Secretary to the Lawrence Asylum Press.	10th Dec., „ 5117,
PROMOTION.	
Hajee Syed Omer Sahib.—Endorsement of the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, submitting, with remarks, petition from, representing his claims for promotion, recorded.	8th J[illegible]n.,
Sub-Inspector Ch. Suriyanarayana, Bobbili Circle.—The order of the Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, promoting, from the fourth to the th[illegible] grade with effect from t[illegible] 1st January 1896, approved.	2[illegible]

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PROMOTION—*cont.*	
Sub-Inspector S. Venkataswami, Karassa Circle.—Order of the Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, promoting, from the third to the second grade with effect from the 1st December 1895, approved.	22nd Jan., No. 337, Mis.
Mr. McMaster, Assistant Commissioner, Masulipatam Sub-division.—Petition from, regarding his claim to be promoted to act as Deputy Commissioner in preference to Mr. Fowler, forwarded to Government.—Government Order requesting the Board to inform, that he has been appointed Acting Deputy Commissioner during Mr. Merriman's absence on leave and that the appointment of Mr. Fowler to be Deputy Commissioner in succession to Diwan Bahadur Dharmarao Nayudu has been made without reference to the question of seniority, communicated to.	6th Mar., „ 875, Mis. 20th „ „ 862, R.
Mr. Greatorex, Inspector, Polavaram Circle.—Copy of proceedings of the Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division stating that the claims of, for promotion will be considered in March 1896, recorded with remarks.—Letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, stating that Mr. Greatorex's petition regarding his promotion was addressed to the Board to which a copy was sent by him direct, recorded with remarks.—Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, informed that the Acting Commissioner cannot revise the decision of the late Commissioner in regard to the promotion of,	20th Feb., „ 876, Mis. 16th April, „ 1112, R. 12th Sept., „ 3869, Mis.
Mr. G. E. Johnston, Assistant Inspector.—Memorial of, touching his promotion, forwarded to Government.	17th Mar., „ 1167, Mis.
Mr. A. C. Woodhouse, Inspector, Nannilam Circle.—Endorsement of the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, submitting letter from, requesting that certain facts and figures may be taken into account in considering his claims for promotion, recorded.	17th April, „ 1530, Mis.
Mr. Rosemeyer.—Memorial from, praying for promotion and the transfer to any of the factory circles in the Madras Presidency, submitted to Government with remarks.	27th „ „ 1673, Mis.
Assistant Inspector M.R.Ry. A. V. Panchapagesa Iyer.—Memorial from, praying that he may be promoted with effect from 1st October last, forwarded to Government.—Government Order declining to interfere on behalf of, communicated to,	28th „ „ 1683, Mis. 31st July, „ 3256, Mis.
Acting Assistant Inspector M.R.Ry. T. Narasimha Charlu.—Endorsement of the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, submitting, with remarks, petition from, that he may be promoted to the grade of permanent Assistant Inspector, recorded.	12th May, „ 1977, Mis.
[illegible], Sub-Inspector, Arni Circle.—Endorsement of the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, submitting, petition from, praying for promtion, re-	22nd „ „ 2252, Mis.
[illegible]va Circle.—Replied to the request [illegible] he is considered ineligible to [illegible]r.	19th June., „ 2550, Mis.

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S. Sivasami Iyer, Head Clerk of the office of the Assistant Commissioner, Negapatam Sub-division.—Orders passed on endorsement of the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, submitting, with remarks, petition from, praying for promotion.	17th June, No. 2551, Mis.
Circular from the Accountant-General, Madras, regarding the nature of promotions that may be granted in the place of an officer holding a temporary appointment or on deputation, communicated to Deputy and Assistant Commissioners for information and guidance.	1st July, „ 247.
Northern and Central Divisions.—The promotions to Rs. 50 and upwards made by the Deputy Commissioners, approved subject to certain restrictions and Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, informed that he may make promotions among Sub-Inspectors subject to the same restriction.	23rd „ „ 3091, Mis.
Sub-Inspector S. Hari Row.—Endorsement of the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, submitting petition from, praying for promotion to the grade of Assistant Inspector, recorded.	5th Aug., „ 3360, Mis.
Mr. A. M. Story informed that his name was not recommended by the Deputy Commissioner and that the last report on the inspection of his Circle by the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, was not satisfactory.	13th „ „ 3434, Mis.
R. Srinivasa Aiyar, Head Clerk of the Office of the Assistant Commissioner, Erode Sub-division.—Endorsement of the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, submitting a petition from, praying that he may be given an Assistant Inspector ship, recorded.	31st „ „ 3652, Mis.
The promotions of the Sub-Inspectors to the first and second and third grades made by the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, approved.	11th Sept., „ 3865, Mis.
S. A. Venkatarama Aiyar, Sub-Inspector, Madura Circle.—The promotion of, from the third to the second grade, approved with remark.	8th Oct., „ 4193, Mis.
The appointment of an expert in distillery matters.—The Assistant Commissioner, Negapatam Sub-division, informed that the Board is unable to state definitely at present whether or not, will affect the promotion of officers in the ordinary line in the department.	6th Nov., „ 4641, Mis.
M.R.Ry. S. Venkatesa Aiyar, Assistant Inspector.—Petition from, for promotion, returned with remarks.	17th „ „ 4819, Mis.
Consular Clerks.—Government Order, Revenue Department, communicating Proceedings, Public Department, regarding the recommendation of the British Consular Agent, Pondicherry and Karikal, relative to the promotion of the, recorded.	19th „ „ 4895, Mis.
The promotion of certain Sub-Inspectors in the Northern Division, approved with remarks.	4th Dec., „ 5025, Mis.

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PROSECUTION.	
Sub-Inspector H. Anantayya.—Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, requested to report the circumstances which led to the prosecution of,—Letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, reporting the circumstances which led to the prosecution of, recorded.—Government requested to instruct the Public Prosecutor to present an appeal to the High Court against the order of acquittal passed by the Sessions Judge of South Canara in criminal appeal No. 33 of 1895.—Government Order requesting the Board to obtain and forward to Government the records in the case, communicated to the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, for very early attention.—The records called for, forwarded to the Under Secretary to Government, Judicial Department, and to the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, requested to send exhibit marked A which is not found in the records, forwarded by him.—Government Order stating that the Government Pleader will be instructed to present an appeal to the High Court against the order of the acquittal in criminal appeal No. 33 of 1895 on the file of the Sessions Court of South Canara, communicated to the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division.—Endorsement of Government communicating letter from the Government Pleader stating that an appeal against the order of the acquittal has been admitted by the High Court, recorded.—Copy of the judgment of the High Court in criminal appeal No. 257 of 1896 and the records connected with it, forwarded to the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division.	18th Feb., No. 652, Mis. 20th Mar., „ 1250, Mis. 5th April, „ 1447, Mis. 24th „ „ 1595, Mis. 3rd June, „ 2299, Mis. 13th July, „ 2921, Mis. 24th „ „ 3202, Mis. 17th Dec., „ 5176, Mis.
Crown Prosecutor.—Government Order stating that, in serious charges against the Police and in cases when the facts or issues are complicated or difficult, the Commissioner of Police and the Presidency Magistrate should move Government to employ the services of the, and reminding Heads of Departments that the assistance of this officer in important cases instituted under their orders will be available on requisition to Government, communicated to Deputy Commissioners.	28th April, „ 1718, Mis.
Thirumalai Iyengar.—Interference on behalf of, in the matter of his petition requesting that orders may be issued for the withdrawal of his prosecution, declined; and the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, requested to obtain and forward an explanation from the officer concerned as to why the case against, was not proceeded with immediately after the conviction of Krishnaswami Rao.	28th „ „ 1680, Mis.
Charge of perjury brought against M. A. Mangesha Rao, Assistant Inspector, by the Amin of S. Daivanayaga Mudaliar of Cuddalore and by Mr. F. W. G. Gill, Agent of Messrs. Parry and Company at Nellikuppam.—M.R.Ry. M. A. Mangesha Rao informed that he should apply to the District Magistrate, South Arcot, to appoint a Vakil to defend him against the,—Letter from the Collector of South Arcot reporting that he has received a copy of M. A. Mangesha Rao's application to the Board and requesting early orders on the same, recorded.—Letter from the District Magistrate, South Arcot, forwarding copies of the proceedings of the Stationary Sub-Magistrate, Cuddalore, and the Head Assistant Collector on the application made by Messrs. Gill and Veerasawmy Naidu for sanction to prosecute Assistant Inspector M. A. Mangesha Rao, for perjury, recorded.	19th May, „ 2057, Mis. 21st „ „ 2157, Mis. 29th Aug., „ 3771, Mis.

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Practice of prosecuting purchasers of toddy at tree-foot sales in the Masulipatam Sub-division.—Letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, regarding the, forwarded to Mr. Bryce McMaster for early remarks and the Assistant Commissioner requested to explain how Magistrates can insist on such prosecutions.—Letter from Mr. Bryce McMaster reporting on the, recorded.	2nd June, No. 2310, Mis. 11th July, „ 2914, Mis.
Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, informed that a certain case in which the accused is charged of opening a consignment of arrack before its verification by the authorized Revenue officer, may be prosecuted as directed by the Collector of Tanjore.	2nd „ „ 2748, Mis.
Whether the purchaser of toddy in cases of tree-foot sales should be prosecuted as abetter of the offence or not.—Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, informed that the question of, should be left to the decision of the Collector and District Magistrate.	26th Aug., „ 3608, Mis.
Unnecessary and illegal prosecutions.—Letter from the District Magistrate of Gódávari requesting to issue strict orders to the officers of the department not to molest innocent persons with, communicated to the Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, for report.	25th Sept., „ 4051, Mis.
Instituting a prosecution under the Abkári Act for a mere technical offence.—Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, requested to call on the Inspector, Morekolam Circle, to show cause why a remark should not be made against his name in the confidential register for,	1st Dec., „ 4970, Mis.
Tinnevelly Sub-division. Prosecution of certain toddy keepers for failure to open their shops within the period fixed by the Collector under condition 3 of the toddy shop license.—Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, informed that the Board agrees with him in considering that the conviction obtained in the cases were not illegal, but altogether disapproves of such prosecutions.	2nd „ „ 4996, Mis.
Editor of "Desopakari."—Letter from the Collector of Gódávari requesting that the godown clerks at the Sea Customs office, Cocanada, may be permitted to take legal proceedings against the, for making certain defamatory statements, submitted to Government with recommendation.	9th „ „ 5107, Mis.
PUNISHMENT.	
The order of suspension passed by the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, on A. Subbarama Aiyar, Sub-Inspector, Chittoor Circle, cancelled with remarks.	21st Jan., „ 367, Mis.
Appeals against reduction for the accumulation of black marks.—Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, informed that in the case of, the Board will consider agruments adduced by appellants against the propriety of awarding the individual black marks as well as against the reduction.	28th „ „ 455, Mis.
T. G. Krishnasawmi Pillai, Sub-Inspector, Morekolam Circle.—The punishment inflicted by the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, on, modified with remarks.	27th „ „ 484, Mis.

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PUNISHMENT—*cont.*	
Mr. A. J. Mitchell, Assistant Inspector reduced from the first to second grade for submitting false diaries.	10th Mar., No. 966, Mis.
Inadequate fines imposed by the Magistrates.—Copy of proceedings of the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, on letter from the Assistant Commissioner, Arcot Sub-division, enquiring as to whom he should address in matters of, recorded.	10th „ „ 1048, Mis.
Order of suspension passed by Assistant Commissioner, Erode Sub-division, on a certain petty officer of Coimbatore until such time as he might clear his character by prosecuting certain peons who gave statements against him.—Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, and the Assistant Commissioner, Trichinopoly Sub-division, informed that the Board disapproves of suspension being ordered in this manner.	13th June „ 2487, Mis.
Radhakrishna Iyer, Sub-Inspector, Dindigul Circle.—The period of suspension undergone by, treated as leave on loss of pay.	15th „ „ 2503, Mis.
Stoppages of the pay of menials for unauthorized absence.—The attention of the Deputy and Assistant Commissioners and Inspectors drawn to the order that, should not be treated as punishments for purposes of the black mark rules.—The limitation subject to which absence without leave should be treated as an offence and entered in the defaulter book, pointed out with remarks.	6th July, „ 2924, Mis. 7th Oct., „ 4177, Mis.
Sub-Inspector S. A. Saldanha of the Udipi Circle.—The order of reduction passed by the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, on, set aside.	31st July, „ 3203, Mis.
P. Subramania Iyah, Assistant Inspector, Calingapatam Circle.—Remarked upon the explanation of, for overstaying his casual leave in February 1896 and reduced to the third grade.—Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, informed that the Board will be prepared to reconsider its order of reduction passed in the case of, at the request of Mr. Leggatt, the officer aggrieved and directed to hand over the papers in the case to him on his return to duty.	8th Sept., „ 3794, Mis. 22nd Oct., „ 4403, Mis.
R. Soundararaja Aiyangar, late Sub-Inspector, Védáranniyam Circle.—The order of dismissal passed by the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, on, cancelled with remarks.	12th Sept., „ 3878, Mis.
S. Nallathambi Nadan, Sub-Inspector, Tuticorin Circle.—The order of suspension passed by the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, on, cancelled and the attention of Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, drawn to paragraph 129 of Circular Order I of 1893.	29th „ „ 4122, Mis.
K. Govindasami Aiyar, Sub-Inspector.—Interference with the order of the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, suspending, for six weeks, declined.	5th Oct., „ 4311, Mis.
K. Govindasami Aiyar, Sub-Inspector suspended for one month for the impertinent manner in which he speaks of the Secretary to the Board of Revenue (Separate Revenue) in his petition to the Board.	10th „ „ 4312, Mis.

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Munian, the steersman of the Commissioner's staff boat.—The Inspector, Madras Salt Depôt, informed that, should be dismissed from service from the date of receipt of these proceedings for having allowed the chain of the anchor to remain unfastened to the boat.	21st Oct., No. 4381, Mis.
Fines imposed by the Assistant Commissioner, Cocanada Subdivision, on the excise licensees at Penuguduru for delay in commencing manufacture.—Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, informed that the, are illegal and should be refunded to the licensees concerned.	10th Nov., „ 4650, Mis.
B. Morais, Assistant Sea Customs Superintendent at Kulasekarapatnam.—Certain arrangements of the Collector of Tinnevelly in consequence of the suspension of, approved with remarks.	25th „ „ 4847, Mis.
PENSION.	
ORISSA.	
Sheik Fakir Mahomed, late second grade peon, Kendrapara Circle.—Government Order sanctioning a retiring pension of Rs. 3-8-0 per mensem to, communicated to the Assistant Commissioner, Balasore Sub-division.	26th Feb., „ 771, Mis.
Sheik Ahmat Aly and Sheik Wahad Aly, late Engine Driver and Fireman of the steam Launch "Beatrice" which has been sold.—Applications for compensation gratuities on behalf of, forwarded with remarks to the Accountant-General, Madras, for submission to Government.	24th Oct., „ 4413, Mis.
POWERS.	
A notification conferring powers of Salt Revenue officers under the Indian Salt Act on certain peons employed in the province of Orissa, forwarded to the Superintendents, Government Press, Fort St. George and Calcutta, for publication in their respective Gazettes.	9th Jan., „ 40, Mis.
A notification conferring powers of Salt Revenue officers under the Indian Salt Act on certain peons employed in the province of Orissa, forwarded to the Superintendents, Government Press, Fort St. George and Calcutta, for publication in their respective Gazettes.	18th Mar., „ 1159, Mis.
Printing certain forms at the Orissa Mission Press, Cuttack.—Letter from the Bengal Government authorizing the Board of Revenue, Lower Provinces, to sanction the expenditure incurred on account of, and any such expenditure to be incurred by the Salt authorities at Madras in future, communicated to the Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, and the Assistant Commissioner, Balasore Sub-division.	28th April, „ 1885, Mis.
A notification conferring powers of Salt Revenue officers under the Indian Salt Act on certain peons employed in the province of Orissa, forwarded to the Superintendents, Government Press, Fort St. George and Calcutta, for publication in their respective Gazettes.	7th May, „ 1888, Mis.

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A notification conferring powers of Salt Revenue officers under the Indian Salt Act on a certain peon employed in the province of Orissa, forwarded to the Superintendents, Government Press, Fort St. George and Calcutta, for publication in their respective Gazettes.	29th May, No. 2211, Mis.
A notification conferring powers of Salt Revenue officers under the Indian Salt Act on certain peons employed in the province of Orissa, forwarded to the Superintendents, Government Press, Fort St. George and Calcutta, for publication in their respective Gazettes.	17th July, ,, 2987, Mis.
A notification conferring powers of Salt Revenue officers under the Indian Salt Act on certain peons employed in the province of Orissa, forwarded to the Superintendents, Government Press, Fort St. George and Calcutta, for publication in their respective Gazettes.	2nd Sept., ,, 3686, Mis.
A notification conferring powers of Salt Revenue officers under the Indian Salt Act on certain peons employed in the province of Orissa, forwarded to the Superintendents, Government Press, Fort St. George and Calcutta, for publication in their respective Gazettes.	9th Oct., ,, 4215, Mis.
A notification conferring powers of Salt Revenue officers under the Indian Salt Act on certain peons employed in the province of Orissa, forwarded to the Superintendents, Government Press, Fort St. George and Calcutta, for publication in their respective Gazettes.	29th ,, ,, 4519, Mis.
A notification conferring powers of Salt Revenue officers under the Indian Salt Act on certain peons employed in the province of Orissa, forwarded to the Superintendents, Government Press, Fort St. George and Calcutta, for publication in their respective Gazettes.	19th Nov., ,, 4771, Mis.
Power to exempt Matriculates of the Calcutta or Allahabad University from passing the Handwriting test for employment as clerks or Sub-Inspectors in Orissa only.—Government Order, Educational Department, delegating to the Board of Revenue (Separate Revenue) the, communicated to the Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, and Assistant Commissioners, Balasore and Chatrapur Sub-divisions.—Government Order approving and transferring to the Educational Department the delegation to the Board of the, communicated to all Deputy and Assistant Commissioners.	1st ,, ,, 448. 8th Dec., ,, 494.
PREVENTION.	
A statement showing the distribution of preventive parties in the Orissa province.—Forwarded to the Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, with the request to return it duly corrected up to date.—Letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, returning after verification, recorded.	21st April, ,, 1576, Mis. 12th June, ,, 3050, Mis.
Salt preventive operations in Orissa.—The report of the Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, on the, for the quarter ending 31st December 1895, reviewed.—The report of the Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, on the, for the quarter ending 30th June 1896, reviewed.	27th April, ,, 1675, Mis. 3rd Oct., ,, 4174, Mis.

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The reduction of the selling price of the salt of the seasons prior to 1894–95 at Tua from 4 to 3 annas a maund, ordered with remarks.	6th Mar., No. 886, Mis.
PRINTING AND BINDING.	
Printing certain correspondence forms at the Orissa Mission Press, Cuttack.—The Secretary to the Board of Revenue, Lower Provinces, requested to obtain the sanction of the Bengal Government to the expenditure of Rs. 14–6–0 on account of,—Endorsement of the Board of Revenue, Lower Provinces, forwarding copy of letter from the Bengal Government authorizing the Board to sanction the expenditure of Rs. 14–6–0 incurred on account of, and returning the bill sanctioned, communicated to the Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, and the Assistant Commissioner, Balasore Sub-division.	23rd „ „ 1237. Mis. 28th April, „ 1885, Mis.
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RAILWAY.	
Free access to all officials of the Salt, Abkári and Customs Department when on duty, whether in uniform or not to Railway platforms and premises.—The Traffic Manager, Madras Railway, requested to issue instructions to stationmasters to allow,—The Traffic Manager, Southern Mahratta Railway Company, requested to modify, if necessary, the orders issued to the station staff on his railway so as to allow, —Letters from the Traffic Managers of the Madras and Southern Mahratta Railways stating that instructions will be issued to the officers of their Companies to allow, communicated to certain officers.	20th Mar., „ 1210, Mis. 20th „ „ 1211, Mis. 27th April, „ 156.
The desirability of placing the Naupada and Karassa Salt factories in connection with East Coast Railway.—The attention of Government invited to,	27th May, „ 209.
Ennore Station.—Letter from the Traffic Manager, Madras Railway, stating that the railway is prepared to receive salt at the, for carriage to any railway station in India, and that the rate for salt from Ennore to Madras is 4 pies per maund in full wagon loads of 270 maunds or above, recorded.	16th June, „ 2505, Mis.
New Coal siding near Veyarsarpady.—Government Order communicating Proceedings of the Public Works Department cancelling the sanction accorded to an estimate for the, recorded.	21st July, „ 3103, Mis.
Opening of a branch line into the Ganjám factory.—Replied to the letter from the Consulting Engineer for Railways, Madras, on the subject of,—The Consulting Engineer for Railways, Madras, furnished with an estimate of the quantity of Ganjám salt likely to be exported from Humma to stations on the East Coast Railway, &c.—Remarked on the objections raised by the Executive Engineer, No. II open line division, East Coast Railway, to the	22nd „ „ 3110, Mis. 20th Sept., „ 3982, Mis. 12th Oct., „ 4309, Mis.

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Ganjám factory being tapped by a broad gauge branch, and the Manager, East Coast Railway, requested to furnish certain information.	
RAINFALL.	
Rain-recording Stations.—Board's Proceedings (Revenue Settlement) revising the list of salt factories to be included in the list of, communicated with remarks to Deputy and Assistant Commissioners of East Coast Sub-divisions.	6th Aug., No. 310.
RECORDS.	
Government Order instructing the Board to decline to produce a certain Government Order in the Court of the Sub-Judge, Negapatam, communicated to the Collector of Tanjore for information and guidance.	5th Feb., „ 485, Mis.
The Honourable Mr. J. D. Rees, C.I.E.—Papers asked for by him regarding the changes in the system of salt manufacture in the Madras Presidency and the introduction of the Madras system of manufacture into Orissa, forwarded to,—	5th „ „ 492, Mis. 11th Mar., „ 1006, Mis.
Informed by wire that certain Board's Proceedings asked for by him will be despatched and that latter portion of his telegram, dated 9th March 1896, is not understood.	
Disposal number system of arranging records.—Board's Proceedings (Land Revenue), passing orders on reports of the Special Deputy Collector appointed by Government to superintend the introduction of the, which was ordered to be adopted in District and Divisional offices, recorded.	4th Feb., „ 543, Mis.
Under Secretary to Government, Revenue Department, furnished with copies of certain Board's Proceedings called for.	3rd Mar., „ 828, Mis.
Certain additional instructions in the matter of granting copies of records on copy-stamped papers, issued.	16th „ „ 119.
Destruction of records in the office of the Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division.—Stated, with remarks, that the sanction of the Board is not needed for the,	21st „ „ 1224, Mis.
Board's Proceedings, No. 293, dated 13th June 1895, and the District Magistrate's report recorded therein, forwarded to Government, Judicial Department.	8th April, „ 1421, Mis.
Copies of Departmental orders granted to the parties affected by them.—The attention of all officers drawn to the necessity for the strict compliance with the orders already issued in regard to noting certain information on the,	21st „ „ 1574, Mis.
P.-12 Books.—Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, informed that the old, should be retained intact until the period prescribed for their retention has elapsed and that the entries in the old registers need not be transcribed in the new.	6th May, „ 1859, Mis.
Period for which certain papers which form the basis of the record of trade statistics are preserved.—Government Order communicating endorsement of the Government of India on its letter to the Government of Bombay regarding the reduction of the, and requesting the Board to	8th „ „ 1924, Mis. 2nd June, „ 2290, Mis. 1st Aug., „ 3226, Mis. 13th Nov., „ 457.

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report for what period similar records should be preserved in this Presidency, communicated to the Collector of Sea Customs, Madras, for report.—The, in this Presidency, reported to Government.—The orders under which the periods for the retention of certain Sea Customs records were fixed at five and two years, reported to Government; a list of records and registers from which the annual volume of trade and navigation is compiled, submitted with the remark that they are preserved for ten years.—Government Order ordering that certain records which form the basis of the record of trade statistics should be preserved for a period of at least five years whether they relate to free or dutiable goods and that, when the Board considers that the term may be reduced to three years, a special application should be submitted, communicated to the Collector of Sea Customs, Madras.	
Board's Proceedings passing orders on the report of the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, on the conduct of Inspector Mr. M. C. Borgen in connection with the destruction of the spontaneous salt in the Ennore Circle, forwarded to the Under Secretary to Government, Revenue Department, in original.	13th May, No. 1990, Mis.
Return of Establishment of the Kamuparti Circle as it stood on 1st April 1888.—Government Order, Pension Department, ordering the transmission direct to the Assistant Commissioner, Nellore Sub-division, of the office copy of the, recorded.	29th „ „ 2411, Mis.
M. 7, *M.* 8 *and M.* 8-*B.*—Deputy Commissioners informed that the period of retention of, should be ten years.	15th June, „ 2491, Mis.
Assistant Inspector M.R.Ry. M. A. Mangesha Row.—Certain papers applied for by him, supplied with remarks.—Extract of paragraph 25 of the Commissioner's notes of inspection of the Nellikuppam Distillery on the 3rd, 4th and 5th June 1895, furnished to,—Certain documents in connection with the complaint of giving false evidence preferred against, by one Veerasawmi Naidu, forwarded to the Assistant Magistrate, South Arcot.—Certain papers called for by him in connection with the case of perjury brought against, forwarded with remarks to the Assistant Magistrate, South Arcot.—Stated that certain diaries of the Distillery officers at Nellikuppam may be produced before the Assistant Magistrate, Cuddalore.—Certain papers called for by him in connection with the case of perjury brought against, forwarded to the Assistant Magistrate, South Arcot.—Certain records forwarded to the Joint Magistrate, Tanjore.—Certain papers called for by him in connection with the case of perjury brought against, forwarded to the Joint Magistrate of Tanjore.—The diary of the officer in charge of the Nellikuppam distillery for the week ending 13th January 1894, forwarded to the Joint Magistrate of Tanjore.—Certain papers required by him for defending, in the case of alleged perjury brought against him, forwarded with remarks to M.R.Ry. P. Subramania Aiyar, Attorney-at-Law, and the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, requested to forward certain other papers to him.—Certain papers required by him for defending, forwarded with remarks to M.R.Ry. P. Subramania Aiyar, Attorney-at-Law, and the Collector of South Arcot requested to forward to him a	8th July, „ 2817, Mis. 27th „ „ 3119, Mis. 19th Sept., „ 3953, Mis. 5th Oct., „ 4136, Mis. 8th „ „ 4192, Mis. 13th „ „ 4225, Mis. 19th „ „ 4337, Mis. 2nd Nov., „ 4540, Mis. 12th „ „ 4686, Mis. 21st „ „ 4790, Mis. 23rd „ „ 4803, Mis. 25th „ „ 4807, Mis. 26th „ „ 4870, Mis. 16th „ „ 4887, Mis. 26th „ „ 4905, Mis. 30th „ „ 4907, Mis. 2nd Dec., „ 4966, Mis. 4th „ „ 4985, Mis. 8th „ „ 5069, Mis. 9th „ „ 5103, Mis. 23rd „ „ 5231, Mis.

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certain paper returned to him by the Board.—Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, informed by wire that he may grant papers applied for by M.R.Ry. P. Subramania Aiyar, Attorney-at-Law, in connection with the case of alleged perjury against,—Further particulars regarding certain paper required by the Joint Magistrate of Tanjore in connection with the case of alleged perjury brought against, called for. —Letter from the Joint Magistrate of Tanjore acknowledging the receipt of a certain diary, recorded.—Copy of letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, forwarding certain papers to M.R.Ry. P. Subramania Aiyar, Attorney-at-Law, recorded.—Certain communication of the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, called for by him in connection with the case, forwarded with remarks to the Joint Magistrate of Tanjore.—Certain papers required by him in connection with the case, forwarded to M.R.Ry. P. Subramania Aiyar, Attorney-at-Law.—Certain papers required by him in connection with the case, forwarded to M.R.Ry. P. Subramania Aiyar, Attorney-at-Law. —Letters from M.R.Ry. P. Subramania Aiyar Avargal, Attorney-at-Law acknowledging the receipt of certain papers forwarded to him, recorded.—M.R.Ry. P. Subramania Aiyar, Attorney-at-Law, requested by wire to object to Mr. Levy's report of June 1894 being read in evidence in the case.—Certain papers required by him in connection with the case, forwarded with remarks to M.R.Ry. P. Subramania Aiyar, Attorney-at-Law, and the Collector of South Arcot and the Distillery Officer, Nellikuppam, requested to forward certain other papers to M.R.Ry. P. Subramania Aiyar.	
Board's Proceedings Nos. 272 *and* 418, *dated* 11*th June and* 26*th August* 1895, *respectively.*—The supply of, to the Collectors of districts, ordered.	31st July, No. 3206, Mis.
Mr. Platts' removal from the Orissa Province.—Government informed that, there are no Board's Proceedings showing the reasons for,	9th Sept., „ 3801, Mis.
List showing the districts, taluks and villages in His Highness the Nizam's Territory.—Government requested to supply the Separate Revenue Department with twenty-six copies of the,	19th „ „ 3961, Mis.
Copies of documents.—The head clerks of the Deputy and Assistant Commissioners' offices authorized to sign, when those officers are away in camp.	20th „ „ 3986, Mis.
Nellikuppam Abkári Case.—Certain papers submitted by him in connection with the, returned to the Collector of South Arcot.	24th „ „ 4001, Mis.
Certified copies of maps and plans.—Government Order referring for report letter from the Government of India asking the opinion of the Madras Government on certain questions connected with, referred to all Collectors and the Superintendent of Stamps for early report.	14th Oct., „ 417.
The supply of additional spare copies of certain Board's Proceedings relating to the retention and destruction of records applied for by the Collector of Tanjore, ordered with remarks.	28th „ „ 4492, Mis.

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Copies of Proceedings forwarded to the parties concerned in reply to their petitions and which they file in appeal.—The Collector of Salem informed that his view that, need not be stamped under Article 9, Schedule I of the Court Fees Act, is in accordance with the practice in the Board's office and appears to be correct.	26th Nov., No. 4917, Mis.
The proposal of the Inspector-General of Registration to be supplied in future with 460 spare copies of Board's Proceedings relating to stamp questions, approved, and instructions to the Superintendent, Government Press, for the supply of those spare copies issued.	14th Dec., „ 5208, Mis.
REFUND (GENERAL.)	
S. Baliah Chetti, Chingleput Sub-division.—Refund of Rupees 113-13-2 and the repayment of the deposit of Rs. 25 to, sanctioned with remarks.	7th Jan., „ 5, Mis.
Ganjám Factory.—Refund of Rs. 1,430 being the fines imposed on certain manufacturers at the, sanctioned and the voucher returned duly passed for encashment.	9th „ „ 71, Mis.
Krishnapatam Circle.—Refund of Rs. 736-13-2 being the surplus of the sale-proceeds of the Government Promissory notes deposited as securities by the late credit merchant G. Ramiah Chetti, sanctioned.	17th „ „ 196, Mis.
Kanuparti Circle.—Refund of Rs. 12-8-0 being the cost price of 100 maunds of monopoly salt not removed by credit merchant Akula Runganayakulu, within the prescribed time, sanctioned.	17th „ „ 197, Mis.
Kattur Factory.—Refund of Rs. 3-7-0 collected in excess from licensee No. 49 of the, on account of rent on salt pans for 1892-93, sanctioned with remark.	18th „ „ 211, Mis.
Government Order stating that the cost of a certain telegram (Re. 1-0-0) should be recovered from M. A. Mangesh Row, and that the amount already recovered from R. Mangesh Row should be refunded to him, recorded.	23rd „ „ 387, Mis.
Covelong Circle.—The refund of Rs. 86-5-7 being house-rent erroneously collected from certain Sub-Inspector's clerks and shroffs in the, sanctioned.	28th „ „ 330, Mis.
Kattur Factory.—The refund of Rs. 1-12-4 erroneously collected from licensee No. 149 of the, on account of rent on salt pans, sanctioned with remarks.	29th „ „ 356, Mis.
A. Rungasami Chetti, Agent of Muthukrishna Chetti, Wholesale Vendor of Country spirits, Tiruppattúr, referred to the Collector of Salem for the refund of a certain amount of money paid by him as excise duty.—Letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, reporting on the petition of, praying for the refund of a certain sum of money, recorded.	30th „ „ 411, Mis. 8th Feb., „ 532, Mis.
Penuguduru Circle.—The refund vouchers for Rs. 27-1-0 being assessment on salt pans and local and village cesses collected in excess from certain licensees of the, sanctioned with remark.	30th Jan., „ 429, Mis.

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P. Sreeramulu, Salt Merchant, Masulipatam.—The refund of Rs. 232–15–6 being interest on certain Government Promissory notes deposited by, sanctioned.	3rd Feb., No. 454, Mis.
Late credit merchant K. Runganayakulu of Masulipatam.—The refund of Rs. 372–7–1 being the surplus sale-proceeds of Government Promissory notes deposited by, sanctioned and the succession certificate granted to his nephew, returned.	4th ,, ,, 483, Mis.
Mogalturru factory.—The refund of As. 4–2 being excess collection made from certain licensees of the, on account of survey charges sanctioned and the voucher returned duly passed for payment.	5th ,, ,, 500, Mis.
The refund of Rs. 15 to Sub-Inspector S. K. Vijayaraghavachari from whom the amount was recovered on account of the cost of a wire puller erroneously alleged to have been lost but since found, sanctioned.	5th ,, ,, 501, Mis.
The refund to the claimant of the sale-proceeds of eight bags of salt confiscated at the Hangarakotta port, sanctioned.	3rd ,, ,, 567, Mis.
Madura.—Collector informed that the purchase money paid by the petitioner Appavu Chetti for shop No. 96 may be refunded to him.	12th ,, ,, 581, Mis.
Naupada Circle.—The refund of Rs. 60 being duty on 24 maunds of undelivered salt in the, sanctioned and the voucher returned duly passed for encashment.	28th ,, ,, 782, Mis.
Registration fee paid on general bonds executed by distillers.—Orders passed on letter from the Collector of Malabar enquiring whether the, may be refunded under paragraphs 2 and 3 of Board's Standing Order No. 155 (New Edition).	5th Mar., ,, 897, Mis.
Contractor Velan of the Merkanam Circle.—Orders passed on letter of the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, submitting, with remarks, letter of the Assistant Commissioner, Chingleput Sub-division, regarding certain sums alleged to be due to, and the funds available for paying the same.	9th ,, ,, 968, Mis.
Kattuparamba excise depôt.—The refund of duty on the excess wastage that occurred in the, from April 1894 to October 1895, ordered and the Malabar arrack supply contractor warned to provide sound casks in future.	12th ,, ,, 1050, Mis.
Applications for refund of tree-tax.—Orders passed on letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, requesting instructions in the matter of,	20th ,, ,, 1267, Mis.
The refund of Rs. 1,332–8–0 being the duty on 533 maunds of salt remaining undelivered under certain credit order to Messrs. Binny and Company, sanctioned.	23rd ,, ,, 1244, Mis.
The refund of Rs. 62–1–0 being the cost price recovered in excess from certain salt merchants for Pandraka salt of 1889, sanctioned.	20th April, ,, 1571, Mis.
Messrs. Stanes and Company informed that orders regarding the refund of duty levied on superphosphates imported by them have been issued to the Collector of Sea Customs, Madras, and the Collector of Malabar.	1st May, ,, 1799, Mis.

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Mogalturru factory.—A refund of Rs. 125 being fines collected from certain licensees of the, sanctioned with remarks and the voucher returned duly passed for encashment.	4th May, No. 1815, Mis.
Kurnool District.—The refund of Rs. 72-14-8 to an abkári renter in Sirvel taluk, sanctioned.	11th ,, ,, 1952, Mis.
Deposit paid by the purchaser of arrack shop No. 7 for 1896-97. —Copy of Proceedings of the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, approving the Madras Town Circle Inspector's recommendation to refund the amount of, as the shop could not be opened for want of an unobjectionable site, recorded.	11th ,, ,, 1975, Mis.
South Canara.—The refund of duty wrongly levied on a boat brought from Goa into Malpe in, sanctioned.	12th ,, ,, 1948, Mis.
Manginapudi Circle.—Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, requested to obtain and submit a deposit voucher for the repayment of Rs. 33-5-8 to certain individuals on account of cost price of salt sold by auction and to call upon one of them to produce a certificate of heirship from a Civil Court.	15th ,, ,, 2021, Mis.
Refund of certain Court fees realized and credited to Government in a pauper suit on the file of the Small Cause Court, Madras. —Government Order directing the Board of Revenue to arrange for the, communicated to the Collector of Madras with the request to refund Rs. 65 in cash to the plaintiff in the above suit.	16th ,, ,, 2046, Mis.
South Arcot.—The recommendation of the Collector of, to grant a remission of Rs. 2,830-15-10 to the arrack renter of the Villupuram taluk for the year 1895-96, submitted with support. -Government Order sanctioning the remission, communicated to the Collector of, for information and guidance.	11th June, ,, 2421, Mis. 18th July, ,, 3032, Mis.
Ganjám factory.—The refund of Rs. 412-8-0 being the duty and cost price of 150 maunds of undelivered salt of the, sanctioned.	12th June, ,, 2440, Mis.
Messrs. Binny and Company.—The refund of Rs. 250 to, being rebate of 5 per cent. of the duty on 2,000 maunds exported by them to Calcutta on the 27th February 1896 by S.S. *Nadir* sanctioned with remarks.	12th ,, ,, 2452, Mis.
Refund of a portion of the import duty collected from Messrs. Adamson, MacTaggart and Company of Tuticorin on certain cases of ice cleared by the firm merely as forwarding Agents. —The Collector of Tinnevelly informed that the, cannot be granted.	14th July, ,, 2937, Mis.
M.R.Ry. C. Balakistna Mudaliar, Arrack Vendor, Tindivanam Taluk.—Government Order sanctioning the refund of the net amount Rs. 1,754-15-3 collected from him in excess of the actual duty paid by him on account of arrack vend of the Tindivanam taluk for 1894-95 to, communicated to the Collector of South Arcot for information and guidance.	18th ,, ,, 3031, Mis.
Chicacole Sub-Division.—The refund of annas 2 being excess collections on account of two copies of the Government	22nd ,, ,, 3070, Mis.

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Servants Manual, sanctioned, and a copy of the manual forwarded to the Assistant Commissioner.	
Refund to the licensees of the cess that may have been collected from them from 1st April 1896 in Kanuparti, Kattur, Attiput and Vallur factories.—Assistant Commissioners, Nellore and Chingleput Sub-divisions, requested to submit for sanction vouchers for the,	22nd June, No. 3085, Mis.
Tinnevelly Sub-Division.—The refund of Rs. 3-10-8 and Rs. 2-9-6 to Alagu Pannian and C. Subramania Pillai sanctioned and the vouchers for the amounts returned to the Assistant Commissioner for payment.	14th Aug., „ 3428, Mis.
Trichinopoly Sub-Division.—The refund of Rs. 5-1-6 to the Acting Traffic Manager, South Indian Railway, sanctioned and the voucher returned to the Assistant Commissioner for payment.	18th „ „ 3466, Mis.
Covelong Circle.—The refund of Rs. 19-8-3 over-collected from a certain licensee of the, on account of rent on salt-pans, &c., sanctioned with remarks.	24th „ „ 3545, Mis.
Bobbili Circle.—The repayment of Rs. 137-12-6 out of the sum of Rs. 200 deposited by the contractor for the officers' quarters, sanctioned with remarks and the voucher returned duly passed for encashment.	24th „ „ 3546, Mis.
Trichinopoly Sub-Division.—The refund of Rs. 3-4-8 to M. Chockalinga Mudali sanctioned with remarks and the voucher returned to the Assistant Commissioner duly passed for payment.	26th „ „ 3587, Mis.
Masulipatam Sub-Division.—The refund of Rs. 750 being the duty paid on 300 maunds of undelivered salt, sanctioned and the voucher returned to the Assistant Commissioner duly passed for encashment.	26th „ „ 3589, Mis.
Refund of duty paid on thirty empty kerosine-oil drums re-imported from Pondicherry.—Messrs. Best and Company informed that the, cannot be granted.	16th Sept., „ 3928, Mis.
Refund voucher for Rs. 132-10-6.—Remarked on the explanation furnished by the shroff of the Vattanam Circle for preparing a, while the amount was paid previously and Mr. Warner requested to explain why the, was not checked by him and why anamat chitta was allowed to be maintained in the circle contrary to orders.	23rd „ „ 3994, Mis.
A revised statement showing the refunds and remissions to be granted to the toddy-shop keepers in North Malabar in connection with the toddy strike during the lease 1892-93, submitted to Government for sanction.—Government Order sanctioning, communicated to the Collector of Malabar for information and guidance.	5th Oct., „ 4149, Mis. 1st Nov., „ 4588, Mis.
The refund of Rs. 100 deposited by Messrs. Runga Raju Naidu and Company in connection with their application for a license for the working of a distillery at Madura, sanctioned.	30th Oct., „ 4544, Mis.
The refund of Rs. 65 with Court costs and interest, &c., to K. Kunhi Raman and two others who were dispossessed of	6th Nov., „ 4592, Mis.

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certain land purchased by them at a revenue sale for arrears of abkári revenue, sanctioned.	
A refund of As. 2-2 on account of excess collections made from the proprietors of the Aska Distillery for overtime fees in January 1896, sanctioned.	25th Nov., No. 4848, Mis.
The refund of Rs. 1,220 to Messrs. Parry and Company being the amount of duty on the undelivered quantity of 488 maunds of salt purchased by them on credit, sanctioned.	27th „ „ 4932, Mis.
Messrs. Abdool, H. Jeevajee and Company.—The refund of the fine imposed on, by the Collector of Sea Customs, Madras, for importing adulterated linseed-oil with a misleading trade description, ordered.	4th Dec., „ 5023, Mis.
The refund of house-rent of Rs. 5-12-0 to Sub-Inspector M. V. Suriyanarayana Chetti of the Surla Circle, sanctioned.	5th „ „ 5045, Mis.
The refund of Rs. 306-14-11 being the duty paid on cotton goods by Messrs Harvey and Company transported from Pondicherry to Tuticorin for shipment, sanctioned as a special case.	8th „ „ 5076, Mis.
Repayment of deposits received from Petty Construction and Repair Contractors.—Deputy Commissioners informed that, may be sanctioned by them.	23rd „ „ 3781, R.
REFUND (STAMPS).	
Refund of the value of certain spoilt non-judicial stamps.—Petition from Messrs. Dymes and Company, Madras, appealing against the order of the Collector of Madras declining to sanction the, applied for by them, dismissed for certain reasons.—The restricted meaning put upon Section 51 (*a*) of the Stamp Act by the Madras High Court brought to the notice of the Government with the request to address the Government of India in the matter and the Chairman, Chamber of Commerce, informed that Government has been addressed in regard to the subject matter of his communication.—Government Order addressing the Government of India, recorded.—Government Order communicating letter from the Government of India expressing its views on the subject, communicated to all Collectors for information and guidance.	10th Jan., „ 130, Mis. 23rd Mar., „ 1259, Mis. 23rd May, „ 2164, Mis. 7th Sept., „ 354.
Messrs. T. Subramaniem Chetti, T. Mulliah Chetti and T. Kristnasami Chetty of Madras.—S. Nadamuni Chetti, Vakil, High Court, directed to apply to the Collector of Madras for the refund of a spoilt Court-fee stamp purchased by his clients.	21st Jan., „ 282, Mis.
Sankaramma, Ramavaram, Rámachandrapur taluk, Gódávari district.—Sanction to refund of As. 15-0, being the value less discount of a spoilt non-judicial stamp purchased by her, declined.	22nd „ „ 303, Mis.
K. T. V. Rangacharlu Devu, Tanuku taluk, Góddvari district.—Refund of Rs. 7-8-0 being the value less discount of certain non-judicial stamps purchased by him but which were rendered useless, sanctioned.	24th Feb., „ 807, Mis.

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REFUND (STAMPS)—*cont.*	
Dustagiri Sahib of Madanapalle.—Refund of Rs. 35 under Section 42 of the Stamp Act, being the amount of penalty levied from, on a document impounded by the Sub-Registrar of Madanapalle, sanctioned with remark.	7th Mar., No. 895, Mis.
Messrs. Pierce, Leslie and Company, Mangalore.—Sanction to refund to, of the value of certain impressed labels affixed to certain policies of insurance, declined.	7th ,, ,, 931, Mis.
Refund of Rs. 20 being the penalty levied on certain abkári agreements which were erroneously attested by the Tahsildar and the Head Accountant of Ottappidáram taluk, sanctioned with remarks.	7th ,, ,, 1024, Mis.
Narayana Padiachi, Thambikkanallavanpatnam, Chidambaram taluk.—Orders passed on the petition of, requesting the refund of penalty and deficient stamp duty erroneously levied from him on a document impounded by the Sub-Registrar of Bhuvanagiri.	12th ,, ,, 1027, Mis.
Mr. H. Ferting, Administrator to the estate of the late Mr. F. L. Ferting.—Refund of Rs. 36-13-6 under section 19 (*b*) of the Court-fees Act, sanctioned with remarks.	16th ,, ,, 1101, Mis.
Kolandavelu Mudaliar of Coimbatore.—Refund of Rs. 5 being the amount of penalty erroneously levied from him in respect of a promissory-note impounded by the District Munsif of Coimbatore, sanctioned.	16th ,, ,, 1104, Mis.
Arunachella Pillai, Karamanikuppam, Cuddalore taluk.—Sanction to refund the, of the value of an unused non-judicial stamp paper purchased by him, declined.	16th ,, ,, 1119, Mis.
Kistna.—A reference to the Government of India in regard to the refund of the value of certain spoilt stamp papers, on application for the refund of the value of which was presented more than a year after the date of purchase thereof, and forwarded by the Collector of, declined.	19th ,, ,, 1161, Mis.
Nilgiris.—Collector informed that the refund of the value of a certain stamp paper with three adhesive lables affixed thereto applied by Mr. P. W. Wooley cannot be granted as evidence of when the document was spoiled has been removed by cutting off the stamp paper on which the plaint was written.	24th ,, ,, 1255, Mis.
Anantha Lalla informed that no appeal lies against the order of the Collector of Madras declining to sanction the refund of the value of a spoilt stamp paper.	23rd ,, ,, 1256, Mis.
T. Sadasiva Mudali, Nellore.—Refund of As. 15-0 being the value less discount of two spoilt non-judicial stamp papers purchased by him, sanctioned.	25th ,, ,, 1295, Mis.
Poochi Anjam of Kodimangalam village, Madura taluk.—Refund of Rs. 7-8-0 being the value less discount of an unused non-judicial stamp paper produced by him, sanctioned with remarks.	25th ,, ,, 1296, Mis.
B. Surayya of Cocanada.—Sanction to the refund of the value of a spoiled Court-fee stamp paper produced by, declined.	31st ,, ,, 1353, Mis.

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REFUND (STAMPS)—*cont.*	1896.
Trustees of the firm of Rayavee Amerchund.—Declined to recommend to Government the sanction of the refund of stamp duty paid by the, on the letters of administration granted to them by the Native Court Bhuj in Cutch.	8th April, No. 1409, Mis.
Ayyagari Lingarazu of Peddapur taluk, Gódávari district.—A report on the petition of, applying for the refund of the value of a Court-fee stamp submitted to Government.—Government Order informing, that it sees no reason to interfere on his behalf, and informing the Board that in the absence of any provision to the contrary, it can entertain appeals against the decisions of subordinate officers in the matter of Court-fee stamp refunds, recorded.	17th „ „ 1553, Mis. 19th June, „ 2574, Mis.
Shaik Nabi Sahib of Rajampet.—Sanction to refund the value of an unused non-judicial stamp paper purchased by, declined.	30th April, „ 1767, Mis.
Subramania Pillai of Madura town. — Refund of Rs. 4–11–0 being the value less discount of an unused non-judicial paper purchased by, sanctioned.	30th „ „ 1768, Mis.
The Revd. John André, Catholic Missionary, Koduikánal.—Sanction to refund the value of two unused non-judicial stamp papers produced by, declined.	2nd May, „ 1797, Mis.
Periasawmy Goundan of Chennakalipaliem, Dhárápuram taluk, Coimbatore district. — Refund of Rs. 46–14–0 being the value less discount of two spoilt non-judicial stamp papers purchased by, sanctioned with remarks.	8th „ „ 1908, Mis.
Gódávari.—Government requested to move the Government of India to sanction the refund of the value of an unused non-judicial stamp paper submitted by the Collector of,—Government Order transmitting to the Government of India with remarks the petition submitted with Board's Proceedings, Mis. No. 2105, dated 22nd May 1896, recorded.—Government Order communicating letter from Government of India sanctioning the refund to the widow of P. Jogilingam of the value less discount of an unused non-judicial stamp paper of the value of Rs. 25 purchased by her husband, communicated to the Collector of,	22nd „ „ 2105, Mis. 11th July, „ 2923, Mis. 5th Aug., „ 3331, Mis.
Grant of refunds of the value of stamps in cases in which they have been inadvertently spoiled by wrong entries having been made in them.—Government Order addressing the Government of India regarding the, recorded.	23rd May, „ 2164, Mis.
M.R.Ry. V. C. Desika Chariar, Vakil for Vaidianatha Iyer of Kalkandarkottai.—Collector of Madras requested to refund Rs. 140 in cash to, being the amount of stamp duty paid on the petition of second appeal No. 1215 of 1890 on the file of the High Court and Accountant-General informed that applications for refund of Court-fees under Court's certificates should not be refused if they are barred by the Law of Limitation unless the extenuating circumstances provided for in the Act exist.	8th June, „ 2378, Mis.
S. K. Parthasarathi Iyengar of Srivilliputtúr.—Refund of Rs. 4–11–0 being the value less discount of a spoilt non-judicial stamp paper purchased by him, sanctioned.	12th „ „ 2438, Mis.

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Ramier of Papparapatti, Dharampuri taluk.— Refund of Rs. 4–11–0 being the value less discount of a spoiled non-judicial stamp paper purchased by him, sanctioned with remark that applications presented to Tahsildars may be forwarded to divisional officers for disposal instead of being returned for presentation to the proper authorities.	17th June, No. 2519, Mis.
C. Venkataramanayya of Bandar.— Refund of Rs. 112–8–0 being the value less dis count of an unused Courtfee stamp paper purchased by him, sanctioned with remark.	17th „ „ 2520, Mis.
Seshammal of Srivilliputtûr.—Modification of the order of the General Deputy Collector, Tinnevelly, rejecting the application for refund of the value of two spoiled stamps presented by, declined.	1st July, „ 2719, Mis.
Refund of Rs. 220 being the stamp duty and penalty levied on two "Kocheri Patros" alleged to have been granted by the Zemindar of Pedda Kimedi, ordered.	8th „ „ 2821, Mis.
Hakim Masum Miyan of Kurnool— Refund of Rs 7–8–0 being the value less discount of an unused non-judicial stamp paper purchased by him, sanctioned.	15th „ „ 2969, Mis.
Certain abkâri counterpart agreements wrongly attested by certain revenue officials of the Nilgiri district.—The Collection and refund of the penalties on, ordered, and Government requested to obtain the sanction of the Government of India for refund of Rs. 459–8–0 being the deficient stamp duty due on these agreements.—Government Order ordering that the Government of India be addressed, recorded.—Government Order communicating letter from the Government of India sanctioning the refund, communicated to the Collector of the Nilgiris for information and necessary action.	21st „ „ 3055, Mis. 1st Sept., „ 3747, Mis. 25th „ „ 4026, Mis.
Widow of one Karim Khan, late Sub-Postmaster, Kalyandrug, and licensed stamp vendor.— Refund to the, of Rs. 3–12–0 being the value less discount of an unsold non-judicial stamp paper left by him, sanctioned; and stated that there is no provision in the standing orders for the refund of the value of the other stamps produced by her.	21st July, „ 3056, Mis.
Umayorubagam Pillai.—The Collector of Tinnevelly informed that he may refund to, under section 36 of Act I of 1879 the penalty in excess of Rs. 5 levied on a document produced by him before the District Munsif of Ambâsamudram.	30th „ „ 3197, Mis.
H. Seshagiri Row of Madura.—Sanction to the refund of the value of an unused non-judicial stamp paper produced by, declined.	11th Aug., „ 3379, Mis.
M. Vythianatha Aiyar, Vakil gumastah, Salem. — Refund of Rs. 9–3–0 being the value less discount of a spoilt non-judicial stamp paper purchased by him, sanctioned with remarks.	13th „ „ 3413, Mis.
Parameswarappa of Anantapur.—Sanction to the refund to, of the value of certain spoilt non-judicial stamp papers produced by him, declined.	13th „ „ 3433, Mis.

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Manikkavasagam Pillai of Ottappidáram, Tinnevelly district.—Sanction for the refund of the value of certain spoilt stamps purchased by, declined.	1st Sept., No. 3630, Mis.
A case in which the stamps were lost in transit to the applicant after orders for the grant of the refund were passed by the Assistant Collector of South Arcot.—Stated that the refund of the value of certain spoiled stamps should not be made in,	5th „ „ 3726, Mis.
Messrs. Dymes and Company.—The Collector of Madura requested to refund to, the value less discount of the stamps on certain spoiled bills of exchange claimed by them in November 1895.	7th „ „ 3777, Mis.
Kanchammal of Mambalam.—Sanctioned to the refund of the value less discount of a spoilt non-judicial stamp paper produced by, declined.	7th „ „ 3778, Mis.
S. Venkatakrishnama Chetti of Madras.—Refund of Rupees. 20–10–0 being the value less discount of two spoiled non-judicial stamp papers purchased by him, sanctioned.	7th „ „ 3779, Mis.
Y. Venkataramanayya of Anakápalle.—Refund of Rs. 150 to, being the value less discount of a spoiled non-judicial stamp paper purchased for him, sanctioned.	7th „ „ 3780, Mis.
Immidi Kondayya of Cocanada.—Refund of Rs. 70–5–0 being the value less discount of three non-judicial stamp papers produced by him, sanctioned.	11th „ „ 3859, Mis.
The refund to the Collector of Anantapur on behalf of the Secretary of State for India of Rs. 6–9–0 being the value less discount of a spoilt non-judicial stamp paper produced, sanctioned.	20th „ „ 3985, Mis.
Govinda Goundan of Kundadam Melmugam, Dhárápuram taluk.—Refund of Rs. 3–12–0 being the value less discount of four unused non-judicial stamp papers purchased by him, sanctioned.	25th „ „ 4039, Mis.
M. Ramasami Iyer of Salem.—Refund of Rs. 70–5–0 being the value less discount of a spoilt Court-fee stamp paper purchased by him, sanctioned.	11th Oct., „ 4265, Mis.
M. Bapirazu of Buddam.—Refund of Rs. 5 being the amount of penalty erroneously levied from him on an unstamped receipt executed by him, sanctioned.	13th „ „ 4240, Mis.
South Canara—Ammachoo and others.—Refund under section 42 of Act I of 1879 of Rs. 15 being the penalty levied by the Head Quarter Deputy Collector, South Canara, on a deed of partition produced by, and impounded by the Sub-Registrar of Mudabidri, sanctioned, and the Collector informed that the amount of deficient stamp duty levied being small the Board does not consider it necessary to make a reference to the High Court for its refund.	14th „ „ 4295, Mis.
Messrs. Dymes and Company, Madras.—Refund of Rs. 56–4–0 being the value less discount of the stamps on certain spoilt bill of exchange produced by them, sanctioned.	14th „ „ 4296, Mis.

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Stamp duty payable on the deed of conveyance executed by K. Pitchayya and Venkanna of Bandur taluk.—The decision of the High Court that the, is only Rs. 30 for the amount of the consideration as set forth in the deed, communicated to the Collector of Kistna with the request to refund the deficient stamp duty of Rs. 70 levied in the case.	23rd Oct., No. 427.
Salem.—The decision of the High Court on a stamp case referred under section 46 of Act I of 1879, communicated to the Collector of, with the request to refund the stamp duty and penalty levied in the case.	22nd ,, ,, 430.
South Arcot.—The decision of the High Court on a stamp case referred under section 46 of Act I of 1879, communicated to the Collector of, with the request to refund the excess stamp duty and the excess penalty imposed in the case if it had been collected.	25th ,, ,, 432.
Estate of the late L. Parthasarathy Nayudu.—Mr. Short informed that refund of probate duty alleged to have been paid in excess in respect of the, cannot be sanctioned in the absence of certain information and the Collector of Madras requested to refund to Mr. Short in cash Rs. 343–13–0 under section 19 B of the Court-fees Act.	29th ,, ,, 4542, Mis.
Sri Raja Bollapragada Venkata Subba Row and Sri Rajah Bollapragada Sundara Ramaswamy, Zemindars of Nadavapalli. — Refund under section 42 of Act I of 1879 of Rs. 1,400 being the portion of the penalty levied on a document produced by them before the Sub-Registrar of Coringa and inpounded by him, sanctioned.	18th Nov., ,, 4764, Mis.
Refund under section 42 of Act I of 1879 of Rs. 30 being the amount of excess penalty levied on a document produced by the plaintiff in Original Suit No. 108 of 1894 and impounded by the Registrar, High Court, Madras, sanctioned with remarks.	18th ,, ,, 4817, Mis.
Totavarti Chinna Venkamma.— Refund of Rs. 7–8–0 being the value less discount of two spoilt non-judicial stamp papers purchased by her, sanctioned.	30th ,, ,, 4913, Mis.
Udaya Tevan of Achanpudur, Tenkási taluk. — Refund of Rs. 37–8–0 being the value less discount of certain non-judicial stamp papers purchased by him sanctioned.	30th ,, ,, 4955, Mis.
A case under section 46 of the Indian Stamp Act regarding the application of Sri Raja Varadaraj Appa Rao Bahadur, Zemindar of Nuzvid, for the refund of stamp duty and penalty levied from him, referred for the decision of the Honourable the Judges of the High Court.	27th ,, ,, 4972, Mis.
T. Subba Row and O. Gurappa.— Refund of Rs. 5 being the amount of penalty erroneously levied on a document produced before the District Munsif of Nandyal, sanctioned with remarks.	7th Dec., ,, 5062, Mis.
Lakshmi Narayana Pattar of Kizhakkethara amsam, Pálghat taluk.— Refund of Rs. 18–12–0 being the value less discount of two spoilt non-judicial stamp papers purchased by him, sanctioned.	7th ,, ,, 5063, Mis.

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Bashamiah Sahib of Madura informed that no appeal lies against the order of the Deputy Collector, Madura division, declining to sanction the refund of the value of a spoilt non-judicial stamp purchased by him.	27th Dec., No. 5275, Mis.
REMITTANCE.	
Silver coins of the year 1835.—Accountant-General's Circular No. XXVI, dated 25th February 1896, requesting that the instructions issued by the Comptroller-General regarding receipts and issue of, and their being shown separately in the monthly cash balance reports may be strictly observed, communicated with remarks to all officers in charge of factory circles.—Letter from the Accountant-General, Madras, stating that, should be sent along with other remittances to the Bank of Madras or the nearest treasury as the case may be, communicated to the Assistant Commissioner, Chingleput and other Deputy and Assistant Commissioners and officers in charge of factory circles.	5th Mar., ,, 858, Mis. 15th June, ,, 2469, Mis.
RENT.	
Krishnagiri Circle.—Sanction of Government to the grant of an office rent of Rs. 4 per mensem to the Inspector, requested.—Government Order sanctioning the rent, communicated to the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, and Assistant Commissioner, Arcot Sub-division.	10th Jan., ,, 101, Mis. 28th ,, ,, 396, Mis.
Abkári shop rents.—Officers in charge of salt treasuries authorized to receive payments of, as well as tree-tax and certain instructions issued on the subject.	28th ,, ,, 39.
Rent on storage space occupied at Negapatam by the Vedarniam excise salt.—Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, requested to report why he has calculated the interest on the capital cost of the portion of the Negapatam platform used for the storage of Vedarniam salt at 4 per cent. and report the number of spaces occupied by excise and monopoly salt, 1894–95.—Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, informed that the best way of recovering the, is by means of a cess and requested to state whether the capital cost originally fixed requires revision and to report the annual sales of the Vedarniam salt stored at Negapatam for the last five years.—Orders passed on the question of the amount to be recovered from the excise licensees of Vedarniam for the storage space allotted for their salt at Negapatam and on the method of recovery of the amount.	31st ,, ,, 423, Mis. 29th May, ,, 2231, Mis. 11th Nov., ,, 4658, Mis.
Srivilliputtúr Circle.—Sanction of Government to the payment of Rs. 5 per mensem to the Inspector, on account of office rent from 1st November 1895 instead of Rs. 4 as already recommended, solicited.—Government Order sanctioning the payment of the rent, communicated to Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division.	4th Feb., ,, 471, Mis. 20th ,, ,, 710, Mis.
Assistant Inspector, Morekolam Circle.—Application for the grant of house-rent to, Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, requested to report certain information.	12th ,, ,, 405, R.
Collecting godown rent on iron imported from foreign countries and stored in the iron yard on the beach.—Report from the Collector of Sea Customs, Madras, called for with a view to	14th ,, ,, 667, Mis. 27th Mar., ,, 1355, Mis. 21st July, ,, 3061, Mis.

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know whether Government continues to lose by the existing arrangement of, submitted to Government with remarks.—Government Order recording Board's Proceedings, Mis. No. 667, with the remark that a similar report should be submitted for the six months ending 30th June 1896, communicated to the Collector of Sea Customs, Madras.—The report of the Collector of Sea Customs, Madras, for the six months ending 30th June 1896, on the collection of godown rent on iron, submitted to Government.—Government Order recording, with remark, Board's Proceedings, Mis. No. 3061, dated 21st July 1896, communicated to the Collector of Sea Customs, Madras, with the remark that the further report called for by Government should be submitted at the end of June 1897.—Government Order calling upon the Board of Revenue to report whether it is not possible to abolish the existing system of levying godown rent on iron stored in the customs yards and to substitute instead the ground rent system referred to the Collector of Sea Customs, Madras, for very early report.	24th Aug., No. 3584, Mis. 5th Dec., „ 5060, Mis.
The payment of Rs. 5 for the rent of a certain building in which the salt removed from the store-shed in the Kumbla fish-curing yard was kept, sanctioned, and the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, informed that the expenditure incurred for removing the salt does not require the Board's sanction.	25th Feb., „ 737, Mis.
Private building rented for the office of the Sea Customs Superintendent, Tanur, Malabar district.—The payment of a rent of Rs. 5 per mensem for the, till the construction of a new office, sanctioned.	7th Mar., „ 928, Mis.
Mr. V. S. F. Wilson, Inspector, Calicut Circle.—The grant of house-rent for the period he was in charge of Assistant Commissioner's office, Calicut Sub-division, without prejudice to his duties as Inspector, recommended to Government.—Government Order sanctioning the grant of the rent, communicated to Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division and Assistant Commissioner, Calicut Sub-division.	26th April, „ 1630, Mis. 28th May, „ 2275, Mis.
Erode Circle.—Sanction of Government to the grant of office rent of Rs. 5 per mensem to the Inspector, solicited.—Government Order, sanctioning the rent, communicated to the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, and the Assistant Commissioner, Trichinopoly Sub-division, with remarks.	28th „ „ 2232, Mis. 29th June, „ 2739, Mis.
T. T. Assistant Inspector at Paramakudi, Morekolam Circle.—Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, informed that it is unnecessary to grant office rent to the,	2nd „ „ 2292, Mis.
Statement of charges sanctioned by the Board for the rental of buildings for the accommodation of Customs office during the official year 1895–96, submitted to Government.	8th „ „ 2376, Mis.
Manakkudi factory.—Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, informed that in respect of the lessee's salt remaining in store after the 31st March 1896, the rent fixed for the full year and establishment charges in excess of 5 per cent. of the duty on salt sold should be levied from him.—	20th „ „ 2563, Mis. 20th Sept., „ 4073, Mis.

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Copy of Proceedings of the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, agreeing with the Assistant Commissioner, Tinnevelly Sub-division, in considering that no deduction should be made in the rent payable to Government by the late lessee of the, on account of his salt in store at the factory, recorded.	
Ellore Circle.—Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, informed that the increased rent for the office of the, cannot be sanctioned.	18th July, No. 3026, Mis.
House-rent drawn by Mr. Fowler from the 26th November 1895 to the 5th January 1896, the period during which he acted as Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, in addition to his own duties as Assistant Commissioner, Calicut Sub-division.—Government requested to authorize the Accountant-General, Madras, to admit the,—Government Order requesting the Accountant-General to pass the, recorded.	31st „ „ 3212, Mis. 2nd Sept., „ 3746, Mis.
Rent due by officers occupying public buildings.—Government Order passing orders in regard to the recovery of, communicated to the Collector of Sea Customs, Madras, the Superintendent of Stamps and to all Deputy and Assistant Commissioners.	6th Aug., „ 312.
Cumbum Circle.—Inspector, permitted to draw the usual office rent of Rs. 5 per mensem.	7th „ „ 3308, Mis.
Sea Customs office at Nizampatam, Kistna district.—The payment of rent of the house in which the, was held from 20th January to 22nd April 1896, sanctioned.	11th „ „ 3893, Mis.
Vinukonda Circle.—Government Order stating that certain jail buildings at Guntúr may be utilized for the office of the Assistant Inspector and sanctioning an office rent of Rs. 5 per mensem till the buildings become available, communicated with remarks to the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division and Assistant Commissioner, Masulipatam Sub-division.	19th „ „ 3539, Mis.
Elathoor fish-curing yard.—The payment of one rupee being the monthly rent for the godown hired for depositing salt of the, sanctioned.	7th Sept., „ 3764, Mis.
An additional Assistant Commissioner appointed in 1895.—Government Order communicating letter from the Government of India reducing to Rs. 46-2-6 a month the proposed house-rent allowance of Rs. 50 a month for, communicated to Deputy and Assistant Commissioners.	16th „ „ 364.
Port lands at Mangalore.—Government Order, Revenue Department, communicating Government Order, Marine Department, fixing certain rates of rent for, communicated to the Collector of South Canara.	21st „ „ 3979, Mis.
Quilandi fish-curing yard.—Payment of a monthly rent of Rs. 2 for the store-shed of the, sanctioned with remarks.	14th Nov., „ 4732, Mis.
Mr. Poole, Inspector, Manginapudi Circle.—Recommended to Government that, may be considered to have acted as Assistant Commissioner on the 30th March 1896 for the purpose of drawing house-rent only.	30th „ „ 4911, Mis.

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REPORT.	
Annual report regarding the mills in the several districts.—Government Order regarding the preparation of an, and issuing instructions on the subject, communicated to certain Collectors.—The dates on which Collectors' reports under the Cotton Duties Act should reach the Collector of Sea Customs, Madras, and on which the latter officer's report should reach the Board fixed.—Report of the Collector of Sea Customs, Madras, on the working of the Cotton Duties Act for the fifteen months ending 31st March 1896, submitted with remarks.—Certain alterations made in the figures of duty entered in the Cotton Duties Administration Report of the Collector of Sea Customs, Madras, and the cause of the differences between the Board's and Collector's figures of the quantity of yarn produced in the mills explained.	8th Jan., No. 1. 13th Feb., „ 63. 29th July, „ 300. 7th Nov., „ 4630, Mis.
A note on salt production and revenue in the Madura district, forwarded to the Editor of District Manuals, for incorporation in the manual of that district.	9th Jan., „ 37, Mis.
Annual report of the Protector of Immigrants, Natal, for the year ending 30th June 1895.—Government Order, Public Department, recording letter from the Government of India forwarding copy of the, recorded.	15th „ „ 185, Mis.
Submission of the monthly abkári reports by Assistant Commissioners, to Deputy Commissioners—Letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, expressing his opinion that the, might be discontinued, recorded.—Central Division Deputy Commissioner's suggestion that the, may be discontinued, approved with remark.	21st „ „ 230, Mis 13th Feb., „ 64.
Periodical reports and returns.—Government Order communicating to heads of departments the dates on which the several, should be submitted to Government, recorded.	24th „ „ 722, Mis.
Salt Administration report of the Madras Presidency for 1894–95.—Government Order reviewing the, communicated to Deputy and Assistant Commissioners of Salt and Abkári Revenue with remarks.—Government Order recording, with remark, Board's Proceedings communicating Government Order on the, communicated to all Deputy Commissioners.	25th „ „ 75. 24th April, „ 1619, Mis.
Distribution of copies of the Salt Administration report for 1894–95, ordered.	2nd Mar., „ 78.
Salt Administration reports for 1895–96.—Instructions issued to Deputy and Assistant Commissioners for the preparation and punctual submission of the, and the necessary forms despatched to them.—Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, requested, with remarks, to state when his report on the Salt administration for 1895–96, may be expected.	3rd „ „ 841, Mis. 16th July, „ 2975, Mis.
A report on the sifting operations in the factories of the Chingleput Sub-division.—Directed that, should be submitted not later than the 10th of the following month accompanied by a statement in the form enclosed.	6th Mar., „ 86.
Income-tax administration report for 1894–95.—Government Order reviewing the, communicated to all Collectors with remarks.—Board's Proceedings, No. 107, dated 10th March 1896, recorded by Government.	10th „ „ 107. 11th April, „ 1510, Mis.

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Weekly report on the progress of the sifting operations.—Inspectors of Covelong, Vayalur and Ennore Circles, requested to submit a, in their respective circles.—The discontinuance of the submission of the report, ordered.	19th Mar., No. 2051, Mis. 2nd Sept., „ 3650, Mis.
Income-tax administration report for 1895–96.—Instructions for the submission of the, issued.	14th April, „ 1488, Mis.
Abkári administration reports for 1895–96.—Collectors reminded that their, should reach the Board's office by the end of May 1896.	15th „ „ 1498, Mis.
Report of the Clothing Committee during 1895–96, recorded with remarks.	28th „ „ 1685, Mis.
Excise administration report for 1894–95.—Government Order on Board's, communicated, with remarks, to all Collectors and to Deputy and Assistant Commissioners and certain Collectors requested to report the causes for the difference which has taken place since 1883–84 in the drinking habits of the population of their districts.—Letter from the Collector of Anantapur reporting that the falling off in consumption of country spirits in the district as compared with the consumption in 1883–84 is due to comparative cheapness of toddy and the high price of arrack and not to illicit practices, recorded.	2nd May, „ 168. 18th July, „ 3036, Mis.
Administration report of the Abkári and Opium department for 1894–95.—Distribution of copies of the, ordered.	12th May, „ 186.
Calicut Sub-division.—Report of the Assistant Commissioner, on the abkári administration of the Sub-division during the year 1895–96, recorded.	19th „ „ 2092, Mis.
Annual report of the Sea-borne Trade and Navigation for 1895–96.—Letter from the Collector of Madura submitting the, of the district recorded pending compilation of the Board's annual volume.—Letter from the Collector of South Arcot submitting the, recorded.—Letter from the Collector of Tinnevelly submitting the, recorded.	18th „ „ 2093, Mis. 28th „ „ 2244, Mis. 27th „ „ 2247, Mis.
Report on the fish-curing operations for the year 1895–96.—Letter from the Assistant Commissioner, Chatrapur Sub-division, submitting, recorded pending compilation of the Presidency salt administration report for 1895–96.	1st June, „ 2304, Mis.
Letter from the Superintendent, Government Press, requesting to send in future a few copies of the departmental reports for sale, recorded.	8th „ „ 2387, Mis.
Report of the Agriculturists' Relief Bill.—Stated in reply to a reminder from Government that the, will be submitted in the Land Revenue Department.	11th „ „ 2441, Mis.
Excise (abkári and opium) administration report.—Certain changes in the form of the, suggested and early orders of Government requested on the subject.—Government Order approving the changes, recorded.	1st July, „ 2711, Mis. 24th „ „ 3277, Mis.
Bellary district.—Abkári and opium administration report of the, for 1895–96, recorded.	3rd June, „ 2794, Mis.

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Anantapur.—Abkári and opium administration report of the, for 1895–96, recorded.—Letter from the Collector reporting the number of abkári cases that ended in conviction in the Head Assistant Collector's division during 1895–96, recorded.	1st June, No. 2795, Mis. 8th July, „ 2863, Mis.
South Arcot district.—Abkári and opium administration report of the, for 1895–96, recorded.	2nd June, „ 2796, Mis.
Trichinopoly district.—Abkári and opium administration report of the, for 1895–96, recorded.	4th „ „ 2797, Mis.
Madras Town Circle.—Abkári and opium administration report of the, for 1895–96, recorded.	4th „ „ 2798, Mis.
Kistna.—Letter from the Collector submitting enclosures to the abkári and opium administration report of the district for 1895–96, recorded.	10th „ „ 2864, Mis.
Salem district.—Abkári and opium administration report of the district for 1895–96, recorded.	8th July, „ 2865, Mis.
Tanjore district.—Abkári and opium administration report of the district for 1895–96, recorded.	11th June, „ 2866, Mis.
Chingleput district.—Abkári and opium administration report of the district for 1895–96, recorded.	9th „ „ 2867, Mis.
Ganjám district.—Abkári administration report of the district for 1895–96, recorded.	19th „ „ 2908, Mis.
Tinnevelly district.—Abkári and opium administration report of the district for 1895–96, recorded.	29th „ „ 2945, Mis.
Coimbatore district.—Abkári and opium administration report of the district for 1895–96, recorded.	4th July, „ 2946, Mis.
North Arcot district.—Abkári and opium administration report of the district for 1895–96, recorded.	29th „ „ 2947, Mis.
Nilgiri district.—Abkári and opium administration report of the district for 1895–96, recorded.	23rd June, „ 2948, Mis.
Ganjám district.—Opium administration report of the district for 1895–96, recorded.	13th „ „ 3002, Mis.
Madura district.—Abkári and opium administration report of the district for the year 1895–96, recorded.	22nd „ „ 3003, Mis.
Nellore district.—Abkári and opium administration report of the district for 1895–96, recorded.	16th „ „ 3004, Mis.
Kurnool district.—Abkári and opium administration report of the district for the year 1895–96, recorded.	12th „ „ 3005, Mis.
Cuddapah district.—Abkári and opium administration report for the year 1895–96, recorded.	18th „ „ 3006, Mis.
Report of the Protector of Immigrants, Natal.—Government Order, Public Department, forwarding copy of the, for the half-year ending 31st December 1895, recorded.	18th July, „ 3021, Mis.

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Jamaica Immigration report, 1895.—Government Order, Public Department, recording letter from the Government of India forwarding the, recorded.	18th July, No. 3023, Mis.
Directed that when Assistant Commissioners order distillation to be stopped, report should at once be made to the Deputy Commissioner and a copy of it should be submitted to the Board.	21st ,, ,, 3068, Mis.
Malabar district.—Abkári and opium administration report of the district for 1895–96, recorded.	26th June, ,, 3201, Mis.
Further curtailment of the Income-tax administration report.—Reported to Government on the suggestion made by Government for the,—Government Order approving the proposals in regard to the, recorded.	26th ,, ,, 243. 8th Sept., ,, 362.
South Canara district.—Abkári and opium administration report of the district for 1895–96, recorded.	29th June, ,, 3245, Mis.
Kistna district.—Abkári and opium administration report of the district for 1895–96, recorded.	6th July, ,, 3246, Mis.
Gódávari district.—Abkári and opium administration report of the district for 1895–96, recorded.	6th ,, ,, 3247, Mis.
Vizagapatam district.—Abkári and opium administration report of the district for 1895–96, recorded.	5th June, ,, 3248, Mis.
Administration of Stamp Revenue for the triennial period ending 1895–96.—Report of the Superintendent of Stamps on the, submitted to Government with remarks.—Government Order reviewing the report on the, communicated with remarks to all Collectors and the Superintendent of Stamps.	7th July, ,, 263. 5th Nov., ,, 446.
Report on the administration of Income-tax under Act II of 1886 for the year 1895–96, submitted to Government.	14th Aug., ,, 317.
Administration of the Cinchona Department for 1895–96.—Government Order reviewing the report on the, recorded.	19th ,, ,, 3552, Mis.
Income-tax administration report for 1895–96.—Reports received from certain Collectors, reviewed.—Board's administration report for the official year 1895–96 relating to Income-tax and stamps, submitted to Government.—Letter from the Collectors of Kistna, North Arcot and Tanjore replying to Board's Proceedings, Mis. No. 3562, dated 24th August 1896, recorded.—Reported to Government that the poor Income-tax collections made in the Trichinopoly and Madura districts during 1895–96 is ascribed to late assessments.	24th ,, ,, 3562, Mis. 16th Sept., ,, 363. 3rd Oct., ,, 4189, Mis. 17th Nov., ,, 4824, Mis.
Chemical Examiner's report for the year 1895.—Government Order reviewing the, recorded.	19th Aug., ,, 3646, Mis.
Report on the administration of salt revenue in the Madras Presidency and Orissa for 1895–96, submitted to Government.	20th ,, ,, 325.
Annual excise reports.—Government Order requesting the Board to arrange for transmission to the Government of India in the Finance and Commerce Department of advance copies of the, recorded.	24th ,, ,, 3683, Mis.

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Reports on the working of the Indian Arms Act, 1878 *and the Explosives Act* 1884, *during* 1895.—Government Order, Revenue Department, on Government Order, Judicial Department, reviewing, recorded.	7th Sept., No. 3796, Mis.
Excise report, Madras.—Government Order communicating letter from the Financial Commissioner, Punjab, requesting that the supply of the copy of the, may be discontinued, recorded.	2nd „ „ 3827, Mis.
Police administration report for 1895.—Government Order reviewing the, recorded.	11th „ „ 3938, Mis.
Annual report on the working of the Government Press and its branch at the Penitentiary for 1895-96.—Government Order recording the, recorded.—Government Order directing the substitution of a revised statement in the, recorded.	16th „ „ 3941, Mis. 6th Nov., „ 4677, Mis.
Report on the administration of the abkári and opium revenue during the official year 1895-96, submitted to Government.	22nd Sept., „ 372.
Administration report of the Stationery Department for 1895-96.—Government Order, Financial Department, on the, communicated to the Collector of Sea Customs, Madras, the Superintendent of Stamps and the Deputy and Assistant Commissioners and Deputy Commissioners requested to report whether they are maintaining and checking the stationery accounts as ordered.	26th „ „ 407.
Administration report of the Gódávari Agency for the year 1895-96.—Government Order, Revenue Department, communicating Government Order, Judicial Department, reviewing the, recorded.	20th Oct., „ 4378, Mis.
A weekly demi-official report on the state of the season.—Certain officers requested to submit to their Collectors concerned.	24th „ „ 4463, Mis.
Salt administration report for 1893-94.—Government Order replying to the Government of India regarding credit sales and the increased expenditure of the Salt Department noticed in the, recorded.	22nd „ „ 4511, Mis.
Administration report of the Trustees of the Madras Harbour for the year 1895-96.—Government Order, Revenue Department, on Government Order, Marine Department, recording certain observations on the, communicated to the Collector of Sea Customs, Madras.	5th Nov., „ 4625, Mis.
Administration report for 1895-96.—Proceedings of the Board of Revenue (Revenue Settlement, Land Records and Agriculture), submitting to Government in the Public Department, in regard to the subjects dealt with in that department of the Board, recorded.	29th Oct., „ 4672, Mis.
Administration report of the Vizagapatam Agency for 1895-96.—Government Order communicating Proceedings of the Judicial Department reviewing the, recorded.	14th Nov., „ 4885, Mis.
Administration of the Ganjám Agency for 1895-96.—Government Order communicating Proceedings of the Judicial Department reviewing the report on the, recorded.	30th „ „ 4897, Mis.
Report on Government Examinations for the year 1895-96.—Government Order reviewing the, recorded.	26th „ „ 5015, Mis.

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Trade return No. 10-3 *for the months of April to October* 1895.—A statement showing the different descriptions of cotton, twist and yarn which have been included in the sub-head "other sorts" in the, submitted to the Government of India.	11th Jan., No. 112, Mis.
Government Order recording letter from the Colonial Secretary, Colombo, stating that the Principal Collectors of Customs, Colombo, has been instructed to furnish this Government with copies all export returns as they may be published from time to time, recorded.	3rd Feb., „ 554, Mis.
Periodical reports and returns.—Government Order communicating to heads of departments the dates on which the several, should be submitted to Government, recorded.	24th „ „ 722, Mis.
T. T. 9 (*a*) *statement for February* 1896.—Assistant Commissioners, Chicacole and Masulipatam Sub-divisions, requested by wire to expedite the submission of the,	9th Mar., „ 911, Mis.
Monthly returns (1) *of cotton goods produced and duty realised thereon under Act II of* 1896 (2) *of refunds allowed on exports of duty paid goods and* (3) *of yarns spun by the mills.*—Government Order communicating resolution of the Government of India regarding the preparation of, communicated to the Collector of Sea Customs, Madras, and to the Collectors of other Maritime districts and of Bellary and Coimbatore.—Letter from the Government of India giving instructions regarding the preparation of return No. (1), communicated to the Collector of Sea Customs, Madras.	20th „ „ 120. 29th May, „ 2210, Mis.
E. 24 *return.*—Assistant Commissioners informed that Circle officers should submit to Assistant Commissioners a copy of, with the fourth week cash account and that the quarterly return of advances now submitted by them to the Board should be compiled from those monthly returns and be in the same form.	25th Mar., „ 1300, Mis.
Return of offences against the Salt Laws.—Assistant Superintendent of Police in charge of the Jeypore district informed that the submission of the, may be discontinued.	6th May, „ 1883, Mis.
Returns concerning Sea and Land Customs.—Collectors of all Maritime districts requested to see that the, are submitted on the dates prescribed.	29th „ „ 198.
Application of article 1093 *of the Civil Service Regulations (carriage of horses and tents by rail).*—Government Order drawing the attention of the Board of Revenue, the Inspector-General of Police and the Superintendent, Revenue Survey, to the principles laid down by the Government of India as regards the, and directing the submission of an annual return of sanctions accorded by those authorities under that article, communicated with instructions to all Deputy and Assistant Commissioners.	17th June, „ 234.
Revision of the Trade Returns.—Government Order communicating letter from the Government of India, Home Department (Public), forwarding copy of correspondence with the Government of Bombay regarding the, and requesting the, in the Madras Presidency, recorded.	3rd July, „ 2792, Mis.

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Monthly and annual statements showing the retail prices of salt at certain selected centres of trade, submitted by the Assistant Commissioners for their respective Sub-divisions to the Board. —Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, informed, with remarks, that no fresh column for Imperial seers per rupee need be opened in the,	10th July, No. 2845, Mis.
Statement of returns of Sea-borne trade for 1895–96, submitted to Government.	24th Sept., ,, 377.
Consolidated statement of officers over fifty-five years of age.—Instructions to Deputy and Assistant Commissioners regarding the submission of the, to the Board before the end of October in each year, issued.	1st Nov., ,, 439.
Returns of imports from foreign countries for 1895–96.—Statement showing the description of unspecified goods entered as "other sorts" under "gray (unbleached)" "white (bleached)" and colored printed or dyed in the, submitted to the Director-General of Statistics, Statistical Bureau, Government of India, Calcutta.	30th ,, ,, 4912, Mis.
Trade returns. — Collectors of Maritime districts informed that the quantity of "other timber" should be given in cubic tons in the, and requested to intimate the necessary alterations in the figures for the past months of the current official year.	26th ,, ,, 4953, Mis.
Monthly and annual returns of the Sea-borne foreign import trade. —Government Order communicating letter from the Government of India intimating that in the, "Hardware and Cutlery" should be stated in more detail than at present from the 1st November 1896, communicated to the Collectors of all the Maritime districts.	29th ,, ,, 474.
Monthly and annual returns of imports from foreign countries. —Government Order on the letter from the Director-General of Statistics suggesting the specification under "Drugs and Medicines" of storax including liquid storax (rose melloes) in the, with effect from 1st April 1896, communicated to the Collectors of all the Maritime districts.	14th Dec., ,, 505.
REWARDS.	
Grant of rewards to the informers, &c., under the Sea Customs Act.—Government Order recording Board's Proceedings, Mis. No. 5399, dated 19th December 1895, recorded.—Government Order communicating letter from the Government of India confirming the proceedings of the Madras Government sanctioning certain modifications in the rules for the, communicated to the Collectors of all the Maritime districts.—Collector of Sea Customs, Madras, informed that there is no sufficient reason to reconsider the order already passed and that the modified rules can be applied only in the case of penalties collected after the date of the Government Order sanctioning the rules.—Letter from the Collector of Sea Customs, Madras, stating that certain goods were sold by auction subject to payment of duty by purchasers and that all other charges incurred by Government were deducted from the sale-proceeds before paying half the surplus to the officers who detected the undervaluations, recorded.—Collector of Sea Customs,	16th Jan., ,, 20. 17th ,, ,, 22. 27th ,, ,, 443, Mis. 17th April, ,, 1536, Mis. 6th July, ,, 2800, Mis.

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Madras, informed that the Board does not think it necessary to alter the present custom about the grant of rewards.	
Grant of rewards for the detection of a case of illicit distillation in the Coimbatore Circle.—Orders passed on letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, requesting instructions in the matter of the, and Government requested to amend paragraph 121 of Circular Order No. I of 1891. —Government Order recording with remarks Board's Proceedings, No. 36, dated 25th January 1896, communicated to the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division.	25th Jan., No. 36. 4th June, „ 2336, Mis.
Scale on which rewards are now granted in connection with the detection of offences against the Salt Laws.—Deputy Commissioners requested to report on the propriety of reducing the,—Government Order remarking that the report regarding "rewards" should deal with rewards granted in abkári as well as in salt cases, communicated to Deputy Commissioners.—Reminder from Government for the report called for regarding the, communicated to Deputy Commissioners with the request to submit their report on the subject without further delay.—Letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, reporting on the question of reducing the scale of rewards granted in salt and abkári cases, recorded.—Letter from the Assistant Commissioner, Cocanada Sub-division, submitting his views on the question of reducing the scale of rewards granted in salt and abkári cases, recorded.—Letter from the Assistant Commissioner, Chatrapur Sub-division, submitting his views on the question of reducing the scale of rewards, recorded.—Letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, submitting his views on the question of reducing the scale of rewards, recorded.—Letter from the Assistant Commissioner, Masulipatam Sub-division, submitting a report on the advisability of modifying the revised rules in force and on certain other questions, recorded.—Government informed that the Board's report on the question will be submitted shortly.	25th Feb., „ 75. 24th April, „ 1619, Mis. 30th June, „ 2697, Mis. 24th July, „ 3147, Mis. 23rd „ „ 3148, Mis. 31st „ „ 3211, Mis. 8th Aug., „ 3318, Mis. 4th „ „ 3319, Mis. 12th Nov., „ 4719, Mis.
Grant of rewards to Sub-Inspectors who may come forward as informers in cases.—Replied to certain queries raised by the Inspector, North Trichinopoly Circle, regarding the,	14th Mar., „ 1182, Mis.
Special rewards.—Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, informed that he is himself competent to sanction a, of Rs. 50 in a case of illicit distillation of the Pákala Circle.—Letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, stating that the instructions regarding the grant of, have been noted for future guidance, recorded.	20th „ „ 1231, Mis. 16th April, „ 1695, Mis.
Rewards sanctioned for the detection of cases of breach of the conditions of the lease for the usufruct of poramboke toddy-yielding trees.—Collector of Anantapur informed, with remark, that the procedure suggested by Head Assistant Collector for drawing and disbursing the, may be adopted.	13th „ „ 1519, Mis.
R 1 Statement.—Instructions issued to enter the names of all recipients of rewards except informers in column 20 of, in addition to their designations and certain entries in the sample, circulated with Board's Proceedings, No. 557, dated 5th December 1895, ordered to be corrected.	28th „ „ 163.

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R I Statement.—Orders passed on letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, enquiring whether cases departmentally released should or should not be shown in the,	8th May, No. 1912, Mis.
Sample R 1 circulated with Board's Proceedings, No. 557, dated 5th December 1895.—Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, informed that the Board sees no necessity for any alteration in the,—Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, informed that the Board does not consider it necessary to order general adoption of a certain method of filling up column 21 of R 1 statement suggested by him, but that, if he prefers it he may prescribe it for his division.	2nd June, „ 2295, Mis. 6th July, „ 2804, Mis.
Tada Circle.—The payment of Rs. 72 as special rewards to certain village munsifs and watchmen who co-operated in the prevention of smuggling of spontaneous salt in the, sanctioned.	16th June, „ 2513, Mis.
Grant of only a fourth of the rewards to departmental informers.—Letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, reporting on the working of the rules regarding the, ordered to lie over pending the general revision of the reward rules.	5th Sept., „ 3730, Mis.
R. Series of accounts.—Orders passed on the reports of the Deputy Commissioners on certain modifications proposed to be made in the,	5th „ „ 351.
Special rewards up to Rs. 100.—Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, informed that the, can be granted by Deputy Commissioners under paragraph 121 (i) of Circular Order No. I of 1891 irrespective of the fact whether the fine imposed is levied or not.	14th „ „ 3886, Mis.
Statements of rewards paid to informers, &c., under the Sea Customs Act.—Collectors of Maritime districts requested to open an additional column in the,	17th Dec., „ 503.
A special reward of Rs. 50 in a case of illicit distillation detected in the Cuddapah district, sanctioned.	20th „ „ 5285, Mis.
Védáranniyam Circle.—The payment of a special reward of Rs. 270 to the persons concerned in the detection of a salt case in the, sanctioned.	18th „ „ 5288, Mis.
RULES.	
Rules for the third-class Vernacular test for European and Eurasian officers other than members of the Indian Civil Service.—Government Order making certain changes in the, communicated to the Collector of Sea Customs, the Superintendent of Stamps and Deputy and Assistant Commissioners.—Government Order approving the suggestion of the Inspector-General of Prisons that European and Eurasian officers of the Jail Department below the rank of Deputy Jailor be admitted to the third-class Vernacular test on payment of the prescribed fee and substituting a new rule for rule 18 of those for the examination in the Vernacular languages of European and Eurasian officers other than members of the Indian Civil Service, communicated to all Deputy and Assistant Commissioners.	11th Jan., „ 12. 15th July, „ 283.

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Rules for the grant of rewards to informers under the Sea Customs Act VIII of 1878.—Government Order communicating letter from the Government of India confirming the proceedings of Madras Government sanctioning certain modifications in the, communicated to the Collectors of all the Maritime districts.	17th Jan., No. 22.
Rules for the guidance of factory officers in regard to the prevention of the formation of spontaneous salt in the pans after the close of manufacture and the method of dealing with it when it does form. laid down.	20th Feb., „ 71.
Rules under section 36 of the Cotton Duties Act II of 1896, communicated to the Collectors of all the Maritime districts and of Bellary and Coimbatore.	3rd Mar., „ 80.
The addition of a rule to the Colonial Emigration Rules for testing the presence of poisonous minerals in the drinking-water, lime-juice, &c., supplied to emigrants.—Government Order, Public Department, forwarding copy of correspondence regarding, recorded.	5th „ „ 924, Mis.
Transmission of appeals to Her Majesty's Privy Council in which Government is interested.—Government Order communicating copy of a despatch from the Secretary of State for India calling attention to the rules already laid down as to the procedure to be followed regarding the, recorded.	5th „ „ 1064, Mis.
Rules 3 and 23 of the Distillery and Warehouse rules.—A draft notification modifying, submitted to Government for approval and publication in the *Fort St. George Gazette*.—Government Order approving and ordering to be published in the *Fort St. George Gazette* draft notification modifying, communicated to all Deputy and Assistant Commissioners.	30th April, „ 1412, Mis. 15th May, „ 191.
Rules issued under the Madras Salt Act IV of 1889 *for the guidance of officers in the administration of the Salt Department in the Madras Presidency.*—A copy of the, forwarded to the Secretary to the Board of Revenue, Lower Provinces.	29th April, „ 1703, Mis.
Rules for the supply of Newspapers and Periodicals to Public offices.—Government Order, Revenue Department, communicating Proceedings of the Financial Department making an addition of the, communicated to Deputy and Assistant Commissioners, the Collector of Sea Customs, Madras, and the Superintendent of Stamps.	19th May, „ 193.
Rules regarding abkâri locks.—Ordered that translations of the, be communicated to the amins for information and guidance.	23rd „ „ 2163, Mis.
Rules proposed for providing precautions against fire.—Government Order sanctioning as regards public offices at Chepâk certain, and stating that it is desirable that similar precautions should be taken in all public offices, communicated to the Collector of Sea Customs, Madras, the Superintendent of Stamps and all Deputy and Assistant Commissioners and officers in charge of circles.	6th June, „ 219.

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Opium rules as slightly altered by the Local Government.—Government Order forwarding, for the sanction of the Government of India, communicated to all Collectors, Deputy and Assistant Commissioners and Inspectors.—Notification containing the revised rules under the Opium Act I of 1878 as amended by the Government of India, communicated to all Collectors, Deputy and Assistant Commissioners and Inspectors.	6th July, No. 264. 13th Dec., ,, 502.
Draft rules framed under section 32 of Act II of 1894 and republished in a special supplement to the Tinnevelly District Gazette, dated 19th June 1896.—Endorsement of the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, submitting copy of the Tinnevelly Assistant Commissioner's letter to the Collector of Tinnevelly suggesting certain amendments to the, recorded.	18th July, ,, 3012, Mis.
Rules in regard to the maximum quantity of methylated spirits for private use for which permits may be issued by the Collector.—Sanction of Government for modifying the, solicited.—Government Order, Revenue Department, according sanction for modifying the, recorded.	21st ,, ,, 3064, Mis. 26th Aug., ,, 3634, Mis.
Draft set of rules for the export of salt to the Straits Settlements amended so as to be applicable to Mauritius and Zanzibar.—Government Order ordering the publication in the *Fort St. George Gazette* of the, communicated to Deputy and Assistant Commissioners.—Erratum in the list of port noted in the margin of Rule I of the, communicated to Deputy and Assistant Commissioners.	23rd July, ,, 301. 11th Sept., ,, 359.
Printed rules for the guidance of Superintendents of Sea Customs in forwarding samples of spirits and wines to the Madras Customs Laboratory for observation test distributed.	17th Aug., ,, 3456, Mis.
Copies of the pamphlet containing the notifications and rules under the Sea Customs Act VIII of 1878 corrected up to 31st January 1896, distributed.	25th ,, ,, 3574, Mis.
Distillery and Warehouse rules.—Government requested to inform the Board of the correct interpretation to be put on the use of the words "up to the maximum" in Rule 66 of the,	2nd Sept., ,, 3664, Mis.
Rules for admission to the Madras Provincial Civil Service.—Government Order making certain alterations in the, and forwarding copy of the Proceedings to the Government of India, recorded.	25th ,, ,, 4066, Mis.
Rules for the export of salt to British Indian ports.—Government Order approving and ordering to be published in the *Fort St. George Gazette* the notification submitted with Board's Proceedings, No. 479, dated 12th November 1894, making certain modifications in the, communicated to all Deputy and Assistant Commissioners.	28th ,, ,, 387.
Transport of cotton goods from Pondicherry to Tuticorin for shipment thence to foreign ports.—The rules proposed by the Collector of South Arcot in connection with the, approved.—A form of certificate to be annexed to rule 7 of the rules on the subject, prescribed.	30th Oct., ,, 4503, Mis. 16th Nov., ,, 4738, Mis.

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Rules regarding the personal conduct of Government servants.—Government Order directing the substitution of a revised sentence in article 8 of the, communicated to Deputy and Assistant Commissioners, the Collector of Sea Customs and Superintendent of Stamps, Madras.	20th Nov., No. 468.
Rules for the export of salt to British Indian ports.—Government requested to be permitted to publish afresh under certain circumstances the, under sections 9 (*c*) and 204 of Act VIII of 1878.	4th Dec., „ 5048, Mis.
Rules for the grant of licenses for the sale of rum manufactured at sugar refineries in the Presidency.—Certain information regarding the, submitted to Government.	12th „ „ 5162, Mis.
Rules regarding the indebtedness of Government servants.—Government Order making certain, communicated to all Deputy and Assistant Commissioners and Inspectors, the Collector of Sea Customs, Madras, and the Superintendent of Stamps.	14th „ „ 509.
Rules relating to the conduct of Government servants in regard to loans to Europeans, Eurasians and Natives.—Government Order communicating Proceedings of the Public Department regarding, communicated to all Deputy and Assistant Commissioners and Inspectors, the Collector of Sea Customs and the Superintendent of Stamps.	18th „ „ 516.
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Exemption of certain officers from payment of rent on quarters constructed for their use at Government expense.—Endorsement of the Board of Revenue, Lower Provinces, forwarding copy of Bengal Government Order on certain proposals for the, communicated with remarks to the Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division.—Endorsement of the Board of Revenue, Lower Provinces, conveying the sanction of the Government of India to the exemption of the two Sub-Inspectors employed at the Gurubai Salt Factory and the Sub-Inspectors attached to the Balasore Circle from the payment of rent for the Government buildings which they occupy as residences, communicated to the Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division.	18th Jan., „ 214, Mis. 28th „ „ 359, Mis.
Panchapara, Balasore Circle.—Endorsement of the Board of Revenue, Lower Provinces, conveying the sanction of the Bengal Government for the payment of rent for the land occupied by the Inspector's temporary quarters at, communicated to the Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division.—The Secretary to the Board of Revenue, Lower Provinces, requested to obtain the sanction of the Bengal Government for the payment of an annual rent for the land occupied by the Circle office at, till the settlement of the question of the transfer of Orissa to Bengal.—Endorsement of the Board of Revenue, Lower Provinces, conveying the sanction of the Bengal Government to the payment of the annual rent, communicated to the Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, for information and guidance.	8th „ „ 233, Mis. 10th Aug., „ 3347, Mis. 21st Sept., „ 3997, Mis.
Officers' quarters at Kulekkatte on the Basudebpur Circle.—Secretary to the Board of Revenue, Lower Provinces, requested to obtain the sanction of the Bengal Government	3rd Feb., „ 572, Mis. 17th Mar., „ 1238, Mis.

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to the payment of rent for a piece of zemindari land on which the, stand.—Endorsement of the Board of Revenue, Lower Provinces, forwarding copy of the Bengal Government Order sanctioning the payment of Rs. 34–7–0 being the rent for five years for the land on which the, have been constructed and also an annual rent of Rs. 6–14–2 for the same from 1896, communicated to the Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, and the Assistant Commissioner, Balasore Sub-division.	
REFUND.	
A refund of Rs. 1,577–6–8 on account of establishment charges of the Bag Khan and Timur Golahs, sanctioned and the vouchers returned duly passed for encashment to the Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division.	4th Feb., No. 531, Mis.
The refund of Rs. 5–8–0 to Shibnath Banerjee, Acting Head Clerk of the Balasore Assistant Commissioner's office, whose income during 1895–96 was below Rs. 500, sanctioned, and the voucher returned duly passed for encashment to the Assistant Commissioner, Balasore Sub-division.	28th July, „ 3135, Mis.
REPORT.	
Orissa Salt administration report for 1895–96.—Letter from the Secretary to the Board of Revenue, Lower Provinces, regarding the early submission of the, communicated to the Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, and Assistant Commissioners, Balasore and Chatrapur Sub-divisions, with the request to submit their reports on Orissa so as to reach the Board's office by the 30th April if possible.—Five copies of the, forwarded to the Board of Revenue, Lower Provinces.	16th April, „ 1507, Mis. 26th June, „ 2653, Mis.
ROYALTY.	
Gurubai factory.—Orders passed on the letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, on the possibility of reduction in the present rate of royalty paid to the Rajah of Parikud.	9th July, „ 2839, Mis.
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Rules under which Civil Surgeons claim fees for examining candidates on first appointment in Government service.—The Board of Revenue, Lower Provinces, requested to address the Bengal Government with a view to modify the,	9th Dec., „ 5081, Mis.
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Copy of Proceedings of the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, approving of the Madras Town Circle Inspector's recommendation to accept a certain bid for resale of arrack shop No. 95 in Paravalur, recorded.	6th Jan., „ 17, Mis.
Kistna.—Letter from the Collector of, reporting the result of the resales of certain toddy shops in the district for the year 1895–96, recorded with remarks.	8th „ „ 126, Mis.

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South Arcot.—Letter from the Collector reporting the result of the resale of certain toddy shops in the Tiruvannámalai taluk for 1895–96, recorded.—Letter from the Collector reporting the result of the resale of certain toddy shops in the district for 1895–96, recorded.	8th Jan., No. 163, Mis. 17th Feb., „ 650, Mis.
Nellore.—Letter from the Collector of Nellore reporting the result of the resale of certain toddy shops in the district for the year 1895–96, recorded.	6th Jan., „ 186, Mis.
Ganjám.—Letter from the Collector of, reporting the result of the sale of arrack shops in the Parlákimedi Agency taluk for 15 months from 1st January 1896 to March 1897, recorded.—The action of the Collector in sanctioning the sales of the arrack shop in Talamanda, Parlákimedi Agency taluk, for 15 months from January 1896 to March 1897, approved.—The action of the Collector in confirming the auction sales of the arrack shops in the Udayagiri Agency taluk for 15 months ending 31st March 1897, approved.—The action of the Collector in confirming the sale of certain arrack shops in the Balliguda Agency taluk for the year 1896–97 and in ordering the resale of certain other shops in that taluk, approved.—The action of the Collector in confirming the sale of the arrack shops in the Ramagiri Agency taluk for the lease 1896–97, approved.—Endorsement of the Collector of, approving the sale of two arrack shops and sanctioning the closure of another shop in the Balliguda Agency taluk for the lease 1896–97, recorded.—Letter from the Collector forwarding a statement showing the results of the sale of arrack shops in the Ramagiri Agency taluk for 1896–97 and furnishing certain information in respect of some other arrack shops in the taluk, recorded.—Letter from the Collector regarding certain correction to be made in the statement showing the result of the sale of arrack shop in the Ramagiri Agency taluk for 1896–97, recorded.	8th „ „ 205, Mis. 8th „ „ 206, Mis. 16th „ „ 207, Mis. 17th „ „ 208, Mis. 24th July, „ 719, Mis. 16th Mar., „ 1185, Mis. 18th „ „ 1186, Mis. 5th May, „ 1984, Mis.
Salem.—Action of the Collector in authorizing the Tahsildar of Dharmapuri, as a special case, to conduct the resale of certain toddy shops in that taluk, approved.	10th Jan., „ 137, Mis.
Nellore.—Letter from the Collector reporting that the license of the opium renter of the Atmakur taluk for 1895–96 has been cancelled on account of his conviction of an offence against the Opium Act I of 1878 and that the farm has been resold to another renter for the remaining portion of the lease, recorded.	10th „ „ 162, Mis.
Salem.—Collector informed by wire that Government has not yet passed orders on the Board's arrack proposals for 1896–97 and that sales must await publication of the usual notification.	13th „ „ 189, Mis.
Collector of Anantapur informed by wire that his proposals for the sale of arrack shops and farms for 1896–97 are approved.	21st „ „ 227, Mis.
Ganjám.—Letter from the Collector making certain correction in the result of the sales of certain toddy shops in the Chicacole taluk for 1895–96, recorded.—Letter from the Collector reporting the result of the resale of certain toddy shops in the Chicacole taluk for the lease 1895–96, recorded.	21st „ „ 266, Mis. 18th „ „ 270, Mis.

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South Arcot.—Collector instructed by wire to arrange to sell to the firkas adjoining French territory as separate arrack vend areas.—Board's Proceedings, No. 25, dated 21st January 1896, recorded by Government.	21st Jan., No. 25. 31st „ „ 58.
Sale of Ganja shops.—Collector of Tinnevelly requested by wire to postpone the, as the Government Orders approving the sale notification have not yet been received.	29th „ „ 373, Mis.
Old salt police lines at the Dugarazapatnam Salt factory.—Government Order sanctioning the sale of the, recorded.	31st „ „ 418, Mis.
Tanjore.—Letter from the Collector submitting supplemental statement of the sale of toddy shops in the district for the lease 1895–96, recorded.—Letter from the Collector reporting the result of the resale of certain toddy shops in the Pattukkóttai taluk for the lease 1895–96, recorded.	23rd „ „ 458, Mis. 5th Mar., „ 947, Mis.
Opium farms.—Letter from the Collector of Nellore reporting the result of the sale of, in the district for 1896–97, recorded.—Letter from the Collector of South Arcot reporting the result of the sale of, in the district for 1896–97, recorded.—Remarked that the results of the auction sale of the, of the Madras Town circle for 1896–97 are very satisfactory.—Statement showing the results of the sale of, in the Chingleput district for 1896–97, recorded.—Statement showing the results of the sale of, in the Tinnevelly district for 1896–97, recorded.—Letter from the Collector of North Arcot reporting the result of the sale of, in the district for the year 1896–97, recorded.—Statement showing the rents realized for, for 1896–97, in the Madras Town Circle, recorded.—Letter from the Collector of the Nilgiris reporting the result of the sale of, in the district for 1896–97, recorded.—Letter from the Collector of Trichinopoly submitting a statement showing the results of the sale of, in the district for 1896–97, recorded.—Letter from the Collector of Kurnool submitting statement showing the result of the sale of, in the district for 1896–97, recorded.—Letter from the Collector of Anantapur reporting the result of the sale of, in the district for 1896–97, recorded.—Letter from the Collector of Bellary reporting the result of the sale of, in the district for 1896–97, recorded.—Letter from the Collector of Salem reporting the result of the sale of, in the district for 1896–97, recorded.—Letter from the Collector of Ganjám reporting the result of the sale of, in the district for 1896–97, recorded.—Letter from the Collector of Vizagapatam reporting the result of the sale of, in the district for 1896–97, recorded.—Letter from the Collector of Gódávari reporting the result of the sale of, in the district for 1896–97, recorded.—Letter from the Collector of Kistna reporting the result of the sale of, in the district for 1896–97, recorded.—Letter from the Collector of Coimbatore reporting the result of the sale of, in the district for 1896–97, recorded.—The resale of the Nannilam taluk opium farm for 1896–97, ordered.—Letter from the Collector of Tanjore reporting the result of the sale of, in the district for 1896–97, recorded.—Letter from the Collector of South Canara reporting the result of the sale of the, in the district for 1896–97, recorded and stated that no special measures are necessary in respect of the Collector's suggestion to hold the sale of, in January every year.—Letter from the Collector	3rd Feb, „ 536, Mis. 17th „ „ 655, Mis. 22nd „ „ 740, Mis. 5th Mar., „ 943, Mis. 5th „ „ 945, Mis. 9th „ „ 1063, Mis. 9th „ „ 1110, Mis. 14th „ „ 1140, Mis. 20th „ „ 1227, Mis. 21st „ „ 1289, Mis. 27th „ „ 1370, Mis. 25th „ „ 1379, Mis. 27th „ „ 1381, Mis. 30th „ „ 1390, Mis. 6th April, „ 1433, Mis. 5th „ „ 1478, Mis. 5th „ „ 1491, Mis. 25th „ „ 1724, Mis. 29th „ „ 1730, Mis. 27th „ „ 1786, Mis. 4th May, „ 1837, Mis. 1st „ „ 1839, Mis. 6th „ „ 1928, Mis. 11th „ „ 1972, Mis. 15th „ „ 2168, Mis. 1st June, „ 203. 1st „ „ 204. 10th Aug., „ 3840, Mis.

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of Madura reporting on the results of the sale of, in the district for 1896–97, recorded.—Letter from the Collector of Cuddapah reporting the result of the sale of, in the district for 1896–97, recorded.—Letter from the Collector of Malabar reporting the results of the sales of, in the district for 1896–97, recorded.—Letter from the Collector of Madras reporting on the confirmation on the sale of an opium farm, recorded.—The results of the sale of the privilege of vend of opium in the several districtsof the Presidency for the year 1896–97, submitted to Government.—A statement showing the result of the sales of privilege of vend of opium for 1896–97, circulated to all Collectors and Deputy and Assistant Commissioners.—The closure of the Nannilam opium farm for the lease 1896–97, ordered.	
System of selling toddy shops separately.—Collectors of Ganjám, Gódávari, Nellore, Cuddapah, and Bellary districts requested to report whether toddy shops may be sold separately throughout their districts from 1st October 1896.—Report from the Collector of Bellary, recorded.—Report from the Collector of Cuddapah, recorded.—Report from the Collector of Nellore, recorded.—Report from the Collector of Ganjám, recorded.—Proposals for the extension of the, submitted to Government.—Government Order approving the proposal, communicated to all Collectors, except Madras, and the Nilgiris, and all Deputy and Assistant Commissioners.	4th Feb., No. 480 Mis. 2nd Mar., „ 1150, Sub. 3rd „ „ 839, Mis. 20th „ „ 1214, Mis. 21st „ „ 1287, Mis. 21st „ „ 195. 3rd July, „ 250.
Madras Town Circle.—Copy of Proceedings of the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, approving the recommendation of the Inspector, for the acceptance of a bid for Rs. 238 being the result of the resale of toddy shop No. 478, recorded.	4th Feb., „ 523, Mis.
Madura.—Letter from the Collector submitting statement showing the result of the resale of certain toddy shops in the district for 1895–96, recorded.—Statement from the Collector showing the results of resale of certain toddy shops and of certain poramboke trees in the district, recorded.	5th „ „ 526, Mis. 4th May, „ 1974, Mis.
Taverns.—Letter from the Collector of Nellore reporting the result of the sale of, in the district for 1896–97, recorded.—Letter from the Collector of South Arcot reporting the result of the sale of, in the district for 1896–97, recorded.—Remarked on letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, reporting the result of auction sales of, in the Madras Town Circle for 1896–97.—Statement showing the result of the sale of, in the Chinglepat district for 1896–97, recorded.—Statement showing the rents realized for taverns for 1896–97, in the Madras Town Circle, recorded.—Letter from the Collector of South Arcot reporting the result of the resale of certain, in the district for 1896–97, recorded.—Letter from the Collector of the Nilgiris reporting the result of the sale of, in the district for 1896–97, recorded.—Letter from the Collector of North Arcot submitting report on the result of the sale of, in the district for 1896–97, recorded.—Letter from the Collector of Tinnevelly submitting statement showing the result of the sale of, in the district for the year 1896–97, recorded.—Letter from the Collector of Bellary reporting on the result of the sale of, in the district for 1896–97, recorded.—Letter from the Collector of Anantapur reporting the result of the sale of, in the	6th Feb., „ 553, Mis. 17th „ „ 651, Mis. 26th „ „ 770, Mis. 5th Mar., „ 942, Mis. 9th „ „ 1110, Mis. 13th Feb., „ 1113, Mis. 14th Mar., „ 1163, Mis. 14th „ „ 1165, Mis. 20th „ „ 1290, Mis. 25th „ „ 1341, Mis. 27th „ „ 1370, Mis. 27th „ „ 1383, Mis. 8th April., „ 1467, Mis. 5th „ „ 1478, Mis. 5th „ „ 1489, Mis. 25th „ „ 1724, Mis. 28th „ „ 1784, Mis. 1st May, „ 1839, Mis. 11th „ „ 1972, Mis. 6th „ „ 1973, Mis. 1st June, „ 201. 6th July, „ 2860, Mis.

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district for 1896–97, recorded.—Letter from the Collector of Salem reporting the result of the sale of, in the district for 1896–97, recorded.—Letter from the Collector of South Canara reporting the result of the sale of, in the district for 1896–97, recorded.—Letter from the Collector of Gódávari reporting the result of the sale of, in the district for 1896–97, recorded.—Letter from the Collector of Kistna reporting the result of the sale of, in the district for 1896–97, recorded.—Letter from the Collector of Coimbatore reporting on the result of the sales of, in the district for 1896–97, recorded.—Letter from the Collector of Tanjore reporting the result of the sale of, in the district for the lease 1896–97, recorded.—Letter from the Collector of Madura reporting on the results of the sale, in the district for 1896–97, recorded.—Letter from the Collector of Malabar reporting on the results of the sale of, in the district for 1896–97, recorded.—Letter from the Collector of Cuddapah reporting the result of the sale of, in the district for 1896–97, recorded.—A statement showing the result of the sale of, in the several districts of the Presidency for 1896–97, submitted to Government.—Letter from the Collector of Kistna reporting that a foreign liquor tavern has been sanctioned for Nuzvid and disposed of for Rs. 65–12–0, recorded.	
Beer tavern at Trichinopoly.—Petition of Messrs. Leishman and Company, Ootacamund, complaining against the manner in which the, was disposed of for the year 1896–97, and requesting the Board to order the resale of the same, forwarded to the Collector of Trichinopoly for early report.—Orders passed on letter from the Collector of Trichinopoly reporting on the petition of Messrs. Leishman and Company regarding certain irregularities in connection with the disposal of the, for the year 1896–97.—Letter from the Collector of Trichinopoly reporting the result of the resale of the. in the district for 1896–97, recorded.	13th Feb., No. 611, Mis. 14th Mar., „ 1060, Mis. 5th April, „ 1482, Mis.
Ganja shops.—Letter from the Collector of South Arcot reporting the result of the sales of, in the district for 1896–97, recorded.—Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, informed that the bids for the, in the Madras Town Circle and Saidapet taluk for the lease 1896–97, may be accepted.—Statement showing the result of the sale of, in the Chingleput district for 1896–97, recorded.—Statement showing the result of the sale of, in the Tinnevelly district for 1896–97, recorded.—Statement showing the rents realized for, for 1896–97 in the Madras Town Circle, recorded.—Letter from the Collector of North Arcot submitting report on the results of, in the district for 1896–97, recorded.—Letter from the Collector of the Nilgiris reporting the result of the sale of, in the district for 1896–97, recorded.—Letter from the Collector of Nellore reporting the result of the sale of, in the district for 1896–97, recorded.—Letter from the Collector of Trichinopoly submitting statement showing the result of the sale of, in the district for 1896–97, recorded.—Letter from the Collector of Anantapur reporting the result of the sale of, in the district for 1896–97, recorded.—Letter from the Collector of Salem reporting the result of the sale of, in the district for 1896–97, recorded.—Letter from the Collector of Bellary reporting the result of the sale of, in the district for 1896–97, recorded.—Letter from the Collector of South	17th Feb., „ 679, Mis. 28th „ „ 805, Mis. 5th Mar., „ 944, Mis. 5th „ „ 946, Mis. 9th „ „ 1110, Mis. 13th „ „ 1128, Mis. 14th „ „ 1138, Mis. 14th „ „ 1215, Mis. 20th „ „ 1226, Mis. 27th „ „ 1370, Mis. 27th „ „ 1382, Mis. 25th „ „ 1384, Mis. 6th April, „ 1464, Mis. 6th „ „ 1465, Mis. 5th „ „ 1478, Mis. 6th „ „ 1490, Mis. 20th „ „ 1687, Mis. 25th „ „ 1724, Mis. 27th „ „ 1787, Mis. 1st May, „ 1839, Mis. 11th „ „ 1972, Mis. 6th „ „ 1985, Mis. 15th „ „ 2168, Mis. 1st June, „ 202.

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Canara reporting the result of the sale of, in the district for 1896–97, recorded.—Letter from the Collector of Vizagapatam reporting the result of the sale of, in the district for 1896–97, recorded.—Letter from the Collector of Gódávari reporting the result of the sale of, in the district for 1896–97, recorded.—Letter from the Collector of Kistna reporting the result of the sale of, in the district for 1896–97, recorded.—Letter from the Collector of Ganjám reporting the result of the sale of, in the district for 1896–97, recorded.—Letter from the Collector of Coimbatore reporting the result of the sale of, in the district for 1896–97, recorded.—Letter from the Collector of Tanjore reporting the result of the sale of, in the district for 1896–97, recorded.—Letter from the Collector of Madura reporting on the results of the sale of, in the district for 1896–97, recorded.—Letter from the Collector of Malabar reporting the result of the sale of, in the district for 1896–97, recorded.—Letter from the Collector of Cuddapah reporting the result of the sales of, in the district for 1896–97, recorded.—Letter from the Collector of Madura reporting on the confirmation of the sale of a, recorded.—A statement showing the result of the sale by auction of the privilege of vending ganja, bhung and other intoxicating drugs prepared from the hemp plant in the several districts of the Presidency for the year 1896–97, submitted to Government with remarks.	
South Arcot.—Statements showing the realization of the guaranteed abkári revenue for the quarters ending 30th September and 31st December 1895, recorded with remarks.—Letter from the Collector of, reporting the result of the requisition made to the arrack renter of Cuddalore taluk regarding payment of the deficit of Rs. 210–10–9 in the amount of excise duty guaranteed by him, recorded.—Statement showing the realization of the guaranteed abkári revenue in the taluks adjoining the French frontier for the quarter ending 31st March 1896, recorded.—The recommendation of the Collector of South Arcot to grant a remission of Rs. 2,830–15–10 to the arrack renter of the Villupuram taluk for the year 1895–96, submitted to Government with support.—Government Order sanctioning with remarks the refund of a certain amount to M.R.Ry. C. Balakistna Mudaliar, Arrack Vendor, Tindivanam taluk, communicated to the Collector of, for information and guidance.—Government Order sanctioning the remission, communicated to the Collector of South Arcot for information and guidance.	24th Feb., No. 742, Mis. 17th Mar., „ 1139, Mis. 12th May, „ 2002, Mis. 11th June, „ 2421, Mis. 18th July, „ 3031, Mis. 18th „ „ 3032, Mis.
South Arcot.—Stated that the result of the resale of certain arrack shop in the, for the lease 1896–97, is awaited.—Letter from the Collector reporting the result of the resale of certain arrack shops in the district for 1896–97 and Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, requested to note the fall in revenue in the frontier taluks of the district and to warn the officers concerned that the frontier taluks should be most diligently guarded.—Collector informed that Rasappa Chetti's tender for the Vanur arrack firka may be accepted.	26th Feb., „ 769, Mis. 13th Mar., „ 1107, Mis. 24th „ „ 1275, Mis.
Arrack Shops.—Letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, reporting the result of the auction sale of Puttai arrack shops in the Madras Town Circle for 1896–97,	26th Feb., „ 823, Mis. 6th Mar., „ 1016, Mis. 6th „ „ 1018, Mis.

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recorded.—Letter from the Collector of Malabar reporting the result of the sale of the Wynaad taluk arrack rent area for the year 1896-97, recorded.—Statement showing the result of the sale of, in the Chingleput district for the year 1896-97, recorded.—Letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, submitting statement showing the rentals realized for the, in the Madras Town Circle for 1896-97, recorded.—Letter from the Collector of the Nilgiris reporting the results of the sale of, in the district for the year 1896-97, recorded.—Orders passed on letter from the Collector of Trichinopoly submitting a statement showing the result of the sale of, for the year 1896-97.—The sale of the Cuddapah town, as a single farm for the year 1896-97, sanctioned with remarks.—Letter from the Collector of Salem reporting the result of the sale of, in the district for 1896-97, recorded with remarks.—Letter from the Collector of Anantapur reporting the result of the sale of, in the district for 1896-97, recorded with remarks.—Letter from the Collector of Nellore reporting the result of the sale of, in the district for 1896-97, recorded with remark.—Endorsement of the Collector of Tinnevelly reporting the result of the sale of, in the Tenkási taluk for the year 1896-97, recorded.—Letter from the Collector of Vizagapatam reporting the result of the sale of arrack shop in the district for 1896-97, recorded with remark.—Lette from the Collector of Nellore reporting on the result of the resale of certain, in the Gudur taluk for the year 1896-97, recorded.—Endorsement of the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, submitting the Cuddapah Inspector's letter reporting the result of the sales of arrack farms and shops in the district for 1896-97, recorded.—Letter from the Collector of Ganjám reporting the result of the sale of, in the district for the lease 1896-97, recorded with remark.—Letter from the Collector of the Nilgiris reporting on the results of certain liquor shops in the district for 1896-97, recorded with remark.—Letter from the Collector of Bellary reporting the result of the sale of, in the district for the lease 1896-97, recorded.—Letter from the Collector of Coimbatore submitting a statement showing the result of the sale of, in the district for the lease 1896-97, recorded.—Letter from the Collector of Kurnool reporting the result of the sale of, in the district for the lease 1896-97, recorded with remarks and an extract of Collector's report, communicated to the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, for attention.—Letter from the Collector of Tanjore reporting the result of the sale of, in the district for the lease 1896-97, recorded with remarks.—Letter from the Collector of North Arcot submitting report on the result of the sale of, in the district for 1896-97, recorded.—Letter from the Collector of Anantapur reporting the result of the resale of certain, in the district for the year 1896-97, recorded.—Letter from the Collector of Madura submitting the result of the sales of, for the lease 1896-97, recorded.—Letter from the Collector of Cuddapah reporting on the result of the sale of arrack vend areas and shops in the district for 1896-97, recorded and certain remarks in paragraph 4 of the Collector's letter, communicated to the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division.—Letter from the Collector of Coimbatore submitting a statement showing the result of the sales of in the district for 1896-97, recorded.—Letter from the Collector of Tanjore reporting on the results of the resale of certain, in the Kumbakónam	9th Mar., No. 1110, Mis. 16th „ „ 1187, Mis. 20th „ „ 1265, Mis. 1st April, „ 1363, Mis. 27th Mar., „ 1369, Mis. 27th „ „ 1370, Mis. 16th „ „ 1374, Mis. 4th April, „ 1417, Mis. 13th „ „ 1531, Mis. 16th „ „ 1539, Mis. 22nd „ „ 1586, Mis. 20th „ „ 1688, Mis. 21st „ „ 1689, Mis. 26th „ „ 1696, Mis. 27th „ „ 1725, Mis. 21st „ „ 1726, Mis. 25th „ „ 1743, Mis. 25th „ „ 1782 Mis. 16th „ „ 1866, Mis. 8th May, „ 1951, Mis. 23rd „ „ 2282, Mis. 23rd „ „ 2364, Mis. 15th June, „ 2575, Mis. 14th July, „ 280. 17th „ „ 3045, Mis.

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and Tirutturaippándi taluks, recorded.—A comparative statement showing the results of the sale of the privilege of vending country spirits in contract and private distillery supply tracts for 1896–97, submitted to Government with remarks.—Letter from the Collector of Ganjám reporting the resale of arrack shop No. 5, Chatrapur town, for 1896–97, recorded.	
Two statements one showing particulars of sales of arrack and toddy rent areas and shops for the lease ending 30th September 1896 and the other showing the number of shops, rent areas, &c., as they stood on 1st October 1895, circulated.	28th Feb., No. 74.
Nellore.—Letter from the Collector reporting the result of the resale of certain toddy shops in the Nellore taluk for the year 1895–96, recorded.	2nd Mar., „ 833, Mis.
Kistna.—Letter from the Collector revising the result of the sale of the independent toddy shop at Duchapalli, Palnad taluk, for the year 1895–96, recorded.	12th „ „ 1112, Mis.
Nilgiris.—Letter from the Collector submitting report on the result of the auction sale of the foreign liquor and beer taverns in the district for the year 1896–97, recorded.	14th „ „ 1163, Mis.
Tinnevelly.—The action of the Collector in having ordered the resale of certain toddy shops in the Sattur Zemindary for 1895–96, approved with remarks.—Letter from the Collector reporting the result of the resale of certain toddy shops in the Srivilliputtúr taluk for the lease 1895–96, recorded.	27th „ „ 1368, Mis. 25th April, „ 1785 Mis.
Kistna district.—The steps taken to dispose of certain unsold toddy shops and arrack vend areas in the, during the lease 1895–96, and the results of the subsequent sales, reported to Government.	15th „ „ 1532, Mis.
Vizagapatam.—Letter from the Collector of, reporting the result of the sale of the opium shops in the Agency tracts of the district for 1896–97, recorded.	28th „ „ 1979, Mis.
Ganjám.—Telegram from the Collector of, reporting the toddy rentals of the district for 1895–96, recorded and the Collector requested to submit arrack sales statement for 1895–96 and 1896–97 and toddy sales statement for 1894–95 and 1895–96 for the several abkári farms and taverns in each taluk and magisterial division of the district.—Letter from the Collector of Ganjám submitting the two statements called for, recorded.	4th June, „ 2327, Mis. 21st Aug., „ 3554, Mis.
Proposal of the Collector of Bellary to sell the Government date trees in the Kudligi taluk within independent shop limits subsequent to the sale of shops.—Proceedings of the Board of Revenue (Forest Department), sanctioning, as a special case, the, communicated to the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division.	4th June, „ 2338, Mis.
Sale of permit and account books.—Collector of Tanjore informed that the Board does not consider it desirable to entrust to the abkári officers the, as proposed by him.	29th May, „ 2242, Mis.

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Anantapur.—Letter from the Collector of, reporting the result of the resale of a toddy shop at Garladinna, recorded.	21st May, No. 2251, Mis.
Letter from the Superintendent, Government Press, requesting to send in future a few copies of the departmental reports for sale, recorded.	8th June, ,, 2387, Mis.
Draft abkári sale notices for the lease commencing from 1st October 1896.—Collectors of South Canara and Malabar requested to submit, at an early date.—Amended abkári sale notices for the lease 1896–97 to be published in the South Canara District Gazette, submitted to Government with the request to communicate its approval of them to the Collector of South Canara by wire.—Amended abkári sale notices for the lease 1896–97 to be published in the Malabar District Gazette, submitted to Government with the request to communicate its approval of them to the Collector of Malabar by wire.—Government Order communicating to the Collector of Malabar, by wire, approval of Government of the amended abkári sale notices, submitted with Board's Proceedings, Mis. No. 2775, dated 4th July 1896, recorded.—Government Order, Revenue Department, communicating to the Collector of South Canara, by wire, approval by Government of the amended abkári sale notices, submitted with Board's Proceedings, Mis. No. 2774, dated 6th July 1896, recorded.	11th ,, ,, 2408, Mis. 6th July, ,, 2774, Mis. 4th ,, ,, 2775, Mis. 15th ,, ,, 2997, Mis. 15th ,, ,, 2998, Mis.
Draft abkári sale notices relating to the lease 1896–97.—Collectors of Gódávari and Kistna requested to submit at once,—Collectors of Gódávari and Kistna requested by wire to expedite the submission of,—Copies of abkári sale notices relating to the Gódávari district, submitted to Government with the request to communicate its approval of them to the Collector direct by wire.—Government Order approving, with remarks, the abkári sale notices of the Gódávari district during the ensuing lease, recorded.	24th June, ,, 2639, Mis. 8th July, ,, 2811, Mis. 27th ,, ,, 3109, Mis. 8th Aug., ,, 3420, Mis.
Property or animal to be purchased or sold by European officers.—Government Order directing that the sanction of Government should be applied for by Heads of Departments only where the, come in their opinion within the term valuable, communicated to Deputy and Assistant Commissioners and Inspectors.	26th June, ,, 246.
Abkári sale notices and license forms for the ensuing lease.—Collector of Malabar informed that the, may be printed at private presses, and that the notices have been amended and submitted for approval and requested to see that they are set in type and kept ready for publication immediately the approval of Government is communicated to him.—Telegram from the Collector requesting early orders on letter regarding, recorded.	6th July, ,, 2786, Mis. 7th ,, ,, 2862, Mis.
Action of the Assistant Inspector at Arasadi in having stopped sales on the 21st May 1896.—Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, and Messrs. Muthiah Chettiar and Brothers, of Tuticorin informed that the, was wrong and directed that the Assistant Inspector should not stop sales in future when the late delivery of orders, &c., is not the fault of the licensees.	10th ,, ,, 2905, Mis.

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Collectors of, requested to report ales of toddy shops for the ensuing in their districts.—Letter from the eporting the dates of toddy sales in —Letter from the Collector of Kur- ates of toddy sales in the district, n the Collector of Kurnool intimating e dates of sales of toddy shops in the orded.—The Collector of Bellary re- stpone the toddy sales of the Adóni ding the orders of Government on No. 258, dated 6th July 1896.	13th July, No. 2915, Mis. 16th „ „ 3037, Mis. 20th „ „ 3187, Mis. 28th „ „ 3188, Mis. 1st Aug., „ 3220, Mis.
lease. — Collector and the Deputy l Division, requested to have their, October next.	16th July, „ 2992, Mis.
vagapatam district.—Letter from the ie arrack rents of the, for 1896–97,	20th „ „ 3046, Mis.
requested with remarks to consider educing the number of vend areas alle and Bápatla taluks for the next what rate of duty may be levied on y arrack in those taluks at the end of	27th „ „ 3108, Mis.
Proceedings of the Deputy Commis- on, approving of the recommendation the confirmation of the resale of one uttai arrack shops in the Circle, re-	23rd „ „ 3165, Mis.
e and sale in the Arumuganeri factory stant Commissioner, Tinnevelly Sub-divi- of the death of Dr. Dhanakoti Raju.— letter from the Deputy Commissioner, , submitting, with remarks, petition from regarding the, — Endorsement of the ioner, Southern Division, on petition from aju, eldest daughter of the late Dr. Dhana- g that she with her brother will shortly cation for a temporary license for the alt in the Arumuganeri factory and that i Pillai, her late father's agent, has no right business in that factory, recorded.—Orders ition of one Ganapathi Pillai requesting er of the Assistant Commissioner, Tinne- on, stopping sales of the salt stored in the ctory in the name of the late Dr. Dhanakoti passed on petition from Ganapathi Pillai permit the sale of the salt stored in the Aru- ctory in the name of the late Dr. Dhanakoti the names of his *primâ facie* heirs.—Orders ort from the Deputy Commissioner, Southern he petition of David Dhanakoti Raju, son of Dhanakoti Raju, requesting permission to sell factured under a temporary license and stored of the *primâ facie* heirs of the Doctor in the and Kulasekharapatnam factories.	1st Aug., „ 3218, Mis. 24th „ „ 3564, Mis. 5th Sept., „ 3723, Mis. 7th Oct., „ 4198, Mis. 7th „ „ 4199, Mis.

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Two statements, one showing the results of the arrack s for 1896–97 and the other showing country spirit sho vend areas, &c., as they stood on the 1st April 1896, circulated.

Kurnool district.—Secretary to Government, Revenue Department, informed by wire that the information regarding toddy sales in the, is scanty and that the Collector is being communicated with on the subject.—Government informed by wire that there is no objection to the Kurnool Collector's leaving the district on the 14th September 1896 as the toddy sales are expected to be over by that date.—Telegram from the Collector reporting on the result of the sales of certain toddy shops for 1896–97, recorded.—Letter from the Collector of, submitting report on the results of the toddy sales in the district for the lease ending with 30th September 1897, recorded.—Letter from the Collector, submitting further report on the results of the sales of toddy shops in the district for 1896–97, recorded.

Tinnevelly district.—Statement from the Collector of, giving particulars of the rentals realized at the sale of toddy shops in the Ambásamudram taluk for 1896–97, recorded.

Hours of sales of salt.—Letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, recommending a modification in the, at the Penugudurú factory, recorded, and the power vested in the Commissioner under the rules framed under the Salt Act to fix the days and hours at which removals of salt shall ordinarily take place at factories delegated to the Assistant Commissioners of Salt, Abkári and Customs Revenue.

Negapatam Sub-division.—Domi-official memorandum from the Assistant Commissioner, reporting on the results of the sales of toddy shops in certain taluks of the, communicated to the Collector of Tanjore for remarks. 7

Toddy sales.—Letter from the Assistant Commissioner, Chatrapur Sub-division, reporting on the results of, held at Sompeta, Surla Circle, recorded.—Letter from the Assistant Commissioner, Chatrapur Sub-division, reporting on the result of, held at Russellkonda, Aska Circle, recorded.—Letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, reporting on the result of, held at Rajahmundry on the 7th September 1896, recorded.—Letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, reporting on the result of, held at Rajahmundry on the 3rd and 4th September 1896, recorded.—Letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, reporting on the result of, held at Rajahmundry on the 5th September 1896, recorded.—Letter from the Assistant Commissioner, Chatrapur Sub-division, reporting on the results of, held at Chatrapur, Ganjám Circle, recorded.—Letter from the Assistant Commissioner, Chatrapur Sub-division, reporting on the results of, held at Berhampur, Surla Circle, recorded.—Northern Division Deputy Commissioner's Proceedings remarking on the result of the, in the Surla Circle, recorded.—Northern Division Deputy Commissioner's Proceedings remarking on the results of, of the Parvatipuram taluk, recorded.—Northern Division Deputy Commissioner's Proceedings remarking on the results of the, of the Salur taluk, recorded.—Remarks 4t 4t 11th 8th 9th 10th 10th 21st 22nd 22nd 30th 29th 21st 3rd 22nd 19th N

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passed on letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, reporting on the results of abkári sales held at Rajahmundry for 1896-97.—Letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, reporting on the results of, in the Vizagapatam district for 1896-97, recorded.—Northern Division Deputy Commissioner's remarks on the demi-official reports of the Assistant Commissioner, Chicacole Sub-division, regarding the results of, for 1896-97 in the Sub-division, recorded.—Letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, reporting on the results of the, in the Ganjám district for 1896-97, recorded.—Copy of letter from the Assistant Commissioner, Chatrapur Sub-division, submitting a consolidated statement showing the results of, in the Ganjám and Aska Circles, recorded.—Southern Division Deputy Commissioner's Proceedings reviewing the results of, in the Trichinopoly district for 1896-97, recorded with remark.	
License for the monopoly of sale of the fullers-earth for five years in certain parts of the Madura district.—Ananta Rama Chandra Baghavathar and Kannuvadi Krishnasami Aiyar informed that a, cannot be granted under the Madras Salt Act.	25th Sept., No. 4017, Mis.
Results of the sales of toddy shops in the district for 1896-97.—Letter from the Collector of Ganjám reporting on the, recorded.—Letter from the Collector of Cuddapah reporting on the, recorded.—Letter from the Collector of Salem reporting on the, recorded.—Letter from the Collector of Trichinopoly reporting on the, recorded.—Letter from the Collector of Anantapur reporting on the, recorded.—Letter from the Collector of Nellore reporting on the, recorded.—Letter from the Collector of Trichinopoly reporting on the, recorded.—Orders passed on letter from the Collector of South Arcot reporting on the,—Letter from the Collector of Bellary reporting on the, recorded.—Letter from the Collector of Tanjore reporting on the, recorded.—Orders passed on letter from the Collector of North Arcot reporting on the,—Letter from the Collector of Cuddapah reporting on the result of the resale of certain toddy shops in the district for 1896-97, recorded.—Letter from the Collector of Gódávari reporting on the, recorded.—Letter from the Collector of Malabar reporting on the, recorded.—Letter from the Collector of Cuddapah reporting on the resale of the Nadimpally toddy shop in the Sidhavattam taluk for 1896-97, recorded.—Letter from the Collector of Vizagapatam reporting on the, recorded.—Letter from the Collector of Coimbatore reporting on the, recorded.—Letter from the Collector of North Arcot reporting on the sale of a certain toddy shop in the Kangundi Division for 1896-97, recorded.—Letter from the Collector of Tanjore submitting copy of a printed list showing the, recorded.—Letter from the Collector of Madura submitting statement showing the, recorded.—Letter from the Collector of South Canara reporting on the, recorded.—Letter from the Collector of Kistna submitting report on the, recorded.—Letter from the Collector of South Arcot reporting on the resale of certain toddy shops in the district for 1896-97, recorded.—Letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, reporting on the Collector's proposal to close certain unsold shops in the district, communicated to the Collector of Cuddapah.—Letter from the Collector of Cuddapah	29th ,, ,, 4129, Mis. 2nd Oct., ,, 4147, Mis. 28th Sept., ,, 4154, Mis. 3rd Oct., ,, 4196, Mis. 3rd ,, ,, 4197, Mis. 8th ,, ,, 4259, Mis 16th ,, ,, 4323, Mis. 13th ,, ,, 4327, Mis. 19th ,, ,, 4355, Mis. 18th ,, ,, 4385, Mis. 19th ,, ,, 4460, Mis. 24th ,, ,, 4484, Mis. 19th ,, ,, 4490, Mis. 22nd ,, ,, 4508, Mis. 27th ,, ,, 4517, Mis. 29th ,, ,, 4559, Mis. 4th Nov., ,, 4676, Mis. 2nd ,, ,, 4699, Mis. 10th ,, ,, 4785, Mis. 27th ,, ,, 4937, Mis. 19th ,, ,, 4938, Mis. 18th ,, ,, 4939, Mis. 12th ,, ,, 4961, Mis. 4th Dec., ,, 5067, Mis. 4th ,, ,, 5090, Mis. 7th ,, ,, 5097, Mis. 5th ,, ,, 5101, Mis. 5th ,, ,, 5111, Mis. 5th ,, ,, 5113, Mis. 10th ,, ,, 5131, Mis. 14th ,, ,, 5165, Mis.

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reporting the result of the resale of the toddy shop at Punganuruvandalapally of Madanapalle taluk, recorded.—Letter from the Collector of Anantapur reporting that the toddy shop at Gurisalapetti was resold and confirmed in the name of one Chinna Reddy, recorded.—Letter from the Collector of South Arcot reporting the result of resale of certain toddy shops in the Villupuram taluk for 1896–97, recorded.—Letter from the Collector of Cuddapah informing that Tahsildars have been directed to resell certain toddy shops on the 14th December and that the result will be reported in due course, recorded.—Letter from the Collector of Nellore reporting the result of the subsequent toddy sales in the district for 1896–97, recorded.—Letter from the Collector of Madura reporting that the sale of certain toddy shops has since been confirmed, recorded.—Letter from the Collector of Anantapur reporting the result of the sale of the toddy shops at Sreerangapuram and Kamakkanapalli of Kayaldrug taluk, recorded.	
Notice of the sale of arrack vend areas in the Ganjám district for the year 1896–97.—Orders passed on letter from the Collector regarding the interpretation of conditions 6 (*a*) (*b*) and (*c*) of the,	2nd Oct., No. 4112, Mis.
Gódávari and Kistna districts.—A report on the recent abkári sales in the, submitted to Government and certain measures to be taken for the disposal of toddy shops that remain unsold in the Kistna district, recommended.—Government Order approving the recommendations of the Board, communicated to the Collector of Kistna.	8th ,, ,, 403. 6th Nov., ,, 4693, Mis.
Kilby's Machine.—The sale in the local market of the, ordered.	13th Oct., ,, 4242, Mis.
Cuddapah.—The resale of the Amadagur arrack shop (Kadiri taluk) for 1896–97 by public auction, sanctioned.	12th ,, ,, 4261, Mis.
Abkári sales for the lease commencing with the 1st October 1896.—Certain Collectors requested to wire results of,	16th ,, ,, 4294, Mis.
Abkári sale for 1896–97.—Letter from the Collector of Gódávari reporting on the results of the, recorded.—Letter from the Collector of Malabar reporting on the result of the, recorded.—Letter from the Collector of South Canara reporting on the results of the, recorded.—Letter from the Collector of Kistna reporting on the results of the, recorded.	9th ,, ,, 4490, Mis. 22nd ,, ,, 4508, Mis. 19th Nov., ,, 4938, Mis. 18th ,, ,, 4939, Mis.
Government Order replying to the Government of India regarding credit sales and the increased expenditure of the Salt department noticed in the Salt Administration Report for 1893–94, recorded.	22nd Oct., ,, 4511, Mis.
Cuddapah.—Letter from the Collector of, reporting on the result of the resale of an arrack shop in the Vayalpad taluk for 1896–97, recorded.	5th Nov., ,, 4698, Mis.
Results of the sales of the usufruct of the toddy-yielding trees on unreserved lands for the toddy year 1895–96.—Proceedings of the Board of Revenue (Land Revenue), submitting, for the information of Government, a statement showing the, recorded.	6th ,, ,, 444.

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Abkári sales in the Kistna district for 1896–97.—Letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, submitting, with remarks, copy of report from the Assistant Commissioner, Masulipatam Sub-division, on the result of the, recorded.	18th Nov., No. 4836, Mis.
Sale of methylated spirits.—Copy of Proceedings of the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, passing orders on letter from the Assistant Commissioner, Trichinopoly Sub-division, enquiring whether any license is necessary for the, recorded.	17th „ „ 4852, Mis.
Beypore salt gollah, Ponnáni Circle.—The sale by auction of the old materials of the, sanctioned.	26th „ „ 4936, Mis.
South Canara district.—The sale of the arrack shop at Gujjadi in the, cancelled.	22nd „ „ 4957, Mis.
Limit of half a gallon to sales to other than wholesale vendors.—Collector of Tinnevelly informed that condition No. 8 of the arrack wholesale vendor's license will be modified so as to restrict the,	11th Dec., „ 5123, Mis.
Statement showing the results of the sales of toddy and arrack rent areas and shops for the lease commencing from the 1st October 1896, submitted to Government with remarks.	13th „ „ 501.
Madras Town Circle.—Sanction for selling by auction a certain toddy shop in the, accorded.	14th „ „ 5211, Mis.
Proposal of the Assistant Commissioner, Tinnevelly Sub-division, to sell fish-curing salt at Rs. 3 per maund, approved, and the submission of a detailed report on the matter as early as possible, directed.	31st „ „ 5244, Mis.
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Declaration of salt from the Ganjám factories to the Central Provinces.—Letter from the Assistant Commissioner, Chatrapur Sub-division, reporting on the subject of the, forwarded to the Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, for very early remarks.—Letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, on the subject of the, recorded.	8th Jan., „ 11, Mis. 24th May, „ 1511, R.
Goa salt.—Petition from Mr. Mamertees DeCruz intimating his willingness to sell to Government a certain quantity of, stored in his warehouse at Cochin at the reduced price of 4 annas per Bengal maund on condition that the offer to purchase it is made on or before the 25th instant, recorded.—Copy of letter from the Assistant Commissioner, Calicut Sub-division, stating that it will not be of any advantage to Government to purchase the stocks of, belonging to Mr. Mamertees DeCruz of Cochin, recorded.—Letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, stating that he is not willing to purchase the stocks of, belonging to Mr. Mamertees DeCruz of Cochin, recorded.	7th Jan., „ 27, Mis. 31st „ „ 412, Mis. 31st „ „ 419, Mis.
Sifting of salt in the Bombay Presidency.—Reported to Government certain further details in connection with the, and recommended that Mr. Fowler, Assistant Commissioner, Calicut Sub-division, be placed on special duty to proceed	8th Jan., „ 30, Mis. 21st Aug., „ 3531, Mis. 1st Sept., „ 3698, Mis. 25th „ „ 378.

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to Bombay and ascertain on the spot the system of manufacture in the Baragara Salt Works and the method of sifting adopted in that Presidency.—Sanction of Government to the Commissioner of Salt, Abkári and Separate Revenue spending three or four days in Bombay next month to enquire as to the utility of deputing an officer to study the manufacture of light salt there, requested.—Government Order authorizing the Commissioner to visit Bombay, recorded. — Report on the results of the Commissioner's visit to Bombay and of the enquiries made by him there as to the utility of deputing an officer next season to study the method of manufacture followed in that Presidency, submitted to Government.	
Tuticorin Circle. — Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, instructed to hand over charge of the office to Mr. Brodie who will proceed to enquire into the matter of fraudulent delivery of 160 maunds of monopoly salt at. without payment of duty. — Letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, submitting copy of letter from the Assistant Commissioner, Tinnevelly Sub-division, reporting on the fraudulent removal of 160 maunds of monopoly salt from platform No. VII of the, recorded.—Letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, reporting that the Tuticorin salt fraud case was acquitted by the Joint Magistrate, Tuticorin, on the 29th June 1896, recorded with remark.	8th Jan., No. 44, Mis. 28th „ „ 525, Mis. 6th Aug., „ 3339, Mis.
Feasibility of producing light salt consistent with chemical purity. —The report of the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, on the experiments conducted in the Tinnevelly Sub-division to ascertain the, reviewed.—Report from the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, on the experiments made in certain factories in the Nellore Sub-division with a view to ascertain the, reviewed.—Letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, reporting on the experiments made to ascertain the, in the factories of the Northern Division, recorded, and Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, requested to submit without further delay the report on the results of similar experiments made in the Negapatam Sub-division in the season of 1895.—Government Order directing that a letter be despatched to the Government of India regarding the feasibility of manufacturing light salt in the Madras Presidency, recorded. — Reported to Government on the result of the experiments in making light salt undertaken in the season of 1895. — Instructions in the matter of forwarding samples of salt to the Board in connection with the experiments conducted for manufacturing light salt consistent with chemical purity, issued.—Letter from the Assistant Commissioner, Nagapatam Sub-division, reporting on the results of the experiments conducted with a view to ascertain the, in his sub-division in the season of 1895, recorded with reference to Board's Proceedings, Mis. No. 3128, dated 22nd July 1896. — Government Order approving the Board's recommendation to continue the experiments in making light salt during the season of 1896, recorded.—Inspectors of Factory Circles, where experimental salt is made, requested to report by return of post whether any samples will be sent for test this year.—Endorsement of the Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, submitting copy of Cocanada Assistant Commissioner's letter reporting on the action taken in the matter of forwarding the samples of salt to the Board, recorded.	10th Jan., „ 104, Mis. 10th „ „ 105, Mis. 21st April, „ 1565, Mis. 21st July, „ 293. 22nd „ „ 3128, Mis. 2nd „ „ 3129, Mis. 31st „ „ 3204, Mis. 19th Aug., „ 3598, Mis. 12th Sept., „ 3836, Mis. 22nd Oct., „ 4405, Mis.

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Letter from the Assistant Commissioner, Chingleput Subdivision, explaining a certain discrepancy in the stock of salt in the Chingleput factories, recorded.	11th Jan., No. 148, Mis.
Surlé extension.—Government Order sanctioning the sale of a certain quantity of monopoly salt in certain heaps in the, communicated to the Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division.	15th „ „ 15.
Application of Messrs. Stuart, Hall and Company to sift their old stock of salt in their factory at Karassa.—Orders of Government requested as to whether the, should be granted. —Endorsement of the Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, submitting copy of Chicacole Assistant Commissioner's letter reporting that Messrs. Stuart, Hall and Company do not intend to conduct sifting operations as originally proposed by them, recorded.—Endorsement of the Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, submitting copy of letter from Messrs. Stuart, Hall and Company requesting sanction to erect a set of salt-cleaning plant at platform No. IV of the Karassa factory.—Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, informed that a certain sketch plan called for by him from Messrs. Stuart, Hall and Company is awaited.—Government Order requesting the Board, with remarks, to report more fully with regard to the, communicated to the Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division.—The report called for regarding the improvements in salt manufacture under trial by Messrs. Stuart, Hall and Company at Karassa, submitted to Government with the request that very early orders may be passed on the application of the firm in this matter.—Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, informed that Messrs. Stuart, Hall and Company have been permitted to proceed with the manipulation of about 600 maunds of salt provided that it is done before the 22nd instant.—Letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, reporting on the application of Messrs. Stuart, Hall and Company for permission to employ cleaning processes on their unstored salt at Karassa, recorded.—Telegram from Messrs. Stuart, Hall and Company of Karassa complaining against the withdrawal of certain concessions granted to them for cleaning salt in that factory, submitted for the very early orders of Government.—Telegram from Messrs. Stuart, Hall and Company requesting early orders on their petition of the 29th April 1896, submitted to Government in continuation of Board's Proceedings, Mis. No. 1763, dated 1st May 1896. —Messrs. Stuart, Hall and Company informed by wire that Government has permitted the sifting of their unstored salt till the end of the current manufacturing season and has approved, with certain restrictions, the improvements in salt manufacture under trial by them.—Inspector, Karassa Circle, directed by wire to permit Messrs. Stuart, Hall and Company to sift their unstored salt till the end of the current manufacturing season and to introduce with certain restrictions the improvements in salt manufacture under trial by them.—Government Order on the question of permitting the sifting of unstored salt in excise factories, communicated to Deputy and Assistant Commissioners with the request to instruct the Inspector to put up notices at all factories informing licensees that sanction to sift before storage may be cancelled after the close of the current manufacturing	16th „ „ 176, Mis. 16th „ „ 177, Mis. 15th Feb., „ 647, Mis. 25th Mar., „ 1286, Mis. 14th April, „ 1520, Mis. 17th „ „ 1554, Mis. 27th „ „ 1713, Mis. 1st May, „ 1763, Mis. 12th „ „ 1944, Mis. 18th „ „ 2036, Mis. 21st „ „ 2087, Mis. 9th June, „ 2394, Mis. 15th „ „ 2467, Mis. 8th July, „ 2813, Mis.

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season.—Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, requested to report what space will be left on platform No. IV of the Karassa factory after the salt of the current season has been stored thereon.—Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, instructed to warn the licensees holding salt on platform No. IV of the Karassa factory that if they should fail to remove their old salt before the 31st March 1897, it will be dealt with under condition 26 of the excise license and stated that no orders are necessary in the case of the old salt on platform No. III.	
Duty free issue of educed salt to a private gentleman.—Declined to accord permission for the, as recommended by the Assistant Commissioner, Masulipatam Sub-division.	17th Jan., No. 204, Mis.
Negapatam factory.—Government Order on Board's Proceedings directing the sale by ordinary method of Government salt at the, and requesting the submission of a report on the result of that order, recorded.—The sale of Government salt of 1889 and 1890 at the, at one anna per maund, directed, and the submission of a weekly report showing the progress of the sales and of two average samples of the salt of each of those two years, ordered.—Sanction of Government to the destruction of certain unsaleable Government salt in the, requested. — Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, requested to report on the question of the sale of Government salt of 1891 at,—Government Order according sanction for the destruction of the salt referred to in Board's Proceedings, Mis. No. 3660, dated 27th August 1896, communicated to the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, and Assistant Commissioner, Negapatam Sub-division, for information and guidance.—Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, informed that the Védáranniyam Government salt of 1891 stored at, should be sold by auction.	11th ,, ,, 217, Mis. 18th April, ,, 1522, Mis. 27th Aug., ,, 3660, Mis. 29th ,, ,, 3661, Mis. 10th Oct., ,, 4314, Mis. 10th Nov., ,, 4649, Mis.
A certain quantity of salt reported to be unclaimed at Merkanam.—Remarked on endorsement of the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, submitting copy of letter from the Assistant Commissioner, Chingleput Sub-division, regarding,—Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, informed with remarks that, may be sold in auction.—Recommendation of the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, that, may be left as it is until the end of the year, approved.	30th Jan., ,, 420, Mis. 29th April, ,, 1736, Mis. 13th July, ,, 2939, Mis.
Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, requested to report why he has calculated the interest on the capital cost of the portion of the Negapatam platform used for the storage of Védáranniyam salt at 4 per cent. and to report the number of spaces occupied by excise and monopoly salt in 1894-95.—Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, informed that the best way of recovering the rent on storage space occupied at Negapatam by the Védáranniyam excise salt is by means of a cess, and requested to state whether the capital cost originally fixed requires revision and to report the annual sales of the Védáranniyam salt stored at Negapatam for the last five years.—Orders passed on the question of the amount to be recovered from the excise licensees of Védáranniyam for the storage space allotted for their salt at Negapatam and on the method of recovery of that amount.	31st Jan., ,, 423, Mis. 29th May, ,, 2231, Mis. 11th Nov., ,, 4658, Mis.

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The circumstances under which the Tuticorin Salt Company was allowed to sift certain quantities of stored salt in 1892 *and in subsequent years*, reported to Government.—Government Order informing the Tuticorin Salt Company that their request for permission to sift salt after the storage cannot be acceded to, recorded.	28th Jan., No. 463, Mis. 10th Mar., „ 1067, Mis.
Karambalam.—T. Venkataramana Iyer, Madras, informed that his request to be permitted to take over the whole of the Government salt at, at a fixed price of As. 3-6 per maund cannot be granted.	28th Jan., „ 467, Mis.
Calinjapatam extension.—Orders passed on letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, requesting that permission may be given to open sales of the Government salt of 1892-94 and 1895 in the, and the sanction of Government to reduce the upset price of 1890 salt in, to six pies per maund, solicited.—Government Order sanctioning the reduction of the upset price, communicated to Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, and Assistant Commissioner, Chicacole Sub-division.—Sanction of Government to sell a certain quantity of Government salt of 1891 in the, at an upset price of six pies per maund, requested.—Government Order sanctioning the Board's recommendation, communicated to the Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, and Assistant Commissioner, Chicacole Sub-division.	17th Feb., „ 646, Mis. 28th „ „ 83. 12th May, „ 1958, Mis. 27th „ „ 205.
Disposal of the salt belonging to the Appikonda estate stored at Naupada salt factory.—Endorsement of the Secretary to the Court of Wards forwarding the Vizagapatam Collector's letter reporting that the salt belonging to the Appikonda estate is 2,400 maunds and not 1,200 maunds as previously reported, recorded.—Collector of Vizagapatam informed that the manager of the estate should make his own arrangements for the,	15th Feb., „ 659, Mis. 28th „ „ 781, Mis.
Spontaneous salt.—Rules for the guidance of factory officers in regard to the prevention of the formation of, in the pans after the close of manufacture and the method of dealing with it when it does form, prescribed.	20th „ „ 71.
Removal of the salt of the late firm of Namberumaliah and Sons.—Messrs. Arbuthnot and Company requested to have an agreement signed by Mr. R. J. H. Arbuthnot undertaking not to hold the officers of the Salt, Abkári and Customs Department responsible for certain loss and the Inspectors of the Vayalur, Ennore and Covelong Circles informed of a certain concession granted to Mr. Arbuthnot in respect of E-11 for the,—The agreement executed by Mr. Arbuthnot, returned with instructions.—Copy of Proceedings of the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, on Chingleput Assistant Commissioner's letter requesting orders whether the salt of Messrs. R. D. Namberumaliah and Sons may be permitted to be removed on the application of Mr. Arbuthnot recently appointed Receiver by the High Court, recorded.—Orders passed on letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, submitting with remarks a petition from R. D. Namberumaliah and Sons requesting payment of kudivaram for the salt manufactured by them in the season of 1895.—Mr. R. J. H. Arbuthnot requested to take credit order in his own	21st „ „ 695, Mis. 2nd Mar., „ 809, Mis. 6th „ „ 940, Mis. 25th „ „ 1276, Mis. 10th April, „ 1430, Mis. 6th May, „ 1852, Mis. 6th June, „ 2347, Mis. 2nd „ „ 2358, Mis. 11th „ „ 2436, Mis. 28th July, „ 3252, Mis.

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name for the,—The Inspector, Ennore Circle, directed by wire to accept applications from Messrs. Arbuthnot and Company signed in Madras and accompanied by credit orders for the, transferred in the name of the former firm.—Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, requested to report the amount of kudivaram stated to have been claimed by Messrs. Namberumaliah and Sons for salt manufactured in their pans in the season of 1895.—Letter from Messrs. Arbuthnot and Company forwarding a stamped agreement and advising the payment to the Ennore Circle Inspector the cost of a telegram sent on their behalf to that officer, recorded.—Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, informed with remarks that all holders of two lakhs of maunds of salt and upwards may be permitted to report the sale prices within ten days after the salt is removed from the platform.—Letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, reporting the amount of kudivaram due to Messrs. R. D. Namberumaliah and Sons, recorded.	
Naupada factory.—Orders passed on letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, requesting permission to open unrestricted sales of Government salt at the,—Assistant Commissioner, Chicacole Sub-division, requested to restore a couple of monopoly heaps at Naupada in which average damage from bad covering has taken place, auction them in small lots once a week at the rate of one heap per month and report the result of the auction sale at the end of the month and a sample of each heap called for.—Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, informed that the auction sales of certain monopoly salt at, may be conducted by the Inspector.—The report on the result of the auction sales of the monopoly heaps at the, ordered to be restored in Board's Proceedings, Mis. No. 2183, dated 27th May 1896, awaited and directed that the restorage of the remaining monopoly heaps in the factory be postponed pending further orders.—Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, informed that the whole of the old monopoly salt at, should be restored in full heaps and that the auction sale of the two heaps already ordered may be discontinued for the present.—Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, informed that certain old excise salt at the, should be sold by auction, and if no bid is obtained for it, should be destroyed.—Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, informed with remarks that the factory staff must manage the work of the destruction of the old excise salt at the,—The sale by auction and destruction if no bids are obtained of four heaps of old salt at, sanctioned.—Copy of Proceedings of the Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, passing orders on the petition of certain merchants of Bimlipatam requesting that the orders for the destruction under the five years' rule of their old salt at, may not be given effect to, and that certain facilities may be afforded to enable them to sell the stock to Cuttack merchants, recorded.	26th Feb., No. 793, Mis. 27th May, „ 2183, Mis. 20th June, „ 2592, Mis. 20th „ „ 2593, Mis. 30th July, „ 3184, Mis. 12th Aug., „ 3392, Mis. 8th Sept., „ 3774, Mis. 4th Nov., „ 4620, Mis. 21st „ „ 4878, Mis.
Sifting of certain excise and Government salt.—Government Order on Board's Proceedings forwarding to Government a copy of letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, advising that the sales of Government salt at the Madras Depôt may be deferred, recorded.—Government Order informing Messrs. Binny and Company that they	26th Feb., „ 821, Mis. 5th Mar., „ 902, Mis. 6th „ „ 86. 18th „ „ 1147, Mis. 26th „ „ 1325, Mis. 1st April, „ 1364, Mis.

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have no claim for any special indulgence in the matter of sifting their stock of salt, but that the concession proposed to be granted to the general body of the licensees in the Vayalur, Ennore and Covelong Circles will apply to them, recorded.—Government Order permitting the, and deferring the sale of Government salt at the Madras Depôt until the 1st December 1896, communicated to the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, with remarks; and all Deputy Commissioners called upon to furnish certain particulars regarding sifting before and after storage.—Orders passed on certain questions raised by the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, in connection with the proposal to sift salt in certain factories of the Chingleput Sub-division, and the orders of Government in regard to certain others, solicited.—Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, informed that the sifting of the salt of 1895 may be continued at the Madras Depôt pending receipt of the orders of Government on Board's Proceedings, Mis. No. 1147, dated 18th March 1896, and requested to report whether Messrs. Binny and Company are prepared to purchase the siftings, and if so, on what terms.—Government Order passing orders on Board's Proceedings, Mis. No. 1147, dated 18th March 1896, communicated to the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division.—Letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, reporting that Messrs. Binny and Company are not willing to purchase the siftings at the Madras Depôt, recorded.—Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, and Assistant Commissioner, Chingleput Sub-division, informed that there is no objection to a sifting licensee abandoning sifting in a heap which he has commenced to operate on and removing the salt unsifted, provided he removes the heap forthwith.—Proposals for fixing the cost price of the Government salt stored at the Madras Depôt, submitted to Government.—Government Order declining to interfere on behalf of M. Kesavalu and others of Madras praying that the Madras Salt Depôt may be opened for the sale of salt to the public, recorded.—Messrs. Arbuthnot and Company informed with remarks that their request to be permitted to remove two maunds of salt from five or six places in a heap and then to replace it, cannot be granted.—Sanction of Government requested to transport to the Madras Depôt and sift certain quantities of salt purchased by Government in the Covelong and Vayalur Circles.—Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, requested to furnish certain particulars and explanation in connection with his reports on the auction sale of sifted salt.—Endorsement of the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, submitting copy of letter from the Assistant Commissioner, Negapatam Sub-division, stating that the information in regard to the report on the auction sale of sifted salt is imperfect, recorded.—Memorandum from Government requesting to be informed whether certain difference pointed out in regard to the stock of Government salt in store at the Madras Depôt represents the wastage in sifting and the refuse salt destroyed, communicated to the Assistant Commissioner, Chingleput Sub-division, for compliance.—Copies of certain notice regarding the sale of Government salt at Madras Depôt, forwarded to the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, for circulation.—Government Order approving the Board's proposals in Board's Proceedings, Mis. No. 3754, dated 7th September	6th May, No. 1966, Mis. 10th June, „ 2414, Mis. 6th July, „ 255. 22nd „ „ 3113, Mis. 28th „ „ 3131, Mis. 7th Sept., „ 3754, Mis. 8th „ „ 3781, Mis. 8th „ „ 3782, Mis. 9th „ „ 3803, Mis. 13th Oct., „ 4245, Mis. 14th „ „ 4265, Mis. 29th „ „ 4565, Mis. 7th Nov., „ 4599, Mis. 10th „ „ 4702, Mis. 17th „ „ 4875, Mis. 19th „ „ 461. 4th Dec., „ 4995, Mis. 27th Nov., „ 5046, Mis. 2nd Dec., „ 5047, Mis. 14th „ „ 499.

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1896, communicated to the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, and the Assistant Commissioner, Chingleput Sub-division, with remarks.—The difference between the quantity of Government salt in store at the Madras Depôt on the 1st October 1895 and that on the 1st June 1896, explained to Government.—Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, requested to report whether he still considers it necessary to extend the date originally fixed for opening sales at the Madras Depôt to the 15th January 1897, and if so, to submit proposals at once, and information on certain points regarding the sifting of excise salt at the out factories, called for.—Orders passed on letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, submitting his report on the results of the auction sales of sifted salt in certain monopoly factories and extensions in the Negapatam and Tinnevelly Sub-divisions.—Letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, submitting proposals for an extension of the sifting concession to the excise licensees in the Chingleput factories and for the postponement of the opening of sales of Government salt at the Madras Depôt, recorded.—Report on the question of opening sales of Government salt at the Madras Depôt and of permitting sifting of excise salt to be continued later than the 1st December 1896, submitted to Government.—Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, requested to explain how a factory officer in the Ennore Circle can find time to supervise manufacture with all its details in the manufacturing season if he cannot find time to destroy the sifted refuse salt in the slack season.—Government Order sanctioning the transport of 118,083 maunds of salt from the local platforms in the Chingleput factories to the Madras Depôt, communicated to the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division.—Remarked on a letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, applying for sanction to write off 190 maunds of Government salt as a special wastage in the accounts of the Chingleput Sub-division.—Government Order approving the Board's recommendations to commence the sale of Government salt at the Madras Depôt from the 1st January 1897 and to permit the sifting of excise salt up to the 31st March 1897, communicated to the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, and Assistant Commissioner, Chingleput Sub-division.	
Sevandakolam excise factory.—The sale of salt in a certain heap of a licensee of the, and the recoupment of a certain amount due to Government from the sale-proceeds thereof, ordered, and the balance of the proceeds ordered to be handed over to the licensee.	19th Feb., No. 826, Mis.
Vaippár factory.—Letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, submitting a report on the progress of sales at the, from the beginning of December 1895, recorded with remarks.—Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, informed with remarks that the sale of Government salt at, should be conducted as usual for six days in the week.—Assistant Commissioner, Tinnevelly Sud-division, requested to report at a very early date the progress made in disposing of the Government salt at,—Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, informed with remarks that the salt remaining unsold at the, should be destroyed at a very early date.	26th „ „ 831, Mis. 14th Aug., „ 3423, Mis. 13th Nov., „ 4712, Mis. 7th Dec., „ 5030, Mis.

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Government salt at the Madras Depôt.—M. Kesavulu Naidu and others of Madras informed that it is not the intention of Government to offer the, for sale before the 1st December next.—T. Gulam Mohideen Sahib Company and others informed that their request that the sales of, may be postponed as long as possible is inadmissible.	9th Mar., No. 969, Mis. 15th April, „ 1528, Mis.
Destruction of certain unsaleable salt at Karassa belonging to Messrs. Stuart, Hall and Company.—Recommendation of the Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, to permit the, by throwing it into their condensers, approved with remarks.	9th Mar., „ 970, Mis.
Krishnápatnam extension No. II.—Letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, recommending the grant of a concession to a certain female heir of a licensee of, to conduct manufacture, storage and sale of salt by her agent, submitted to Government with remarks.—Government Order sanctioning the concession as a special case, communicated to the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division.	10th „ „ 989, Mis. 27th „ „ 1397, Mis.
Rules regarding the removal of salt on particular days.—Assistant Commissioner, Tinnevelly Sub-division, informed that, as the Tuticorin Salt Company is now unwilling to pay for an extra Assistant Inspector the, should be adhered to.	11th „ „ 1007, Mis.
Salt applied for by the Executive Engineer, Madras Division Military Works.—Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, requested to report the purpose for which the, is wanted, and whether the Engineer's request is that it should be issued duty free.	14th „ „ 1080, Mis.
Penugaduru extension No. I.—Orders passed on letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, requesting permission to sell certain quantities of Government salt in the, with an upset price of two annas per maund.—Orders passed on letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, requesting permission to sell certain quantities of Government salt in the, with an upset price of three annas per maund.—Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, informed that the Board is not prepared to reduce further the upset prices fixed for Government salt in the.	16th „ „ 1120, Mis. 22nd May, „ 2133, Mis. 21st July, „ 3042, Mis.
Penugaduru Circle.—The orders of the Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, that the fish-curing yards in the, should be supplied with remnant heaps of salt in the Penugaduru extension, approved.	14th Mar., „ 1156, Mis.
Krishnápatnam factory.—Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, informed that the request of Kurapati Subbayya Chetti of Nellore to be permitted to take over the whole monopoly stock on platform No. VI of the, at a uniform rate of As. 2-1 per maund, cannot be complied with.	17th „ „ 1191, Mis.
An additional quantity of salt to be supplied to the fish-curing yards on the West Coast.—Copy of proceedings of the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, sanctioning, with remarks, recorded.	18th „ „ 1217, Mis.
Destruction of a certain quantity of salt which has been over five years in store in the Mogalturu factory.—Orders passed on letters from the Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division,	23rd „ „ 1262, Mis. 24th Oct., „ 4510, Mis.

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recommending the,—Endorsement of the Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, submitting for information copy of letter from the Assistant Commissioner, Cocanada Subdivision, stating that the destruction of certain salt at Mogalturu was completed on the 14th August 1896, and submitting a statement showing the details of the salt destroyed, recorded.	
Cost of salt.—Letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, submitting a revised statement in old form XII showing the, in the Government extensions at Penugudura, recorded.	24th Mar., No. 1278, Mis.
Invention for "an improvement in the manufacture of Bay salt" by Mr. Willock, Collector of the Vizagapatam district.—Government Order directing that a letter be despatched to the Government of India regarding, recorded.	20th ,, ,, 1282, Mis.
Bad quality of the salt manufactured in the Pákala factory during the season of 1895.—Orders passed on letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, reporting the names of the officers responsible for the,	25th ,, ,, 1314, Mis.
Cheyur factory.—Messrs. Binny and Company allowed a period of three months from 1st April 1896 for the clearance of their salt of 1889–90 at,—Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, requested to explain the inclusion of certain heaps in the notice issued to Messrs. Binny and Company regarding the clearance of their salt at, which had been in store for more than five years.—Letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, explaining the inclusion of certain heaps in the notice issued to Messrs. Binny and Company regarding the clearance of their salt at, which had been in store for more than five years, recorded with remarks.—Messrs. Binny and Company informed that the Board has no objection to their old salt remaining on the platform at, until the orders of the Government of India are received or until the end of the current year provided the heaps are properly protected.—Government Order forwarding to the Government of India Messrs. Binny and Company's memorial praying that sifting of salt may be allowed at the, communicated to the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, and Assistant Commissioner, Chingleput Sub-division.—Messrs. Binny and Company requested to forward to the Board copies of the correspondence on which they based the statement in their memorial to the Government of India that they had been encouraged to acquire old stocks for the purpose of sifting.—A certain communication received from Messrs. Binny and Company touching their statement in their memorial submitted to the Government of India, submitted to Government in original.—Messrs. Binny and Company requested to furnish certain further information in connection with their memorial to the Government of India.—Letter from Messrs. Binny and Company furnishing certain further information, submitted to Government.	27th ,, ,, 1321, Mis. 10th April, ,, 1441, Mis. 4th June, ,, 2386, Mis. 10th July, ,, 2881, Mis. 11th Sept., ,, 3876, Mis. 10th Nov., ,, 4653, Mis. 25th ,, ,, 4850, Mis. 30th ,, ,, 4908, Mis. 9th Dec., ,, 5085, Mis.
Karambalam extension.—The report called for on the result of the auction sales of Government salt at the, submitted to Government.—Board's Proceedings, Mis. No. 1427, dated 3rd April 1896, recorded by Government.—Orders passed on letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division,	3rd April, ,, 1427, Mis. 18th May, ,, 2100, Mis. 29th ,, ,, 2238, Mis. 17th June, ,, 2553, Mis. 23rd ,, ,, 2625, Mis.

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recommending the reduction of the selling price of salt sold at, and Government informed that the further report called for on the result of sale of salt at the extension will be submitted after more definite information is got.—Letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, submitting a further report on the sale of monopoly salt at, recorded.—Government Order recording Board's Proceedings, Mis. No. 2238, dated 29th May 1896, recorded.—Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, requested to furnish certain information in connection with his report on the auction sales of monopoly salt at, for July 1896.—Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, requested to submit without delay the report called for on the results of the auction sale of Government salt at, from 1st April to the 31st August 1896, and a copy of the proceedings submitted to Government for information.—Orders passed on letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, submitting his report on the auction sale of monopoly at, in August 1896.—Letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, reporting on the sale of the monopoly salt, in November 1896, recorded.	25th Aug., No. 3558, Mis. 13th Oct., „ 4233, Mis. 12th Nov., „ 4691, Mis. 24th Dec., „ 5307, Mis.
Sevandakolam extension.—Orders passed on the proposals of the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, for the sale of Government salt in the,—Instructions regarding the sale of a certain quantity of Government salt from platform No. VII of the, issued.	6th April, „ 1457, Mis. 24th Nov., „ 4835, Mis.
Retail sale of salt by weight.—The ryots and traders of Covelong informed that there is no rule against the,	11th April, „ 1484, Mis.
Negapatam.—Copy of letter from the Assistant Commissioner, explaining the reasons why the sifting and storage of certain salt at, were not completed before the rains, recorded.—Letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division submitting the explanation of the Assistant Commissioner, Negapatam Sub-division, for not completing before the rains the sifting and storage operations of a 10-garce heap of the Védáranniyam monopoly salt at, recorded with remarks.	15th „ „ 1500, Mis. 1st May, „ 1801, Mis.
Chunampet.—Petition from Messrs. C. Alawanthariah and Sons requesting that the destruction of their salt at, may be deferred pending the result of their memorial to Government for permission to sift old stocks in that factory.—Messrs. C. Alawanthariah and Sons informed that time will be allowed to them only up to the end of June 1896 for the clearance of their five years' old heaps at,	20th April, „ 1555, Mis. 25th May, „ 2314, Mis.
Light salt.—Jamasji Dadabhoy Runwala of Bombay advised to arrange with the holders of excise licenses if he wishes to try experiments in producing, in the Madras Presidency.	29th April., „ 1737 Mis.
Negapatam factory.—The sale of a certain quantity of salt which has been in store for over five years in the, sanctioned.—Orders passed on the report of the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, furnishing particulars regarding the steps taken towards the destruction of excise salt over five years' old in the,	4th May, „ 1821, Mis. 30th June, „ 2653, Mis.

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Progress of sifting operations in the Chingleput factories.—Letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, submitting, with remarks, a statement showing the results of the sifting operations in the Covelong factory in March 1896, recorded.—The Inspector, Covelong Circle, requested to report how far the licensees in his circle have made arrangements for sifting their stocks, and the Inspectors, Covelong, Vayalur and Ennore Circles, requested to submit a weekly report on the progress of sifting operations in their respective circles.—Letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, submitting a report on the sifting operations in the Covelong Circle during the month of April 1896, recorded. —Reported to Government on the, during the months of March and April 1896.—Report on the, during the month of May 1896, submitted to Government.—Report on the, during the month of June 1896, submitted to Government.—Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, requested to furnish certain information in connection with his report in June 1896, and to see that future reports are submitted within the due date.—Report on the, during the months of July and August 1896, submitted to Government.—Report on the, during the months of September and October 1896, submitted to Government. —Government requested that certain corrections and insertions may be made in the statements for the months of May and June 1896.—Government requested to make certain corrections and alterations in the statements for the months of July and August 1896.	29th April, No. 1829, Mis. 19th May, „ 2051, Mis. 27th „ „ 2246, Mis. 24th July, „ 3097, Mis. 19th Aug., „ 3480, Mis. 14th Sept., „ 3872, Mis. 12th „ „ 3873, Mis. 20th Oct., „ 4391, Mis. 29th Nov., „ 4965, Mis. 1st Dec., „ 4973, Mis. 7th „ „ 5056, Mis.
Applications to sift salt in jointly-stored heaps.—Instructions issued as to the course to be observed in dealing with,—Certain further instructions issued as to the course to be observed in dealing with,—Assistant Commissioner, Chingleput Sub-division, directed to permit Messrs. Arbuthnot and Company to sift their salt in certain jointly-stored heaps in the Vayalur factory.—Assistant Commissioner, Chingleput Sub-division, instructed to permit the executors of the late G. Mahadevam Chetty to sift their salt in certain jointly-stored heaps in the Vayalur factory.—Assistant Commissioner, Chingleput Sub-division, requested, with reference to the sifting of Messrs. Binny and Company's salt heaps in the Vayalur Circle, to furnish certain information regarding their application for permission to sift salt in certain jointly-stored heaps in that circle.—Orders passed on endorsement of the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, on letter from the Assistant Commissioner, Chingleput Sub-division, regarding the sifting of salt in certain jointly-stored heaps in the Vayalur Circle.	18th May, „ 2034, Mis. 12th June, „ 2443, Mis. 17th July, „ 2982, Mis. 20th Aug., „ 3496, Mis. 7th Nov., „ 4598, Mis. 1st Dec., „ 4977, Mis.
Salt heaps in the Mutturayunddapatnam factory which have been in store for over five years.—Recommendation of the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, to sell in auction or destroy under certain circumstances certain, sanctioned.	18th May, „ 2079, Mis.
Karassa.—Orders passed on letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, reporting that the sale of Government salt at, may be discontinued for the present as suggested by Mr. Blake.	21st „ „ 2091, Mis.
Instructions as to the procedure to be adopted in cases in which the quantity of Government salt prescribed for sale in any month in Government extensions is not fully sold	21st May, „ 2091, Mis. 1st Aug., „ 3249, Mis.

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in that month, issued.—Copy of Proceedings of the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, passing orders on letter from the Assistant Commissioner, Chingleput Sub-division, requesting to be informed whether a new heap is to be opened for sale in cases in which the quantity of Government salt prescribed for sale in any month is not fully sold in that month, recorded.	
Kistnapatam extensions. — The recommendation of the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, in regard to the sale of a portion of the Government reserve stock in the, in the current year and the replenishment of that stock by the purchase of salt from the modified excise licensees of those extensions, approved.	22nd May, No. 2134, Mis.
Keranur factory.—Assistant Commissioner, Tinnevelly Sub-division, requested to forward for reference copies of certain records connected with a dispute between the several joint licensees of the,—The Government Pleader, Madras, requested to give his opinion whether, under certain circumstances, the action of the Assistant Commissioner, Tinnevelly Sub-division, in stopping sales of salt in the, is correct. —Copies of certain records promised in Board's Proceedings, Mis. No. 2159, dated 26th May 1896, forwarded to the Government Pleader, Madras.—Petition from certain licensees of the, praying that certain transfer applications put in by one Subramania Iyer, who has ceased to be their agent, may not be accepted.—Translation of certain documents with the documents themselves, forwarded to the Government Pleader, Madras, with remarks.—Opinion of the Government Pleader, Madras, on the action of the Assistant Commissioner, Tinnevelly Sub-division, in directing the stoppage of sales at the, communicated with remarks to the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division.—Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, informed with remarks that no orders can be passed on certain applications for the issue of separate licenses in the,—Orders passed on copy of Proceedings of the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, permitting the removal from the, by certain merchants of salt transferred to them subsequent to the death of Abraham Nadar.—Copy of Proceedings of the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, approving of the orders of the Assistant Commissioner, Tinnevelly Sub-division, stopping all transactions at the, on account of the cancellation by four of the joint licensees of that factory of the power-of-attorney granted to A. R. Subramania Iyer, recorded.—The Government Pleader, Madras, requested to favour the Board with his opinion as to whether, under certain circumstances, the joint license issued to the shareholders of the, and the muchilkas executed by them became void.—The sale under certain conditions of salt transferred by the agent of the, in the name of his brother, authorized.—The Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, requested to arrange for the issue of a fresh joint license in the names of certain persons for the, and informed that all future transactions at the factory should be conducted either by these persons jointly or by their duly constituted agent.	23rd „ „ 2138, Mis. 26th „ „ 2159, Mis. 11th „ „ 2424, Mis. 11th June, „ 2425, Mis. 30th „ „ 2708, Mis. 24th July, „ 3092, Mis. 3rd Sept., „ 3681, Mis. 7th „ „ 3759, Mis. 11th „ „ 3906, Mis. 7th Nov., „ 4597, Mis. 27th „ „ 4916, Mis. 14th Dec., „ 5249, Mis.
Védáranniyam factory.—The destruction of 23,738 maunds of spontaneous salt stored on platform No. VI of the, recommended to Government.—Government Order accepting the	28th May, „ 2237, Mis. 30th June, „ 2691, Mis.

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Board's recommendation, communicated with remarks to the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division.	
Government reserve stocks ordered to be held at certain stations.—Deputy Commissioners requested to favour the Board with their views on certain suggestions made for improving the condition of the, and called upon to arrange for the storage of a heap of sifted salt on each reserve platform in the current season.—Letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, containing suggestions for improving the condition of the Government reserve stocks ordered to be held at certain stations, recorded. —Letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, submitting a report on the arrangements and improvements possible in the case of, recorded.	3rd June, No. 2312, Mis. 31st Aug., „ 3680, Mis. 16th Dec., „ 5226, Mis.
Védáranniyam factory.—Orders passed on letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, regarding the disposal of certain old salt in store in the, belonging to Subbiah Pandaram and Company and Subbiah Pandaram.	4th June, „ 2321, Mis.
Vayalur factory.—Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, requested to report why an Assistant Inspector was asked for, for the, if the licensees were not ready to commence sifting their salt at that factory.	4th „ „ 2346, Mis.
Two petitions from R. P. V. Muthial Chettiar and Brothers, salt merchants of Tuticorin, requesting to order the issue of delivery orders for any quantity of salt that may be applied on a day on payment of duty and to permit sales being commenced if coolies turn up before 9 A.M., forwarded to the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, for report.—Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, informed that sales should not have been restricted in the Tuticorin factories and that there should be no difficulty in check-weighing any quantity of salt with a Pooly's Machine which would weigh 8 or 10 bags at a lift.—Letter from Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, submitting, with remarks, the explanation of Inspector M.R.Ry. Kuppusami Aiyer regarding the restriction of sales in the factories of the Tuticorin Circle, recorded.	12th „ „ 2437, Mis. 4th Sept., „ 3719, Mis. 19th Nov., „ 4845, Mis.
Repair of the coverings of certain salt heaps in the Penuguduru Circle in 1889.—Remarked upon certain irregularities committed by Mr. Greatorex in connection with the, and Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, requested to call upon that officer to show cause why he should not be made to pay a certain amount now claimed by the contractor on that account.	11th June, „ 2448, Mis.
Messrs. Arbuthnot and Company.—Orders passed on letter from, requesting to grant certain concessions regarding their salt at Covelong and the export of certain refuse salt lying in their godowns at Madras.—Assistant Commissioner, Chingleput Sub-division, requested to instruct the Inspector, Ennore Circle, to grant a certificate of payment of duty to, for a quantity of salt to be exported by them to Calcutta and to report whether two or three of the southern drying grounds in the Covelong factory may be made temporary platforms.—The Inspector, Covelong Circle, requested to report to the Board direct the amount of storage space actually available at Covelong factory.	15th „ „ 2480, Mis. 15th „ „ 2481, Mis. 14th July, „ 2935, Mis.

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Manakkudi.—Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, informed with remarks that the upkeep of the platform at, should now be at the cost of Government and that in respect of the lessee's salt remaining in store after the 31st March 1896, the rent fixed for the full year and establishment charges in excess of 5 per cent. of the duty on salt sold should be levied from him.	20th June, No. 2563, Mis.
A consignment of salt sent from the Calicut salt gollah to the Madakkarai fish-curing yard.—Stated that a certain Petty officer of the Madakkarai fish-curing yard should have been punished by suspension or in some such way for refusing to receive, and that the amount of the freight charges remaining unpaid should be debited to contingencies.	22nd „ „ 2580, Mis.
Restrictions placed on the manufacture of bad salt and the order regarding the salt being properly dried. — M. Nummiah Chetty and others informed that the, are exactly the same as prevailed before the introduction of the excise system and Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, requested to inform the Inspectors of Vayalur and Ennore Circles that the licensees may be allowed to remake the heaps awaiting transport and thatch them in any way they like if the salt is reasonably dry.	7th July, „ 2819, Mis.
Kattur, Vayalur, Pulidicak Attipat and Vallur.—A statement showing the average sales at each of the factories of, and the sales at each factory from December 1895 to May 1896, submitted to Government.—An alternative statement showing the average sales at each of the factories of, for each month from December 1895 to May 1896, submitted to Government.	20th „ „ 3013, Mis. 22nd „ „ 3054, Mis.
Destroying the refuse salt after sifting in the Covelong factory.—Certain instructions in the matter of, issued.	28th „ „ 3142, Mis.
Salt produced and consumed in the Madras Presidency.—The Consular Agent for France at Madras furnished with certain information regarding the,	3rd Aug., „ 3233, Mis.
Issue of salt to the Jail Department at cost price from the reserve accumulations of salt.—The Inspector-General of Prisons informed with remarks that the arrangement proposed by him for the, would not be worth making.	7th „ „ 3332, Mis.
Recording destinations of salt in the distribution statements.—The attention of the Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, and Assistant Commissioners, Chatrapur, Chicacole and Cocanada Sub-divisions to certain discrepancies in the matter of, invited.	10th „ „ 3353, Mis.
Adirámpatnam Circle.—Sanction to the disposal of a certain quantity of salt of more than five years' old in the, under condition 26 of the excise license, accorded.	8th „ „ 3359, Mis.
Sanction to sift salt before storage given in Board's Proceedings, No. 72, dated 18th May 1891.—Board directed by Government to give a general intimation to all licensees that, may be cancelled after the close of the current manufacturing season.	21st „ „ 3531, Mis.

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Weekly reports on the progress of the sifting operations.—The Inspectors of the Vayalur, Ennore and Covelong Circles informed that the, in their respective circles, may be discontinued.	2nd Sept., No. 3650, Mis.
Government salt at Covelong and on platform XII A of the Ennore Circle.—Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, informed that the, should be allowed to stay where it is until further orders.	5th ,, ,, 3753, Mis.
Tinnevelly Sub-division.—Letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, submitting report from the Assistant Commissioner, explaining the circumstances under which large issues of salt were made in the fish-curing yards in the, recorded with remarks.	5th ,, ,, 3826, Mis.
Calingapatam factory.—The disposal of a certain quantity of excise salt which has been in store for over five years in the, under condition 26 of the excise license, sanctioned.	10th ,, ,, 3825, Mis.
Kattumavadi factory.—Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, requested to submit a report about the shape of the heaps of sifted salt in the, after its being inspected by the Assistant Commissioner, Negapatam Sub-division.	11th ,, ,, 3853, Mis.
Sale by auction of certain excise heaps in the Nizampatam factory which have been in store for more than five years.—Copy of Proceedings of the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, ordering the, and stating that they may be purchased on behalf of Government for fish-curing purposes if necessary, recorded.	15th ,, ,, 3913, Mis
Véddranniyam.—Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, requested with remarks to state what he proposes to do with the monopoly salt of 1891 and 1894 at,—Orders passed on letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, regarding the disposal of the Government salt stored at,	18th ,, ,, 3950, Mis. 16th Oct., ,, 4276, Mis.
Covelong factory.—Central Division Deputy Commissioner's letter reporting on Mr. Gahan's neglect in carrying out the orders for the sifting of certain Government salt in the, returned to the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, for submission of a proper report.	19th Sept., ,, 3956, Mis.
Calingapatam factory.—The proposal of the Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, to sell 813 maunds of Government salt in the, approved with remarks.	20th ,, ,, 3984, Mis.
Covelong factory.—The attachment and sale by auction of the salt of certain licensees of the, in satisfaction of the sums due from them to Government, ordered.	28th ,, ,, 4019, Mis.
Arrangement of heaps on the drying grounds in the several factories with a view to facilitate the dryage of salt.—Orders passed on letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, regarding the,	29th ,, ,, 4128, Mis.
Pakala factory.—Sanction for transferring 20 maunds of salt from the Government to the excise stock in the, accorded.	8th Oct., ,, 4203, Mis.
Destruction of the salt stored in the remnant heaps belonging to the late Dr. Dhanakoti Raju in the Arumuganeri factory.—	9th ,, ,, 4219, Mis. 28th ,, ,, 3243, R.

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Ganapathi Pillai requested to submit to the Board an additional Court-fee label to be affixed to his petition and certain other records and the Assistant Commissioner, Tinnevelly Sub-division, to report the circumstances under which the, was ordered.—Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, requested to furnish certain information in connection with the,—W. E. Ganapathi Pillai informed that sifting of salt after storage cannot be allowed and that the Deputy Commissioner's action in ordering the, is approved by the Board.	23rd Dec., No. 5240, Mis.
Inspectors, Vayalur and Ennore Circles, informed that the Commissioner will visit Kathivakam on Wednesday the 11th instant and that the excise licensees may make at that time their representations if any regarding the disposal of their stocks and the opening of sales of Government salt at the Madras depôt.	6th Nov., „ 4582, Mis.
Surla.—Endorsement of the Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, submitting, with remarks, copy of Surla Inspector's letter reporting that Messrs. Bheemaraju and Company of Surla have raised the selling price of their salt at that factory from 3 to 4 annas a maund, recorded with remarks.	4th „ „ 4618, Mis.
Mr. MacNab's invention for the separation of salt into big and small crystals.—Government Order directing that the Government of India be addressed on the subject of the novelty of, recorded.	3rd „ „ 4681, Mis.
Collector of Malabar requested to have the results of the weighment of each consignment of salt received from Bombay at Calicut since the 1st January 1896 entered in the enclosed statement and transmitted to the Board.	2nd Dec., „ 4971, Mis.
Short delivery of a bag of salt at the Cannanore fish-curing yard owing to an accident.—Copy of Proceedings of the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, informing the Assistant Commissioner, Calicut Sub-division, that the contractor may be made to pay the cost price of salt and that of the gunny for the, recorded.	28th Nov., „ 5008, Mis.
Loss of a certain quantity of salt shipped from Tuticorin to Mangalore.—The further report in regard to the, awaited and the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, requested to ascertain whether the Port Officer, Mangalore, boarded the vessel which carried the bags, and if so whether its appearance bore out the Master's statement that bad weather was experienced during the voyage.	13th Dec., „ 5177, Mis.
Pandraka.—The Assistant Commissioner, Masulipatam Sub-division, authorized to issue salt at, to merchants in the ratio of 1 maund of salt of 1895 to every 2 maunds of 1896 salt sold to them.	12th „ „ 5178, Mis.
Test-weighment by the Assistant Commissioner of the heaps stored by Inspectors and Assistant Inspectors.—Ordered that the, may be held in abeyance in the case of certain factories of the Chingleput Sub-division and that four heaps in the Madras depôt should be test-weighed by the Assistant Commissioner.	19th „ „ 5210, Mis.
The proposal of the Assistant Commissioner, Tinnevelly Sub-division, to sell fish-curing salt at Rs. 3 per maund,	31st „ „ 5244, Mis.

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approved and the submission of a detailed report on the matter as early as possible, directed.	
Theethandathanam factory.—Sanction to dispose of the salt in a certain heap in the, under condition 23 of the excise license, accorded.	27th Dec., No. 5261, Mis.
Salt required by Messrs. Hall, Wilson and Company of Cocanada for their experiments at their Jagannaikpur factory.—Inspector, Penugudury Circle, directed to supply them with salt not exceeding 50 maunds.	26th „ „ 5297, Mis.
SALT-EARTH.	
Excavation, collection or possession of salt-earth for medicinal purposes in tracts where it is declared contraband salt.—Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, informed with remarks that the, is not legal either under the Salt Act or the rules framed thereunder.	15th Aug., „ 3457, Mis.
SAMPLES.	
Experiments conducted for manufacturing light salt consistent with chemical purity.—Instructions in the matter of forwarding samples of salt to the Board in connection with the, issued.—Inspectors of Factory circles where experimental salt is made requested to report by return of post whether any samples will be sent for test for this year.—Endorsement of the Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, submitting copy of Cocanada Assistant Commissioner's letter reporting on the action taken in the matter of forwarding samples of salt in connection with the, recorded.	23rd July, „ 3129, Mis. 12th Sept., „ 3836, Mis. 22nd Oct., „ 4405, Mis.
Chinna Ganjám factory.—Orders passed on letter from the Assistant Commissioner, Nellore Sub-division, submitting certain samples of salt from the, for analyses.—Declined to modify the orders already passed in the matter of sending certain samples of salt from the, to the Chemical Examiner for analyses.	12th „ „ 3394, Mis. 26th „ „ 3593, Mis.
Printed rules for the guidance of Superintendents of Sea Customs in forwarding samples of spirits and wines to the Madras Customs Laboratory for obscuration test, distributed.	17th Aug., „ 3456, Mis.
Samples of spent wash received from the Tadpatri distillery.—Letter from the Chemical Examiner, Madras, reporting on the, communicated to the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, with remarks.	22nd Oct., „ 4397, Mis.
SEASON.	
A weekly demi-official report on the state of the season.—Certain officers of the Salt, Abkári and Customs Department requested to submit to their Collectors concerned,	24th „ „ 4463, Mis.
SECURITY.	
Export of salt.—Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, informed that his proposal to substitute for personal security other forms of security for the, cannot be accepted and that, if a surety offered is not solvent for the amount intended to be secured, he may be rejected.	22nd May, „ 2106, Mis.

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SECURITY—*cont.*	1896.
Form of security bond prescribed for shroffs.—The Government Solicitor requested to alter the, in order that it may be adopted for certain office of the Superintendent of Stamps, Madras.	4th June, No. 2326, Mis.
Government requested to exempt the Assistant Superintendent of Stamps and Stationery from furnishing security. —Government requested to sanction the adoption of certain forms of security bonds to be executed by the Supervisor, his Assistant and the Cash-keeper of the Stamp office.—Government Order approving the adoption of the forms, communicated to the Superintendent of Stamps.	15th „ „ 2522, Mis. 13th Aug., „ 3414, Mis. 7th Oct., „ 4247, Mis.
The acceptance of policies of the Indian Guarantee and suretyship Association and the Sun Life Assurance Company of India as security for the conduct of public servants.—Government Order informing the Agents of the Indian Guarantee and Suretyship Association and the Sun Life Assurance Company of India of the objections which preclude, and extending to one year the period of six months fixed for policies being replaced by substantial security, communicated to the Collector of Sea Customs, Madras, the Superintendent of Stamps, the Collector of all Maritime districts and the Deputy and Assistant Commissioners.—Government Order passing orders on Proceedings of the Board of Revenue (Land Revenue), communicating to Collectors Government Order on the, recorded.	24th June, „ 245. 6th Nov., „ 453.
Security reported to have been furnished by the Stamp vendor, Small Cause Court, in the shape of immoveable property.—Collector of Madras informed that the, should not have been accepted without the sanction of Government.	14th Dec., „ 5214, Mis.
SERVICE.	
Head Constables.—The Inspector-General of Police requested to state whether, were treated as belonging to the superior service before 1st July 1894.—Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, informed that, cannot be promoted to any post in superior service in the Salt and Abkári Department except that of shroff.	10th Jan., „ 82, Mis. 3rd Feb., „ 468, Mis.
P. Sundaram Chetti, clerk.—Superintendent of Stamps informed that the Board is not prepared to recommend the retention of, in service.	10th Jan., „ 134, Mis.
Sub-Inspectors, Kuttalanada Mudali and Sivasami Pillai.—Recommendation of the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, that, may be retired from 1st April 1896 and 5th October 1896, respectively, approved.	16th „ „ 256, Mis.
Government Order transferring to Financial Department certain papers regarding the inclusion of the record of services of certain officers in the histories of gazetted and other officers, recorded.	15th „ „ 267, Mis.
Statement of uncovenanted gazetted officers of the Salt and Abkári Department, who will attain the age of fifty-five years or whose extension of service will expire during 1896-97.—Government Order recording Board's Proceedings submitting, recorded.—Government informed that there are no	16th „ „ 268, Mis. 10th Dec., „ 5106, Mis.

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gazetted officers in the Salt, Abkári and Customs Department, who will attain the age of fifty-five years or whose extension of service after attainment of that age will expire during the next official year.	
Orders passed on statement of officers in the Northern Division who have attained or will attain the age of fifty-five years during 1896-97.	7th Feb., No. 556, Mis.
Sub-Inspectors, Kasi Aiyer and C. H. Sublarayudu.—The retirement of, the former with effect from 1st April 1896 and the latter from date of attaining the age of fifty-five years, sanctioned.	6th ,, ,, 592, Mis.
Government Order directing the attention of all Government servants to the provisions of the Statute Law forbidding them from entering into pecuniary arrangements as an inducement to retiring from the public service and ordering the insertion of this rule in the Government Servants' Manual, communicated to the Collector of Sea Customs, the Superintendent of Stamps and to all Deputy and Assistant Commissioners.	24th ,, ,, 81.
S. K. Chinnasami Aiyangar, Head Clerk, Madura Circle.—Government requested to cause the publication of a notification to the effect that the services of, have been dispensed with.—Government Order directing the publication of the notification in the *Fort St. George Gazette*, communicated to the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, and Assistant Commissioner, Tinnevelly Subdivision.	24th ,, ,, 813, Mis. 24th ,, ,, 1176, Mis.
C. N. Ramaswami Aiyar.—Government Order on letter from the Chairman, Municipal Council, Ootacamund, submitting, for information, copy of a resolution of that Council cancelling the order dismissing, recorded.	12th Mar., ,, 1065, Mis.
Late First-Class Hospital Assistant Z. Lewin.—Government Order confirming the Surgeon General's order dismissing, form the public service for furnishing two contradictory certificates relative to the death of a female who had come by a violent end, recorded.	25th ,, ,, 1328, Mis.
Engine driver.—Pointed out to the Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, that an, belongs to the superior service.	26th April, ,, 1663, Mis.
Government Order stating that clause 3 of article 3 of the Public Service notification applies to the appointment of unpassed men, not already in the service of Government, to acting vacancies on a total of pay and allowances of not more than Rs. 15 per mensem, communicated to all Deputy and Assistant Commissioners, Collector of Sea Customs and to the Superintendent of Stamps, Madras.—Government Order directing the omission of certain words in lines 2 and 3 of G.O., No 184, Educational, dated 31st March 1896, regarding the application of article 3, clause 3 of the Public Service notification, communicated to all Deputy and Assistant Commissioners, the Collector of Sea Customs and the Superintendent of Stamps.	29th ,, ,, 171. 19th Aug., ,, 229.

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SERVICE—*cont.*	1896.
Course to be adopted in cases in which the entries as to suspension, &c., have already been made in the service books but copies of the orders cannot be attached to the service register in the absence of record.—Government requested to issue instructions regarding the,—Government Order, Pension Department, considering it unnecessary to file a copy of the correspondence relating to the suspension or dismissal of a Government servant with the service book or to submit a copy of such correspondence along with a pension application and laying down the procedure to be adopted in cases where the actual order directing suspension or dismissal is not sufficiently full and where the order itself is not forthcoming, communicated to all Deputy and Assistant Commissioners and Inspectors for information guidance.	30th April, No. 1775, Mis. 1st Aug., „ 308.
Mr. Stone, Assistant Inspector.—Government Order verifying the services of, while employed in the Chief Secretariat, recorded.	19th May, „ 2073.
Mr. T. A. Stahlmann, Customs clerk, Railway Sayer, Pondicherry.—Government Order sanctioning the retention in service of, up to the 31st March 1897, communicated to the Collector of South Arcot.	21st „ „ 2113, Mis.
S. Venkatavatnam Naidu, Head Clerk, Customs office, Vizagapatam.—Letter from the Collector of Vizagapatam requesting to obtain the sanction of Government for the transfer of the services of, to the Landing and Shipping office, Vizagapatam, for 10 years with retrospective effect from the 1st April 1891, submitted for the favourable consideration of Government.—Government Order regarding the transfer of the services of, to the Landing and Shipping office with retrospective effect from 1st April 1891, communicated with remarks to the Collector of Vizagapatam.	1st July, „ 2726, Mis. 11th Sept., „ 3868, Mis.
Period spent on drill duty with their regiments by reserrist sepoys of the Opium Department.—Government Order recording endorsement of the Government of India forwarding copy of its reply to the Government of Bengal stating that the, should be treated as duty qualifying for leave under Civil rules, recorded.	3rd July, „ 2791, Mis.
A. Aroomoogam Pillai, a Quartermaster-Sergeant in the Ceylon Company, Royal Artillery, informed that his services are not required.	21st Aug., „ 3550, Mis.
Inferior servants.—Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, informed that article 506 of the Civil Service Regulations does not apply to, and stated that there is no rule that an inferior servant should be retired at any particular age and consequently no sanction is required to keep him on.	25th „ „ 335.
History of services.—Government Order stating that the Government is of opinion that the only non-gazetted officer who should be added to the, is the Superintendent of the Government Press, recorded.	5th Sept., „ 3770, Mis.
Instructions as to the custody of the service books of non-gazetted officers acting in gazetted appointments and as to the transmission of such service books along with their leave applications.—	15th „ „ 3948, Mis.

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Circular No. VIII of the Accountant-General, Madras, issuing, communicated to Deputy and Assistant Commissioners and to the Collector of Sea Customs, Madras, and the Superintendent of Stamps for information and guidance.	
Service book of Mr. D' Wane, late Assistant Inspector.—Returned, with remarks, to the Assistant Commissioner, Trichinopoly Sub-division, for custody in his office.	19th Sept., No. 3962, Mis.
Rules for admission to the Madras Provincial Civil Service.—Government Order making certain alterations in the, and forwarding copy of the Proceedings to the Government of India, recorded.	25th ,, ,, 4066, Mis.
Absence on drill duty of reservist sepoys employed in the Salt, Abkári and Customs Department.—Government requested to obtain a definite ruling from the Government of India as to how the, should be treated and whether substitutes can be entertained at the expense of the State during their absence and to sanction the employment of temporary hands in the place of reservists while on drill duty.	23rd Oct., ,, 4420, Mis.
Consolidated statement of officers over fifty-five years of age.—Instructions to Deputy and Assistant Commissioners regarding the submission of the, to the Board before the end of October in each year, issued.	1st Nov., ,, 439.
Statement of non-gazetted officers in the Salt and Abkári Department who will attain the age of fifty-five years or whose extension of service after attainment of that age will expire during the official year 1897–98.—Extracts from the Accountant-General's, communicated to the Deputy Commissioners concerned for early report and the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, requested to report the date of birth of Sub-Inspector K. Unniri Nair of the Calicut Circle.	1st ,, ,, 4571, Mis.
Employment of Military pensioners as Sub-Inspectors in the Salt, Abkári and Customs Department.—Government requested to amend article 4 (2) of the Public Service notification regarding,	4th ,, ,, 4614, Mis.
M.R.Ry. P. Raghava Pillai, an auditor in the Board's office (Separate Revenue).—The retention in service up to 31st March 1898, sanctioned.	10th ,, ,, 4648, Mis.
A list of non-gazetted officers of the Customs Department who will attain the age of fifty-five years or whose extensions of service after attainment of that age will expire during the official year 1897–98, communicated to the Collectors of certain Maritime districts and their attention drawn to the Accountant-General's request for a copy of the order passed in each person's case.	9th Dec., ,, 498.
Parasurama Prasad, Sub-Inspector.—The retention of, in the service up to 31st March 1898, sanctioned.	25th ,, ,, 5277, Mis.
SHOPS.	
Question of entrusting to Tahsildars the work of sanctioning the checkbundi of shops and issuing licenses, and to Divisional officers that of granting farmers' licenses.—Letter from the	6th Jan., ,, 51, Mis. 6th ,, ,, 52, Mis. 6th ,, ,, 53, Mis.

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Collector of Ganjám reporting on the, recorded.—Letter from the Collector of Vizagapatam reporting on the, recorded.—Letter from the Collector of Tanjore reporting on the, recorded.—Letter from the Collector of North Arcot reporting on the, recorded.—Letter from the Collector of South Canara reporting on the, recorded.—Letter from the Collector of Salem reporting on the, recorded.—Letter from the Collector of South Arcot reporting on the, recorded.—Letter from the Collector of Chingleput reporting on the, recorded.—Letter from the Collector of Nellore reporting on the, recorded.—Letter from the Collector of Kurnool reporting on the, recorded.—Letter from the Collector of Anantapur reporting on the, recorded.—Letter from the Collector of Cuddapah reporting on the, recorded.—Letter from the Collector of Nilgiris reporting on the, recorded.—Letter from the Collector of Madura reporting on the, recorded.—Letter from the Collector of Kistna reporting on the, recorded.—Letter from the Collector of Gódávari reporting on the, recorded.—Letter from the Collector of Tinnevelly reporting on the, recorded.—The deligation to Divisional officers of the power of granting licenses for exclusive privileges, and to Tahsildars and Deputy Tahsildars in independent charge that of sanctioning the checkbundi (limits) of shops and issuing abkári shop licenses, approved with remarks, and a notification on the subject, submitted to Government.—Government Order approving and ordering the publication of the notification in the *Fort St. George Gazette*, communicated to all Collectors and Deputy Commissioner, Central Division.—The Collector of Cuddapah informed that Tahsildars and Deputy Tahsildars in independent charge may issue licenses for shops.	6th Jan., No. 54, Mis. 6th ,, ,, 55, Mis. 6th ,, ,, 56, Mis 6th ,, ,, 59, Mis. 11th ,, ,, 167, Mis. 15th ,, ,, 261, Mis. 29th ,, ,, 459, Mis. 10th Feb., ,, 588, Mis. 10th ,, ,, 608, Mis. 10th ,, ,, 636, Mis. 17th ,, ,, 713, Mis. 24th ,, ,, 788, Mis. 10th Mar., ,, 1015, Mis. 23rd May, ,, 2172, Mis. 15th June, ,, 231. 15th Aug., ,, 327. 2nd Dec., ,, 4981, Mis.
North Arcot.—The closure of certain toddy shops permanently in the Wandiwash and Polur taluks, sanctioned.	8th Jan., ,, 128, Mis.
Tadpatri.—Venkatari Venkatasawmy, abkári renter, informed that the Board sees no necessity for opening another foreign liquor shop at,	10th ,, ,, 138, Mis.
Chingleput.—The closure of the arrack shop at Krishnapuram, Tiruvallúr taluk, sanctioned.	15th ,, ,, 159, Mis.
Madras Town.—Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, informed that ganja shops in, should continue to be sold separately.	11th ,, ,, 160, Mis.
Cuddapah district.—Government Order declining to interfere on behalf of K. Subbaya, toddy renter in the, in the matter of compensating him for the loss sustained by him owing to the removal of certain toddy shops from their old sites, recorded.	15th ,, ,, 179, Mis.
Coimbatore district.—The opening of a ganja shop at Bhavání, for the official year 1896-97, sanctioned with remarks.	16th ,, ,, 181, Mis.
Non-opening of the shops in the Hansu and Chennoor firkas.—Collector of Bellary requested to report the result of the enquiries made by him regarding the causes which led to the,—Letter from the Collector explaining the causes which led to the, recorded.	16th ,, ,, 182, Mis. 20th ,, ,, 354, Mis.

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Tinnevelly district.—The opening of a ganja shop at Sáttúr for the lease of 1896–97, sanctioned.	13th Jan., No. 188, Mis.
Chingleput.—Orders passed on letter from the Collector requesting the Board's sanction to the transfer of the toddy shop at Pelankuppam to Kallatanallur, Madurántakam taluk.	27th „ „ 312, Mis.
Closure of certain arrack shops in the Mangalagiri rent area of the Guntúr taluk, Kistna district, for 1894–95.—Letter from the Collector of Kistna reporting as to what amount may be reasonably remitted to the arrack renters of the Mangalagiri khandam in consequence of the, recorded.—A report on the, submitted to Government and its sanction to the remission of Rs. 1,500 to the renters concerned, solicited.—Telegraphed to the Collector of Kistna to quote by wire the authority sanctioning belts within which rural farmers were prohibited from opening arrack shops around municipal towns in the district.—Government Order sanctioning the remission of Rs. 1,500 to the renters, communicated to the Collector of Kistna for information and necessary action.—Telegram from the Collector of Kistna in reply to Board's Proceedings, Mis. No. 1283, dated 25th March 1896, recorded.	27th „ „ 315, Mis. 6th Mar., „ 906, Mis. 25th „ „ 1283, Mis. 4th April, „ 1420, Mis. 2th „ „ 1426, Mis.
Salem.—Action of the Collector of, in sanctioning the location of the toddy shop at Ammapett, Salem taluk, beyond its notified limits, approved with remarks.	30th Jan., „ 405, Mis.
Kurnool district.—The opening of a ganja shop at Koilkuntla, sanctioned.	6th Feb., „ 524, Mis.
The location of the toddy shop at Arimulai, Vellore taluk, beyond its notified limit, sanctioned.	11th „ „ 606, Mis.
The location of the toddy shop at Ambur cusbah, Vellore taluk, in a new site beyond its sanctioned limits, sanctioned.	24th „ „ 741, Mis.
Kistna.—The proposal of the Collector of, revising the list of arrack shops to be opened in the Répalle taluk for the lease 1895–96, sanctioned.	26th „ „ 827, Mis.
Two statements, one showing particulars of sale of arrack and toddy rent areas and shops for the lease ending 30th September 1896 and the other showing the number of shop rent areas, &c., as they stood on 1st October 1895, circulated.	28th „ „ 74.
The location of the toddy shop at Reddimanguppam, Gudiyáttam taluk, in a fresh site beyond the sanctioned limits, sanctioned.	9th Mar., „ 1030, Mis.
The location of a certain arrack shop in the Salem taluk in a fresh site beyond its notified limits for the lease 1896–97, sanctioned.	13th „ „ 1090, Mis.
Closure of liquor shops within three miles of the Madras-Hyderabad frontier.—Board's remarks on a letter from the Resident at Hyderabad forwarding, for the consideration of Government, copies of correspondence from His Highness the Nizam's Minister on the subject of the, submitted to	17th „ „ 1116, Mis. 8th April, „ 1414, Mis. 14th „ „ 1486, Mis. 28th „ „ 159.

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Government.—Copy of Board's Proceedings, Mis. No. 1790, dated 4th June 1891, regarding the closure of liquor shops near the Hyderabad frontier, submitted to Government. —Memorandum from the Under Secretary to Government, Revenue Department, requesting that Board's Proceedings, Mis. No. 1790, dated 4th June 1891, may be sent to him for reference, recorded.—Government Order passing orders on Board's Proceedings, Mis. No. 1116, dated 17th March 1896, communicated to all Collectors and Deputy and Assistant Commissioners.	
Letter from the Collector of Ganjám reporting that though the tenders for certain toddy shops in the Chicacole taluk were accepted subsequent to October, the renters have agreed to pay rentals for full toddy lease 1895–96, recorded.	14th Mar., No. 1127, Mis.
Coimbatore district.—The closure of 64 arrack shops in the, from the lease 1896–97, sanctioned, and stated that they may be removed from the list.	14th „ „ 1164, Mis.
Kistna district.—The opening of addtional toddy shops in certain taluks of the, as they fall within the sanctioned number, approved and the closure of certain unsold toddy shops in the district and one toddy arrack khandam in the Bápatla taluk for the lease 1895–96, sanctioned.—The retention of 39 toddy shops in the Vissannapet division, opened in excess of the number of shops proposed to be opened for the lease 1895–96, sanctioned.	16th „ „ 1178, Mis. 28th April, „ 1709, Mis.
Ganjám.—Letter from the Collector reporting that a tender for Rs. 3 per annum has been accepted for the toddy shop at Priya of Paltalagum Hunda for the toddy lease 1895–96, recorded.	18th Mar., „ 1212, Mis.
Collector of Cuddapah informed that there is no objection to toddy-shopkeepers holding arrack shops also.	20th „ „ 1232, Mis.
Trichinopoly.—The proposal of the Collector of, for the closure of certain arrack shops in the district, approved.	20th „ „ 1265, Mis.
Koduvali in Tiruvallúr taluk.—The action of the Collector of Chingleput in ordering the closure of the arrack shop at, approved.	27th „ „ 1340, Mis.
The transfer of toddy shop at Keelakaranai to Singaperumálkóyil, Chingleput taluk, sanctioned.	27th „ „ 1342, Mis.
Foreign liquor retail shop at Markapur.—Collector of Kurnool informed that he may himself make the selection as he thinks best among the rival applicants for the,	6th April, „ 1405, Mis.
Mysore territory.—Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, requested to ascertain and report to what extent toddy is smuggled from the, into the Kangundi zemindari and whether he considers it necessary to take steps for the removal of the toddy shop at Lakanahalli in the,—Letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, submitting further report regarding the opening of toddy and arrack shops near the gold miners' camp in the Kangundi zemindari, recorded.—Collector of North Arcot requested to report why he does not approve of the Central Division Deputy Commissioner's proposal to transfer certain liquor shops from	10th „ „ 1436, Mis. 5th May, „ 1838, Mis. 15th July, „ 2973, Mis. 19th Aug., „ 3510, Mis.

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Gudipalli village to Athinatham in the Kangundi division and whether he considers it necessary to apply for the removal of certain liquor shops in the,—The suggestion of the Collector of North Arcot that it is unnecessary to apply for the removal of certain liquor shops from Lakanahalli in the, approved and the Collector requested to see that the transfer of the arrack and toddy shops from Gudipalli to Athinatham in Kangundi is effected as early as practicable.	
Pudduppair, Conjeeveram taluk.—The closure of the arrack shop at, for the lease 1896–97, sanctioned.	21st April, No. 1632, Mis.
Papavinasam, Kumbakónam taluk.—The order of the Collector of Tanjore sanctioning the transfer of toddy shop in, approved.	25th „ „ 1686, Mis.
Melaviraraghavapuram.—The transfer of the arrack shop at, from its notified site, sanctioned.	27th „ „ 1704, Mis.
Rathanallur.—Copy of the Tanjore Collector's order sanctioning transfer of the arrack shop at, to Tiruvengadu, Shiyali taluk, recorded.	27th „ „ 1705, Mis.
Kurnool.—Letter from the Collector reporting the result of the sale of arrack shop in the district for the lease 1896–97, recorded, and an extract of the Collector's report, communicated to the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, for attention.—A further report from the Collector, as to whether with the number of arrack shops sold for 1896–97 a licit supply of arrack will be available throughout the district, awaited.—Endorsement of the Collector of, submitting letter from the Inspector of the Kurnool Circle stating that the number of arrack shops sold for 1896–97 in the Nandyal taluk is sufficient to secure a licit supply of arrack in the taluk, recorded.—Endorsement of the Collector submitting copy of letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, regarding the establishment of arrack shops in some parts of the district under the amani system, recorded, pending receipt of the further report, promised.—Orders passed on letter from the Collector of Kurnool reporting on the insufficiency of the existing number of arrack shops sold for 1896–97 in the Cumbum taluk and proposing to open amani shop therein.—The proposal of the Collector of, to open no amani arrack shops in the Cumbum taluk, approved, and Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, called on to report why there appears to be no demand for arrack in the southern and eastern portions of the taluk.	21st „ „ 1726, Mis. 6th July, „ 2776, Mis. 16th „ „ 2996, Mis. 23rd „ „ 3164, Mis. 14th Aug., „ 3432, Mis. 28th Nov., „ 4958, Mis.
Kumbakónam taluk.—The transfer of toddy shop No. 172 in the, from the present to the proposed limits at Athanur, approved.	16th May, „ 2072, Mis.
Nellore.—The action of the Collector in having sanctioned the new sites for the arrack shops Nos. I and II in the town of Kávali, approved.	22nd „ „ 2141, Mis.
Madura.—Letter from the Collector reporting on the transfer of certain ganja shops and opium farms in the district, recorded.	15th „ „ 2168, Mis.

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Non-opening of shops in the Nandanavanam range.—Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, requested to report whether the statement of the Tahsildar of the Kanigiri taluk that the, is due to the prevalence of illicit distillation is correct and if so what steps have been taken to put it down.—Letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, reporting on the prevalence of illicit distillation in the Kanigiri taluk, Nellore district, recorded.	28th May, No. 2220, Mis. 22nd Oct., „ 4406, Mis.
Salem.—The action of the Collector in transferring certain arrack shop from the Cholapadi to the Shandai Cholapadi village in the Dharmapuri taluk, approved.	4th June, „ 2355, Mis.
South Arcot district.—The opening of two additional toddy shops in the Chidambaram taluk, sanctioned.	11th „ „ 2435, Mis.
North Arcot.—The action of the Collector in sanctioning fresh sites beyond the sanctioned limits for the location of the Nindra and Alathuru arrack shops in the Puttur division, approved.	13th „ „ 2512, Mis.
The proposal of the Collector of Salem to close certain toddy shops in the Tiruchengódu taluk, for the lease 1896–97, approved with a slight modification.	24th „ „ 2640, Mis.
Nellore.—The removal of the arrack shop at Rudrakota to a site beyond the notified limits, sanctioned with remarks.—The removal of the toddy shop at Tummur to a site beyond the notified limits, sanctioned with remarks.	25th „ „ 2660, Mis. 25th „ „ 2661, Mis.
Tinnevelly district.—The transfer of the toddy shop at Anaithalaipachari to the village of Gangaikondan, sanctioned.	29th „ „ 2713, Mis.
Salem.—The action of the Collector of, in closing the Komarasanupatti toddy shop in the Dharmapuri taluk for the lease 1896–97, approved.	29th „ „ 2714, Mis.
The reports of the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, and the Assistant Commissioner, Trichinopoly Sub-division, on certain irregularities observed in certain arrack depôts and shops of the Perambalúr and Udaiyárpálaiyam taluks of the Trichinopoly district, reviewed and the attention of the Deputy and Assistant Commissioners called to the instructions on the subject of depôt and shop inspections contained in Board's Proceedings, Mis. No. 3936, dated 2nd December 1888.—Copy of Proceedings of the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, considering that the explanations of the Sub-Inspectors concerned in the irregularities noticed are not satisfactory and inflicting punishments upon them, recorded.	10th „ „ 2883, Mis. 13th Nov., „ 4884, Mis.
Reclassification of toddy shops in the Madras Town Circle from the 1st October 1896.—Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, requested to report whether in view of the enhancement of the rates of tree-tax sanctioned by Government, he considers it advisable to give effect to the proposed,—Petition from one Appathurai Gramani praying for the transfer of the license for temporary toddy shop No. 2 at Kódambákkam to his own name returned to the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, for disposal and stated that the question of converting the temporary shop into permanent ones or of dispensing with them will be considered along with the	11th July, „ 2856, Mis. 28th „ „ 3151, Mis. 7th Aug., „ 3337, Mis.

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subject of reclassifying toddy shops in the Madras Town Circle.—Letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, reporting that it is not advisable to give effect to the proposed, recorded.	
Mangarasavalaiyapalaiyam village in the Palladam taluk.—The action of the Collector of Coimbatore in opening a new toddy shop at the, for the ensuing toddy lease, approved.	13th July, No. 2960, Mis.
Limits of shops specified in the notice of the sale of toddy shops in the district for the lease commencing from the 1st October 1896.—Collector of South Arcot requested to amend the,	21st „ „ 3047, Mis.
Tanjore district.—The transfer of toddy shop No. 209 in the Mannárgudi taluk to a site beyond the notified limits, approved.	31st „ „ 3257, Mis.
Tanjore district.—The transfer of toddy shop No. 155 in the Pattukkóttai taluk to a place beyond the notified limit, approved.	6th Aug., „ 3314, Mis.
North Arcot district.—The action of the Collector in having issued a license for the arrack shop at Chathambayal in the Punganur division for the remaining portion of the lease 1896–97, approved with remark.	6th „ „ 3342, Mis.
Gódávari.—Collector requested by wire to arrange as far as possible for a belt of two miles clear of stills and arrack shops along the Kistna frontier for the lease commencing with 1st October 1896.	13th „ „ 3401, Mis.
Removal of toddy shop No. 224 from Triplicane to a distant site in Rayapuram.—Central Division Deputy Commissioner's order permitting the, disapproved and set aside.	8th Sept., „ 3776, Mis.
The closure of certain arrack shops in the Máyavaram and Nannilam taluks for the current lease, sanctioned.	20th „ „ 3999, Mis.
Trichinopoly district.—The closure of the Mogalapuram toddy shop, Musiri taluk, for 1896–97, sanctioned.	13th Oct., „ 4326, Mis.
Transferring shops beyond the notified limits.—The Collector of South Arcot informed that it is not considered necessary to delegate to Collectors the power of,	2nd Nov., „ 4613, Mis.
Karvetnagar toddy shops Nos. I and II.—The Collector of North Arcot requested to explain why the Board's instructions as to the manner of notifying sites of liquor shops were disregarded in publishing the limits for the location of,	20th „ „ 4857, Mis.
Salem district.—The re-opening of one toddy shop at Mathigiri in the, from the 1st October 1897, sanctioned.	30th „ „ 4980, Mis.
Cuddapah.—Letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, reporting on the Collector's proposal to close certain unsold shops in the district, communicated to the Collector of Cuddapah.	4th Dec., „ 5067, Mis.
North Arcot.—The location of the toddy shop at Pernambat in a site beyond the notified limits, sanctioned with remark.	7th „ „ 5068, Mis.

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Kistna district.—The closure of the opium shop at Ravendrapad, Répalle taluk, sanctioned.	13th Dec., No. 5181, Mis.
SHROFFS.	
Deputy Commissioners requested to furnish certain information for factories which are allowed only one shroff each.—Letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, reporting on the factories in the Northern Division which have only one shroff, recorded.—Endorsement of the Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, furnishing certain information for factories in the Chicacole Sub-division which are allowed only one shroff each, recorded with remark.—Letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, furnishing certain information for factories in his division which are allowed only one shroff each, recorded. — Letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, submitting statement showing the details of factories which are allowed only one shroff each in the Cocanada and Chatrapur Sub-divisions, recorded.—Letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, furnishing certain particulars relating to the work of shroffs in factories in which only a single shroff is allowed, recorded. — Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, informed that he has not made out a strong case in support of his recommendation for an additional shroff for the Kistnapatam factory.	1st Feb., „ 440, Mis. 21st April, „ 1119, R. 10th June, „ 2396, Mis. 22nd „ „ 2594, Mis. 13th July, „ 2196, R. 3rd Aug., „ 2323, R. 9th Dec., „ 5086, Mis.
Kamblimedu factory.—Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, requested to explain how the work of the, can be done by the clerk-shroff at Cuddalore.	21st Nov., „ 4793, Mis.
SIGNATURE.	
The attention of all Deputy and Assistant Commissioners and Circle officers drawn to Board's Proceedings, Mis. No. 2336, dated 16th June 1892, directing all officers to sign their names legibly.	13th June, „ 2488, Mis.
Copies of documents.—The Head Clerks of the Deputy and Assistant Commissioners' offices authorized to sign, when those officers are away in camp.	20th Sept., „ 3986, Mis.
SMUGGLING.	
Illicit export of opium and other intoxicating drugs to Port Blair.—Government Order recording letter from the Superintendent of Port Blair conveying thanks for the action of the Madras Government in the matter of preventing the, recorded.—Letter from the Collector of Chingleput stating that no information is available as to the whereabouts of one Govinda Mudali of the 26th Madras Native Infantry alleged to be concerned in a case unauthorized export of opium, recorded.—Government Order communicating letter from the Superintendent of Port Blair stating that the 26th Madras Native Infantry has left Port Blair and is believed to be stationed at Belgam, communicated to the Collector of Chingleput.	15th Jan., „ 284, Mis. 29th „ „ 360, Mis. 18th Mar., „ 1162, Mis.
Smuggling from Sandúr.—Letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, reporting on the working of the special force entertained for the prevention of, and on the question of its permanent retention, recorded with remark.	7th „ „ 926, Mis.

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Smuggling of toddy from the Mysore territory into the Kangundi zemindari.—Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, requested to ascertain and report to what extent, prevails and whether he considers it necessary to take steps for the removal of the toddy shop at Lakanahalli in the Mysore territory.—Letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, submitting further report regarding the opening of toddy and arrack shops near the gold miners' camp in the Kangundi zemindari, recorded, pending receipt of reply to Board's Proceedings, Mis. No. 1436, dated 10th April 1896. —Collector of North Arcot requested to report why he does not approve of the Central Division Deputy Commissioner's proposal to transfer certain liquor shops from Gudipalli village to Attinatum in the Kangundi division and whether he considers it necessary to apply for the removal of certain liquor shops in the Mysore territory.	10th April, No. 1436, Mis. 5th May, „ 1838, Mis. 15th July, „ 2973, Mis.
A case of attempted smuggling of arrack into Saidapet town.—Letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, reporting on, recorded.	29th April, „ 1778, Mis.
Smuggling of spontaneous salt in the Tada Circle.—The payment of Rs. 72 as special rewards to certain village munsifs and watchmen who co-operated in the prevention of, sanctioned.	16th June, „ 2513, Mis.
Smuggling of liquor now prevalent in the Kurnool district.—Letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, reporting that the introduction of the T. T. system in the district will give sufficient staff to cope with the, recorded.	22nd „ „ 2608, Mis.
Cases of smuggling of dutiable goods detected at the time of the importers crossing the lines of French Frontier.—Certain officers of the Salt, Abkári and Customs Department instructed that, should be dealt with under the Land Customs Act.—Certain officers of the Salt, Abkári and Customs Department instructed that, though not dealt with departmentally should be entered in P. 21, but should not appear in P. 22.	8th July, „ 268. 7th Nov., „ 445.
SNAKES.	
Manginapudi factory.—Orders passed on letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, reporting on the danger to men from snakes in the,	23rd Mar., „ 1234, Mis.
SPIRITS.	
Methylated spirits.—Reported to Government on the necessity of amending Act XVI of 1863 and certain information on certain other points regarding, in the Presidency, furnished. —Collector of Sea Customs, Madras, requested to report whether imported spirits were methylated with wood naptha at the Custom House during recent years and if so whether the requisite sanction of the Board and the certificate from the Chemical Examiner were obtained in each case.—Replied to the order of Government requesting the Board to report the action taken by it with reference to a certain remark of the Chemical Examiner to the effect that	7th „ „ 914, Mis. 29th May, „ 2226, Mis. 22nd June, „ 2595, Mis.

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...e is not aware of having been asked to examine any specimen of wood naptha intended to be used for the methylation of spirits.	
Compounding of spirits at Messrs. Parry and Company's warehouse at Tanjore.—Southern Division Deputy Commissioner's order pohibiting the, approved with remarks.—Endorsement of the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, submitting copy of letter from the Assistant Commissioner, Negapatam Sub-division, stating that he was not aware that blending of spirits was carried on in the Tanjore warehouse after the abolition of the Tanjore distillery, recorded with remark.	7th May, No. 1875, Mis 18th „ „ 2062, Mis.
Maximum quantity of methylated spirits for private use for which permits may be issued by Collector.—Sanction of Government for modifying the rule in regard to the, solicited.—Government Order according sanction for modifying the rule, recorded.—Messrs. Parry and Company informed that the rule in regard to the, will be modified by raising the maximum limit of issue to five gallons.—Copy of Proceedings of the Collector of South Arcot issuing certain instructions in the matter of applications for the removal of methylated spirits from the Nellikuppum distillery, recorded.—The attention of the Collector of South Arcot invited to Sub-Circular Order No. IV—23 of 1889, dated 5th September 1896, in the matter of the revised rule for the issue of methylated spirits for private use.—Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, requested to furnish further particulars regarding the transactions in methylated spirits of certain firms in Madras.—Copy of Proceedings of the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, passing orders on letter from the Assistant Commissioner, Trichinopoly Sub-division, enquiring whether any license is necessary for the sale of methylated spirts, recorded.	21st July, „ 3064, Mis. 26th Aug., „ 3334, Mis. 5th Sept., „ 3751, Mis. 1st „ „ 3752, Mis. 13th Oct., „ 4275, Mis. 24th Nov., „ 4851, Mis. 17th „ „ 4852, Mis.
Issue of spirits from the Ranipettai distillery.—Copy of leter from the Agent of the Arcot Sugar Works distilleries, Ránipéttai, to the Assistant Commissioner, Arcot Sub-division, protesting against certain orders issued by him in regard to the, forwarded to the Manager of the Commercial and Land Mortgage Bank, Madras, with remarks.—Letter from the Manager of the Commercial and Land Mortgage Bank, Madras, replying to Board's Proceedings, Mis. No. 4707, dated 11th November 1896, recorded.	11th „ „ 4707, Mis. 29th „ „ 5009, Mis.
STAMPS.	
Letter from the Superintendent of Stamps reporting that one packet of four-anna non-judicial stamp papers was incorrectly labelled, submitted to Government for transmission to the Right Honourable the Secretary of State for India; and the adjustments in the accounts relating to the stock of stamps proposed by the Superintendent of Stamps, approved.—Government Order ordering that a despatch be forwarded to the Secretary of State, recorded.—Government Order communicating letter from the Secretary of State for India stating that measures have been taken to prevent the recurrence of mistakes in packing stamp-papers, communicated to the Superintendent of Stamps.	9th Jan., „ 49, Mis. 28th „ „ 375, Mis. 6th May, „ 1892, Mis.

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Superintendent of Stamps requested to ascertain from the Collectors of districts other than South Arcot, whether it is necessary to secure the stamps in their treasuries in almirahs lined with zinc plates.—The attention of the Collectors drawn to the necessity for seeing that the stock of stamps is duly protected from damage by white-ants or dampness.	10th Jan., No. 135, Mis. 16th June, „ 2514, Mis.
Outstanding debentures of corporate bodies on which the full amount of stamp duty has been paid without composition.—Government Order referring for report letter from the Government of India requesting to be furnished with certain information regarding the, referred to the Superintendent of Stamps and to all Collectors for report.—Report on the outstanding debentures of corporate bodies which will not be covered by the legislation proposed in the last paragraph of the appendix to the Government of India resolution regarding the amendment of the Indian Stamp Act I of 1879, submitted to Government.—Letter from the Collector of Malabar reporting that the full amount of stamp duty has not been paid on the debenture bonds issued by the Municipal Council, Palghat, submitted to Government in continuation of Board's Proceedings, Mis. No. 2158, dated 27th March 1896.—Government Order communicating letter from the Government of India regarding the collection of stamp duty on certain debentures issued by the Municipal Council, Palghat, communicated to the Collector of Malabar for compliance and report.	18th Jan., „ 17. 27th Mar., „ 2158, Mis. 17th July, „ 3000, Mis. 16th Oct., „ 4346, Mis.
Reduction of stamp duties on Fire Insurance Policies.—Government Order, Revenue Department, communicating Government Order, Judicial Department, communicating letter from the Government of India regarding, communicated to all Collectors and the Superintendent of Stamps for information.	22nd Jan., „ 29.
Foreign Bill Stamps.—The issue to the Superintendent of Stamps, Hyderabad Presidency, of certain, required by him, sanctioned.—The supply to the Superintendent of Stamps, Hyderabad, of, required by him, sanctioned.—The supply to the Superintendent of Stamps, Hyderabad, of certain, required by him, sanctioned.	23rd „ „ 265, Mis. 14th Mar., „ 1072, Mis. 28th May, „ 2184, Mis
Late N. Krishnamachari.—Collector of Chingleput requested, with remarks, to submit at an early date, a correct valuation of the property left by the, at the time of death and to report whether the value of the estate on which probate duty was paid includes the shares taken by Desikachari and other legatees under his will; and the Administrator-General requested to inform the Board whether in making applications under section 19–E of Court-fees Act in the case of estates under his administration, the value of the estate at the time of the owner's death or the value with accretions on account of interest, &c., up to the date of application for probate is taken into consideration.—Letter from the Administrator-General, Madras, stating the procedure followed by him in making applications to the Board under section 19-E of the Court-fees Act, communicated to the Collector of Chingleput with remarks.	27th Jan., „ 310, Mis. 18th Feb., „ 657, Mis.
Affixing impressed labels to such documents as bills of lading, &c.—Report on the petition of the Malabar Chamber of	22nd Jan., „ 362, Mis. 6th Feb., „ 503, Mis.

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Commerce bringing to notice the hardship alleged to still exist in the matter of, submitted to Government.—Superintendent of Stamps informed that it is open to parties to send documents to him in order to affix impressed labels and that there is no objection to his complying with the wishes of Messrs. Pierce, Leslie and Company, Coimbatore, in the matter.—Replied to a reference made by Government in the matter of a petition from the agent of a certain company requesting that orders may be issued not to levy Court-fees on applications for affixing impressed labels to instruments when they are presented to Collectors.—The delay in completing the arrangements for giving effect to the order of the Government of India empowering certain Collectors to affix impressed labels explained to Government.—Letter from the Superintendent of Stamps stating that there was no delay in his office in taking action on Board's Proceedings, Mis. No. 4264, dated 7th October 1895, submitted to Government.—Government Order directing that all applications made to Collectors for affixing impressed labels to instruments should not be charged with Court-fees under article 1, clause (*b*), schedule II of the Indian Court-fees Act (VII of 1870), communicated to the Collectors of Gódávari, Tinnevelly, South Canara and Malabar.—Government Order recording Board's Proceedings, Mis. No. 1057, dated 13th March 1896 and Mis. No. 1252, dated 24th March 1896, communicated to the Superintendent of Stamps, with remarks, and Government informed that it is not possible to keep dies to be supplied to any other officer in the mofussil who may be similarly empowered to affix labels to documents.—Government Order communicating letter from the Government of India stating that applications made to the Collectors of certain districts for affixing impressed lables to instruments need not be stamped under the Court-fees Act, communicated to all Collectors and the Superintendent of Stamps.—The Superintendent of Stamps informed that the estimate of the Superintendent, Public Works Workshops, for making two stamping presses and four dies may be accepted.—Government Order requesting the Board to order two additional dies with the names of the districts left blank in order that they may be supplied without delay to the Collectors of any districts who may be authorized to affix impressed labels, communicated to the Superintendent of Stamps for the necessary action.	13th Feb., No. 663, Mis. 13th Mar., „ 1057, Mis. 24th „ „ 1252, Mis. 10th April, „ 140. 8th May, „ 1909, Mis. 28th „ „ 206. 4th June, „ 2329, Mis. 20th „ „ 2581, Mis.
Chingleput.—The proposal of the Collector to have the decree in a certain pauper suit made over to Government for the realization of stamp duty, sanctioned with remark.	30th Jan., „ 391, Mis.
The issue to the Superintendent of Stamps, Hyderabad, of certain impressed labels required by him, sanctioned.—The supply to the Superintendent of Stamps, Hyderabad, of certain impressed labels required by him, sanctioned.—The supply to the Superintendent of Stamps, Hyderabad, of certain special adhesive labels required by him, sanctioned.	31st „ „ 409, Mis. 10th Oct., „ 4214, Mis. 24th Nov., „ 4832, Mis.
Mr. R. T. H. Arbuthnot informed, with remarks, that his representation regarding a certain question relating to Court-fees cannot be forwarded by the Board to the High Court.—Informed that the copy of a certain High Court order may be stamped under Act VI of schedule I of the Court-fees Act.	27th Jan., „ 425, Mis. 18th Feb., „ 656, Mis.

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A certain document presented for adjudication of stamp duty by Messrs. Barclay, Morgan and Orr on behalf of their client.—Concurred with the Collector of Madras in his view as to how, should be stamped.	3rd Feb., No. 447, Mis.
A Stamp case—referred under section 46 of the Indian Stamp Act I of 1879 for the decision of the Honourable the Judges of the High Court.—Letters from the Collector of South Arcot submitting, under section 45 of Act I of 1879, for the orders of the Board, recorded.—The decision of the High Court on, communicated to the Collector of South Arcot with the request to refund the excess stamp duty and the excess penalty imposed in the case if it had been collected.	13th „ „ 661, Mis. 14th „ „ 662, Mis. 25th Oct., „ 432.
Court-fee stamps for succession certificates.—Government requested to move the High Court to modify its Circular No. 2643, dated 29th September 1892, requiring District Judges to get their supplies of, from Huzur treasuries.—Memorandum from Government, Judicial Department, requesting the Board to obtain and forward a statement showing the stations where the District Court or Subordinate Judges' Court has opened accounts with the local sub-treasury, communicated to all Collectors for compliance.—A statement showing the stations where the District Courts or Subordinate Judges' Courts in districts have opened accounts with the local sub-treasuries, submitted to Government.—Government Order directing the Board to take such measures as will cause the minimum of inconvenience to the Huzur establishment by its having to supply District Judges with, communicated to all Collectors for any suggestions which they may have to make.	13th Feb., „ 664, Mis. 19th May, „ 1429, R. 27th July, „ 3118, Mis. 5th Oct., „ 401.
Doctor Innes.—Letter from the Government Pleader, Madras, informing that the High Court have decided that court-fees have to be paid in respect of the effects of, deceased in Travancore as letters of administration have to be obtained in respect of the same under the Administrator-General's Act, recorded.	13th Feb., „ 678, Mis.
Defalcation in stamp in the Negapatam Taluk Treasury.—Government Order recording, with remark, Board's report on the responsibility of the Huzur Treasury officials in connection with the recent, communicated to the Collector of Tanjore for information and necessary action.	22nd „ „ 734, Mis.
Certain Court-fee labels damaged by the recent floods in the Tambraparni river at the Branch Depôt at Srivaikuntam.—Government requested to accord sanction for writing off the accounts a sum of Rs. 73-11-0 being the value of, and the action of the Superintendent of Stamps in having directed that they may be treated as stock damage for the purpose of the monthly accounts, approved.—Government Order according sanction for writing off the accounts a sum of Rs. 73-11-0 being the value of, communicated to the Superintendent of Stamps and the Collector of Tinnevelly for information and guidance.	24th „ „ 803, Mis. 13th Mar., „ 1079, Mis.
Statistical tables relating to stamps.—Government Order communicating letter from the Director-General of Statistics, Calcutta, requesting the return duly amended of certain, communicated to the Superintendent of Stamps.—The, returned to Government duly amended.—Government	5th „ „ 856, Mis. 11th May, „ 1940, Mis. 27th „ „ 2219, Mis. 16th June, „ 2494, Mis. 8th Aug., „ 3328, Mis.

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Order ordering the, be forwarded to the Director-General of Statistics, recorded.—Copies of, for 1895–96, received from the Superintendent of Stamps, forwarded to the Accountant-General for comparison with the Finance and Revenue accounts with the request to forward to the Board explanations of the difference if any.—Letter from the Accountant-General stating that the, will be submitted on receipt of information called for from the Superintendent of Stamps, recorded, and the latter requested to submit the tables in future after verifying his figures with those of the Accountant-General.—Copies of revised, received from the Superintendent of Stamps, forwarded to the Accountant-General for verification with his accounts and return.—The, for 1895–96, submitted to Government for transmission to the Government of India.—Government Order forwarding to the Government of India, for 1895–96, recorded.	14th Aug., No. 3417, Mis. 20th „ „ 323. 20th Sept., „ 4020, Mis.
Supplying British Court-fee stamps to the Native State of Pudukkóttai.—Reported to Government on the question of,—Government Order stating that Government has no objection to the Pudukkóttai Dewan's request for the supply on payment of necessary charges of British Court-fee stamps for use in the Pudukkóttai State being complied with provided the word "Pudukkóttai" is over printed in full on each stamp instead of the letters "P.S." alone as suggested by the Dewan, communicated to the Superintendent of Stamps for information.	6th Mar., „ 884, Mis. 17th Nov. „ 4775, Mis.
Unused stamps remaining unclaimed.—Orders passed as to the manner in which, should be dealt with.	7th Mar., „ 94.
Estate of the late Mr. James MacCaughley.—The penalties leviable under section 19-E of the Court-fees Act on the letters of administration granted by the Madras High Court regarding the, remitted; and the Superintendent of Stamps authorized to affix additional Court-fee stamps of the value of Rs. 14–2–0 to the letters of administration and return the same to the Administrator-General, Madras.	10th „ „ 982, Mis.
Cost of transmission by post of documents presented for having impressed labels affixed to them.—The Superintendent of Stamps informed that his view that the, should be borne by parties applying for them directly is correct.	10th „ „ 1003, Mis.
Directed that in granting copies of records each statement, account, report or the like should be treated as a separate document and should be written on separate copy-stamped papers and the stamps that should be affixed to the copies under article 9, schedule I of the Court-fees Act should be calculated with reference to the number of words contained in each separate statement, account, &c.	16th „ „ 119.
Supply of postage and receipt stamps to District Boards.—The suggestion of the Superintendent of Stamps in regard to the, approved.	20th „ „ 1209, Mis.
Stamps of the value of Rs. 6,398–7–0 which were found damaged in a case sent to the Treasury Deputy Collector, Kistna, in November last, returned to the Superintendent of Stamps for destruction; and the Superintendent of Stamps informed that their value may be written off the accounts and the irregular action of the Port officer, Masulipatam,	18th „ „ 1243, Mis.

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in having held a survey of the damaged case without a representative of the department being present brought to the notice of the Presidency Port officer.	
Stamp duty on agreements entered into by Forest contractors.—The Collector of Coimbatore informed that the notification of the Government of India remitting the, extends to cases where money is deposited.	23rd Mar., No. 125.
Impressed labels to the Hyderabad Residency—Sanction to the Superintendent of Stamps, Madras, for issuing, accorded.	4th April, „ 1401, Mis.
Directed that the parties presenting documents to Collectors in order that labels may be affixed to them by the Collectors of Gódávari, Tinnevelly, South Canara and Malabar or the Superintendent of Stamps need not be charged with postage for the transmission of the documents to and from those four Collectors or the Superintendent of Stamps.	15th „ „ 146.
Estate of Miss Eliza Lionel Hook Munro.—The penalties leviable under section 19-E of the Court-fees Act on the letters of administration granted by the High Court, Madras, in respect of the, remitted, and the Superintendent of Stamps authorized to affix additional Court-fee stamps of the value of Rs. 17-2-0 to the letters and to return the same to the Administrator-General.	15th „ „ 1525, Mis.
Estate of Perungudi Santha Ramasawmi Naidu.—The penalties leviable under section 19-E of the Court-fees Act on the letters of administration granted by the Madras High Court in respect of the, remitted and the Superintendent of Stamps authorized to affix additional Court-fee stamps of the value of Rs. 363-7-0 to the letters and to return the same to the Administrator-General and the Collector of Madras requested to refund to the latter Rs. 411-10-0 in cash under section 19-B of the Court-fees Act.	15th „ „ 1526, Mis.
Estate of the late Mr. Adolphus D'Souza Barrett.—The penalties leviable under section 19-E of the Court-fees Act on the letters of administration granted by the High Court Madras, in respect of the, remitted, and the Superintendent of Stamps authorized to affix to the letters additional Court-fees stamps of the value of Rs. 28-11-0 and to return the same to the Administrator-General.	16th „ „ 1549, Mis.
Estate of the late P. Yaloomalai Pillai.—The stamp on the probate granted by the High Court in respect of the, cancelled and the Collector of Madras requested to refund to the Administrator-General in cash Rs. 900 under section 19-A of the Court-fees Act.	15th „ „ 1583, Mis.
Rate of discount allowed to the stamp vendors in the Presidency town on foreign bill and share transfer stamps.—The reduction recommended by the Collector of Madras in the, sanctioned.	20th „ „ 1625, Mis.
An excess of sixteen one-anna service postage stamps and five Court copy stamps found with the Treasury officer, Cuddalore.—Orders passed on letter from the Superintendent of Stamps reporting on,	14th „ „ 1626, Mis.

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Vizagapatam.—Collector informed that a certain document referred by him under section 45 of the General Stamp Act should be treated as falling under article 5 (c) of schedule I.	30th April, No. 1710, Mis.
Verification of the stock of stamps at the Central Depôt.—Letter from the Superintendent of Stamps requesting that an officer may be deputed for the, on the 1st June next, submitted to Government for favour of issue of early orders. —Government Order requesting the Collector of North Arcot to depute one of the two General Duty Deputy Collectors in his district for the, on the 1st June next, communicated to the Superintendent of Stamps.—Government Order recording letter from the Accountant-General forwarding the report of the Head-quarter Deputy Collector, North Arcot, on the, up to 31st March 1896, recorded.	15th May, „ 2012, Mis. 27th „ „ 2201, Mis. 21st Aug., „ 3563, Mis.
Stamp stock account.—Government Order approving the suggestions of the Accountant-General as to the check that should be exercised by the inspecting officer when examining the, communicated to all Collectors for information and guidance and paragraph 11 of Standing Order No. 50 (new edition) amended.—Board's Proceedings (Land Revenue), recording Board's Proceedings, No. 223, dated 11th June 1896, and adding a question to the memorandum of questions for inspection printed as appendix to paragraph 1 of Standing Order No. 226 (new edition), recorded.	11th June, „ 223. 21st July, „ 3120, Mis.
Life Policies with certain conditions.—Secretary to the Board of Revenue, Lower Provinces, informed that the question raised by him in regard to the stamping of, has been referred to certain Collectors for opinion and that a reply will be sent as soon as their reports are received.—Secretary to the Board of Revenue, Lower Provinces, informed that, referred to by him have not come before the Board and that none of the Collectors most likely to have dealt with such cases can remember having come across any of the kind.	17th June, „ 2515, Mis. 15th Aug., „ 3449, Mis.
Estate of the late Seshammal of Saidapet.—The penalties leviable under section 19-E of the Court-fees Act on the letters of administration granted to Janaki Ammal, administratrix to the, remitted, and the Superintendent of Stamps authorized to affix additional Court-fee stamps of the value of Rs. 50–11–0 to the letters of administration and return the same to the Collector of Chingleput and the latter requested to refund to Janaki Ammal Rs. 1–5–0 being the amount of duty levied from her in excess.	18th June, „ 2537, Mis.
Estate of the late Robert Franck.—The penalties leviable under section 19-E of the Court-fees Act on the probate granted by the High Court, Madras, in respect of the, remitted and the Superintendent of Stamps authorized to affix to the probate additional Court-fees stamps of the value of Rs. 305–1–0 and return the same to the Administrator-General.	25th „ „ 2663, Mis.
Estate of the late Leon Guerre.—The penalties leviable under section 19-E of the Court-fees Act on the letters of administration granted by the High Court, Madras, in respect of	25th „ „ 2664, Mis.

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the, remitted, and the Superintendent of Stamps authorized to affix to the letters additional Court-fee stamps of the value of Rs. 6-15-0 and return the same to the Administrator-General.	
Estate of the Isaac Dixon.—The penalties leviable under section 19-E of the Court-fees Act on the letters of administration granted by the High Court, Madras, in respect of the, remitted, the Superintendent of Stamps authorized to affix additional Court-fee stamps of the value of Rs. 9-7-0 to the letters and return the same to the Administrator-General and the Collector of Madras requested to refund to the Administrator-General in cash Rs. 17-0-8 under section 19-B of the Court-fees Act.	25th June, No. 2665, Mis.
Report relating to stamp duty in pauper suits payable to Government under section 412 of the Civil Procedure Code for the triennial period ending with 1895-96, submitted, and the sanction of Government requested for writing off the accounts the sum of Rs. 20,951-5-11 reported to be irrecoverable.—Government Order according sanction to write off the accounts the sum of Rs. 20,951-5-11, communicated to all Collectors for information and guidance with the request to give their personal attention to the collection of stamp duty that may be payable to Government in pauper suits.	3rd July, „ 249. 13th Aug., „ 319.
Administration of stamp revenue for the triennial period ending 1895-96.—Report of the Superintendent of Stamps on the, submitted to Government, with remarks.—Government Order reviewing the report on the, communicated with remark to all Collectors and the Superintendent of Stamps.	7th July, „ 263. 5th Nov., „ 446.
Amount collected from V. Vaithi Iyer in connection with the stamp defalcation in the Negapatam Taluk Treasury.—The recommendation of the Collector of Tanjore for the repayment of the, approved.	3rd July, „ 2754, Mis.
Two Kocheri Potros alleged to have been granted by the Zamindar of Peddakimedi.—The Ganjám Senior Assistant Collector's adjudication of, cancelled, and the refund of Rs. 220 being the stamp duty and penalty levied on them, ordered.	8th „ „ 2821, Mis.
Stamping of declarations of trust.—Collector of Madras informed that the Government of India resolution in regard to the, should not be acted upon until schedule I to the Stamp Act is amended in accordance with it.	16th „ „ 2979, Mis.
Vizagapatam.—Orders passed on letter from the Superintendent of Stamps submitting, with remarks, letter from the Collector, explaining the difference in the postage stamps account for May 1895.	21st „ „ 3057, Mis.
Tanjore.—The recommendation made by the Collector, for writing off the accounts the amount of stamp duty awarded to Government in pauper Appeal Suit No. 485 of 1895 on the file of the District Court, Tanjore, approved.	28th „ „ 3136, Mis.
Estate of the late Mr. La Port of Tellicherry.—The penalties leviable under section 19-E of the Court-fees Act on the letters of administration granted by the District Court,	27th „ „ 3137, Mis.

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North Malabar, in respect of the, remitted, and the Superintendent of Stamps authorized to affix to the letters additional Court-fee stamps of the value of Rs. 34 and return the same to the Administrator of the estate through the Collector of Malabar and the latter requested to refund to the Administrator in cash Rs. 8-8-4 under section 19-B of Court-fees Act.	
Estate of the late N. Krishnama Chari of Madurántakam.—The Secretary and Treasurer, Bank of Madras, requested to state for the Board's information the amount of interest that accrued from 6th July 1892 to 22nd November 1893 on the sum deposited by N. Krishnama Chari of Madurántakam in the Bank and the Collector of Chingleput requested to expedite the further report promised regarding the undervaluation of the,	28th July, No. 3138, Mis.
Certain obsolete bills of exchange of the value of Rs. 188-8-0 *received from the Superintendent of Stamps.*—The Superintendent of Stamps informed that, have been destroyed in the Board's office and that their value may be written off the accounts.	28th „ „ 3198, Mis.
Stamp duty on bills of exchange, &c.—Government Order stating that the Government is unable to again address the Government of India regarding reciprocity between British India and Travancore in the matter of, recorded.	23rd „ „ 3280, Mis.
Statements of evasions of the Stamp Law of Court-fee adhesive labels sold in the districts and used in the several courts and of applications for the grant of probates and letters of administration during the year 1895-96, submitted to Government with remarks.	14th Aug., „ 320.
Two damaged court-fee labels of the value of Rs. 8 *received from the Superintendent of Stamps.*—The Superintendent of Stamps informed that the, have been destroyed in the Board's office and that their value may be written off the accounts.	25th „ „ 3573, Mis.
Issue of stamps to stamp vendors only once a week.—Orders passed on the petition of certain stamp vendors of Tinnevelly and Palamcottah complaining against the order of the Treasury Deputy Collector, Tinnevelly, directing the,	25th „ „ 3581, Mis.
Statements received from Collectors of discount earned by stamp vendors in 1895-96, reviewed.—The proposals of the Collector of Nilgiris for reducing the rates of discount allowed to the vendor at the Collector's office, approved.	4th Sept., „ 348. 23rd Oct., „ 4436, Mis.
C. Bhandair and another of Kantamar, Mangalore taluk.—Petition from, appealing against the order of the Collector of South Canara declining to interfere with the order of the Head Quarter Deputy Collector, directing the levy of deficient stamp duty and penalty on a document produced by them for registration, rejected as insufficiently stamped.	5th Sept., „ 3728, Mis.
Probate of the will of the late Mrs. Richardson granted to Mrs. Scott.—The penalties leviable under section 19-E of the Court-fees Act on the, remitted, and the Superintendent of Stamps authorized to affix to the probate additional	5th „ „ 3734, Mis.

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Court-fee stamps of the value of Rs. 114–3–0 and return the same to Messrs. Grant and Greatorex together with the balance of pies six remaining out of the amount of the cheques forwarded by them.	
Sealing of stamps and the entry in the accounts of stamps issued from the local depôt to branch depôts.—Orders passed on letter from the Superintendent of Stamps reporting on certain questions raised by the Treasury Deputy Collector, Malabar, regarding the, and Government requested to sanction the issue of copy-stamped papers without their being sealed.—Government Order passing orders on questions regarding the, communicated to the Superintendent of Stamps and to all Collectors for information and guidance.	8th Sept., No. 355. 20th Dec., ,, 511.
K. R. Lewis, stamp vendor, Coondapoor.—Interference on behalf of, appealing against the order of the Collector of South Canara confirming the order of Head Assistant Collector appointing an additional stamp vendor at Coondapoor, declined.	25th Sept., ,, 4037, Mis.
Estate of the late Mannoor Ramaswami Naidu of Madras.—The Superintendent of Stamps authorized under section 19 of the Court-fees Act to cancel stamps of the value of Rupees 1,794–15–0 affixed to the letters of administration granted by the Madras High Court to Mannoor Janaki Ammall *alias* Streedevy Ammall in respect of the, and to substitute other stamps of the value of Rs. 656–15–0 and return the letters to Messrs. Branson and Branson and the Collector of Madras requested to refund to the petitioner in cash Rs. 1,138 under section 19-A and Rs. 207–12–9 under section 19-B of the Court-fees Act.	7th Oct., ,, 4186, Mis.
Levy of fees under the Court-fees Act on certified copies of maps and plans.—Government Order referring, for report, letter from the Government of India asking the opinion of the Madras Government on certain questions connected with the, referred to all Collectors and the Superintendent of Stamps for early report.	14th ,, ,, 417.
Indian Stamp Act I of 1879.—Government Order ordering that a letter be despatched to the Government of India regarding certain proposals for the amendment of the,	20th ,, ,, 4361, Mis.
Malabar.—The Collector of, informed that a certain document impounded by the Sub-Registrar of Cherpalchery is a fresh kanam mortgage deed for the amount secured by the deed.	21st ,, ,, 4388, Mis.
Kothandarama Iyer of Pillur, guardian of one Iswarappier.—Petition from, requesting the Board to treat the document as a will and to return it to him, recorded with remark.—Informed that the document impounded by the Sub-Registrar of Máyavaram cannot be returned to him unless the deficient stamp duty and penalty imposed by the Sub-Collector is paid by himself.	24th ,, ,, 4434, Mis. 22nd ,, ,, 4435, Mis.
Salem.—The decision of the High Court on a stamp case referred under section 46 of Act I of 1879, communicated to the Collector of, with the request to refund the stamp duty and penalty levied in the case.	22nd ,, ,, 430.

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Kistna.—The decision of the High Court that the stamp duty payable on the deed of conveyance executed by K. Pitchayya and Venkanna of Bandur taluk is only Rs. 30 for the amount of the consideration as set fourth in the deed, communicated to the Collector of, with the request to refund the deficient stamp duty of Rs. 70 levied in the case.	23rd Oct., No. 427.
Affixing stamps to T. T. 6 applications.—Orders passed on letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, bringing to the notice of the Board the differences of procedure obtaining in the division in the matter of.—Government requested to address the Government of India for the issue of a notification remitting the fee of one-anna chargeable under the Court-fees Act on application for the grant of tree-tapping licenses.—Government Order ordering that the Government of India be addressed, recorded.	21th ,, ,, 4461, Mis. 24th ,, ,, 4462, Mis. 14th Dec., ,, 517.
Stamp duty on a mortgage deed which contains a condition by which the mortgager obliges himself to pay a penal sum.—Collector of the Nilgiris informed that the view of the Sub-Registrar of Gúdalúr that the, should be levied on the penal sum is correct.	5th Nov., ,, 442.
Foreign postage stamps.—Government Order communicating letter from the Government of India forwarding copy of correspondence relating to the question of the levy of import duty on, communicated to the Collector of Sea Customs, Madras, and to the Collectors of all other Maritime districts for information and guidance.	11th ,, ,, 455.
Estate of the late James Wate.—The penalties leviable under section 19-E of the Court-fees Act on the letters of administration granted by the Madras High Court in favour of the Administrator-General in respect of the estate of the, remitted, and the Superintendent of Stamps authorized to affix to the letters additional Court-fee stamps of the value of Rs. 2-8-0 and return the same to the Administrator-General and the Collector of Madras requested to refund to the latter Rs. 22-11-7 in cash under section 19-B of the Court-fees Act.	14th ,, ,, 4735, Mis.
Gódávari.—The Collector informed that there is no necessity for applying for the sanction of the Board to compound an offence under the General Stamp Act as Collectors have been authorized to exercise that power.	17th ,, ,, 4767, Mis.
Copies of proceedings forwarded to the parties concerned in reply to their petitions and which they file in appeal.—Collector of Salem informed that the Board has no authority to interpret the provisions of the Court-fees Act, but that his view that, need not be stamped under article 9, schedule I of the Court-fees Act is in accordance with the practice in the Board's office and appears to be correct.	26th ,, ,, 4917, Mis.
Payment of stamp duty in cases when pauper litigants are allowed to compromise their suits outside the Court.—Letter from the Collector of Vizagapatam suggesting that an appeal may, in consultation with the Government Pleader, be preferred to the High Court against the order of the District Judge in pauper Original Suit No. 5 of 1895, on the file of the	28th ,, ,, 4924, Mis. 19th Dec., ,, 5186, Mis.

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District Court, Vizagapatam, regarding the, forwarded to the Government Pleader, Madras.—The course suggested by the Government Pleader, Madras, regarding the filing of an appeal and a revision petition under sections 244 (*c*) and 622, Civil Procedure Code against the order of the District Court, approved.	
A case under section 46 of the Indian Stamp Act regarding the application of Sria Rajah Varadaraja Appa Row Bahadur, Zemindar of Nuzvid for the refund of stamp duty and penalty levied from him, referred for the decision of the Honourable the Judges of the High Court.	27th Nov., No. 4972, Mis.
Revision of certain stamp registers.—Orders passed on the suggestions made by the Treasury Deputy Collector, Malabar, for the,	1st Dec., „ 480.
Fees chargeable on certain documents filed in claims preferred under the Madras Hereditary Village Offices Act (III of 1895).—Government Order communicating endorsement of the Government of India forwarding copy of its notification regarding the, communicated to the Superintendent of Stamps and to all Collectors for information and guidance.	2nd „ „ 482.
As to whether water-tax should be taken into consideration when estimating the rent value of a lease for purposes of stamp duty.—Orders passed on letter from the Collector of Gódávari soliciting orders in connection with a stamp case decided by the Sub-Collector,	2nd „ „ 4993, Mis.
Submission of the indents for stamps and monthly accounts by sub-depôts to branch depôts and in regard to the nature of the check of the indents for stamps contemplated by the Board in paragraph 25 of S.O. No. 44 (new edition) as amended by Board's Proceedings, No. 112, dated 14th March 1896.—The views expressed by the Superintendent of Stamps in regard to the, concurred.	7th „ „ 491.
The proposal of the Inspector-General of Registration to be supplied in future with 460 spare copies of Board's Proceedings relating to stamp questions approved and instructions to the Superintendent, Government Press, for the supply of those spare copies, issued.	14th „ „ 5208, Mis.
The renewal of stamps of the value of Rs. 1–3–0 applied for by the Manager, Agra Bank, Madras, sanctioned.	27th „ „ 5274, Mis.
Baschamiah Sahib of Madura informed that no appeal lies against the order of the Deputy Collector, Madura Division, declining to sanction the refund of the value of a spoilt non-judicial stamp purchased by him.	27th „ „ 5275, Mis.
STANDARD MEASUREMENT.	
Bellary and Kurnool districts.—Proposal of the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, that, in view of the great difficulty experienced in the, in obtaining men of the standard height and chest girth permission may be accorded for the entertainment in those two districts of men 5′ 4″ in height and 31½″ round the chest, sanctioned.	24th Aug., „ 3605, Mis.

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Entertainment as platform coolies of men not up to standard measurements.—Letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, suggesting the advisabilty of prohibiting the, communicated to the Deputy Commissioners, Central and Southern Divisions, for report.	2nd Oct., No. 4115, Mis.
STANDING ORDER.	
Amendments of certain orders in chapter II of the Board's Standing Orders, communicated to all Collectors and the Superintendent of Stamps for information and guidance.—Proceedings of the Board of Revenue (Land Revenue), recording Board's Proceedings (Separate Revenue), making certain additions and alterationsin Standing Orders Nos. 44 and 50 and revising and re-issuing paragraphs 10 and 11 of Standing Order No. 224 (new edition), recorded.—The views expressed by the Superintendent of Stamps in regard to the submission of the indents for stamps and monthly accounts by sub-depôts to branch depôts and in regard to the nature of the check of the indents for stamps contemplated by the Board in paragraph 25 of Standing Order No. 44 (new edition) as amended by Board's Proceedings, No. 112, dated 14th March 1896, concurred in.	14th Mar., „ 112. 27th May, „ 2257, Mis. 7th Dec., „ 491.
Public Works Department Standing Order No. 58, *dated* 21*st September* 1895.—Government Order, Revenue Department, stating that, should be cancelled as it is opposed to the provisions of section 33 of the Indian Stamp Act, recorded.—Government Order communicating resolution of the Government of India stating that the procedure authorized by, modifying paragraph 59, chapter III, volume II, Public Works Code, directing that unstamped vouchers should be returned to disbursing officers for stamp to be affixed should be allowed to continue until a favourable opportunity occurs for amending the law in this respect, communicated to all Collectors for information and guidance.	20th Mar., „ 1218, Mis. 17th Nov., „ 463.
Paragraph 11 of Standing Order No. 42 (new edition), amended.	15th April, „ 146.
Standing Order No. 50 *(new edition).*—Paragraph 11 of, regarding the check that should be exercised by the inspecting officer when examining the stamp stock account, amended.—Board's Proceedings (Land Revenue), recording Board's Proceedings, No. 223, dated 11th June 1896, and adding a question to the memorandum of questions for inspection printed as appendix to paragraph 1 of Standing Order No. 226 (new edition), recorded.	11th June, „ 223. 21st July, „ 3120, Mis.
Curtailment of work.—Proceedings of the Board of Revenue (Land Revenue), communicating to all Collectors Government Order passing orders on certain proposals for the, and revising certain Standing Orders accordingly, recorded.	4th Aug., „ 3273, Mis.
Standing Order No. 42 *(new edition).*—Government requested to allow a relaxation of the rule in paragraph 9 of, requiring all stamps to be sealed with the official seal before issue in the case of copy stamp papers.—Government Order relaxing the rule, communicated to the Superintendent of Stamps and to all Collectors for information and guidance.	8th Sept., „ 355. 20th Dec., „ 511.

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Board's Standing Order No. 73, modified.—Government Order approving the modifications, recorded.	15th Sept., No. 368. 2nd Nov., „ 4560, Mis.
Contemplated modifications in the Standing Orders.—Proceedings of the Board of Revenue (Land Revenue), requesting to forward to it drafts of, with a view to bringing out a second edition of the same, recorded.	3rd „ „ 4673, Mis.
STATIONERY.	
Tinnevelly Circle.—Sanction of Government to the expenditure of Rs. 2-4-6 incurred by the Inspector, in February 1896, in the purchase of stationery articles, solicited.—Government Order sanctioning the expenditure, communicated to the Assistant Commissioner, Tinnevelly Sub-division.	14th July, „ 2031, Mis. 21st Aug., „ 3603, Mis.
Madura and Tinnevelly Circles.—Sanction of Government to the expenditure of Rs. 7-4-6 and As. 8 incurred by the Inspectors, in November 1895, January and June 1896, in the purchase of stationery articles, solicited.—Government Order sanctioning the expenditure, communicated to the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, and Assistant Commissioner, Tinnevelly Sub-division.	2nd Oct., „ 4545, Mis. 14th Dec., „ 5158, Mis.
Local purchase of stationery articles without the sanction of Government.—All officers warned against the,	18th „ „ 5191, Mis.
STORAGE.	
Messrs. Binny and Company.—Interference on behalf of, in the matter of the fines imposed on them by the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, for delay in storage operations in the year 1895, declined.	27th Jan., „ 166, Mis.
Negapatam.—Letter from the Assistant Commissioner, Negapatam Sub-division, reporting the correct storage capacities of platforms III and IV at, recorded with remark.	13th Feb., „ 615, Mis.
Absolute transfers of salt before storage.—Government Order on Board's Proceedings reporting on the question of permitting, recorded.	26th „ „ 832, Mis.
Merkanam Circle.—Orders passed on letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, submitting storage proposals for the season of 1896 in the factories of the,	6th Mar., „ 901, Mis.
Relaxation of the rule prescribing the number of heaps to be stored by Inspectors and Assistant Inspectors in the Kulasekharapatnam.—Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, informed that he may, on application of the Assistant Commissioner, Tinnevelly Sub-division, sanction the, for any particular season.	12th „ „ 1042, Mis.
Messrs. Namberumaliah and Sons.—Government Order informing, that their request to be allowed to store their salt at the Madras depôt cannot be complied with, recorded.	3rd „ „ 1045, Mis.
Restorage of certain remnant heaps.—Final orders on the petitions of Messrs. Alavanthariah and Sons and Messrs. Binny and Company protesting against the notices issued by the Inspectors of the Covelong and Merkanam Circles in respect of the, passed.—Vethachallam Moodelliar and other licensees	18th „ „ 1169, Mis. 26th April, „ 1634, Mis. 2nd July, „ 2768, Mis. 21st „ „ 3060, Mis.

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of the Merkanam Circle informed, with remarks, that their request to postpone restorage of their remnant heaps in the factories of that circle for three months more cannot be granted.—Proposal of the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, to authorize the local officers to consider offers from the licensees in the Merkanam Circle to remove a proportionate quantity of salt from their remnant heaps each week and to grant permission to carry out the same, approved with remarks.—Recommendation of the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, to permit C. Rajagopala Sastriar, Agent of Messrs. Alavanthariah and Sons at Cheyur, to remove a certain fixed quantity of salt from certain remnant heaps each week and to clear them within three months time, approved.	
Beypore golloh.—Letter from the Inspector, Ponnáni Circle, stating that the storage capacity of the, is 18,000 maunds and not 1,800 maunds as stated in his previous letter, recorded.	18th Mar., No. 1216, Mis.
Merkanam factory.—Recommendation of the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, to permit certain licensees of the, to continue to store their salt on platform No. XVIII, maintaining and guarding the same at their expense, approved; and certain information called for in connection with the men entertained for guarding the platform.	6th April, „ 1459, Mis.
Charges for the covering of heaps.—Orders passed on the recommendation of the Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, to relieve the Calingapatam monopoly licensees of certain,	15th „ „ 1529, Mis.
Karasa extension.—Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, enquired by wire how there is ample space for the salt that may be made hereafter at the, seeing that that the present stocks and scrapings at the factory already exceed the storage capacity of the platforms.—Permission to continue manufacture in the, up to the limit of the available storage space granted and the Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, informed of it by wire.—Letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, explaining a certain discrepancy in reporting the storage capacity of the monopoly platforms at the, recorded.	13th May, „ 1989, Mis. 18th „ „ 2041, Mis. 8th June, „ 2381, Mis.
Placing tin ridge pieces on the tops of heaps of salt to assist in protecting them from the weather.—Considered that the expedient of, would be both costly and unnecessary and directed that the experiment should not be proceeded with.	2nd „ „ 2288, Mis.
Storage of a heap of sifted salt on each reserve platform.—Deputy Commissioners called upon to arrange for the, in the current season with a view to ascertaining how sifted compares with unsifted salt in the matter of deterioration through age.	3rd „ „ 2312, Mis.
Naupada factory.—An estimate for Rs. 1,500 for restoring and rethatching the monopoly heaps in the, sanctioned.	12th „ „ 2462, Mis.
Covelong factory.—Assistant Commissioner, Chingleput Subdivision, to report whether two or three of the southern drying grounds in the, may be made temporary platforms for the storage of salt intended for immediate removal.—	15th „ „ 2481, Mis. 14th July, „ 2935, Mis. 11th Aug., „ 4292, Sub.

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Inspector, Covelong Circle, requested to report to the Board direct the amount of storage space actually available at,—Letters from the Inspector, Covelong factory, and the Assistant Commissioner, Chingleput Sub-division, regarding the storage of salt on certain drying grounds at the, recorded with remarks.	
Ganjám factory.—Sanction to the payment of Rs. 1-4-0 for the formation of each 30 garce heaps in the, accorded.	4th July, No. 2767, Mis.
Letter from Messrs. Arbuthnot and Company complaining of the possible loss and inconvenience the firm will be put to by the Inspector having ordered the storage of a certain quantity of salt in a certain manner, forwarded to the Inspector, Covelong Circle, for remarks.—Letter from the Inspector, Covelong Circle, stating the circumstances under which the storage of a certain salt was ordered, recorded with remarks.	10th „ „ 2891, Mis. 19th Aug., „ 3488, Mis.
Delay in the commencement of storage in certain factories of the Negapatam Sub-division.—Orders passed on letter from the Assistant Commissioner, Negapatam Sub-division, explaining,	31st July, „ 3221, Mis
Sanction for writing off the accounts Rs. 201-4-0 being the cost of certain palmyra leaves which were purchased for recovering certain heaps of excise salt in the Covelong Circle, but which became useless before they could be utilized for that purpose, solicited.—Government Order according sanction, communicated to the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, for information.	30th „ „ 3196, Mis. 27th Aug., „ 3623, Mis.
Messrs. V. M. Verapathy, Mahomed Gani and Brothers informed that they are to blame none but themselves in regard to storage of salt and that they should provide coolies in sufficient numbers and in proper time so that the storage might be carried on in accordance with circular orders.	1st „ „ 3266, Mis.
A. Ruthna Mudaliar and Appadurai Mudaliar and other licensees of the Merkanam factory.—Orders passed on petitions from, praying to be allowed to store their salt in the customary manner or in 10 garce heaps as of old.	8th „ „ 3310, Mis.
Numbering heaps formed by the restorage of remnant heaps into full ones.—The attention of Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, drawn to Board's Proceedings, No. 303, dated 4th July 1895, and informed that the procedure followed in Konada in, is distinctly against orders.	25th „ „ 3569, Mis.
Storage of a heap.—Assistant Commissioners requested to report in how many cases, extended over more than a day in the factories of their Sub-division during the season of 1896 and Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, requested to report whether orders have been passed on the petition of R. Padmanabham.—Letter from the Assistant Commissioner, Tinnevelly Sub-division, reporting that there are no cases in the factories of the Sub-division in which the, extended over more than one day, recorded.	20th Sept., „ 4006, Mis. 24th Oct., „ 4507, Mis.

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Deputation of an officer having practical experience of the Indian system of storing salt in the open, to give instructions on the subject.—Reported to Government on letter from the Government of India requesting that necessary assistance may be given to the Ceylon Government in the matter of,—Government Order directing that a certain letter be despatched to the Government of Ceylon regarding the, recorded.—Government Orders regarding the deputation of an experienced Inspector, recorded.	28th Sept., No. 4043, Mis. 17th Nov., „ 4889, Mis. 24th Dec., „ 5313, Mis.
Karasa factory.—Letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, reporting that he visited the, on the 18th September 1896 and examined the shape of the heaps and that he drew the attention of the local officers to certain minor defects in carrying out orders already issued.	24th Sept., „ 4088, Mis.
Arrangement of heaps on the drying grounds in the several factories with a view to facilitate the dryage of salt.—Orders passed on letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, regarding the,	29th „ „ 4128, Mis.
Test-weighment by the Assistant Commissioner of the heaps stored by Inspectors and Assistant Inspectors.—Ordered that the, be held in abeyance in the case of certain factories of the Chingleput Sub-division and that four heaps in the Madras depôt should be test-weighed by the Assistant Commissioner.	19th Dec., „ 5210, Mis.
Circular regarding the restorage of all badly formed heaps of Government salt.—Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, requested to withdraw his, and to state what action has already been taken on it and certain information in connection with certain salt heaps of the Surla Circle reformed and rethatched by Mr. Enright, called for.	12th „ „ 5213, Mis.
STORES.	
Lanterns.—Assistant Commissioner, Negapatam Sub-division, informed that, should not be used for patrolling purposes and that the, used by the patrolling officers in the Védáranniyam Circle may be utilized for the Inspector's office establishment.	6th Jan., „ 80, Mis.
Steel yards.—Superintendent, Gun Carriage Factory, informed that a certain receipt voucher for certain, need not be returned for cancelment.—Deputy Commissioners requested to furnish certain information in connection with the supply of, to the fish-curing yards.	11th „ „ 115, Mis. 27th Aug., „ 3654, Mis.
Bi-monthly return of stores under provision by the Director-General of Stores for India.—Government Order communicating, to the Board, up to 30th November 1895, communicated to the Superintendent of Stamps.—Government Order communicating to the Board of Revenue and to the Government Botanist, up to 31st January 1896, communicated to the Superintendent of Stamps.—Government Order forwarding extract of the, up to 31st January 1896, communicated to the Superintendent of Stamps.—Letter from the Superintendent of Stamps submitting a copy of the, up to 31st May 1896, recorded.—Government Order	15th Jan., „ 172, Mis. 28th Feb., „ 797, Mis. 21st Mar., „ 1249, Mis. 3rd July, „ 359, Sub. 18th „ „ 3035, Mis. 14th Sept., „ 3939, Mis. 19th Nov., „ 4894, Mis. 25th „ „ 4944, Mis.

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communicating, up to 31st May 1896, recorded.—Government Order and letter from the Superintendent of Stamps forwarding, up to 31st July 1896, recorded.—Government Order communicating, up to 30th September 1896, recorded.—Government Order communicating, up to 30th September 1896, communicated to the Superintendent of Stamps.	
All Circle officers directed in future to personally to take delivery of valuable goods consigned to them by rail or steamer whenever they are at head-quarters.	27th Jan., No. 444, Mis.
Stores required for the Customs Department in 1896-97.—An indent for, submitted to Government for sanction and transmission to the Secretary of State.—Government Order forwarding to the Secretary of State for India the indent for, recorded.—An invoice of Europe stores forwarded to the Collector of Sea Customs, Madras, for countersignature and return.—An invoice of Europe stores with the countersignature of the Collector of Sea Customs, Madras, returned to the Accountant-General, Madras, and stated that the charge for the articles supplied should be debited to Sea Customs, Madras.—Collector of Sea Customs, Madras, requested to take charge of certain Customs Stores per S.S. *St. Ronald* and to forward one of the weighing machines to the Collector of Malabar and the other to the Collector of Ganjám after satisfying himself as to their good condition.	1st Feb., ,, 449, Mis. 25th ,, ,, 766, Mis. 8th Oct., ,, 4188, Mis. 23rd ,, ,, 4412, Mis. 12th Dec., ,, 5125, Mis.
Yale's locks.—Stated that the use of, in place of abkári locks does not meet with the Board's approval and the Bellary Assistant Commissioner's proposal in other respects as to the arrangement of locks in the two distilleries at Bellary, approved.—Deputy Commissioner's proposals regarding the arrangement of locks in the Tadpatri distillery except in regard to the use of, approved.	5th Mar., ,, 863, Mis. 27th April, ,, 1638, Mis.
Hydrometer prepared by Mr. Scarisbrick.—Government informed that the, will not be required as there are no tables and the cost of preparing them is great.	12th Mar., ,, 1041, Mis.
Abkári locks and ticket books received by Assistant Commissioners and Circle officers.—Letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, requesting to be informed of the register in which, are to be accounted for, recorded.	13th ,, ,, 1078, Mis.
Locks for the leather bags supplied to Sub-Inspectors.—Stated, with remarks, that the Board does not see any reason for providing,	24th ,, ,, 1272, Mis.
Bung rods.—The payment of Rs. 100 being the cost of 50, supplied by A. Doorgiah Naidu of Bellary, to the Collector of Salem, sanctioned with remarks.—The Collector of Malabar informed that the question of supplying certain, indented for by him will be considered after a decision is arrived at on the subject of abolishing the verifications of consignments of country spirits now under contemplation.	28th April, ,, 1744, Mis. 1st Oct., ,, 4090, Mis.
Sword.—Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, informed that a Sub-Inspector on transfer may take his, with him to the new circle to which he is transferred.	30th April, ,, 1755, Mis.

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Tickets taken off the abkári locks in use in refineries and their counterfoils.—Ordered that the, be sent to the Inspector with the weekly extracts of P. S. 8 and that translations of the rules regarding abkári locks be communicated to the amins for information and guidance.—The Assistant Commissioner, Trichinopoly Sub-division, informed that his presumption that the, should be sent to the Inspector with the extract from P. S. 8 for the last day of each week is correct.	22nd May, No. 2163, Mis. 13th June, „ 2463, Mis.
Annual statement of expenditure on stores for the official year 1895–96, forwarded to the Accountant-General, Madras, with remarks.—A revised statement of expenditure on Europe stores, forwarded to the Accountant-General, Madras.	29th May, „ 2221, Mis. 28th July, „ 3140, Mis.
Rivets.—The Inspector, Madras depôt, requested with remark to have 500, cast of a certain pattern and distribute them to distillers on payment of cost price.—Letter from the Inspector, Madras Depôt Circle, reporting that 500, have been cast and that the cost of each is 5¼ pies, recorded.	8th „ „ 2833, Mis. 3rd Sept., „ 3831, Mis.
Tinnevelly Sub-division.—The Inspector, Madras Depôt Circle, requested to send to the Assistant Commissioner a new piece of zinc sheeting 8′ × 3′ with ¼″ meshes and to intimate its despatch to the Board.	22nd July, „ 3071, Mis.
Steel dies.—The Superintendent, Public Works Workshops, requested to submit two designs for, before Friday next.—The Superintendent, Public Works Workshops, requested to have certain mode of the pattern sent.	17th Aug., „ 3459, Mis. 21st „ „ 3527, Mis.
Contractors M. Ruthna Mudali and Mahomed Sahib, the Superintendent of Prisons, the Superintendent of Stationery and the Secretary to the Surgeon-General with the Government of Madras requested to supply the Board at an early date with certain articles.	21st „ „ 3525, Mis.
Forecast of stores required from England.—The, for the use of the Salt, Abkári and Customs Department during 1897–98, submitted to Government.—A supplemental, for the use of the sub-treasuries in the Malabar district during the year 1897–98, submitted to Government.—Government Order forwarding to the Secretary of State for India the, recorded.	29th „ „ 3671, Mis. 9th Sept., „ 3815, Mis. 23rd „ „ 4079, Mis.
Belts.—The recommendation of the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, that, should be retained in the circles to which they are supplied and informed that a Sub-Circular Order will issue.	3rd „ „ 3706, Mis.
B. L. Carbines.—Government requested to authorize the Inspector-General of Ordnance to supply the Board with certain, for use in the sayer station in the Villupuram Circle.—Government requested to authorize the Inspector-General of Ordnance to supply the Board with certain, for the use of the eight chowkies in the Kurnool district.—Government Order ordering that a letter be despatched to the Government of India for sanctioning the supply, recorded.—Reported to Government, Revenue Department, that the carbines required are B. L. Smooth bore and that ammunition is also wanted for them.—Government Order informing	19th „ „ 3954, Mis. 19th „ „ 3970, Mis. 9th Oct., „ 4473, Mis. 27th Nov., „ 4879, Mis. 10th Dec., „ 5137, Mis.

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the Government of India, by wire, that the carbines required are B. L. Smooth bore and that ammunition is also wanted for them, recorded.	
Hydrometers.—Collector of Vizagapatam informed that it is not considered worthwhile to supply such a large number of, as that indented for by him.	1st Oct., No. 4091, Mis.
Dram measures.—Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, informed with reference to his indent for 1,200 brass, for sale to shopkeepers that the Board is having enquiries made as to the manufacture of cheap, for supply to shopkeepers and will take the matter in consideration on receiving certain information.	26th ,, ,, 4479, Mis.
Abkári locks.—Messrs. Ramsay and Company informed that the, are made by Messrs. Hobbs and Company, England, and that a sample of it could not be furnished to the Pioneer Lock Works and Company and the desirability of furnishing the Board with a sample of a good abkári lock so as to consider whether an order cannot be given to it, suggested.	13th Dec., ,, 5170, Mis.
Stores required for the use of the Salt and Abkári Department for 1897-98.—An indent in quadruplicate for the, submitted to Government with the request that it may be sanctioned and forwarded to the Secretary of State for India for compliance.	19th ,, ,, 5272, Mis.
SUITS.	
Original Suit No. 514 *of* 1895 *on the file of the District Munsiff's Court, Mannárgudi.*—Sanction for the defence of, brought by one Sadagopa Aiyangar against the kurnam of Serangulam Vattam, Mannárgudi taluk, accorded and the draft answer approved and returned.	28th Jan., ,, 323, Mis.
Original Suit No. 483 *of* 1895 *on the file of the District Munsiff's Court, Valangiman.*—The defence of, sanctioned, and the draft written of the statement proposed to be filed by the Collector of Tanjore in, approved.—The action of the Collector of Tanjore in having filed in anticipation of the Board's sanction a supplemental written statement in, approved.—Collector of Tanjore furnished with a certified copy of the judgment of the High Court in Second Appeal No. 1586 of 1894.	30th ,, ,, 383, Mis. 27th Feb., ,, 759, Mis. 31st Mar., ,, 1346, Mis.
Chingleput.—The proposal of the Collector of, to have the decree in a certain pauper suit made over to Government for the realization of stamp duty, sanctioned with remark.	30th Jan., ,, 391, Mis.
Original Suit No. 14 *of* 1895 *on the file of the Sub-Court at Negapatam.*—Board's Proceedings (Land Revenue), requesting the Collector of Cuddapah to arrange for the Deputy Collector (Syed Khadir Badsha Sahib) attending the Sub-Court at Negapatam on the 10th instant as witness in, recorded.	6th Feb., ,, 538, Mis.
Judgment of the District Court of South Arcot in Appeal Suit No. 45 *of* 1894.—Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, informed that a second appeal has been instituted in the	8th ,, ,, 585, Mis. 13th ,, ,, 599, Mis. 2nd Sept., ,, 3673, Mis.

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High Court against the, and the Government Pleader requested to state when the second appeal is likely to be disposed of.—Letter from the Government Pleader, Madras, stating the second appeal No. 1804 of 1895 on the file of the High Court is likely to come on for hearing in a month, communicated to the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division.—The costs of the defence in the suit brought by licensee No. 4 of the Merkanam Circle against Government in the District Munsiff's Court at Tindivanam, sanctioned.—The payment of Rs. 8–3–0 being the expenditure incurred by the Government Pleader, Cuddalore, in the suit, sanctioned.	6th Nov., No. 4594, Mis.
Suit filed by V. Vaithe Iyer, late Taluk Head Accountant, Negapatam in the Negapatam Sub-Court.—Letter from the Collector of Tanjore reporting that the, has been withdrawn by him on the conditions laid down by Government, submitted to Government for information.	17th Mar., ,, 1126, Mis.
Appeal Suit No. 436 of 1895 on the file of the District Court at Chingleput.—Sanction for opposing the appeal in, accorded to the Collector of Chingleput.	21st ,, ,, 1203, Mis.
Suit brought against the Collector and Acting Assistant Inspector N. V. Raja Row, by one G. Venkatasami in a case of unlicensed possession of arrack.—The papers connected with the, forwarded to the Collector of Gódávari, with remarks.—Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, informed that an appeal against the order of acquittal in Criminal Appeal No. 30 of 1895 on the file of the Deputy Magistrate, Narsapur, is precluded by the law of limitation and he is requested to explain the delays in certain instances.—The attention of the Collector of Gódávari drawn to Board's Proceedings, Mis. No. 1448, dated 11th April 1896, issuing instructions in the matter of the,—The defence of the suit at public expense, sanctioned, and the draft of the written statement proposed to be filed in Original Suit No. 642 of 1895 on the file of the District Munsiff of Narsapur, approved.—Letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, submitting explanation of the Assistant Commissioner, Cocanada Sub-division, for delay in applying for copy of judgment of the Deputy Magistrate of Narsapur in the Vusukoduru abkári case and in giving intimation of the suit in Original Suit No. 642 of 1895 on the file of the District Munsiff of Narsapur, recorded with remarks.—Letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, reporting that the Original Suit No. 642 of 1895 was dismissed as barred by limitation and that copy of the judgment will be submitted on receipt, recorded.	11th April, ,, 1448, Mis. 16th ,, ,, 1511, Mis. 18th ,, ,, 1523, Mis. 8th May, ,, 1896, Mis. 27th July, ,, 3126, Mis. 7th Oct., ,, 4290, Mis.
Original Suit No. 70 of 1885 on the file of the Sub-Court at Ootacamund.—Recommendation of the Collector of the Nilgiris in the matter of a decree against an abkári defaulter in, approved.—Board's Proceedings, Mis. No. 1646, recorded by Government.	26th April, ,, 1646, Mis. 18th May, ,, 2096, Mis.
Pauper Suit No. 370 of 1894 on the file of the Chingleput District Munsiff's Court.—The proposal of the Collector of Chingleput to have the decree in, made over to Government for execution, sanctioned.	15th June, ,, 2495, Mis.

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Original Suit No. 302 *of* 1894 *on the file of the District Munsiff's Court, Guntúr.*—The action of the Collector of Kistna in having instructed the Government Pleader to defend the appeal presented to the District Court by the plaintiff in, approved.	26th June, No. 2686, Mis.
Original Suit No. 307 *of* 1896 *on the file of the District Munsiff's Court at Poonamallee for the refund of the tax paid on certain date trees which were not marked.*—The suggestion of the Collector of Chingleput to compromise, approved.	30th July, ,, 3173, Mis.
Small Cause Suit No. 24 *of* 1896 *on the file of the District Court, Nellore.*—The Collector of Nellore requested to instruct the Government Pleader to appear on behalf of Government in,	5th Sept., ,, 3724, Mis.
Civil Suit brought by one Kumarasami Mudali against Mr. St. John of the Salt, Abkári and Customs Department.—Certain papers relating to a, forwarded to the Collector of Chingleput, with remarks, and the Assistant Commissioner, Chingleput Sub-division, requested to forward the records connected with the case to the Collector.	27th Nov., ,, 4920, Mis.
Pauper Original Suit No. 5 *of* 1895 *on the file of the District Court, Vizagapatam.*—Letter from the Collector of Vizagapatam suggesting that an appeal may, in consultation with the Government Pleader, be preferred to the High Court against the order of the District Judge in, forwarded to the Government Pleader, Madras.—The course suggested by the Government Pleader, Madras, regarding the filing of an appeal and a revision petition under sections 244 (*c*) and 622, Civil Procedure Code against the order of the District Court in, approved.	28th ,, ,, 4924, Mis. 19th Dec., ,, 5186, Mis.
Original Suit No. 74 *of* 1885 *on the file of the Sub-Court at Ootacamund.*—Recommendation of the Collector of the Nilgiris in the matter of a decree against an abkári defaulter in, approved.	25th ,, ,, 5283, Mis.
SURVEY.	
Resurvey of the salt factories in the Southern Division.—Government Order sanctioning the retention till the 31st January 1896 of the survey establishment entertained for the, communicated to Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division.—The Superintendent, Madras Survey, requested to undertake the work of survey which has not been finished in the Southern Division and to report the probable cost of the same and the sanction of Government for the retention of the establishment up to the end of the current official year, solicited.—The attention of Government to Board's Proceedings, Mis. No. 4011, dated 24th September 1896, regarding the, invited.—Government Order sanctioning the retention of the establishment entertained for the, till the end of 1896–97, communicated to the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division.	30th Jan., ,, 441, Mis. 24th Sept., ,, 4011, Mis. 29th ,, ,, 4054, Mis. 20th Oct., ,, 4351, Mis.
Re-organization of the Madras Revenue Survey Department.—Government Order remitting for discussion by the Full Board with Mr. Cardozo letter from the Government of India communicating remarks regarding the, recorded.	20th Aug., ,, 3553, Mis.

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Certain records relating to the Negapatam, Neidavasal and Tranquebar factories, forwarded to the Superintendent, Madras Survey, for being printed and published and the Assistant Commissioner, Negapatam Sub-division, requested to furnish certain particulars.	19th Dec., No. 5212, Mis.
SALT.	
ORISSA.	
Cause of the decrease in the imports of salt to Orissa during 1894–95.—Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, requested to expedite the submission of the further report called for in Board's Proceedings, Mis. No. 5388, dated 18th December 1895.—Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, requested to expedite the report called for from him regarding the,—Reminder from the Board of Revenue, Lower Provinces, calling for a report on the, communicated to the Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, in continuation of Board's Proceedings, Mis. No. 624, dated 15th February 1896, for early compliance.—Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, requested to submit without further delay certain reports called for in Board's Proceedings, Mis. No. 11, dated 8th January 1896.—Letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, reporting on the, recorded.—The Secretary to the Board of Revenue, Lower Provinces, informed of the cause of the decrease in consumption of salt in Orissa during the year 1894–95 as compared with the previous year.—Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, requested to furnish information as to the quantity of salt sent from the Calcutta side to Jharsuguda and Sambalpur in the last two official years.—Letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, submitting copy of letter from the Traffic Superintendent, Bengal-Nagpur Railway, furnishing certain information as to the quantities of salt received at Jharsuguda from Calcutta during 1894–95 and 1895–96, recorded.	8th Jan., „ 11, Mis. 15th Feb., „ 624, Mis. 3rd Mar., „ 822, Mis. 11th „ „ 1005, Mis. 24th May, „ 1512, R. 27th „ „ 2178, Mis. 22nd June, „ 2578, Mis. 7th Aug., „ 3316, Mis.
Tua.—The reduction of the selling price of the salt of the seasons prior to 1894–95 at, from four to three annas a maund, ordered with remarks.	6th Mar., „ 886, Mis.
Consumption of salt per head of the population in the Orissa Administration report.—Letter from the Board of Revenue, Lower Provinces, stating that the normal increase of population in Orissa and the Tributary Mahals subsequent to the census of 1891 should be taken as 7 per mile per annum for the purpose of calculating the, communicated to the Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, and Assistant Commissioners, Balasore and Chatrapur Sub-divisions, with instructions.	1st April, „ 1393, Mis.
Weight of the salt manufactured in the Tua and Gurubai factories during the last three years.—Assistant Commissioner, Chatrapur Sub-division, requested to have some experiments tried with regard to the,—Letter from the Assistant Commissioner forwarding the report called for, recorded.	7th Aug., „ 3324, Mis. 13th Nov., „ 4748, Mis.
SUITS.	10th April, „ 1460, Mis. 12th May, „ 1992, Mis. 2nd Nov., „ 4524, Mis.
Defaulting Mulangi Dubba Pullai of the Tua factory.—Secretary to the Board of Revenue, Lower Provinces, requested to obtain the sanction of the Bengal Government to institute	

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civil proceedings against, and to entertain a Pleader for the purpose.—Endorsement of the Board of Revenue, Lower Provinces, on a letter from the Government of Bengal sanctioning the Board's proposals, communicated to Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, with remarks.—Copy of a communication received from the Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, regarding the suit against, forwarded to the Secretary to the Board of Revenue, Lower Provinces.	
SURVEY.	
Machgaon Circle.—The report of the Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, on the statement of the saline survey registers of the, recorded with remarks.—The Secretary to the Board of Revenue, Lower Provinces, Calcutta, requested to obtain thanna and pergannahwar a list of certain villages in the Balasore and Cuttack districts and the gope thanna of the Puri district from the Bengal Secretariat and send them to the Assistant Commissioner, Balasore Sub-division, direct.	2nd Dec., No. 5052, Mis. 14th ,, ,, 5127, Mis.
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TAPPAL.	
Season ticket.—The purchase of a, to enable a peon to carry tappal daily by train from the sub-factories of Manambodi and Kamblimedu to Cuddalore and back, sanctioned with remark.	10th Mar., ,, 988, Mis.
Opening of tappals by the Circle Head Clerks.—Copy of Proceedings of the Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, issuing instructions in the matter of, recorded.	10th Nov., ,, 4668, Mis.
TAVERNS.	
Ootacamund.—Letter from the Collector of the Nilgiris reporting on the continuance of beer tavern No. 2, in its present position on the commercial road, recorded.	9th Jan., ,, 66, Mis.
Beer taverns in Salem.—Government Order stating that Government has no objection to sanction the opening of, as an experimental measure, communicated to all Collectors and Deputy Commissioner, Central Division.	15th ,, ,, 10.
Foreign liquor tavern licenses for the year 1896–97.—Government Order approving with remarks, the draft notice for the sale of, recorded.	15th ,, ,, 164, Mis.
Madurantakum.—Collector's action in having notified the opening of a tavern at, for the lease beginning from the 1st April 1896, approved.	20th ,, ,, 210, Mis.
North Arcot.—Collector requested to report by return of post whether he recommends any reduction in the number of foreign liquor taverns for 1896–97 and to specify the localities of the taverns which he proposes to close.—Collector informed by wire that no change need be made in the number of taverns for next lease.—Collector requested to report again on the question of the reduction of foreign	24th ,, ,, 288, Mis. 1st Feb., ,, 432, Mis. 17th Mar., ,, 1132, Mis. 28th Dec., ,, 5234, Mis.

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liquor taverns in the district before the close of the lease beginning with 1st April next.—Agreed with the Collector of, in considering that no reduction in the number of foreign liquor shops is necessary for the ensuing year.	
Salem and Suramangalam.—Collector of Salem informed by wire that beer taverns may be opened at, as suggested by him.	5th Feb., No. 497, Mis.
Kurnool.—Collector informed that it is not necessary to open a beer tavern in the town of, there being already a tavern and a retail shop for the sale of foreign liquor.	20th Mar., ,, 1228, Mis.
Kistna.—Letter from the Collector of, reporting that a foreign liquor tavern has been sanctioned for Nuzvid and disposed of for Rs. 65-12-0, recorded.	6th July, ,, 2860, Mis.
TAX.	
Payments of abkári shop rents as well as tree-tax.—Officers in charge of salt treasuries authorized to receive, and certain instructions on the subject, issued.	28th Jan., ,, 39.
Advisability or otherwise of enhancing the rates of tree-tax for the toddy year 1896-97.—Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, and the Collectors of tree-tax districts requested to report before the 15th March 1896 on the,—Letter from the Collector of Vizagapatam reporting on the, recorded.—Letter from the Collector of South Canara stating that he is not in favour of any enhancement in the rates of tree-tax in the district, recorded.—Letter from the Collector of Coimbatore reporting that it is not advisable to enhance the rates of tree-tax for the toddy year 1896-97, recorded.—Letter from the Assistant Commissioner, Masulipatam Sub-division, submitting his proposals for the enhancement of the rate of tree-tax in the Kistna district, recorded.—Letter from the Collector of Salem reporting on the, recorded.—Letter from the Collector of Kurnool reporting on the, recorded.—Letter from the Collector of South Arcot reporting on the, recorded.—Letter from the Collector of Chingleput reporting on the, recorded.—Letter from the Collector of Trichinopoly reporting on the, recorded.—Letter from the Collector of North Arcot reporting on the, recorded.—Letter from the Collector of Nellore reporting on the, recorded.—Letter from the Collector of Malabar reporting on the, recorded.—Letter from the Collector of Tinnevelly reporting on the, recorded.—Letter from the Collector of Madura reporting on the, recorded.—Letter from the Collector of Tanjore reporting on the, recorded.—Letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, reporting on the, in the Madras Town Circle, recorded.—Letter from the Collector of Kistna reporting on the, in the district, recorded.—The Collectors of Madura, Tinnevelly and Coimbatore requested to report more fully without delay their objections to the enhancement of tree-tax in their districts during 1896-97.—Letter from the Collector of Madura reporting on the, recorded.—Letter from the Collector of Malabar reporting on the, recorded.—Proposals for the enhancement of the rate of tree-tax in force in certain districts for the lease commencing from 1st October 1896, submitted to Government.—Letter from the Collector of Coimbatore reporting on the, recorded.—Letter from the Collector of Tinnevelly reporting on	4th Feb., ,, 480, Mis. 25th ,, ,, 787, Mis. 3rd Mar., ,, 838, Mis. 5th ,, ,, 1014, Mis. 10th ,, ,, 1029, Mis. 13th ,, ,, 1062, Mis. 14th ,, ,, 1170, Mis. 17th ,, ,, 1172, Mis. 19th ,, ,, 1189, Mis. 16th ,, ,, 1190, Mis. 20th ,, ,, 1213, Mis. 20th ,, ,, 1214, Mis. 21st ,, ,, 1385, Mis. 26th ,, ,, 1386, Mis. 25th ,, ,, 1387, Mis. 31st ,, ,, 1416, Mis. 11th April, ,, 1545, Mis. 9th ,, ,, 1546, Mis. 2nd May, ,, 1788, Mis. 11th ,, ,, 1970, Mis. 13th ,, ,, 2005, Mis. 21st ,, ,, 195. 29th ,, ,, 2263, Mis. 29th ,, ,, 2269, Mis. 3rd July, ,, 250. 10th ,, ,, 2843, Mis. 13th ,, ,, 2909, Mis.

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the, recorded.—Government Order approving the proposals, communicated to all Collectors except Madras and the Nilgiris and all Deputy and Assistant Commissioners.—Collector of Coimbatore informed by wire that the enhancement of tree-tax proposed for the next lease in the district has been sanctioned by Government.—Collectors of districts in which the rates of the tree-tax have been ordered to be enhanced for the next lease requested to notify the fact to bidders at the ensuing sales of toddy shops.	
Applications for refund of tree-tax.—Orders passed on letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, requesting instructions in the matter of,	20th Mar., No. 1267, Mis.
Receipt of tree-tax by heads of villages other than those in which the trees on account of which payment is made stand.—The circular issued by the Collector of South Canara prohibiting the, approved.	29th May, „ 2308, Mis.
Decrease in tree-tax revenue in the Gódávari district in 1895–96 *as against* 1894–95.—Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, and the Collector of Gódávari requested to ascertain and report the causes that have led to the,—Letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, remarking on the Gódávari Collector's letter reporting the cause of the, recorded.—Letter from the Collector of Gódávari reporting the cause of the, recorded.	7th July, „ 2816, Mis. 11th Nov., „ 4700, Mis. 5th „ „ 4701, Mis.
Advisability of collecting in one instalment the tree-tax due on palmyra and date trees applied for before the month of May in each year.—Certain Collectors and the Deputy Commissioners requested to report on the,—Letter from the Collector of Vizagapatam stating that it is not expedient to introduce the system, recorded.—Letter from the Collector of Salem reporting on the, recorded.—Letter from the Collector of Tanjore reporting on the, recorded.—Letter from the Collector of Coimbatore reporting on the, recorded.—Letter from the Collector of Tinnevelly reporting on the, recorded.—Letters from the Collector of Gódávari and the Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, reporting on the, recorded.	20th Aug., „ 326. 7th Oct., „ 4292, Mis. 25th Nov., „ 5018, Mis. 26th „ „ 5019, Mis. 2nd Dec., „ 5091, Mis. 4th „ „ 5093, Mis. 17th „ „ 5227, Mis.
A statement showing the incidence of taxation per head of population under salt, abkári and opium in 1895–96, furnished to the Accountant-General, Madras.	14th Oct., „ 4235, Mis.
Certain concessions to be granted to tappers and shopkeepers during the closing months of a lease.—Letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, suggesting, forwarded to the Deputy Commissioners, Central and Southern Divisions, for remarks.	24th Nov., „ 4860, Mis.
Period of the collection of the first and second instalments of tree-tax.—Orders passed on a letter from the Collector of Tinnevelly submitting, with support the proposal of the Assistant Commissioner, Tinnevelly Sub-division, to modify rule 10 of the T. T. rules notified by Government so that the, may be fixed with reference to the account month and T. T. licenses may in future be issued only up to the 25th in all months except March.	3rd Dec., „ 484.

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TELEGRAM.	1896.
M. A. Mangesh Row, Assistant Inspector.—Government Order stating that the cost of a certain telegram (Re. 1) should be recovered from, recorded.	23rd Jan., No. 387, Mis.
TELEPHONE.	
Telephone communication between the Port and the Town of Masulipatam and the Collector's office, Kistna.—Certain information in connection with the charge for the maintenance of, called for.—Collector of Kistna requested to explain certain points in connection with the charge for the maintenance of,	21st April, „ 1608, Mis. 16th Sept., „ 3911, Mis.
Connecting the Madras Sea Customs office with the Government Telephone exchange.—Letter from the Collector of Sea Customs, Madras, requesting to obtain the sanction of Government for, submitted to Government for favourable consideration and orders.—Government Order transferring the Board's Proceedings to the Public Works Department for the issue of the necessary orders, recorded.—Government Order communicating Proceedings of the Public Works Department communicating to the Superintendent of Telegraphs, Madras Division, for necessary action, Proceedings of the Revenue Department on the subject of, recorded.	26th „ „ 4070, Mis. 1st Nov., „ 4576, Mis. 29th „ „ 4976, Mis.
TENTS.	
Rates of tentage to be drawn by the Inspectors of the newly-formed Circles in the Southern Division.—Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, informed of the,	9th Jan., „ 64, R.
Rates of tentage to be drawn by the Inspectors of the new Circles in the Central Division.—Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, informed of the,	9th „ „ 65, R.
Mr. N. S. Brodie.—The cost of carriage by rail of the tents and horses of, from Trichinopoly to Tuticorin and back, sanctioned as a charge against the State.—The cost of conveyance by rail of the tents of, from Kadamban to Tuticorin and from Koilpatti to Tuticorin, sanctioned as a charge against the State.	17th „ „ 203, Mis. 17th Mar., „ 1121, Mis.
Ellore Circle.—An estimate for Rs. 75 for repairing the tents of the Inspector, which was damaged by heavy rains, sanctioned.	21st Jan., „ 241, Mis.
Cumbum Circle.—Remarked on the Deputy Commissioner's report on the result of the complaint made by the Inspector, to the railway authorities regarding the damage caused by white ants to the gunny bags of the new necessary tent supplied to his circle and all Circle officers directed in future to personally take delivery of valuable goods consigned to them by rail or steamer whenever they are at head-quarters.	27th „ „ 444, Mis.
Mr. St. John.—The cost of conveyance of the tents of, by rail from Gudiyáttam to Ranipettai, admitted with remarks as a charge against the State.	3rd Feb., „ 462, Mis.
Negapatam Circle.—An estimate for repairing the tents of the, sanctioned.	5th „ „ 498, Mis.

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Tanjore Circle.—An estimate for Rs. 30 for repairing the tents of the, sanctioned with remarks.	5th Feb., No. 502, Mis.
Covelong Circle.—The query of the Superintendent, Central Jail, Vellore, whether the request of the Inspector that his hill and servants' tents may be repaired may be complied with answered in the affirmative and remarked on Inspector Mr. S. W. Tremenheere's action in having sent the tents to the Vellore Jail for repairs without obtaining the Board's previous sanction thereto.—The repair of the hill tent and the supply of a new servants' tents to the, sanctioned, and instructions for the disposal of the old servants' tent reported to be not worth repairing, issued.	20th ,, ,, 682, Mis. 24th Mar., ,, 1270, Mis.
Assistant Commissioner, Bellary Sub-division.—The railing of the horses and tents of the, from Panyam to Kurnool road station, sanctioned at Government expense.	20th Feb., ,, 698, Mis.
Villupuram Circle.—Letter from the Inspector, reporting on the dimensions of the tents supplied, communicated to the Secretary, Muir Mills and Company, with the request to state what reduction will be made in the cost of the tents referred to; and the Inspector directed to make a certain alteration in the bath-room tent and to purchase the storm ropes required for the sleeping pal and to report the cost thereof in view to the amount being recovered from the Company.	26th ,, ,, 814, Mis.
Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, informed that there is no objection to including half the cost of carriage of tents under actual expenses, but that the cost of carriage of records should not be included.	20th ,, ,, 816, Mis.
Polavaram Circle.—Superintendent, Central Jail, Vellore, requested to supply a set of tents to the Inspector, and the latter officer directed to report on their condition on receipt and to sell the old tents locally.	9th Mar., ,, 967, Mis.
Tendency on the part of some of the officers to carry no tents or only half the set when they go on tour.—Directed that irregularities of the kind on the part of the officers must be put a stop to.	7th ,, ,, 1086, Mis.
Assistant Commissioner, Bellary Sub-division.—The railing of the tents of the, from Bellary to Anantapur, sanctioned at Government expense.	15th ,, ,, 1091, Mis.
Assistant Commissioner, Arcot Sub-division.—The cost of conveyance of the tents of, by rail from Ranipettai to Tirukkóyilúr, sanctioned as a charge against the State.	31st ,, ,, 1395, Mis.
Bobbili Circle.—An outerfly for the hill tent of the, ordered from the Central Jail, Vellore, and instructions for its despatch to Bobbili, issued.—The Superintendent, Central Jail, Vellore, requested to supply sywans for the new outerfly recently supplied for the hill tent for the, and the duplicate copy of the bill for the cost of the new outerfly supplied returned to him duly countersigned.	20th April, ,, 1559, Mis. 14th Aug., ,, 3424, Mis.
Mr. N. S. Brodie.—The cost of conveyance by rail of the horses and tents of, to Coimbatore and back, sanctioned as a charge against the State.	25th April, ,, 1627, Mis.

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South Trichinopoly Circle.—The estimate for Rs. 62 for repairing the tents of the, sanctioned.—The Superintendent, Central Jail, Vellore, requested to supply a necessary tent to the Inspector, and the latter officer directed to report on its condition and to sell the old tent locally.	27th April, No. 1652, Mis. 11th July, ,, 2899, Mis.
Chingleput Sub-division.—Stated that an outerfly will be supplied to the Swiss cottage tent of the Assistant Commissioner, on his furnishing a sketch of the same to the Superintendent, Central Jail, Vellore, and if practicable, the tent should be sent to Vellore in view to its being fitted with the outerfly.—The Superintendent, Central Jail, Vellore, requested to supply a servants' tent to the Assistant Commissioner, and the latter officer requested to report on the condition of the tent on receipt and to sell the old tent locally for what it will fetch.	25th April, ,, 1792, Mis. 16th May, ,, 2025, Mis.
Tentage and tent equipment allowed to officers in this Presidency.—The alterations and modifications necessary so far as the Salt and Abkári Department is concerned in the particulars given in the appendices to memorandum No. 308, dated 8th February 1896 of the Financial Department, reported to Government.—Government Order furnishing the Chief Commissioner of Burma with information as regards, and drawing the attention of the Public Works Department to the suggestion of the Inspector-General of Prisons regarding the application to that department of the rules for the maintenance of Government tents, recorded.	5th ,, ,, 1860, Mis. 14th July, ,, 278.
Mr. H. J. Simpson.—The cost of conveyance by steamer of the tents of, from Calicut to Mangalore, sanctioned as a charge against the State.	6th May, ,, 1891, Mis.
Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division.—Superintendent, Central Jail, Vellore, requested to supply a necessary tent to, and the latter officer requested to report on its condition and to sell the old tent locally.	16th ,, ,, 2029, Mis.
Manginapudi Circle.—Superintendent, Central Jail, Vellore, requested to supply the Inspector, with a set of tents and the latter officer directed to report on their condition on receipt and to sell the old tents by auction.	18th ,, ,, 2031, Mis.
A bill for the carriage by steamer of the tents of the acting third member, Board of Revenue and Commissioner of Salt, Abkári and Separate Revenue for April 1896, submitted to Government for sanction.—Government Order sanctioning, recorded.	1st June, ,, 2276, Mis. 3rd July, ,, 2790, Mis.
Tirukkóyilúr Circle.—The Inspector, Salem Circle, directed to reprimand his head clerk for not examining certain packages of tents at the time of their despatch; the supply of a new carpet for the sleeping pal of the, out of those in reserve at the Madras depôt ordered and the Inspector requested to report on the condition of the carpet on receipt.	4th June, ,, 2334, Mis.
The carriage of tents by officers of the Salt, Abkári and Customs Department when they go into camp.—Certain principles in regard to, laid down and Deputy and Assistant Commissioners requested to deal with all questions connected therewith in accordance with those principles.	13th ,, ,, 228.

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Assistant Commissioner, Negapatam Sub-division.—The Superintendent, Central Jail, Vellore, requested to supply certain tents to the, and the latter officer instructed with remarks to report on their condition on receipt and the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, requested to report whether the Assistant Commissioner should not be held responsible for the tents having lasted for such a short time.—Letter from the, reporting on the condition of tents supplied, recorded.	15th June, No. 2493, Mis. 28th Aug., ,, 3690, Mis.
Nannilam Circle.—The Superintendent, Central Jail, Vellore, requested to supply a bath-room and a necessary tent to the Inspector, and the latter officer directed to report on their condition and to sell the old ones locally.	1st July, ,, 2728, Mis.
Védáranniyam Circle.—The Inspector, Madras Depôt Circle, requested to despatch the sleeping pal kept in reserve to the, at an early date and the latter officer directed to report on its condition and to sell the old tent by auction.	3rd ,, ,, 2742, Mis.
The Secretary and Treasurer, Bank of Madras, requested to issue a remittance transfer receipt for Rs. 557-4-3 in favour of the Secretary, Muir Mills Company, on account of tents supplied by him and the remittance transfer receipt for the amount forwarded to the latter officer.	8th ,, ,, 2818, Mis.
Cumbum Circle.—The Superintendent, Central Jail, Vellore, requested to supply an outerfly and storm ropes to the shooting pal of the, and the Inspector, Arni Circle, directed to send his shooting pal to the Superintendent, Central Jail, Vellore, in view to his obtaining the dimensions of the fly, required.	11th Aug., ,, 3372, Mis.
Krishnagiri Circle.—The Superintendent, Central Jail, Vellore, requested to supply a necessary tent to the, and the Inspector requested to report to the Board on its condition on receipt.	11th ,, ,, 3386, Mis.
The Superintendent, Central Jail, requested to put in hand at once the making of six sets of tents and informed that instructions for their distribution will be issued shortly:—Instructions to the Superintendent, Central Jail, Vellore, for the distribution of six sets of tents ordered, issued and the officers concerned directed to submit through the proper channel reports on the condition of the tents when received.	14th ,, ,, 3435, Mis. 3rd Sept., ,, 3682, Mis.
Kristnapatnam Circle.—The Superintendent, Central Jail, Vellore, requested to supply a new set of tents to the Inspector and the Inspector requested to report on the condition of the tents when acknowledging their receipt and instructions for the disposal of the old tents of the circle by auction at Nellore, issued.	20th Aug., ,, 3497, Mis.
Mr. Platts.—The cost of conveyance of the tents of, from Cuddapah to Bellary, sanctioned as a charge against the State.	27th ,, ,, 3620, Mis.
Mr. F. W. Ditmas, Assistant Commissioner, Arcot Sub-division.—The cost of conveyance of the tents and horses of, from Vellore to Sankaridrug, sanctioned as a charge against the State.	27th ,, ,, 3621, Mis.

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Deputy Commissioner, Central Division.—The report of the, on the condition of the tents recently supplied to him, communicated to the Superintendent, Central Jail, Vellore, with the request to supply the omission noticed as regards the Swiss cottage tent and the Deputy Commissioner requested to have the tents pitched for the Commissioner's inspection.—The Superintendent, Central Jail, Vellore, requested to supply a front verandah to the Swiss cottage tent of the, and a copy of the report of Mr. Todhunter, Acting Deputy Commissioner, on the condition of the new tent forwarded to him, with remarks.—The Superintendent, Central Jail, Vellore, requested to supply the, with a pole and a punkah for the Swiss cottage tent.	28th Aug., No. 3632, Mis. 5th Oct., „ 4141, Mis. 19th Nov., „ 4810, Mis.
Inspectors, Nandyal, Siddhavattam and Atmakúru Circles, and Assistant Inspectors, Chittoor, Madanapalle and Bobbili Circles.—A set of tents to each of the, ordered from the Central Jail, Vellore.	3rd Sept., „ 3682, Mis.
Vellore Circle.—The supply from the Central Jail, Vellore, of a new servants' tent to the, and the sale of the old one, ordered.—The Superintendent, Central Jail, Vellore, requested to supply head and storm ropes to the new servants' tent of the,	14th „ „ 3890, Mis. 14th Dec., „ 5140, Mis.
Covelong Circle.—The supply from the Central Jail, Vellore, of a new necessary tent to the, and the sale of the old one, ordered.	14th Sept., „ 3894, Mis.
Calingapatam Circle.—The Superintendent, Central Jail, Vellore, requested to supply the Inspector, with a necessary tent and the latter officer directed to report on its condition on receipt.	21st „ „ 3992, Mis.
Calicut Sub-division.—Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, informed that the Board is not prepared to withdraw the supply of tents to the circles in the, and a scale of tents for future supply to these circles, laid down and stated that certain tents will shortly be supplied to the Inspectors, Mangalore and Tellicherry Circles.—The Superintendent, Central Jail, Vellore, requested to report whether certain tents can be manufactured in the jail and if so at what price they will be supplied.—The Superintendent, Central Jail, Vellore, requested to send a set of tents to the Inspector, Madras Depôt, and the latter officer to intimate its arrival to the Board.	29th „ „ 4058, Mis. 29th „ „ 4118, Mis. 21st Nov., „ 4800, Mis.
Mr. E. R. R. Mainwaring.—Stated that sanction for the conveyance of the horses and tents of, by rail to Nellikuppam will not be granted until the necessity is more fully explained.—The cost of conveyance by rail of the horses and tents of, to Nellikuppam, sanctioned as a charge against the State.	8th Oct., „ 4194, Mis. 1st Nov., „ 4572, Mis.
Erode Circle.—An estimate for repairing the tents of the, sanctioned with remarks.	8th Oct., „ 4201, Mis.
The rate of cart-hire for the carriage of tents in the Káyalpatnam and Kuttanguli Circles raised from Rs. 1-8-0 to Rs. 1-14-0 per ten miles.	24th „ „ 4432, Mis.

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Mr. C. G. Todhunter, Deputy Commissioner, Central Division.—The railing of the tents of, from Madras to the Kurnool road station and back from Gooty station to Madras, sanctioned at the expense of the State.	30th Oct., No. 4555, Mis.
Adirámpatnam Circle.—An estimate for providing the tents of the, with gunny coverings, sanctioned.	6th Nov., ,, 4659, Mis.
Mr. Broun, Assistant Commissioner, Bellary Sub-division.—The cost of conveyance of the tents of, from Gooty to Cuddapah, sanctioned as a charge against the State.	13th ,, ,, 4729, Mis.
Deputy Commissioner, Central Division.—The cost of conveyance by rail of the horses and tents of the, from Madras to Adóni, sanctioned as a charge against the State.	17th Dec., ,, 5160, Mis.
Arni Circle.—The Superintendent, Central Jail, Vellore, requested to supply a servants' and a necessary tent to the Inspector, and also to fit the latter officer's hill tent with a new outerfly and sywans and instructions to the Inspector for the despatch of his hill tent to the Vellore Jail and for the sale of his old necessary and servants' tents, issued.	18th ,, ,, 5250, Mis.
The Committee appointed by the Board for passing the tents ordered for the Salt and Ábkári Department from the Central Jail, Vellore, abolished.	23rd ,, ,, 5286, Mis.
THEFT.	
A certain sum of money stolen from the Villupuram Circle office.—Sanction of Government for writing off, solicited and remarked upon certain irregularities on the part of the Inspector and his Head Clerk.—Report on certain points in regard to, submitted to Government.—Government Order passing orders on Board's proposals as regards, communicated to the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, and Assistant Commissioner, Negapatam Sub-division.—Letter from the Inspector, Nannilam Circle, regarding the sum lost by him in the Villupuram Circle, returned with the remark that it should have been submitted in the first instance through the proper channel.—Orders passed on letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, submitting with remarks Mr. Calder's letter requesting a reconsideration of the order passed in connection with,	9th July, ,, 2836, Mis. 2nd Sept., ,, 3662, Mis. 9th ,, ,, 3976, Mis. 14th Oct., ,, 4282, Mis. 29th Nov., ,, 4963, Mis.
Myttupet fish-curing yard.—Sanction of Government for writing off the accounts certain amount being the value of salt and cash stolen in the, solicited and the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, requested to direct the Inspector, Adirámpatnam Circle, to draw the pay due to the late petty officer attached to the yard and to credit to Government.—Government Order according sanction for writing off the accounts the sum of Rs. 20-6-11 being the value of salt and cash stolen from the, communicated to Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, and Assistant Commissioner, Negapatam Sub-division, with remarks.	2nd Sept., ,, 3669, Mis. 3rd Oct., ,, 4173, Mis.
THUMB MARKS.	
System of affixing the right-hand thumb marks of illiterate recipients of pay, rewards, &c., in the acquittance rolls.—Endorsement of the Deputy Commissioner, Southern	12th Mar., ,, 1039, Mis. 26th ,, ,, 1327, Mis. 9th May, ,, 1923, Mis.

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Division, recommending the introduction of the, forwarded to the Deputy Commissioners, Northern and Central Divisions, for report.—Letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, approving with certain changes the proposal of Mr. Kearns to introduce the, recorded.—The Inspector, Védáranniyam Circle, requested to submit to the Board one of the reward registers of the circle, in which the thumb marks of the signatories have been taken.—Mr. Kearns requested to get thumb marks taken on a sheet of paper according to the method suggested by him and forward the sheet to the Board.—Ordered that the thumb-mark system be given a trial in the Cocanada Subdivision and the Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, requested to examine the system and report the result of the experiment at the end of a year.	12th June, No. 2439, Mis. 18th July, „ 3015, Mis.
TITLE.	
Diwan Bahadur.—Government Order stating that His Excellency the Viceroy has conferred the title of, upon him, communicated to Diwan Bahadur Dharma Rao Naidu Garu, Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, with the request to furnish certain information called for by Government.—Letter from Diwan Bahadur R. Dharma Rao Naidu Garu furnishing particulars as to his caste, place of residence, &c., submitted to Government.	2nd Mar., „ 836, Mis. 1st April, „ 1392, Mis.
TODDY.	
T. T. applications for trees by tree-owners for the drawing of toddy required for domestic consumption.—Stated that the restrictions suggested by the Assistant Commissioner, Arcot Sub-division, and the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, regarding, do not meet with the Board's approval.	16th „ „ 1547, Mis.
The term toddy occurring in the licenses for the lease 1895-96.—Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, informed with remarks that the, will be suitably modified in the licenses to be printed for the lease 1896-97.	26th „ „ 1690, Mis.
Instructions in the case of an obstinate sweet toddy-drawer refusing to bring down pots for the Inspector's examination of them.—Orders passed on letter from Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, requesting,	6th May, „ 1876, Mis.
Levy of a transport duty on toddy imported from the Nizam's Dominions into the Kurnool district from 1st October 1896.—Proposals for the, submitted to Government.—Government Order on Board's proposals for the, communicated to the Collectors of Bellary and Kurnool, the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, and the Assistant Commissioner, Bellary Sub-division.—Central Division Deputy Commissioner's revised proposals for the establishment of chowkies in the Kurnool district for regulating the transport of Hyderabad toddy, approved with remarks.—Government addressed in the matter of certain orders issued by it in connection with the Board's proposals for the.—Board's Proceedings, No. 322, dated 15th August 1896, recorded by Government.—Instructions for regulating the transport in skins of Hyderabad toddy in the Kurnool district, issued.—Government Order passing orders on Board's	6th July, „ 258. 13th Aug., „ 316. 15th „ „ 322. 2nd Sept., „ 3629, Mis. 5th „ „ 3835, Mis. 16th „ „ 3904, Mis. 26th „ „ 366.

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TODDY—*cont.*	
Proceedings, Mis. No. 3629, dated 2nd September 1896, communicated to the Collector of Kurnool, the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, and the Assistant Commissioner, Bellary Sub-division.	
Import of toddy from Mysore.—The Collectors of Cuddapah and North Arcot informed with remarks that permits should not be issued for the,	21st Oct., No. 4387, Mis.
TOUR.	
Inspectors to lay out tours for Sub-Inspectors during the marking season.—Letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, informing that he and all the Assistant Commissioners in his division agree in the matter of amending paragraph 4 of Circular Order No. I of 1892 requiring, recorded.—Proposal of the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, to omit the provision in paragraph 4 of Circular Order No. I of 1892 requiring, approved and stated that a Sub-Circular Order will be issued amending the Circular Order accordingly.	6th Jan., ,, 3, Mis. 30th April, ,, 165.
Certain officers of the Land Revenue Department meeting the Assistant Commissioner's while on tour in view to their consulting them on abkári matters.—Order passed on endorsement of the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division on letter from the Assistant Commissioner, Tinnevelly Sub-division, requesting to arrange for,	8th Aug., ,, 3329, Mis.
TRANSPORT.	
Transport of salt to the West Coast during 1895-96.—Letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, explaining the circumstances under which certain alterations were made in the agreement executed by Mr. M. L. Corera for the, recorded with remarks.—Copy of Proceedings of the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, requesting the Assistant Commissioner, Tinnevelly Sub-division, to supply an additional quantity of salt for the fish-curing yard in the Udipi and Calicut Circles for the year 1896, recorded.—Copy of Proceedings of the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, sanctioning, with remarks, an additional quantity of salt to be supplied to the fish-curing yards on the West Coast, recorded.—The proposal of the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, for the transport of 133,000 maunds of Government salt from the Sevandakulam extension to the West Coast for issue to fish-curing yards, approved and the tender of Mr. M. L. Corera for the same, accepted.—The agreement executed by the Contractor for the, during the year 1896–97, returned with remarks to the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, duly signed by the Commissioner.—Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, informed with remarks that the extra expenditure likely to be incurred in consequence of the shipment of salt in the year 1896–97 from the Government Jetty at Tuticorin will be borne by Government.	12th Feb., ,, 579, Mis. 3rd ,, ,, 603, Mis. 18th Mar., ,, 1217, Mis. 14th Sept., ,, 3867, Mis. 17th Nov., ,, 4752, Mis. 9th Dec., ,, 5083, Mis.
Madras Salt Depôt.—Sample forms forwarded by the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, for use in the, and the factories storing their salt at the, approved with certain	6th Mar., ,, 890, Mis.

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modifications; and the licensees of the Vayalore, Ennore and Covelong Circles directed that they should superintend either in person or by agent the bagging and loading of their salt in boats for transport to the,	
Transport of liquor from one part of the Nizam's territory to another through intervening British territory.—Certain Board's Proceedings on the subject of the, communicated to the Collectors concerned and Deputy Commissioners, Northern and Central Divisions.	7th Mar., No. 87.
Conveyance of salt from the five northern factories to the Madras Salt Depôt.—Abdul Khadir Mustan Sahib's tender of 2½ annas per garce per mile for the, accepted as recommended by the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division. —The agreement executed by Abdul Khadir Mustan Sahib for the transport of salt from the factories of Ennore and Vayalore Circles to the Madras Depôt, returned to the Inspector, Madras Depôt Circle, duly signed.	13th ,, ,, 1096, Mis. 29th May, ,, 2300, Mis.
A certain transport boat arrived at the Madras Depôt with several salt bags in excess.—Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, requested to state what notice has been taken of the carelessness of the officer in fault in the case in which,—Directed with remarks that, in future, there must absolutely be no discrepancy whatever in the contents of transport boats and that if there be any such, severe notice should be taken of the officer responsible for the same.	24th June, ,, 2611, Mis. 20th Aug., ,, 3537, Mis.
Vêdâranniyam.—Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, requested to submit a full report as to how the transport of salt is conducted at, and to furnish information on certain points in connection therewith.—Remarked on the necessity of placing the transport of, excise salt to Negapatam under for more stringent regulations than at present.	1st July, ,, 2717, Mis. 23rd Dec., ,, 5293, Mis.
An application from Messrs. Parry and Company for a permit to transport liquor from the Medical Stores, Madras, to their distillery at Nellikuppam, forwarded with remarks to the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division.	10th July, ,, 2855, Mis.
Transport of country spirits from and into certain local areas. —A draft notification under section 9 of the Abkâri Act 1886 prohibiting, except under a permit granted by an officer duly authorized in that behalf, the, submitted to Government for approval and publication in the *Fort St. George Gazette.*—Government Order approving and ordering the notification to be published in the *Fort St. George Gazette*, communicated to the Collectors of certain districts, all Deputy and Assistant Commissioners of certain Subdivisions.	14th Aug., ,, 3436, Mis. 28th Sept., ,, 382.
Transport, except under a permit, of fermented toddy from the Ramnad division and certain portions of the Sivaganga division into the adjoining tracts of the Madura district.—Assistant Commissioner, Trichinopoly Sub-division, informed that it is not considered necessary to recommend the issue of a notification prohibiting the,	14th Aug., ,, 3437, Mis.
Salt purchased by Government in the Covelong and a Vayalore Circles.—Sanction of Government to transport to the Madras Depôt and sift certain quantities of, requested.—Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, informed that the salt	7th Sept., ,, 3754, Mis. 14th Oct., ,, 4254, Mis. 14th ,, ,, 4255, Mis. 29th ,, ,, 4565, Mis.

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purchased by Government from the licensees of the Vayalore, Ennore and Covelong Circles and lying in store on the local platforms may be removed to the Madras Depôt forthwith.— Government Order approving the Board's proposals, communicated to the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, and Assistant Commissioner, Chingleput Sub-division, with remarks.—Sanction of Government to the transport of 118,083 maunds of salt from the local platforms in the Chingleput factories to the Madras Depôt, requested.—Government Order sanctioning the transport, communicated to the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division.	27th Nov., No. 5046, Mis.
Transport in skins of Hyderabad toddy in the Kurnool district.—Instructions for regulating the, issued.	16th Sept., „ 3904, Mis.
A statement showing the quantity of Government salt transported to the Madras Depôt in 1895-96 and the actual charges incurred for transport.—Letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, submitting, recorded.	2nd Oct., „ 4164, Mis.
Compulsory verification of consignments of arrack transported from wholesale depôts to arrack vend depôts.—Decided that it is unnecessary to maintain the,—Board's Proceedings, No. 414, dated 9th October 1896, recorded by Government.	9th „ „ 414. 28th Nov. „ 5136, Mis.
Short delivery of a bag of salt in a consignment of 250 bags of salt despatched by sea to the Cannanore fish-curing yard owing to an accident.—Copy of Proceedings of the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, informing the Assistant Commissioner, Calicut Sub-division, that the contractor may be made to pay the cost price of salt and that of the gunny for the, recorded.	28th „ „ 5098, Mis.
Pandraka.—Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, informed that the best mode of transporting salt from the pans to the drying grounds attached to the place of storage at, would be by cavadies direct instead of by punts and requested to report what extra payment per garce will be necessary to effect this change and to stop in the meanwhile all expenditure on works relating to the present mode of transport.	12th Dec., „ 5180, Mis.
Instructions to the Assistant Commissioner, Chingleput Sub-division, for the transport of certain consignments of salt from the Ennore factories to the Madras Depôt and for ascertaining the wastages from dryage in those consignments, issued.	16th „ „ 5201, Mis.
TREASURY.	
Inspection of the Cocanada Sea Customs treasury.—Copy of the Proceedings of the Board of Revenue (Land Revenue), agreeing with the Collector of Gódávari in his opinion that the, should be conducted by the Divisional officer also, recorded.	14th Oct., „ 4293, Mis.
Recommended to Government that the head gumastah on Rs. 15 in the Pámban Sea Customs House be placed in charge of treasury work during the absence on circuit of the Sea Customs Superintendent who is also Deputy Tahsildar and Sub-Magistrate.—Government Order approving the proposal, communicated to the Collector of Madura for the issue of necessary instructions.	16th „ „ 4319, Mis. 20th Nov., „ 4841, Mis.

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Receipt of money from Orissa salt traders into the Cuttack treasury for the purchase of salt from the Naupada factory.—The Accountant-General, Madras, requested to arrange with the Accountant-General, Bengal, for the,	4th Nov., No. 4606, Mis.
TREES.	
Casuarina topes.—Letter from the Assistant Commissioner, Chatrapur Sub-division, reporting that the Executive Engineer, Ganjám Division, declined to transfer certain, to the Salt Department, recorded.	10th Jan., ,, 149, Mis.
Tanjore.—Proceedings of the Collector of Tanjore cancelling the sales of usufructory right inclusive of the right to let for tapping of Government toddy trees and deciding to introduce the system of levying a fixed fee on every tree tapped, recorded with remarks.	4th Feb., ,, 473, Mis.
Numbering of palmyrah and date trees in the same field during the two half years of a lease.—Copy of Proceedings of the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, issuing instructions regarding the, recorded.	28th Jan., ,, 542, Mis.
Tapping of trees by licensees on the last day of the lease and the disposal of the unsold balance of toddy in the shops.—Copy of Proceedings of the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, passing orders on letter from the Assistant Commissioner, Trichinopoly Sub-division, requesting instructions on certain points regarding the, recorded.	14th Feb., ,, 676, Mis.
The suggestion of the Assistant Commissioner, Trichinopoly Sub-division, that the holding of each pattadar may, for the purposes of tree-marking, be treated as a unit in the zemindari tracts, approved.	26th ,, ,, 872, Mis.
Madura.—The minimum number of trees of sago palms prescribed by the Collector of, to be entered in a single application and for which license may be issued, sanctioned.	14th Mar., ,, 1099, Mis.
Preparation of fibre from the outer back of the palmyrah trees in the Palghat and Walavanaud taluks.—Endorsement of the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, submitting copy of letter from the Inspector, Palghat Circle, regarding the, recorded.	10th April, ,, 1462, Mis.
Toddy-drawers tapping trees before they are marked.—Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, informed that his view in the matter of prohibiting the practice of, is correct.	6th ,, ,, 1472, Mis.
T. T. applications for trees by tree-owners for the drawing of toddy required for domestic consumption.—Stated that the restrictions suggested by the Assistant Commissioner, Arcot Sub-division, and the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, regarding, do not meet with the Board's approval.	16th ,, ,, 1547, Mis.
Applications to tap trees for sweet toddy.—Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, requested to withdraw an order issued by him in the matter of,	19th ,, ,, 1620, Mis.
Salem.—Proceedings of the Board of Revenue (Land Revenue), approving the proposal of the Collector to introduce as an experiment the system of levying a fixed fee for	16th May, ,, 2118, Mis.

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the usufruct of Government trees tapped for toddy and stating that in order to prevent the leaves of the trees from being stripped off, a condition may be imposed requiring at least 8 leaves to be left on each tree, communicated to Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, and Assistant Commissioner, Arcot Sub-division.	
Proposal of the Collector of Bellary to sell the Government date trees in the Kúdligi taluk within independent shop limits subsequent to the sale of shops.—Proceedings of the Board of Revenue (Forest Department), sanctioning, as a special case, the, communicated to the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division.	4th June, No. 2338, Mis.
Tapping of Government date trees in the Cuddapah district.—Board's Proceedings, (Land Revenue), recording, with remarks, letter from the Collector of Cuddapah in the matter of certain complaints made by the Deputy Commissioner, regarding the, communicated to the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division.—Board's Proceedings (Land Revenue), Forest Mis. No. 1032, dated 27th July 1896, ordering the adoption of the suggestions made by the Conservator of Forests, Central Circle, for defining and restoring the demarcation marks on Government date-bearing trees, communicated to the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division.	14th July, „ 2966, Mis. 11th Aug., „ 3390, Mis.
Kurnool.—Minimum number of trees fixed by the Collector for original and supplemental tree-tapping licenses for the lease 1896-97, approved.	29th July, „ 3191, Mis.
Tinnevelly.—Copy of a notification issued by the Collector of, fixing minimum number of trees for tree-tapping licenses for 1896-97, recorded.	29th „ „ 3272, Mis.
Bellary.—Proceedings of the Board of Revenue (Land Revenue), approving the Collector's proposals in the matter of the approaching auction sale of toddy trees in his district, recorded.	30th „ „ 3260, Mis.
Cuddapah district.—The minimum number of trees for which licenses may be granted under the T. T. system in the, sanctioned.	5th Aug., „ 3341, Mis.
Cuddapah.—Proceedings of the Board of Revenue (Land Revenue), approving the proposal of the Collector of Cuddapah to introduce the system of levying a fixed fee in regard to the usufruct of toddy trees on Government poramboke and assessed waste lands and observing that the Collector's letter should have been submitted through the Conservator of Forests, communicated to the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division.	6th „ „ 3354, Mis.
Gódávari.—Proceedings of the Board of Revenue (Land Revenue) informing the Separate Revenue Department, of the action taken on certain precautionary measures suggested by the Collector of, against possible obstruction from tree-owners in the shape of exorbitant demands for leasing out their trees, recorded.	11th „ „ 3422, Mis.
Incisions on Government date trees in the Anantapur Circle.—Proceedings of the Land Revenue Department passing orders on certain remarks made by the Deputy Commissioner relative to the working of the rules regarding, communicated to the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division.	25th „ „ 339.

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Chingleput.—Proceedings of the Board of Revenue (Land Revenue) passing orders on Collector's proposals regarding the grouping of toddy-yielding trees in his district and introduction of a fixed fee for their usufruct, recorded and the Conservators of Forests requested to state whether such trees in reserved forests and reserved lands are let for tapping in any of the districts in their circles.	25th Aug., No. 340.
Central Division Deputy Commissioner's proposals to reduce the distance between any two incisions on date trees from 18 to 9 inches.—Collectors of the Ceded districts requested to express their opinion as to the advisability of approving the,—Letter from the Collector of Kurnool approving the Central Division Deputy Commissioner's proposal, recorded.—Letter from the Collector of Cuddapah reporting on the question, recorded.—Letter from the Collector of Bellary reporting on the question, recorded.	1st Sept., ,, 3637, Mis. 10th ,, ,, 3882, Mis. 12th ,, ,, 3943, Mis. 25th ,, ,, 4068, Mis.
The recommendation of the Collector of Malabar that the rule prescribing minimum number of trees for tapping licenses may be withdrawn in the case of trees applied for for the Parli distillery, approved.	10th ,, ,, 3816, Mis.
The two-feet limit of minimum height at which date trees may be tapped in the Ceded districts.—Board's Proceedings (Land Revenue), approving his suggestion that, may be continued for the year 1896-97 also, communicated to the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division.	18th ,, ,, 3951, Mis.
Tanjore.—Copy of circular issued by the Collector prescribing the minimum number of trees for which toddy shopkeepers in the district should take out T. T. licenses for 1896-97, recorded.	29th ,, ,, 4175, Mis.
Licensing trees in British territory for export of toddy to Mysore.—The Inspector, Madanapalle Circle, informed by wire, that trees can only be marked on the application of the local shopkeepers who must obtain permits from the Collector for the exportation of toddy to Mysore.	13th Oct., ,, 4253, Mis.
Marking of trees for toddy in cemeteries.—Mr. Thurley, Inspector, Madras Town Circle, reprimanded for his disregard of distinct orders prohibiting the,	20th ,, ,, 4384, Mis.
Results of the sales of the usufruct of the toddy-yielding trees on unreserved lands for the toddy year 1895-96.—Proceedings of the Board of Revenue (Land Revenue), submitting, for the information of Government, a statement showing the, recorded.	6th Nov., ,, 444.
TREE-TAX SYSTEM.	
Inspectors to lay out tours for Sub-Inspectors during the marking season.—Letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, informing that he and all the Assistant Commissioners in his division agree in the matter of amending paragraph 4 of Circular Order No. I of 1892, requiring, recorded.—Proposal of the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, to omit the provision in paragraph 4 of Circular Order No. I of 1892 requiring, approved.	6th Jan., ,, 3, Mis. 30th Apr., ,, 165.

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Northern Division.—Deputy Commissioner's Proceedings reporting on the progress of the T.T. system in the division for October 1895, recorded.—Deputy Commissioner's Proceedings reporting on the progress of the T.T. system in the division for the month of November 1895, recorded.—Deputy Commissioner's Proceedings reporting on the progress of the T.T. system in the division up to the month of December 1895, reviewed.—Deputy Commissioner's Proceedings reporting on the progress of the T.T. system in the division during January 1896, recorded.—Deputy Commissioner's Proceedings reporting on the progress of the T.T. system in the division during February 1896, recorded.—Deputy Commissioner's Proceedings reporting on the progress of the T.T. system in the division up to the month of March 1896, reviewed.—Deputy Commissioner's Proceedings reviewing the progress of the T.T. system in the Chicacole Sub-division for April 1896, recorded.—Deputy Commissioner's Proceedings reporting on the progress of the T.T. system in the Cocanada and Chicacole Sub-divisions for April and May 1896, respectively, recorded.—Deputy Commissioner's Proceedings reporting on the progress of the T.T. system in the Cocanada Sub-division for May 1896, recorded.—Deputy Commissioner's Proceedings reporting on the progress of the T.T. system in the division up to the month of June 1896, reviewed.—Proceedings of the Deputy Commissioner, reporting on the progress of the T.T. system in the division during July 1896, recorded.—Proceedings of the Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, reporting on the progress of the T.T. system in the Cocanada Sub-division for August 1896, recorded.—Northern Division Deputy Commissioner's Proceedings reporting on the progress of the T.T. system in the Chicacole Sub-division for August 1896, recorded.—Proceedings of the Deputy Commissioner, reporting on the progress of the T.T. system in the Chicacole and Cocanada Sub-divisions up to the month of September 1896, recorded with remark.—Proceedings of the Deputy Commissioner, reviewing the progress of the T.T. system in the division during October 1896, recorded.	9th Jan., No. 63, Mis. 10th „ „ 81, Mis. 13th Mar., „ 1075, Mis. 21st „ „ 1229, Mis. 11th Apr., „ 1476, Mis. 13th May, „ 2006, Mis. 8th June, „ 2383, Mis. 8th July, „ 2838, Mis. 15th „ „ 2965, Mis. 12th Aug., „ 3391, Mis. 19th Sept., „ 3964, Mis. 5th Oct., „ 4332, Mis. 3rd „ „ 4336, Mis. 14th Nov., „ 4754, Mis. 16th Dec., „ 5154, Mis.
Central Division.—Deputy Commissioner's Proceedings reporting on the progress of the T.T. system in the, for October 1895, recorded.—Proceedings of the Deputy Commissioner, reporting on the progress of the T.T. system for November 1895, recorded.—Deputy Commissioner's Proceedings reporting on the progress of the T.T. system in the, for December 1895, reviewed.—Proceedings of the Deputy Commissioner, reporting on the progress of the T.T. system in the, for January 1896, recorded.—Proceedings of the Deputy Commissioner, reporting on the progress of the T.T. system in the, for February 1896, recorded.—Deputy Commissioner's Proceedings reporting on the progress of the T.T. system in the, for March 1896, reviewed.—Proceedings of the Deputy Commissioner, reporting on the progress of the T.T. system in the, for April 1896, recorded.—Proceedings of the Deputy Commissioner, reporting on the progress of the T.T. system in the, for May 1896, recorded.—Proceedings of the Deputy Commissioner, reporting on the progress of the T.T. system in the, for July 1896, recorded.—Proceedings of the Deputy Commissioner, reviewing the progress of the T.T. system in the, during the month of August 1896, recorded with remark.	9th Jan., „ 64, Mis. 30th „ „ 389, Mis. 24th Feb., „ 794, Mis. 9th Mar., „ 921, Mis. 21st Apr., „ 1577, Mis. 5th June, „ 2356, Mis. 1st July, „ 2765, Mis. 21st Aug., „ 3643, Mis. 16th Oct., „ 4470, Mis. 25th Dec., „ 5282, Mis.

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Southern Division.—Deputy Commissioner's Proceedings reporting on the progress of the tree-tax system in the, during the month of October 1895, recorded.—Deputy Commissioner's Proceedings reporting on the progress of the T.T. system in the, for the month of November 1895, recorded.—Deputy Commissioner's Proceedings reporting on the progress of the T.T. up to the month of December 1895, reviewed.—Deputy Commissioner's Proceedings reporting on the progress of the T.T. system in the, during January 1896, recorded.—Deputy Commissioner's Proceedings reporting on the progress of the T.T. system in the, during the month of February 1896, recorded.—Letter from the Deputy Commissioner, submitting, with remarks, report on the progress of the T.T. system in the Tinnevelly Circle, recorded.—Deputy Commissioner's Proceedings reporting on the progress of the T.T. system in the, during the month of March 1896, reviewed.—Proceedings of the Deputy Commissioner, reporting on the progress of the T.T. system in the, during April 1896, recorded.—Deputy Commissioner's Proceedings reporting on the progress of the T.T. system in the, during May 1896, recorded.—Southern Division Deputy Commissioner's Proceedings reporting on the progress of the T.T. system in the, up to the month of June 1896, reviewed.—Proceedings of the Deputy Commissioner, reporting on the progress of the T.T. system in the, during July 1896, recorded.—Proceedings of the Deputy Commissioner, reporting on the progress of the T.T. system in the, during August 1896, recorded.—Proceedings of the Deputy Commissioner, reporting on the progress of the T.T. system in the, up to the month of September 1896, recorded.—Proceedings of the Deputy Commissioner, reporting on the progress of the T.T. system in the, during October 1896, recorded.	11th Jan., No. 143, Mis. 31st ,, ,, 417, Mis. 9th Mar., ,, 964, Mis. 24th ,, ,, 1263, Mis. 23rd Apr., ,, 1592, Mis. 19th May, ,, 2111, Mis. 4th June, ,, 2317, Mis. 16th ,, ,, 2560, Mis. 1st Aug., ,, 3239, Mis. 3rd Sept., ,, 3699, Mis. 19th ,, ,, 3966, Mis. 28th Oct., ,, 4494, Mis. 19th Nov., ,, 4846, Mis. 26th Dec., ,, 5300, Mis.
A statement showing the number of trees licensed from 1st October to 25th December 1895 and the fees paid or payable for them in the areas in which the tree-tax system has been newly-introduced from 1st October 1895, submitted to Government.—A statement showing the toddy revenue in the several tracts where the T.T. system was introduced on the 1st October 1895, submitted to Government.—Government Order prescribing certain monthly statements to be submitted to Government in connection with the working of the T.T. system, recorded.—Government Order recording, with remarks, Board's Proceedings, Mis. No. 643, dated 17th February 1896, communicated to Deputy Commissioners, Central and Southern Divisions.—Two statements, one showing the toddy revenue in the several tracts into which the T.T. system was introduced from the 1st October last and another for the several taluks and divisions of the Kistna District, submitted to Government.—Statements up to the month of March 1896, submitted to Government.—Statements up to the month of April 1896, submitted to Government.—Collectors of Tinnevelly and Coimbatore and the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, requested to report why the toddy revenue of the taluks newly brought under the T.T. system in the Tinnevelly and Coimbatore districts show a decrease as compared with the revenue of the previous year in almost all the taluks.—Statements up to the month of May 1896, submitted to Government.—Letter from the Collector of Coimbatore regarding the decrease under T.T. in the	16th Jan., ,, 168, Mis. 17th Feb., ,, 643, Mis. 20th ,, ,, 714, Mis. 10th Mar., ,, 997, Mis. 19th ,, ,, 1154, Mis. 24th Apr., ,, 1611, Mis. 22nd May, ,, 2121, Mis. 17th June, ,, 2516, Mis. 20th ,, ,, 2565, Mis. 6th July, ,, 2859, Mis. 21st ,, ,, 3039, Mis. 13th Aug., ,, 3427, Mis. 17th ,, ,, 3462, Mis. 15th Sept., ,, 3898, Mis. 13th ,, ,, 3899, Mis. 18th Oct., ,, 4340, Mis. 24th Nov., ,, 4838, Mis. 14th ,, ,, 4839, Mis. 28th ,, ,, 4956, Mis.

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taluks in his division to which the system was newly extended, recorded.—Statements up to the month of June 1896, submitted to Government.—The reason for the fall in T.T. in the Repalle taluk of the Kistna district up to June 1896, reported to Government.—Statements up to the month of July 1896, submitted to Government.—A statement showing the toddy revenue in the several taluks of the Tinnevelly district, into which the T.T. system was introduced on the 1st October 1895, submitted to Government.—Government Order recording Board's Proceedings, Mis. No. 3462, dated 17th August 1896, with the remark that the statement may now be discontinued except as regards the Tinnevelly district, recorded.—Statement showing the toddy revenue in the several taluks of the Tinnevelly district, submitted to Government.—Statement showing the progress of the T.T. system during October 1896, in the several tracts into which it was introduced on the 1st October 1896, and in the several taluks of the Tinnevelly district into which it was introduced on the 1st October 1895, submitted to Government.—Government Order requesting to include in the statement showing the toddy revenue of the Tinnevelly district the districts and parts of districts to which the T.T. system was extended from the 1st October 1896, recorded.—Letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, reporting on the decrease in revenue realized under the T.T. system as compared with the old renting system up to the end of April last in the districts of Coimbatore and Tinnevelly, recorded.	
Alleged delay in the issue of tree-tapping licenses in the Gódávari district. — Endorsement of the Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, on letter from the Assistant Commissioner, Cocanada Sub-division, reporting on the, recorded.	24th Jan., No. 293, Mis.
T. T. 13 *Register.*—Copy of Proceedings of the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, informing the Assistant Commissioner, Nellore, that, need not be maintained at the circle offices, recorded.	4th Feb., ,, 545, Mis.
T. T. 9 (*a*) *Statement for January* 1896.—Assistant Commissioners, Masulipatam and Nellore Sub-divisions, requested by wire to expedite submission of the,	12th ,, ,, 583, Mis.
T. T. 9 (*a*) *Statement for June* 1896.—Assistant Commissioners, Masulipatam, Nellore and Arcot Sub-divisions, requested by wire to expedite the submission of the,	14th July, ,, 2919, Mis.
Mysore.—The Excise Commissioner, requested to inform when the T. T. system is to be introduced into, and into what districts.—Letter from the Excise Commissioner, stating that the T. T. system will be introduced into the whole of the province of Mysore from 1st July 1897, if the results of certain preliminary enquiries on the subject appear favourable, recorded.	30th ,, ,, 3189, Mis. 25th Sept., ,, 4104, Mis.
Kurnool district.—Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, requested to submit weekly reports of the result of the introduction of the T. T. system on the consumption of arrack in the, after the 1st October next.	14th Aug., ,, 3432, Mis.

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Progress made in introducing the tree-tax system into new tracts from the beginning of the current month.—Assistant Commissioners requested to report demi officially on the, and to submit the monthly T. T. 9 (*a*) statements as early as possible after the close of the month to which the return relates.—Deputy Commissioner's remarks on the Chicacole Assistant Commissioner's memorandum reporting on the, in the sub-division, recorded with remarks.	19th Oct., No. 4341, Mis 7th Dec., ,, 5031, Mis
Verification of the entries in T. T. 6 by Curnams of villages.—Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, informed that the rule requiring the, may be temporarily relaxed in certain portions of the Tinnevelly Sub-division.	31st Oct., ,, 4541, Mis.
Delay in the submission of T. T. 9 (a) statements to the Collector of North Arcot and to the inattention of the orders on the subject.—Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, requested to call upon the Inspector, Ránipéttai Circle, to submit an immediate and full explanation for the,	17th Nov., ,, 4821, Mis.
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VILLAGE.	
The transfer of certain villages from the Kota to the Coondapur range in the Udipi Circle, sanctioned.	17th June, ,, 1835, R.
VOLUNTEER.	
System of registering volunteers in Public offices.—Report in connection with the proposal to introduce the, submitted to Government.—Government Order abandoning the proposal to revive the, recorded.	17th Mar., ,, 1137, Mis. 21st July, ,, 3105, Mis.
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WAREHOUSE.	
Messrs. Parry and Company's Warehouse at Arkónam.—Stated that the storing of spirits in casks in the, beyond the sanctioned period and the great delay in providing vats are unsatisfactory, the suggestion of the Assistant Commissioner, Arcot Sub-division, to stop all transactions in the, if vats, &c., are not provided within 31st January 1896, accepted, and orders passed on the request of the Manager, Arcot Sugar Works, and Distilleries, Ránipéttai, to grant him the concession of storing spirits in casks in certain warehouses proposed to be established.—Collector of North Arcot informed that the renewal of Messrs. Parry and Company's license for the working of the, for 1896–97, cannot be granted until a certain report is received from the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, and requested to call for and submit fresh description and plan of the warehouse premises.—Letter from the Collector of North Arcot submitting fresh description and plan of the, recorded, pending receipt of a certain report	11th Jan., ,, 108, Mis. 31st ,, ,, 439, Mis. 11th Mar., ,, 1009, Mis. 25th ,, ,, 1273, Mis. 27th ,, ,, 1323, Mis. 5th April, ,, 1400, Mis. 10th ,, ,, 1431, Mis. 21st ,, ,, 1597, Mis. 30th ,, ,, 1728, Mis. 8th May, ,, 1897, Mis. 18th July, ,, 3028, Mis. 1st Sept., ,, 3809, Mis.

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from the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division.—Messrs. Parry and Company furnished with a copy of Board's Proceedings, Mis. No. 439, dated 31st January 1896, and informed that the renewal of the license for the, cannot be sanctioned as the arrangements ordered in the warehouse are reported to be still incomplete.—The renewal of Messrs. Parry and Company's license for the, for 1896–97, sanctioned by wire; sanction accorded to issue liquor from casks for 10 days only and the Assistant Commissioner, Arcot Sub-division, requested to explain why certain vats in the, were not gauged.—The issue of liquor from casks in, until 20th April 1896, permitted.—The issue of liquor from casks at, until the end of April 1896, sanctioned.—Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, informed that it is not necessary to frame any rule embodying the Arcot Assistant Commissioner's suggestion that distillers and warehouse-keepers should be required to give one month's notice of the date of completion of the gauging of vats, &c.—Assistant Commissioner, Arcot Sub-division, requested to report by return of post whether any further extension of time for issuing liquor from casks in, should be granted and stated that issues may continue to be made from casks in the warehouse till receipt of orders on his report.—An extension of the permission granted for the issue of liquor from casks at the Arkónam warehouse up to the 15th May, sanctioned.—Letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, reporting that the calculation of the tables of the capacities of the vats in, has been completed and passed, recorded with remarks.—Letter from the Assistant Commissioner, Arcot Sub-division, reporting on the arrangements made for locking up the vats in, and issue of liquor therefrom, recorded.	
Warehouse at Ferokh.—Government Order approving and sanctioning the Board's recommendation that the proposal of the Agent and Manager of the Madras Railway Company to construct a, at the Railway Company's charge provided Government pays an annual rent of 7½ per cent. on the outlay may be accepted, communicated to the Collector of Malabar.—Letter from the Collector of Malabar furnishing information on certain points in connection with the proposed construction of a, by the Madras Railway Company for the Customs Department, submitted to Government with the remark that the construction of the warehouse is not necessary.—Government Order, Revenue Department, transferring to the Public Works Department (Railway), Board's Proceedings, Mis. No. 1798, recorded.	22nd Jan., No. 283, Mis. 1st May, „ 1798, Mis. 23rd „ „ 2260, Mis.
Private Warehouse at Reniguntа.—The opening of a, by the Arcot Sugar Works and Distilleries, sanctioned with remarks.—The grant of a license for the, for 1896–97, sanctioned and the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, requested to report whether certain improvements in the building proposed to be used as a, have been carried out.—Letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, submitting report in connection with the, recorded pending receipt of further report promised.—Letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, reporting that the building and arrangements ordered in the, may not be ready for two months to come, recorded.	27th Jan., „ 477, Mis. 31st Mar., „ 1349, Mis. 11th April, „ 1513, Mis. 8th May, „ 1962, Mis.

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Private warehouse at Pódanúr.—Letter from the Collector of Coimbatore forwarding the application of the Manager of the Arcot Sugar Works and Distilleries for the grant of a license to open a, during 1896–97, referred to the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, for very early report.—Orders passed on letter from the Collector of Coimbatore forwarding the application of the Manager of the Arcot Sugar Works and Distilleries for the grant of a license to open a,	24th Feb., No. 731, Mis. 13th Mar., ,, 1059, Mis.
Warehouse at Tanjore.—The renewal of Messrs. Parry and Company's license for the, during the year 1896–97, sanctioned.	6th ,, ,, 900, Mis.
Tanjore.—Letter from the Collector of, recommending the grant of a warehouse license to M.R.Ry. T. Ratnasami Nadar referred to the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, for report as to the suitability of certain premises at, for a warehouse, and the Collector requested to report if the applicant is prepared to pay the cost of the establishment required for supervising the warehouse.—Letter from the Collector of, recommending the grant of a warehouse license to the Manager, Arcot Sugar Works and Distilleries, Ranipet, referred to the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, for report as to the suitability of a certain building at, for a warehouse, and the Collector requested to report whether the applicant is willing to pay for the establishment required for supervising the proposed warehouse.—Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, requested to report whether one officer can adequately supervise all the three warehouses at Tanjore.—Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, requested to expedite his reply to Board's Proceedings, Mis. No. 1517, dated 17th April 1896.—The issue of private warehouse licenses at Tanjore to the Arcot Sugar Works and Distilleries Company and to M.R.Ry. Ratnasami Nadar on condition of a separate officer for each warehouse being paid for, sanctioned.	17th ,, ,, 1142, Mis. 17th ,, ,, 1144, Mis. 17th April, ,, 1517, Mis. 9th May, ,, 1916, Mis. 16th ,, ,, 2033, Mis.
Korapuzha warehouse.—Letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, stating that no casks were used in the, for keeping spirits, and that, in the opinion of Mr. Fowler, the extra guard proposed to be entertained in that warehouse is not necessary, recorded.	28th April, ,, 1722, Mis.
Warehouse at Cochin.—Government Order, Revenue Department, communicating Government Order, Public Works Department, sanctioning the revised estimate of Rs. 4,660 for constructing a, recorded.	11th May, ,, 1945, Mis.
A statement showing the cost of establishment for the supervision of Bonded Warehouses for the year 1895–96, submitted to Government.	21st ,, ,, 2089, Mis.
Warehouse at Beypore.—Reported to Government that the allotment provided for the construction of a, may be withdrawn as the proposed warehouse is considered unnecessary on account of the gradual decrease in the importation of salt at Beypore.—Government Order, Revenue Department, communicating Proceedings of the Public Works Department withdrawing the grant for the construction of a, and adding it to the Provincial reserve, communicated to the Collector of Malabar.	4th June, ,, 2335, Mis. 30th July, ,, 3192, Mis.

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WAREHOUSE—*cont.*	
Public Warehouse at Mangalore.—Letter from the Collector of South Canara reporting that it is not feasible to surrender the allotment in the current year's budget for the construction of a, submitted to Government and stated that the provision made is likely to be required and should not be withdrawn.—Remarked that corrugated iron is not a suitable material for the godown to be constructed chiefly for salt storage and stated that the estimate should be revised so far as the walls up to 9 or 10 feet from the ground are concerned.—Government Order, Revenue Department, transferring the Board's Proceedings, to Public Works Department, recorded.—Collector of South Canara requested to submit at an early date after revision the estimate returned with Board's Proceedings, Mis. No. 2942 dated 14th July 1896.—Collector of South Canara informed with remarks that contact of salt with corrugated iron will injure the iron and he is requested to submit the estimate and plans of the proposed, at once if the former requires no revision.—Plans and estimate for Rs. 11,400 for the construction of a, submitted for the sanction of Government.—Government Order approving and transferring to the Public Works Department the plans and estimate, recorded.	17th June, No. 2527, Mis. 14th July, „ 2942, Mis. 13th „ „ 2995, Mis. 28th Aug., „ 3618, Mis. 9th Sept., „ 3800, Mis. 21st Oct., „ 4370, Mis. 19th Nov., „ 4808, Mis.
Bezwada warehouse.—The arrangements of the vats in the, sanctioned as a temporary measure.	15th Dec., „ 5182, Mis.
WASTAGE.	
Calicut Sub-division.—Copy of Proceedings of the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, requesting the Inspectors, Tellicherry, Calicut and Ponnáni Circles, to take stock in certain distilleries and warehouses in the, for the quarter ending 31st December 1895.	6th Jan., „ 19, Mis.
Ranipettai distillery—The Manager of the Arcot Sugar Works and Distilleries exempted from the payment of duty on the excess wastages ascertained at the, for the official year 1894-95 and revised D-11 statements for the year 1894-95, called for.—Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, requested to call for and submit revised D-11 statements for the first two quarters of the official year 1895-96.—Copy of Proceedings of the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, reviewing statement of stock-taking for the quarter ending 31st December 1895, recorded.—Letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, submitting revised D-11 statements for the June and September quarters of 1895-96, recorded with remarks.—Statement of stock-taking for the quarter ending 30th December 1895, recorded with remarks.—Statement of stock-taking at the, for the quarter ending 31st March 1896, recorded with remarks.—Letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, stating that spirits in the, are sometimes reduced to strengths other than the authorized issue strengths when they are required for issue under bond to Rangoon and other places, recorded.—A revised D-11 statement of the, for the quarter ending 30th June 1896, called for.	8th „ „ 24, Mis. 21st „ „ 243, Mis. 21st „ „ 244, Mis. 20th Mar., „ 1197, Mis. 30th April, „ 1745, Mis. 29th May, „ 2228, Mis. 18th July, „ 3011, Mis. 11th Sept., „ 3847, Mis.
Discrepancy of 257 maunds 36 seers of Government salt in the accounts of the Tada Circle.—Sanction for writing off, accorded and remarked upon the carelessness of the officers in keeping the accounts.	10th Jan., „ 86, Mis.

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Negapatam Sub-division.—Certain quantities of Government and excise salt ordered to be written off the accounts as ordinary wastage for the quarter ending 30th June 1895.—Sanction for writing off, as ordinary wastage, certain quantities of Government and excise salt in the accounts of the, for the quarter ending 30th September 1895, accorded.—Certain quantities of Government and excise salt, ordered to be written off the accounts as ordinary wastage for the quarter ending 31st December 1895.—Sanction for writing off, as ordinary wastage, certain quantities of Government and excise salt in the account of the, for the quarter ending 31st March 1896, accorded.—Letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, submitting an extract of the entries against heap No. 40-1, Thambikkanallavankottai factory in the E 10 series, and remarking upon the heavy wastage in heap No. 13-1, Negapatam, recorded.—Orders passed on the explanation submitted by the Inspector of Adirámpatnam Circle for the high wastage in heap No. 35-93—111 of the Thambikkanallavankottai factory.	10th Jan., No. 106, Mis. 12th May, „ 1993, Mis. 21st July, „ 3141, Mis. 21st Sept., „ 4035, Mis. 9th Oct., „ 4258, Mis 21st „ „ 4399, Mis.
Chatrapur Sub-division.—Certain quantities of Government and excise salt sanctioned to be written off as ordinary wastage for the quarter ending 30th September 1895.—Endorsement of the Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, submitting letter from the Assistant Commissioner, forwarding revised W.-1 and W.-2 statements for the quarter ending 30th June 1895 and explaining the cause of a certain difference between the account-current and wastage abstract, recorded with remark.—Certain quantities of Government and excise salt, sanctioned to be writing off as ordinary wastage for the quarter ending 31st December 1895.—Certain quantities of Government and excise salt ordered to be written off as ordinary wastage for the quarter ending 31st March 1896.—Sanction for writing off as ordinary wastage certain quantities of Government and excise salt in the accounts of the, for the quarter ending 30th June 1896, accorded.—The wastages of 74 maunds of Government salt in a certain heap of the Surla factory omitted to be included in the wastage abstract for the quarter ending 30th June 1896, ordered to be included in the statement for the quarter ending 30th September 1896 and shown as pending from the previous quarter.—Sanction for writing off as ordinary wastage certain quantities of Government and excise salt in the accounts of the, for the quarter ending 30th September 1896, accorded.	16th Jan., „ 198, Mis. 4th Feb., „ 474, Mis. 21st Mar., „ 1206, Mis. 28th May, „ 2208, Mis. 20th Sept., „ 3993, Mis. 2nd Nov., „ 4538, Mis. 13th Dec., „ 5215, Mis.
Madura distillery.—Endorsement of the Collector of Madura reporting the correct amount of duty chargeable on the excess wastage in the, during the official year 1894-95 and stating that it has been ordered to be deducted from the distiller's deposit, recorded.—Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, informed that the Collector of Madura has taken steps to collect the amount of duty on the excess wastage ascertained in the, during the official year 1894-95 and requested to submit certain information called for in Board's Proceedings, Mis. No. 5028, dated 20th November 1895.—Letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, reporting that the liquor which remained unremoved from the, has been destroyed, recorded.	21st Jan., „ 274, Mis. 1st Feb., „ 433, Mis. 12th Mar., „ 1111, Mis.
Tondiarpet distillery.—Statement showing the result of stock-taking at the, for the quarter ending 31st December 1895,	27th Jan., „ 313, Mis. 9th Mar., „ 1083, Mis.

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recorded.—Letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, submitting explanation of the Tondiarpet distiller for the excess wastages ascertained during the June and September quarters of 1895, recorded.—Letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, submitting statement showing the result of stock-taking at the, for the quarter ending 31st March 1896, recorded with remark.—Statement showing the result of stock-taking at the, for the quarter ending 30th June 1896, recorded with remarks.	11th May, No. 1936, Mis. 19th Aug., „ 3479, Mis.
Arkónam warehouse.—Statement showing the result of stock-taking at the, for the quarter ending 31st December 1895, recorded with remark.—Proceedings of the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, submitting revised statement for the quarter ending 31st December 1895, recorded with remark.—Letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, submitting statement for the quarter ending 31st March 1896, recorded.—Endorsement of the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, submitting statement showing the result of stock-taking at the, for the quarter ending 30th June 1896, recorded with remark.	28th Jan., „ 334, Mis 11th Mar., „ 1010, Mis. 21st April, „ 1578, Mis. 2nd Sept., „ 3701, Mis.
Bezwada warehouse.—The wastages that occurred in the, during the lease from October 1894 to September 1895, passed.—Proceedings of the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, reviewing the statement of stock-taking at the, for the quarter ending 31st December 1895, recorded.—Assistant Commissioner, Masulipatam Sub-division, requested to submit a revised enclosure to the D-11 statement of the, for the quarter ending 31st December 1895.—Letter from the Assistant Commissioner, Masulipatam Sub-division, submitting a revised enclosure, recorded with remark.—Letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, replying to Board's review on the statement for the quarter ending 31st December 1895, recorded.—Letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, submitting statement showing the result of stock-taking at the, for the quarter ending 31st March 1896, recorded with remark.—Letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, submitting statement showing the result of stock-taking at the, for the quarter ending 30th June 1896, reviewed.	22nd Jan., „ 341, Mis. 7th Feb., „ 557, Mis. 27th Mar., „ 1343, Mis. 4th April, „ 1809, Mis. 9th July, „ 2993, Mis. 22nd „ „ 3065, Mis. 20th Aug., „ 3501, Mis.
Nellikuppam distillery.—Letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, submitting the explanation of the distillers and the Distillery officer, Nellikuppam, for the excess wastage ascertained in the distillery for the quarter ending 30th September 1895, recorded.—Letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, submitting statement showing the result of stock-taking at the, for the quarter ending 31st December 1895, recorded with remarks.—Letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, submitting the explanation of the distillers and the Distillery officer, Nellikuppam, for the excess wastage ascertained in the distillery for the quarter ending 31st December 1895, recorded.—The proposal of the Collector of South Arcot to hold in abeyance pending the final orders of the Board the collection of duty on the excess wastage ascertained in the, for the quarter ending 31st March 1893, approved.—Statement of stock-taking at the, for the quarter ending 31st March 1896, recorded.—Letter	24th Jan., „ 344, Mis. 16th Mar., „ 1108, Mis. 2nd May, „ 1848, Mis. 28th „ „ 2218, Mis. 29th „ „ 2219, Mis. 31st Aug., „ 3659, Mis. 30th Nov., „ 4960, Mis.

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from the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, submitting statement showing the result of stock-taking at the, for the quarter ending 30th June 1896, recorded with remarks.—Letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, submitting statement showing the result of stock-taking at the, for the quarter ending 30th September 1896, recorded with remark.	
Messrs. Abraham and Company's distillery at Bellary.—Statement showing the result of stock-taking at, for the quarter ending 31st December 1895, recorded with remark.—Letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, submitting statement for the quarter ending 31st March 1896, recorded.—Statement showing the result of stock-taking at, for the quarter ending 30th June 1896, recorded with remarks.—Endorsement of the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, submitting statement showing the result of stock-taking at, for the quarter ending 30th September 1896, recorded with remark.	28th Jan., No. 338, Mis. 1st May, „ 1779, Mis. 7th Aug., „ 3296, Mis. 14th Dec., „ 5129, Mis.
Messrs. Veerabhadrappa and Company's distillery at Bellary.—Letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, submitting explanation of Messrs. Veerabhadrappa and Company for the excess wastage ascertained at the distillery during the quarter ending 30th September 1895, recorded.—Letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, reviewing statement showing the result of stock-taking at, for the quarter ending 31st December 1895, recorded with remark.—Letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, replying to Board's review on statement for the quarter ending 31st December 1895, recorded.—Letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, submitting statement for the quarter ending 31st March 1896, recorded with remark.—Endorsement of the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, submitting statement for the quarter ending 30th June 1896, recorded with remark.—Endorsement of the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, submitting statement for the quarter ending 30th September 1896, recorded with remark.	29th Jan., „ 381, Mis. 3rd Feb., „ 486, Mis. 19th Mar., „ 1023, Mis. 7th May, „ 1872, Mis. 27th July, „ 3116, Mis. 16th Dec., „ 5155, Mis.
Tadpatri distillery.—Statement showing the result of stock-taking at the, for the quarter ending 31st December 1895, recorded.—Letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, submitting statement of stock-taking at the, for the quarter ending 31st March 1896, recorded.—Statement showing the result of stock-taking at the, for the quarter ending 30th June 1896, recorded.—Endorsement of the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, submitting statement showing the result of stock-taking at the, for the quarter ending 30th September 1896, recorded.	29th Jan., „ 382, Mis. 9th May, „ 1967, Mis. 5th Aug., „ 3282, Mis. 12th Dec., „ 5144, Mis.
Vepery distillery.—Statement showing the result of stock-taking at the, for the quarter ending 31st December 1895, recorded.—Letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, submitting statement showing the result of stock-taking at the, for the quarter ending 31st March 1896, recorded.—Copy of Proceedings of the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, approving, with remarks, the Madras Town Circle Inspector's explanation regarding a certain entry in the enclosure to the D-11 statement of, for the quarter ending 31st March 1896, reviewed.—Statement showing the result of stock-taking at the, for the quarter ending 30th June 1896, recorded with remarks.—	31st Jan., „ 421, Mis. 1st May, „ 1794, Mis. 29th „ „ 2241, Mis. 10th Aug., „ 3442, Mis. 14th „ „ 3443, Mis. 29th Oct., „ 4521, Mis.

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Letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, submitting revised D-11 statements of the, for the four quarters of 1895–96, recorded with remarks.—Endorsement of the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, submitting statement showing the result of stock-taking at the, for the quarter ending 30th September 1896, recorded with remark.	
Suramangalam distillery.—Statement showing the result of stock-taking at the, for the quarter ending 31st December 1895, recorded.—Statement for the quarter ending 31st March 1896, recorded.—A revised D-11 statement of the, for the quarter ending 30th June 1896, called for.	31st Jan., No. 422, Mis. 7th May, „ 1965, Mis. 2nd Sept., „ 3702, Mis.
High wastages and excesses noticed by the Acting Commissioner on his inspection in certain heaps of the Depôt at Negapatam.—Deputy Commissioner's remarks on letter from the Assistant Commissioner reporting on the, awaited.	1st Feb., „ 437, Mis.
Aska distillery.—Proceedings of the Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, reviewing statement showing the result of stock-taking at the, for the quarter ending 31st December 1895, recorded with remarks.—The Inspector, Aska Circle, instructed to take stock at the, for the quarter ending 31st March 1896.—Statement showing the result of stock-taking at the, for the quarter ending 31st March 1896, recorded with remarks.—Endorsement of the Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, submitting statement showing the result of stock-taking at the, for the quarter ending 30th June 1896, recorded.—Endorsement of the Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, submitting statement showing the result of stock-taking at the, for the quarter ending 30th September 1896, recorded.	5th „ „ 495, Mis. 21st Mar., „ 1251, Mis 1st June, „ 2320, Mis. 8th Aug., „ 3315, Mis. 28th Oct., „ 4499, Mis.
Bandur excise depôt.—Statement showing the result of stock-taking at the, for the quarter ending 31st December 1895, recorded.—Statement showing the result of stock-taking at the, for the quarter ending 31st March 1896, recorded.—Letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, submitting statement showing the result of stock-taking at the, for the quarter ending 30th June 1896, recorded with remarks.—The wastage ascertained in the, in the toddy year 1895–96, passed, and sanction for the renumbering of certain vats in the depôt, accorded.	6th Feb., „ 574, Mis. 29th May, „ 2253, Mis. 19th Aug., „ 3478, Mis. 6th Nov., „ 4615, Mis.
Tuchanallur distillery.—Letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, submitting statement showing the result of stock-taking at the, for the quarter ending 31st December 1895, recorded.—Letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, submitting explanations of the Distiller and Distillery officer for the high wastage ascertained in stock-taking at the, for the quarter ending 31st December 1895, recorded with remark.—Letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, submitting statement showing the result of stock-taking at the, for the quarter ending 31st March 1896, recorded with remarks.—Letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, submitting statement showing the result of stock-taking at the, for the quarter ending 30th June 1896, recorded with remarks.—Copy of Proceedings of the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, explaining to Assistant Commissioner, Tinnevelly Sub-division, the correct meaning of	7th Feb., „ 602, Mis. 16th April, „ 1509, Mis. 5th Aug., „ 3265, Mis. 16th Sept., „ 3926, Mis. 16th „ „ 3927, Mis. 19th Oct., „ 4427, Mis. 13th Nov., „ 4717, Mis.

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"strong spirits" referred to in Board's Proceedings, Mis. No. 740, dated 16th February 1894, recorded with remarks. —Letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, replying to Board's review on the statement for the quarter ending 30th June 1896, recorded.—Letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, submitting statement showing the result of stock-taking at the, for the quarter ending 30th September 1896, recorded.	
Wastage allowance for consignments of spirits removed from distilleries under bond.—Reported to Government on the petition from Messrs. Parry and Company in the matter of, —Government Order passing orders on Messrs. Parry and Company's petition regarding the method of calculating the, communicated to the Collector of South Arcot, Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, and Assistant Commissioner, Negapatam Sub-division.	14th Feb., No. 675, Mis. 21st July, „ 3066, Mis.
Wastage returns. — Deputy and Assistant Commissioners requested to scrutinize the, with special care, to investigate fully the causes of suspiciously high wastages, and to require Inspectors and Assistant Inspectors to comply fully with the orders in chapter XIX of Circular Order No. I of 1893.	25th Feb., „ 75.
Chingleput Sub-division. — Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, informed that a certain additional wastage in heap No. 15-92/4-12 of the Vallur factory cannot be written off but should be included in the quantity remaining to be written off.—Certain quantities of Government and excise salt in the accounts of the, for the quarter ending 31st December 1895, ordered to be written off as ordinary wastage.—Certain quantities of Government and excise salt in the accounts of the, for the quarter ending 31st March 1896, ordered to be written off as ordinary wastage.—Assistant Commissioner, Chingleput Sub-division, requested to explain why he did not detect certain mistake in the stock and wastages of certain factories on the occasion of his periodical verification of stocks.	26th „ „ 748, Mis. 10th Mar., „ 983, Mis. 14th Aug., „ 3447, Mis. 18th Oct., „ 4350, Mis.
Chávakkát distillery.—Letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, submitting statement showing the result of stock-taking at the, for the quarter ending 31st December 1895, recorded.—Letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, submitting statement for the quarter ending 31st March 1896, recorded with remarks.—Letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, submitting statement showing the result of stock-taking at the, for the quarter ending 30th June 1896, recorded with remark.—Orders passed on letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, reporting on the conduct of K. R. Swaminadha Aiyar, Distillery officer, in certain matters.—Letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, submitting the explanation of the Chávakkát distiller for the high shrinkages noted in the enclosure to the D-11 statement for the quarter ending 31st March 1896, recorded.—Orders passed on the explanation of Mr. E. W. Smither, Inspector, Ponnáni Circle, in regard to certain irregularities noticed in the accounts maintained by the officer in charge of the, — Letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, submitting statement showing the result of stock-taking at the, for the quarter ending 30th September 1896, recorded with remarks.	25th Feb., „ 751, Mis. 18th May, „ 2058, Mis. 25th Aug., „ 3606, Mis. 7th Sept., „ 3768, Mis. 7th „ „ 3769, Mis. 20th Nov., „ 4842, Mis. 16th Dec., „ 5163, Mis.

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Parli distillery. — Letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, submitting statements showing the result of stock-taking at the, for the quarter ending 30th September 1895, recorded.—Letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, submitting statements showing the result of stock-taking in the, for the two quarters ending with 31st December 1895 and 31st March 1896, recorded with remarks.—Letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, submitting statement showing the result of stock-taking at the, for the quarter ending 30th June 1896, recorded with remarks.—Letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, submitting explanations of the Inspector, Palghat Circle, and the Distillery officer at Parli for their omission to remind the Assistant Commissioner, Calicut Sub-division, of the fact that no stock had been taken at the, for the quarter ending 31st December 1895, recorded.—Letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, submitting statement showing the result of stock-taking at the, for the quarter ending 30th September 1896, recorded.	27th Feb., No. 777, Mis. 11th June, ,, 2409, Mis. 19th Aug., ,, 3474, Mis. 19th ,, ,, 3475, Mis. 23rd Dec., ,, 5271, Mis.
Masulipatam Sub-division.—Certain quantities of Government and excise salt ordered to be written off as ordinary wastage in the accounts of the, for the quarter ending 31st December 1895.—Remarked on the careless manner in which the wastage abstract of the, for the quarter ending 31st December 1895, was prepared, and sanction accorded for writing off certain wastages instead of those ordered to be written off in Board's Proceedings, Mis. No. 790, dated 24th February 1896.—Sanction for writing off as ordinary wastage certain quantities of Government and excise salt in the accounts of the, for the quarter ending 31st March 1896, accorded.—Sanction for writing off as ordinary wastage certain quantities of Government and excise salt in the accounts of the, for the quarter ending 30th June 1896, accorded.	24th Feb., ,, 790, Mis. 14th April, ,, 1557, Mis 19th May, ,, 2075, Mis. 28th Sept., ,, 4108, Mis.
Tinnevelly Sub-division.—Certain quantities of Government and excise salt ordered to be written off as ordinary wastage in the accounts of the, during the quarter ending 30th September 1895.—Sanction for writing off as ordinary wastage certain quantities of Government and excise salt in the accounts of the, for the quarter ending 31st December 1895, accorded.—Sanction for writing off as ordinary wastage certain quantities of Government and excise salt in the accounts of the, for the quarter ending 31st March 1896, accorded.—Sanction for writing off as ordinary wastage certain quantities of Government and excise salt in the accounts of the, for the quarter ending 30th June 1896, accorded.	24th Feb., ,, 795, Mis. 12th May, ,, 1991, Mis. 26th Aug., ,, 3602, Mis. 23rd Nov., ,, 4876, Mis.
Tanjore warehouse.—Letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, submitting statements showing the results of stock-taking at the, for the quarters ending 30th September and 31st December 1895, recorded.—Letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, submitting statement showing the result of stock-taking at the, for the quarter ending 31st March 1896, recorded.—Letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, submitting statement showing the result of stock-taking at the, for the quarter ending 30th June 1896, recorded.—	2nd Mar., ,, 819, Mis. 10th June, ,, 2395, Mis. 19th Aug., ,, 3476, Mis. 3rd Nov., ,, 4589, Mis.

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The action of the Assistant Commissioner, Trichinopoly Sub-division, in the matter of his deputing the Inspector, Tanjore Circle, to take stock at the, approved with remarks.	
Vizagapatam distillery.—Letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, submitting statement showing the result of stock-taking at the, for the quarter ending 31st December 1895, recorded with remark.—Endorsement of the Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, submitting statement showing the result of stock-taking at the, for the quarter ending 31st March 1896, recorded.—Statement showing the result of stock-taking at the, for the quarter ending 30th June 1896, recorded.—Endorsement of the Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, submitting statement showing the result of stock-taking at the, for the quarter ending 30th September 1896, recorded.	7th Mar., No. 899, Mis. 6th May, ,, 1870, Mis. 10th Aug., ,, 3367, Mis. 27th Oct., ,, 4502, Mis.
Kuttaparamba excise depôt:—The refund of duty on the excess wastage that occurred in the, from April 1894 to October 1895, ordered, and the Malabar arrack-supply contractor warned to provide sound casks in future.	12th Mar., ,, 1050, Mis.
Coimbatore distillery.—Statement showing the result of stock-taking at the, for the quarter ending 30th September 1895, reviewed.—Letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, submitting statement showing the result of stock-taking at the, for the quarter ending 31st December 1895, recorded with remark.—Letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, submitting the explanation of the Assistant Commissioner, Trichinopoly Sub-division, for the excess found on stock-taking in the, for the quarter ending 30th June 1895, recorded.—Endorsement of the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, submitting statement showing the result of stock-taking at the, for the quarter ending 31st March 1896, recorded.—Letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, replying to Board's review on the statement showing the result of stock-taking at the, for the quarter ending 30th September 1895, recorded.—Letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, submitting statement showing the result of stock-taking at the, for the quarter ending 30th June 1896, recorded with remark.	13th ,, ,, 1055, Mis. 21st May, ,, 2114, Mis. 21st ,, ,, 2115, Mis. 18th July, ,, 3009, Mis. 28th Sept., ,, 4105, Mis. 12th Oct., ,, 4267, Mis.
Nilgiri brewery.—Copy of Proceedings of the Collector of the Nilgiris on the stock-taking at the, for the quarter ending 31st December 1895, recorded.—Copy of Proceedings of the Collector of the Nilgiris on the stock-taking at the, for the quarter ending 31st March 1896, recorded.—Copy of Proceedings of the Collector of the Nilgiris on the result of stock-taking at the, for the quarter ending 30th June 1896, recorded.—Copy of Proceedings of the Collector of the Nilgiris on the results of stock-taking at the, for the quarter ending 30th September 1896, recorded.	12th Mar., ,, 1069, Mis. 9th May, ,, 1927, Mis. 17th Aug., ,, 3556, Mis. 28th Oct., ,, 4498, Mis.
Castle brewery, Aravanghat.—Copy of Proceedings of the Collector of the Nilgiris on the stock-taking of the, for the quarter ending 31st December 1895, recorded.—Copy of Proceedings of the Collector of the Nilgiris on the result of the stock-taking of the, for the quarter ending 31st March 1896, recorded.—Copy of Proceedings of the Collector of the Nilgiris on the result of stock-taking at	12th Mar., ,, 1070, Mis. 9th May, ,, 1927, Mis. 2nd Sept., ,, 3748, Mis. 9th Oct., ,, 4269, Mis 28th ,, ,, 4498, Mis.

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the, for the quarter ending 30th June 1896, recorded.—Copy of Proceedings of the Collector of the Nilgiris explaining certain discrepancy noticed in the results of stock-taking at the, for the quarter ending 30th June 1896, recorded.—Copy of Proceedings of the Collector of the Nilgiris on the results of stock-taking at the, for the quarter ending 30th September 1896, recorded.	
Cannanore distillery.—Letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, submitting statement showing the result of stock-taking at the, for the quarter ending 31st December 1895, recorded with remark.—Statement for the quarter ending 31st March 1896, reviewed.—Letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, submitting statement showing the result of stock-taking at the, for the quarter ending 30th June 1896, recorded.—Statement showing the result of stock-taking at the, for the quarter ending 30th September 1896, recorded with remarks.	16th Mar., No. 1103, Mis 19th May, ,, 2081, Mis. 21st Aug., ,, 3549, Mis. 17th Nov., ,, 4765, Mis.
Parli and Cannanore distilleries.—The excess wastage that occurred in the, for the official year 1894-95, revised, and the refund of duty on 29·4 proof gallons in respect of those distilleries, ordered.	17th Mar., ,, 1135, Mis.
Nellore Sub-division.—Sanction for writing off as ordinary wastage certain quantities of Government and excise salt in the accounts of the, for the quarter ending 31st December 1895, accorded.—Sanction for writing off as ordinary wastage certain quantities of Government and excise salt in the accounts of the, for the quarter ending 31st March 1896, accorded.—Sanction for writing off as ordinary wastage certain quantities of Government and excise salt in the accounts of the, for the quarter ending 30th June 1896, accorded.	18th ,, ,, 1166, Mis. 10th Aug., ,, 3357, Mis. 2nd Nov., ,, 4631, Mis.
Malabar excise depôts.—Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, requested to submit at an early date a consolidated D-11 statement for the, exhibiting the result of each stock-taking at each of the excise depôts from the time of its opening.—Letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, submitting a consolidated statement showing the result of stock-taking in the, for the quarter ending 31st December 1895, recorded with remark.—Letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, submitting a consolidated statement showing the result of stock-taking in the, for the quarter ending 31st March 1896, recorded with remark.—Letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, submitting a consolidated statement showing the result of stock-taking in the, for the quarter ending 30th June 1896, recorded.—Letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, replying to the Board's review on the statement for the quarter ending 31st March 1896, recorded.	21st Mar., ,, 1230, Mis. 5th June, ,, 2339, Mis. 20th ,, ,, 2569, Mis. 2nd Sept., ,, 3689, Mis. 30th Oct., ,, 4608, Mis.
Cocanada Sub-division.—Certain quantities of Government and excise salt ordered to be written off as ordinary wastage in the accounts of the, for the quarter ending 31st December 1895.—Certain quantities of Government and excise salt ordered to be written off as ordinary wastage in the accounts of the, for the quarter ending 31st March 1896.—Orders passed on letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, replying to the Board's review on the	23rd Mar., ,, 1260, Mis. 2nd June, ,, 2287, Mis. 13th Aug., ,, 3406, Mis. 19th Oct., ,, 4362, Mis.

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wastage abstract of the, for the quarter ending 31st March 1896.—Certain quantities of Government and excise salt ordered to be written off as ordinary wastage in the accounts of the, for the quarter ending 30th June 1896.	
Colombo arrack bonded by one Tholasinga Mudaliar, wholesale foreign liquor depôt-keeper, Madras.—Stated that 10 per cent. wastage will be allowed as recommended by the Collector of Sea Customs, Madras, in the case of a leaky cask of, and that the Customs Supervisor should warn the owners of bonded warehouses that they will be held responsible for any loss occurring in bond owing to want of care on their part.—P. Tholasinga Mudaliar informed that the Board will not reconsider its former order allowing a wastage of 10 per cent. in the case of a leaky cask of,	20th Mar., No. 1264, Mis. 27th May, „ 2187, Mis.
Chicacole Sub-division.—Certain quantities of Government and excise salt ordered to be written off as ordinary wastage in the accounts of the, for the quarter ending 31st December 1895.—Certain quantities of Government and excise salt ordered to be written off as ordinary wastage in the accounts of the, for the quarter ending 31st March 1896.—Assistant Commissioner, requested to furnish further information regarding the high wastage in heap No. 84–92/60 of the Karassa factory.—The remarks of the Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, on the wastages in the, communicated to the officers in charge of the Naupada, Calingapatam and Karassa Circles and directed to explain their neglect to see that the heaps were properly covered and shaped.—Sanction for writing off as ordinary wastage certain quantities of Government and excise salt in the accounts of the, for the quarter ending 30th June 1896, accorded.—Endorsement of the Deputy Commissoner, Northern Division, submitting copy of letter from the Assistant Commissioner, Chicacole Sub-division, furnishing further information in connection with the wastage in heap No. 84-92/60 of the Karassa factory, recorded.—Letter from Mr. A. J. Mitchell and endorsement of the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, submitting letter from Mr. D. Wilkins replying to the Board's Proceedings, Mis. No. 3585, dated 26th August 1896, recorded pending receipt of other explanations called for.—The explanations of Messrs. Wilkins, A. J. Mitchell, Brindley and Blake, recorded.	26th Mar., „ 1308, Mis. 4th June, „ 2331, Mis. 14th July, „ 2930, Mis. 26th Aug., „ 3585, Mis. 29th Sept., „ 4063, Mis. 2nd Oct., „ 4169, Mis. 17th „ „ 4339, Mis. 30th Dec., „ 5294, Mis.
Korapuzha excise depôt.—Letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, submitting statement showing the result of stock-taking at the, for the quarter ending 31st December 1895, recorded.—Letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, submitting statement for the quarter ending 31st March 1896, recorded pending receipt of certain explanation and information called for.—Letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, replying to Board's review on the statement for the quarter ending 31st March 1896, recorded.—Letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, submitting statement showing the result of stock-taking at the, for the quarter ending 30th June 1896, recorded with remark.—Letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, submitting statement for the quarter ending 30th September 1896, recorded with remarks.	20th Mar., „ 1310, Mis. 19th May, „ 2061, Mis. 17th July, „ 2994, Mis. 20th Aug., „ 3498, Mis. 19th Nov., „ 4813, Mis.
Markapur warehouse.—Copy of Proceedings of the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, reviewing statement showing the result of stock-taking at the, for the quarter ending	10th April, „ 1439, Mis. 10th „ „ 1440, Mis. 23rd „ „ 1598, Mis.

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31st December 1895, recorded with remark.—Copy of Proceedings of the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, reviewing statement showing the result of stock-taking at the, for the quarter ending 30th September 1895, recorded.—Statement for the quarter ending 31st December 1895, reviewed.—Letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, submitting statement for the quarter ending 31st March 1896, recorded with remark.—Letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, submitting revised statements for the September and December quarters of 1895–96, recorded with remark.	23rd April, No. 1599, Mis. 10th Aug., ,, 3344, Mis.
Karassa factory.—Sanction for writing off 64 maunds of salt as special wastage in the accounts of the, accorded, and the Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, requested to submit a further report regarding the disposal of the remaining 36 maunds.—Letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, stating that the balance of 36 maunds referred to is reported to have been stored and added to the excise stock on the 29th May 1896, recorded	5th April, ,, 1473, Mis. 21st July, ,, 3041, Mis.
Mangalore distillery.—The action of the Inspector, Calicut Circle, who is in charge of the office of Assistant Commissioner, Calicut Sub-division, in ordering the Inspector, Mangalore Circle, to take stock in the, for the quarter ending 31st March 1896.—Letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, submitting statement showing the result of stock-taking at the, for the quarter ending 31st December 1895, recorded with remarks.—The deputation of the Inspector, Mangalore Circle, to take stock at the, for the quarter ending 30th June 1896, sanctioned.—Letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, submitting statement showing the result of stock-taking at the, for the quarter ending 31st March 1896, recorded.—Letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, submitting statement showing the result of stock-taking at the, for the quarter ending 30th June 1896, recorded.—Letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, submitting statement showing the result of stock-taking at the, for the quarter ending 30th September 1896, recorded with remarks.	18th April, ,, 1548, Mis. 24th ,, ,, 1629, Mis. 23rd June, ,, 2638, Mis 25th ,, ,, 2644, Mis. 3rd Oct., ,, 4130, Mis. 5th Dec., ,, 5039, Mis.
Aravanghat distillery.—Letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, replying to the Board's review of the statement showing the result of stock-taking at the, for the quarter ending 30th June 1895, recorded with remark.—Letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, submitting statement showing the result of stock-taking at the, for the quarter ending 31st December 1895, recorded with remarks.—Letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, submitting statement showing the result of stock-taking at the, for the quarter ending 31st March 1896, recorded with remark.—Letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, submitting statement showing the result of stock-taking at the, for the quarter ending 30th June 1896, recorded.—Letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, submitting the explanation of the Distillery officer at, for the excess found in blending during the quarter ending 31st December 1895, recorded.—Letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, submitting statement showing the result of stock-taking at the, for the quarter ending 30th September 1896, recorded with remark.	20th April, ,, 1564, Mis. 9th May, ,, 1939, Mis. 2nd June, ,, 2298, Mis. 12th Sept., ,, 3921, Mis. 16th Oct., ,, 4329, Mis. 30th Nov., ,, 4950, Mis.

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WASTAGE—*cont.*	1896.
Calicut excise depôt.—Letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, submitting statement showing the result of stock-taking at the, for the quarter ending 30th December 1895, recorded with remarks.—Letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, submitting statement for the quarter ending 31st March 1896, recorded.—Letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, replying to Board's Proceedings, reviewing the statement for the quarter ending 31st December 1895, recorded.—Letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, submitting the statement for the quarter ending 30th June 1896, recorded with remark.—Letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, submitting the statement for the quarter ending 30th September 1896, recorded with remarks.	30th April, No. 1746, Mis. 2nd June, „ 2305, Mis. 17th „ „ 2555, Mis. 10th Oct., „ 4222, Mis. 25th Nov., „ 4872, Mis.
Calicut Sub-division—Sanction for writing off as ordinary wastage certain quantity of Government salt in the accounts of the, for the quarter ending 30th September 1895, accorded.—Sanction for writing off as ordinary wastage a certain quantity of Government salt in the accounts of the, for the quarter ending 31st December 1895, accorded.—Sanction for writing off as ordinary wastage certain quantities of Government salt in the accounts of the, for the quarter ending 31st March 1896, accorded.—Sanction for writing off as ordinary wastage a certain quantity of Government salt in the accounts of the, for the quarter ending 30th June 1896, accorded.	8th May, „ 1919, Mis. 17th June, „ 2518, Mis. 18th Aug., „ 3471, Mis. 18th Oct., „ 4349, Mis.
Rose and Crown brewery.—Copy of Proceedings of the Collector of the Nilgiris on the result of stock-taking at the, for the quarter ending 31st March 1896, recorded.—Copy of Proceedings of the Collector of the Nilgiris on the result of stock-taking at the, for the quarter ending 30th June 1896, recorded.—Copy of Proceedings of the Collector of the Nilgiris on the results of stock-taking at the, for the quarter ending 30th September 1896, recorded.	9th May, „ 1927, Mis. 17th Aug., „ 3556, Mis. 28th Oct., „ 4498, Mis.
High wastages in the Chingleput Sub-division.—Report explaining in answer to a call from Government the, returned to Mr. Merriman for reconsideration and amendment.—Letter from Mr. Merriman, Deputy Commissioner, on leave, explaining the, submitted to Government with remarks.—Government Order recording Board's Proceedings, Mis. No. 3743, dated 5th September 1896, recorded.	28th May, „ 2213, Mis. 5th Sept., „ 3743, Mis. 7th Oct., „ 4474, Mis.
Wastage of 62 maunds ascertained in a heap of the Véddaranniyam factory.—Remarked on the carelessness of certain officers in the matter of their failure to show in the accounts the, and the explanation called for by the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, from the officers concerned, awaited.—Letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, forwarding the explanations of the Assistant Inspector and the clerk concerned, recorded with remarks.	2nd June, „ 2311, Mis. 8th Oct., „ 4217, Mis.
Vayalur factory.—Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, requested to state when the heap No. 83–92 on No. IV platform in the, was restored and what the original wastage in the heap was.—Letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, stating that the heap was not a restored one but a partially-stored heap, recorded.	13th June, „ 2472, Mis. 7th Aug., „ 3351, Mis.

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WASTAGE—*cont.*	1896.
Calicut Sub-division.—Sanction for writing off as special wastage 26 maunds and 35 seers of Government salt lost on account of the destruction by fire of the Tellicherry fish-curing yard in the accounts of the, accorded.—Letter from the Assistant Commissioner, Calicut Sub-division, reporting that the special wastage of 26 maunds and 35 seers was shown in the account current of July 1896, the same having been omitted to be shown as such in the previous returns, recorded with remark.	6th July, No. 2787, Mis. 25th Aug., „ 3568, Mis.
Unsatisfactory wastages.—Letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, stating that a book has been opened and that all, are being noted in it against the names of superior officers concerned with a view to bring forward their names to the notice of the Board when found necessary, recorded.	21st July, „ 3102, Mis.
Malabar.—Letter from the Collector reporting on the petition of P. Chinnasami Nadar appealing against the Malabar Collector's order directing him to pay duty on excess wastage of liquor at the Kunnamangalam excise depôt, recorded pending receipt of certain information.	27th „ „ 3124, Mis
Annual wastages in the distilleries, warehouses and excise depôts in Malabar and South Canara.—Sanction of Government for calculating the, with reference to the toddy year (October to September) instead of the official year, solicited.—Government Order sanctioning the Board's recommendation, communicated to the Collectors of Malabar and South Canara.	27th „ „ 3125, Mis. 7th Sept., „ 3773, Mis.
"New Eden" distillery, Vyasarpadi.—Endorsement of the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, submitting statement showing the result of stock-taking at the, for the quarter ending 30th June 1896, recorded with remarks.—Endorsement of the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, submitting statement showing the result of stock-taking at the, for the quarter ending 30th September 1896, recorded with remark.	28th July, „ 3153, Mis. 19th Nov., „ 4784, Mis.
Penuguduru Circle.—Sanction for writing off as special wastage 1 maund and 1 seer of salt reported to have been lost while in transit from the Gandimoga yard to the Coringa fish-curing yard in the, accorded.	7th Aug., „ 3356, Mis.
Wastage allowance of 1 per cent. allowed to the contract suppliers of the excise tracts of the South Canara district.—Collector of South Canara requested to furnish certain particulars in the matter of his recommendation that the, may be raised to 5 per cent.—Collector of South Canara requested to furnish particulars of the strengths and quantities of spirits transported under bond by Messrs. Albuquerque and Sons from the Mangalore distillery to the excise depôts within their contract area situated at a distance of over 10 miles from the distillery.—Letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, submitting a consolidated statement showing the result of stock-taking in the excise depôts of the Mangalore Circle from 1st October 1895 to 31st March 1896, recorded pending receipt of reply to Board's Proceedings, Mis. No. 4262, dated 10th October 1896.	13th „ „ 3398, Mis. 10th Oct., „ 4262, Mis. 30th „ „ 4607, Mis.

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WASTAGE—*cont.*	1896.
A consignment issued from the Calicut gollah to the Madakara fish-curing yard.—Orders passed on letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, requesting sanction to write off as special wastage 1 maund and 35 seers of Government salt found missing in,	13th Aug., No. 3407, Mis.
Tanjore warehouse belonging to the Arcot Sugar Works and Distilleries Company.—Letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, submitting statement showing the result of stock-taking at the, for the quarter ending 30th June 1896, recorded.	20th ,, ,, 3644, Mis.
Rénigunta distillery.—Endorsement of the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, submitting statement showing the result of stock-taking at the, for the quarter ending 30th June 1896, recorded with remarks.—Letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, submitting the explanation of the Agent of the Proprietor of the, for the high wastage ascertained in the distillery during the quarter ending 30th June 1896, recorded.	31st ,, ,, 3653, Mis. 2nd Dec., ,, 5037, Mis.
Excess wastages that occurred in certain distilleries during 1895–96.—Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, requested to furnish the Board with certain information regarding the,—The wastages that occurred in certain distilleries, warehouses and excise depôts in the official year 1895–96, passed, and the collection of duty on the excess wastages that occurred in certain other distilleries during the year, directed.—Alteration of orders already passed in the matter of the collection of duty on the excess wastages ascertained in the Tachanallur distillery during the four quarters of 1895–96, declined. — Messrs. Abraham and Company of Bellary informed that their request to refund the amount collected from them on account of excess wastages ascertained in their distillery, cannot be granted.	2nd Sept., ,, 3696, Mis. 3rd ,, ,, 346. 14th Oct., ,, 4277, Mis. 14th Dec., ,, 5207, Mis.
Power of calling for explanations for high and low wastages in heaps.—Deputy and Assistant Commissioners called upon to state whether it would not be better to confine the, to Assistant Commissioners.—Letter from the Assistant Commissioner, Negapatam Sub-division, reporting on the subject of confining the, to Assistant Commissioners, recorded.—Letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, expressing his views on the subject of confining the, to Assistant Commissioners, recorded.—Letter from the Assistant Commissioner, Calicut Sub-division, stating that it will be better to confine the, to Assistant Commissioners, recorded.—Letter from the Assistant Commissioner, Cocanada Sub-division, stating that the, may be confined to Assistant Commissioners, recorded.—Letter from the Assistant Commissioner, Balasore Sub-division, submitting his views on the question of confining the, to Assistant Commissioners, recorded.—Letter from the Assistant Commissioner, Chatrapur Sub-division, reporting on the questioning of confining the, to Assistant Commissioners, recorded.—Letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, reporting on the question of investing the Assistant Commissioners with the, recorded.—Letters from the Assistant Commissioners, Tinnevelly, Chingleput, Chicacole and Nellore Sub-divisions, reporting on the question of investing Assistant Commissioners with the, recorded.	14th Sept., ,, 3895, Mis. 22nd Oct., ,, 4503, Mis. 29th ,, ,, 4547, Mis. 26th ,, ,, 4549, Mis. 27th ,, ,, 4550, Mis. 29th ,, ,, 4551, Mis. 7th Nov., ,, 4696, Mis. 25th ,, ,, 4903, Mis. 23rd Dec., ,, 5268, Mis.

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WASTAGE—*cont.*	1896.
Certain Inspectors in the Calicut Sub-division authorised to take stock in certain distilleries for the quarter ending 30th September 1896.	25th Sept., No. 4042, Mis.
Lankavanidibba fish-curing yard.—Sanction for writing off as special wastage 4 maunds and 15 seers of salt ascertained in certain bags damaged at the, by the recent floods in the Kistna, accorded.	11th Oct., ,, 4302, Mis.
Allowance admissible for wastage in consignments issued under bond from the Nellikuppam distillery.—Orders passed on petition from Messrs. Parry and Company making certain representations in the matter of calculating the,	11th Nov., ,, 4665, Mis.
Letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, submitting that no remarks were made on the letter of the Assistant Commissioner, Trichinopoly Sub-division, requesting to depute certain Inspectors to take stock in certain distilleries and warehouses for the quarter ending 30th September 1896 as none were considered necessary, recorded.	19th ,, ,, 4902, Mis.
Special wastage which occurred in the supply of salt to the French Government at Pondicherry on its first indent for 1896.—The writing off in the accounts of the Chingleput Sub-division of 2,395 maunds of Government salt being the, sanctioned.	23rd ,, ,, 4921, Mis.
Special wastage which occurred in the supply of salt to the French Government at Pondicherry on its second indent of 1895.—The writing off in the accounts of the Chingleput Sub-division of 2,429 maunds of Government salt being the, sanctioned with remark, and instructions as to the method of exhibiting in stock accounts the quantity supplied to the French Government at Pondicherry, issued.	2nd Dec., ,, 5001, Mis.
A special wastage of 190 *maunds of salt which occurred in the Government salt on platform No. XIII, Vallur factory, transported to, sifted and stored at the Madras depôt.*—Remarked on the letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, applying for sanction to write off the accounts,	2nd ,, ,, 5047, Mis.
Instructions to the Assistant Commissioner, Chingleput Sub-division, for the transport of certain consignments of salt from the Ennore factories to the Madras depôt and for ascertaining the wastages from dryage in those consignments, issued.	16th ,, ,, 5201, Mis.
WEIGHTS AND MEASURES.	
A pair of scales with weights required by the Sub-Collector at Rajahmundry for checking consignments of opium.—Sanction of Government for the purchase of, requested.—Endorsement of the Collector of Gódávari submitting copy of Sub-Collector's letter asking for, recorded.—Government Order sanctioning the purchase of, communicated to the Collector of Gódávari with the remark that the scales and weights will be supplied from Madras shortly.	20th Jan., ,, 278, Mis. 29th ,, ,, 370, Mis. 15th Feb., ,, 634, Mis.
Dram measures.—The suggestion of the Collector of Malabar to supply stamped, to arrack shop-keepers, &c, in that district at cost price, disapproved.	7th Mar., ,, 927, Mis.

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WEIGHTS AND MEASURES—*cont.*	1896.
Standard weights.—Assistant Commissioners requested to see during their inspections that screws of the, supplied to factories do not get bound up by rust.	4th June, No. 2337, Mis.
Proposal of the Collector of Kistna to insert a condition in the opium vendor's license requiring the use of brass weights in shops similar to those used in treasuries, disapproved.	18th „ „ 2528, Mis.
Proposal of the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, to insert a condition in the opium vendor's license requiring them to provide themselves with scales and weights stamped by the district stamping establishment, disapproved.	9th July, „ 2846, Mis.
Tellicherry Circle.—The sale by auction of certain old beam scales with weights at the fish-curing yards in the, sanctioned.	21st Sept., „ 3996, Mis.
South Arcot.—Messrs. Oakes and Company requested to supply certain weights to the Collector, and to forward a bill to him for payment of the cost.—Letter from Messrs. Oakes and Company intimating the despatch of weights to the Collector, communicated to the Collector of South Arcot.—Letter from the Collector of South Arcot stating that the weights have been duly received, recorded.	24th Oct., „ 4418, Mis. 6th Nov., „ 4584, Mis. 25th „ „ 4904, Mis.
Dram measures.—Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, informed, with reference to his indent for 1,200 brass, for sale to shop-keepers, that the Board is having enquiries made as to the manufacture of cheap, for supply to shop-keepers and will take the matter in consideration on receiving certain information.	26th Oct., „ 4479, Mis.
Two large scales with weights for weighing opium consignments in the Ganjám district.—The Superintendent, Public Works Workshops, Madras, requested to explain the nature of a certain item in his bill No. 53 for Rs. 679-9-10 for making,—Collector of Ganjám requested to have the scales and weights sent to the Calingapatam salt factory for the inspection of the Commissioner.	3rd Nov., „ 4581, Mis. 17th Dec., „ 5156, Mis.
WORK.	
Work on Sundays.—Government Order directing the attention of all Collectors and District Magistrates to the orders on the subject of the discontinuance of, in Public offices, communicated to all Deputy and Assistant Commissioners, the Collector of Sea Customs and the Superintendent of Stamps, Madras.	5th „ „ 497.
WORKS (ARCOT SUB-DIVISION).	
Námakkal Circle.—Estimates for constructing quarters and office for the Inspector, returned to the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, with remarks.—An estimate for constructing single out-houses for the Inspector's quarters at, returned with remark to the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division.	3rd July, „ 2746, Mis. 22nd „ „ 3072, Mis.
Tirukkóyilúr.—Four estimates for constructing Inspector's quarters, out-houses, office and a well at, sanctioned with remarks.	14th Nov., „ 4716, Mis.

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WORKS (Bellary Sub-Division).	1896.
Markapur.—An extra allotment for the construction of the Inspector's quarters at, sanctioned, and the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, requested to call for and submit supplemental estimates for the same for the sanction of the Board. — Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, requested to cause a revised estimate on actuals to be prepared for the construction of Inspector's quarters at, and submit it to the Board for sanction.	3rd Mar., No. 825, Mis. 30th June, „ 2700, Mis.
Kurnool Circle.—Three estimates for constructing buildings for offices and establishments at the chowkies in the, sanctioned with remarks.	11th Sept., „ 3841, Mis.
Anantapur.—An estimate for constructing a well in the compound of the Inspector's quarters at, returned with remarks.	9th Oct., „ 4220, Mis.
Markapur.—Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, requested to furnish certain information in regard to the rates provided for certain items in the estimate for constructing an office at, and stated with remarks that the work may be proceeded with.	28th „ „ 4497, Mis.
WORKS (Calicut Sub-Division).	
Mangalore.—An estimate for converting into a room the rear verandah of the Inspector's office at, returned to the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, with remarks — Sanction to the estimate for converting into a room the rear verandah of the Inspector's office at, declined.	10th Jan., „ 83, Mis. 30th June, „ 2702, Mis.
Malpe fish-curing yard, Udipi Circle.—The estimate providing the monsoon repairs to the store-shed of the, cancelled.	28th Jan., „ 332, Mis.
Salt gollah at Ponnáni.—Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, informed that the site on which the old, was constructed should not be given up.—The suggestion of the Assistant Commissioner, Calicut Sub-division, to dismantle and dispose of the two temporary thatched sheds in the premises of the, as a pucca shed has been recently constructed, approved. — A supplemental estimate for constructing a, sanctioned with remark.—Letter from the Inspector, Ponnáni Circle, reporting on the insecure condition of a laterite pillar at the new, recorded with remark.—Copy of letter from the Inspector, Ponnáni Circle, to the Assistant Commissioner, Calicut Sub-division, stating that the roof of the, cannot be repaired at present owing to heavy monsoon and that the weighing shed has however been repaired, recorded.	12th Feb., „ 587, Mis. 18th „ „ 670, Mis. 21st „ „ 694, Mis. 21st May, „ 2125, Mis. 6th Aug., „ 3363, Mis.
Calicut Circle.—Letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, stating that the question of constructing quarters and office for the Inspector, may be dropped, recorded.	20th Feb., „ 820, Mis.
Udipi Circle.—Two estimates, one for constructing the store-shed at the Malpe fish-curing yard and the other for planting a dry thorn fence round the same yard, sanctioned with remarks.	7th Mar., „ 891, Mis.
Tellicherry Circle.—The proposal of the Inspector, in regard to the reconstruction of the store-shed and fence at the Tellicherry fish-curing yard at the expense of Government and to the recovery of cost from the curers in the shape of cess, approved.—An estimate for constructing a temporary store-shed at the Tellicherry fish-curing yard, sanctioned with remark.	20th „ „ 1248, Mis. 6th July, „ 2787, Mis.

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WORKS (CALICUT SUB-DIVISION)—*cont.*	1896.
Tanur fish-curing yard, Ponnâni Circle.—An estimate on actuals for Rs. 1,256-0-10 for reconstructing the store-shed at the, sanctioned with remarks.	27th Mar., No. 1319, Mis.
Udipi.—Two supplemental estimates for matting the Inspector's quarters and the Circle office at, sanctioned.	27th „ „ 1324, Mis.
Mangalore Circle.—Estimate No. 46 of 1895-96 for constructing buildings for the fish-curing yard at Chittarai, cancelled.	9th April, „ 1428, Mis.
Calicut Sub-division.—The re-allotments required on account of incomplete works of 1895-96 of the, sanctioned with remarks.	17th May, „ 2063, Mis.
Ponnâni Circle.—An estimate for repairing the salt gollah at Beypore, sanctioned.	19th „ „ 2077, Mis.
Sample estimate and plan for the construction of a store-shed with weighing and guard sheds attached in the fish-curing yards of the Calicut Sub-division, returned to the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, with remarks.	29th „ „ 2230, Mis.
Udipi.—Orders passed on letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, submitting, with remarks, the explanation of Mr. Kearns for the unauthorized deviations from, and additions to, the estimates sanctioned for contructing Inspector's quarters, out-houses and office at,—Orders passed on letter from Mr. Kearns, Assistant Commissioner, Masulipatam Sub-division, requesting reconsideration of the order passed in Board's Proceedings, Mis. No. 2374, dated 6th June 1896.—Endorsement of the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, submitting copy of letter from the Assistant Commissioner, Calicut Sub-division, reporting that the recovery of Rs. 198-0-9 from the contractor who executed the work of constructing the Inspector's quarters, &c., at, cannot be effected, recorded.	6th June, „ 2374, Mis. 21st July, „ 3050, Mis. 12th Sept., „ 3920, Mis.
Beypore.—An estimate for clearing silt from the coaling channel at, sanctioned.	11th June, „ 2419, Mis.
Cochin frontier, No. II Circle.—An estimate for re-erecting two huts near Post No. II, sanctioned with remark.	15th „ „ 2489, Mis.
Tellicherry.—An estimate for repairing the Circle office at, sanctioned with remark.	11th July, „ 2902, Mis.
Cochin fish-curing yard.—Letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, reporting that an estimate for repairing the weighing and guard shed of the, has been sanctioned by him, recorded.	10th „ „ 2903, Mis.
Ponnâni Circle.—Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, informed, with remarks, that the cost of constructing a stable for the Inspector, should be borne by the Inspector himself.	15th „ „ 2958, Mis.
Tellicherry.—Two estimates, one for coir-matting the Tellicherry Circle office and the other for putting up a gate to the salt gollah at, sanctioned with remarks.	7th Aug., „ 3307, Mis.
Palghat and Frontier No. I Circles.—An estimate for matting the combined offices of the Inspectors of, sanctioned with remark.	8th Sept., „ 3787, Mis.

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WORKS (CALICUT SUB-DIVISION)—*cont.*	1896.
Mangalore.—Two estimates for repairing the damages done to the weighing shed and the gollah at, sanctioned with remarks.	15th Sept., No. 3885, Mis.
Kumbla fish-curing yard.—The estimate and plan for constructing a store-shed, guard shed, &c., at the, returned with remarks to the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division.	18th „ „ 3949, Mis.
Ullal fish-curing yard, Mangalore Circle.—An estimate for constructing temporary sheds at the, sanctioned with remark.	29th Oct., „ 4535, Mis.
WORKS (CHATRAPUR SUB-DIVISION).	
Surlá excise factory.—An estimate for clearing silt from the brine-supply channel of the, sanctioned.	15th Jan., „ 150, Mis.
Ganjám factory.—Two estimates, one for constructing a sand bag lock at the Ganjám end of the Chilka canal and the other for repairing the Bedabunda and other embankments at the, sanctioned with remarks.	15th „ „ 154, Mis.
Surlá factory.—An estimate for constructing two sand bag locks at the Bedabunda to let in brine during the manufacturing season at the, sanctioned.	21st „ „ 240, Mis.
Berhampur.—An estimate for repairing the bungalow of the Assistant Commissioner, Chatrapur Sub-division, at, sanctioned with remarks.	29th „ „ 376, Mis.
Surlá.—The suggestion of the Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, to give up at present the idea of constructing a well in the compound of the Inspector's quarters at, approved.	11th Feb., „ 616, Mis.
Surlá extension.—Orders passed on letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, reporting on certain irregularities committed in clearing silt from the channels in the,	17th „ „ 639, Mis.
Ganjám factory.—Orders passed on the proposal of the Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, to construct a masonry lock at a cost of Rs. 15,000 in place of the present sand bag lock on the Chilka canal at the south end of the,	14th Mar., „ 1134, Mis.
Surlá extension.—An estimate for removing and levelling a certain bund in the, sanctioned with remark.	20th „ „ 1199, Mis.
Surlá extension.—The supplemental estimate for constructing a platform and drying grounds at the, returned with remarks to the Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division.—A revised estimate for certain repairs to platform and drying grounds at the, sanctioned with remark.	23rd April, „ 1590, Mis. 10th Aug., „ 3343, Mis.
Surlá excise factory.—An estimate for repairing roads within the limits of the, returned to the Assistant Commissioner, Chatrapur Sub-division, with remark.—An estimate for repairing roads within the limits of the, sanctioned.	20th April, „ 1602, Mis. 13th June, „ 2475, Mis.

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WORKS (CHATRAPUR SUB-DIVISION)—*cont.*	1896.
Chatrapur Sub-division.—The re-allotments required on account of incomplete works of 1895–96 of the, sanctioned with remarks.	12th May, No. 1949, Mis.
Surlá excise factory.—An estimate for the upkeep of platforms and drying grounds at the, sanctioned.	11th June, „ 2420, Mis.
Surlá.—Sanction for an estimate for constructing two half masonry bridges over the irrigation channels at, declined with remarks.—Endorsement of the Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, submitting, with remarks, Mr. Simpson's explanation for submitting to the Board for sanction an estimate for constructing masonry bridges over an irrigation channel at, recorded.	16th „ „ 2506, Mis. 6th Aug., „ 3317, Mis.
Surlá excise factory.—An estimate for constructing bridges over the waterways along the bridle-path on the eastern side of the, returned to the Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, with remarks.—Letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, stating that a revised estimate for Rs. 154 has been sanctioned by him, recorded.	16th June, „ 2508, Mis. 16th Dec., „ 5166, Mis.
Ganjám factory.—An estimate for constructing a new tiled Circle office at the, returned to the Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, with remarks.	18th June, „ 2531, Mis.
Ganjám.—An estimate for constructing eleven 5-feet standard gates for platforms and drying grounds at, returned to the Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, with remarks.	22nd „ „ 2589, Mis.
Surlá.—An estimate for revetting the four corners of the protective bund of the monopoly extension at, returned with remarks to the Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division.	26th „ „ 2672, Mis.
Ganjám factory.—An estimate for clearing silt from the irrigation channels of the, sanctioned with remark.	15th Dec., „ 5194, Mis.
Surlá factory.—Four estimates for clearing channels and constructing a stable in the compound of the Inspector's bungalow at the, sanctioned.	22nd „ „ 5306, Mis.
WORKS (CHICACOLE SUB-DIVISION).	
Vizagapatam district.—An estimate for making blinds to the officers' quarters in the, returned to the Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, with remarks.—An estimate for Rs. 190 for providing bamboo blinds to the officers' quarters in the, sanctioned.	8th Jan., „ 10, Mis. 20th April, „ 1606, Mis.
Bimlipatam factory.—An estimate for repairing the masonry bundacut at the, sanctioned.—An estimate for repairing the salt road at the, sanctioned.	9th Jan., „ 45, Mis. 10th „ „ 93, Mis.
Polavaram factory.—An estimate for reconstructing two palmyra bridges on roads at the, sanctioned with remark.	10th „ „ 89, Mis.
Bimlipatam factory.—An estimate for repairing the watershoot on the platform at the, sanctioned with remarks.	10th „ „ 92, Mis.
Kuppili factory.—An estimate for the upkeep of the brine supply sluices at the, sanctioned.—The estimate for the upkeep of the brine supply sluice of the, cancelled.	10th „ „ 97, Mis. 6th July, „ 2789, Mis.

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WORKS (Chicacole Sub-Division)—*cont.*	1896.
Balacheruvu factory.—An estimate for repairing six boats of the, sanctioned with remarks.	10th Jan., No. 116, Mis.
Karassa factory.—An estimate for repairing the bundaout at the, sanctioned.	11th ,, ,, 144, Mis.
Constructing abutments and wingwalls for the three chief sluices at the Calingapatam factory.—An estimate for, approved and returned to the Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, with remark.—Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, requested to state whether the work of, is indispensable.—Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, requested to raise the question again if on personal inspection he finds the work of, necessary.—Letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, reporting that the work of, is unnecessary, recorded with remarks.	17th ,, ,, 192, Mis. 12th May, ,, 1956, Mis. 10th July, ,, 2893, Mis. 11th Sept., ,, 3856, Mis.
Bimlipatam factory.—An estimate for repairing the three culverts on the road passing through the pans at the, sanctioned.	21st Jan., ,, 242, Mis.
Calingapatam excise factory.—Letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, stating that certain works proposed by the licensees for the improvement of the brine supply at the, are unnecessary, recorded.	30th ,, ,, 395, Mis.
Naupada factory.—Certain estimates relating to the current season's manufacture at the, sanctioned with remarks.	30th ,, ,, 398, Mis.
Naupada factory.—Two estimates for repairing certain embankments in the, sanctioned with remarks.	28th ,, ,, 465, Mis.
Balacheruvu factory.—An estimate for clearing silt from the channels at the, sanctioned with remarks.	5th Feb., ,, 491, Mis.
Konada.—A supplemental estimate for constructing a Circle office at, sanctioned with remark.—A second supplemental estimate for constructing a Circle office at, sanctioned.	26th ,, ,, 745, Mis. 6th July, ,, 2789, Mis.
Calingapatam.—Two estimates for the construction of Sub-Inspectors' and clerks' quarters at, returned to the Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, with remarks.—Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, informed that provision for the construction of Sub-Inspectors' and clerks' quarters at, may be made in the budget for 1897–98.	12th Mar., ,, 1043, Mis. 14th July, ,, 2834, Mis.
Calingapatam.—The revised estimate for planting casuarina trees on the southern side of the Government extension at, approved and the original estimate sanctioned for the same, cancelled.—An estimate for the planting and the upkeep of casuarina trees on the southern side of the Government extension at, to serve as a protection against sand drift, sanctioned with remarks.—Letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, reporting on the progress of casuarina plantations at, forwarded to Mr. Wilkins for remarks.	16th Mar., ,, 1093, Mis. 1st Aug., ,, 3228, Mis. 5th Sept., ,, 3824, Mis.
Konada factory.—An estimate for the upkeep of platforms and drying grounds at the, sanctioned.	20th April, ,, 1607, Mis.
Calingapatam factory.—An estimate on actuals for Rupees 1,096–8–7 for opening the bar at the, sanctioned with remarks. — Endorsement of the Deputy Commissioner,	30th ,, ,, 1754, Mis. 22nd July, ,, 3101, Mis.

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Northern Division, submitting copy of letter from the Assistant Commissioner, Chicacole Sub-division, reporting on the high expenditure incurred for opening the bar at Calingapatam during 1895-96, recorded.	
Polavaram factory.—Two estimates, one for removing and reconstructing a machine-shed on the platform and the other for constructing a palmyra bridge in the place of the old masonry bridge in front of the platform at the, returned to the Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, with remarks.—Two estimates, one for removing and reconstructing a machine-shed on the platform and the other for constructing a palmyra bridge in place of the old masonry bridge in front of the platform at the, sanctioned with remarks.	5th May, No. 1818, Mis. 19th Aug., „ 3484, Mis.
Chicacole Sub-division.—The re-allotments required on account of incomplete works of 1895-96 of the, sanctioned with remarks.	13th May, „ 2000, Mis.
Polavaram factory.—An estimate sanctioned from the funds of 1895-96 for improving the Inspectors' quarters, cancelled and another in lieu thereof sanctioned with remark from the current year's funds.	13th „ „ 2001, Mis.
Kuppili and Bimlipatam factories.—Two estimates for the upkeep of platforms and drying grounds at the, sanctioned.	22nd „ „ 2135, Mis.
Naupada factory.—An estimate for the upkeep of platforms and drying grounds at the, returned to Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, with remark.—An estimate for the upkeep of platforms and drying grounds at, returned with remarks to the Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division.	1st June, „ 2291, Mis. 25th July, „ 3117, Mis.
Kurassa.—An estimate for constructing a bund to join the northern end of the western protective bund with the south-western corner of platform No. IV at, returned with remarks to the Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division.	10th June, „ 2400, Mis.
Bimlipatam factory.—An estimate for constructing a ferry boat for the, sanctioned with remark.	9th „ „ 2401, Mis.
Karassa factory.—An estimate for the upkeep of platforms and drying grounds at the, returned for revision.—Revised estimate for Rs. 305, sanctioned.	11th „ „ 2426, Mis. 20th Dec., „ 5243, Mis.
Naupada factory.—An estimate for Rs. 1,500 for restoring and rethatching the monopoly heaps in the, sanctioned.	12th June, „ 2462, Mis.
Anakapalli.—An estimate for making a punkah for the office-room of the Inspector's bungalow at, sanctioned with remark.	15th „ „ 2483, Mis.
Konada Circle.—An estimate for bamboo matting the officers' quarters in the, sanctioned and the one already sanctioned for coir-matting the same, cancelled.—An estimate for matting the Circle office at Konada, sanctioned.	25th „ „ 2675, Mis. 8th July, „ 2823, Mis.
Karassa factory.—An estimate for providing 14 palmyra bridges over channels at the, returned with remarks to the Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division.	7th „ „ 2805, Mis.

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WORKS (CHICACOLE SUB-DIVISION)—*cont.*	1896.
Polavaram factory.—The estimate sanctioned by Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, for reconstructing the double out-houses at the, resanctioned.	10th July No. 2889, Mis.
Naupada factory.—An estimate for repairing roads inside the factory limits at the, sanctioned.	11th „ „ 2901, Mis.
Calingapatam factory.—An estimate for the upkeep of platforms and drying grounds at the, returned to the Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, with remarks.—An estimate for the upkeep of platforms and drying grounds at the, sanctioned.	14th „ „ 2940, Mis. 9th Oct., „ 4221, Mis.
Karassa factory.—An estimate for repairing the breaches in the bundacut at the, sanctioned.	21st July, „ 3052, Mis.
Polavaram factory.—A supplemental estimate for revetting certain gaps in the bunds of the, returned with remarks.	30th „ „ 3183, Mis.
Calingapatam factory.—An estimate on actuals for opening the bar at the, sanctioned.	20th Sept., „ 3987, Mis.
Calingapatam.—An estimate for constructing wooden rails for the Pooley's machines at, sanctioned.	5th Oct., „ 4170, Mis.
Naupada factory.—An estimate for the upkeep of platforms and drying grounds at the, sanctioned.	4th Nov., „ 4624, Mis.
Calingapatam factory.—Two estimates for clearing silt from the irrigation and supply channels of the, returned with remarks.	23rd Dec., „ 5245, Mis.
Bimlipatam factory.—An estimate for repairing the masonry bundacut at the, sanctioned.	22nd „ „ 5256, Mis.
Kuppili factory.—An estimate for the establishment required for the upkeep of brine supply sluices at the, sanctioned.	25th „ „ 5290, Mis.
Calingapatam.—Estimates for repairing the culverts, bridges, &c., on roads at Naupada and for reconstructing the sand bag sluices at, sanctioned.	25th „ „ 5291, Mis.
WORKS (CHINGLEPUT SUB-DIVISION).	
Alathur road near the Chunampet factory.—Letter from the President, District Board, Chingleput, requesting to move Government to reconsider its order regarding the repairs of the, submitted to Government for early orders.—Government Order directing that the schedule of requirements for 1896-97 on account of Imperial Civil Works be forwarded to the Government of India, Public Works Department, recorded.—Government Order stating that it is not prepared to sanction the contribution required by the District Board for the repair of the, communicated to the President, District Board, Chingleput.—Certain Government Orders regarding the, recorded.—Government Order regarding the withdrawal from the grant for Imperial Civil Works of the sum surrendered from the grant for restoring the, recorded.—Government Order communicating letter from the Government of India stating that the surrender of Rs. 1,868, the balance of the grant for restoring the, is withdrawn, recorded.—Letter from the President, District	9th Jan., „ 22, Mis. 15th „ „ 187, Mis. 29th „ „ 378, Mis. 29th „ „ 379, Mis. 1st Feb., „ 540, Mis. 4th Mar., „ 868, Mis. 9th Sept., „ 3807, Mis. 12th Oct., „ 4224, Mis. 1st Nov., „ 4635, Mis. 17th Dec., „ 5171, Mis.

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Board, Chingleput, requesting to move Government to reconsider its order regarding the repair of the, submitted to Government with remarks.—Government Order sanctioning the grant of a contribution of Rs. 6,030 for the repair of the, communicated to the Presidents of the District Boards, Chingleput and South Arcot, Superintending Engineer, V Circle, and the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, and a revised list showing the salt works proposed for entry in the Public Works Department budget (Imperial) for 1897–98, submitted to Government.—Government Order approving and transferring to the Public Works Department the revised estimate for the repair of the, together with the list of works to be executed by that Department in 1897–98, communicated to the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, Assistant Commissioner, Chingleput Sub-division, and the Presidents of the Local Fund Boards, Chingleput and South Arcot.—Government Order sanctioning for execution when funds are available an estimate for Rs. 12,060 for restoring the, communicated to the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, and Assistant Commissioner, Chingleput Sub-division.	
Kandadu factory.—Recommendation of the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, to postpone the construction of Sub-Inspectors' quarters, &c., at the, till the site on which they are to be constructed is thoroughly consolidated.—Orders passed on letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, recommending the postponement of the construction of Sub-Inspectors' quarters at, — Estimates Nos. 133 and 134 of 1895–96 for constructing Sub-Inspectors' quarters and a kitchen at, cancelled.	9th Jan., No. 42, Mis. 30th June, „ 2734, Mis. 26th Aug., „ 3580, Mis.
Ennore Circle.—An estimate for repairing the quarters of the Inspector, at Kathiwack, sanctioned with remark.	27th Jan., „ 301, Mis.
Flood gates across the Vayalur Salt channel.—Government Order sanctioning an estimate of Rs. 12,600 for constructing, at its junction with the Buckingham Canal, communicated to Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, and Assistant Commissioner, Chingleput Sub-division.	28th „ „ 328, Mis.
Ennore Circle.—Copy of Proceedings of Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, approving the suggestion of the Assistant Commissioner, Chingleput Sub-division, in regard to the retention of platform coolies till the clearance of excise salt in the factories of the, recorded.	10th „ „ 317, Mis.
Madras Salt depôt.—A consolidated estimate, on actuals, for clearing channels and raising platforms at the, sanctioned with remark.—An estimate for constructing a guard-shed outside the main entrance gate sanctioned and certain information requested in connection with two other estimates relating to the.—Certain estimates for repairs to works in the, sanctioned with remark.—An estimate for barrelling platform Nos. I and II at the, returned to the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, with remarks.—An estimate for clearing the boat channel on the east side of platform No. II, sanctioned and an estimate for constructing a wooden bridge near the gateway at Post No. III, returned to the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division.—An estimate for barrelling platform Nos. I and III at the, sanctioned with remark.—Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, requested to direct the Inspector,	24th „ „ 366, Mis. 3rd Feb., „ 470, Mis. 5th „ „ 513, Mis. 20th „ „ 686, Mis. 14th Mar., „ 1105, Mis. 26th „ „ 1305, Mis. 24th June, „ 2610, Mis. 29th July, „ 3158, Mis.

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WORKS (CHINGLEPUT SUB-DIVISION)—*cont.*	1896.
Madras Depôt Circle, to prepare revised estimate for reconstructing the wooden bridge near the gateway at Post No. III.—An estimate for reconstructing the wooden bridge near the gateway at Post No. III, sanctioned with remark.	
Vadasamanjeri factory.—Letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, stating that the barbed wire intended for fencing certain portions of the, has been ordered by the Assistant Commissioner, Chingleput Sub-division, to be utilized for the northern bund of the Covelong factory, recorded.	29th Jan., No. 406, Mis.
Merkanam factory.—An estimate for clearing the brine supply channel of the, sanctioned with remark.	28th ,, ,, 452, Mis.
Merkanam Circle.—Certain estimates for clearing the channels in the Cheyur and Chunampet factories of the, sanctioned.	6th Feb., ,, 528, Mis.
Ennore Circle.—Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, requested to furnish certain information in regard to the estimates for clearing and deepening the channels in the factories of the, and stated that the original estimates sanctioned may be closed.—The action of the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, in having sanctioned an increased rate for the earthwork in the channel clearing work in the, approved and he is requested to submit the estimates already called for.—Certain estimate for clearing silt from the channels in the factories of the, returned with remarks.—Revised estimates for clearing silt from the channels in the factories of the, sanctioned with remark.—Assistant Commissioner, Chingleput Sub-division, requested to explain whether clearing the channels in the factories of the, to a depth of 4·5 feet is essential for the transport of Government salt to the depôt in the largest boats ordinarily used.—Two estimates for extending certain channels in the, returned to the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, with remarks.—Orders passed on letter from the Assistant Commissioner, Chingleput Sub-division, reporting on the depth of channels to be cleared for transport purposes in the factories of the,	12th ,, ,, 586, Mis. 3rd Mar., ,, 850, Mis. 9th May, ,, 1914, Mis. 11th Aug., ,, 3381, Mis. 19th ,, ,, 3535, Mis. 17th Sept., ,, 3925, Mis. 7th Oct., ,, 4181, Mis.
Madras Depôt Circle.—A supplemental estimate for matting the office of the Inspector, sanctioned.	13th Feb., ,, 610, Mis.
Cheyur factory.—Orders passed on letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, submitting a petition from some of the licensees of the, praying that they may be allowed to carry out themselves their portion of the excise works during the current manufacturing season.	13th ,, ,, 689, Mis.
Merkanam Circle.—Three estimates for the upkeep of platforms in the several excise factories of the, sanctioned.	24th ,, ,, 725, Mis.
Vallur factory.—An estimate for repairing the flood bank of the, sanctioned with remarks.	27th ,, ,, 760, Mis.
Vayalur factory.—An estimate for repairing the sand bag lock of the, sanctioned with remarks.—Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, informed of the total amount spent for repairing the sand bag lock of the, a sum of Rs. 33-10-5 should be debited to the excise licensees of that factory.	27th ,, ,, 761, Mis. 12th Dec., ,, 5126, Mis.

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Kathur and Vayalur factories.—Two supplemental estimates for the upkeep of platforms in the, and another for tarring planks at the former factory, sanctioned with remarks.	27th Feb., No. 762, Mis.
Merkanam factory.—An estimate for maintaining the factory road at the, sanctioned.	27th ,, ,, 764, Mis.
Estimate for a ballacut and chain for the new channel across the cart-track leading to the Pulidiwak village.—Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, requested to furnish certain information in connection with the,	4th Mar., ,, 849, Mis.
Covelong factory.—Two estimates, one for clearing silt from the channels at the Vadasamanjeri factory and the other for repairing the temporary bridges across channels in the, sanctioned with remark.	7th ,, ,, 903, Mis.
Pulidiwak factory.—An estimate for erecting a temporary sluice at the, for the supply of brine to the Vayalur pans, sanctioned with remarks.	10th ,, ,, 987, Mis.
Covelong factory.—Certain estimates for works relating to the ensuing season's manufacture at the, sanctioned with remark.—Certain estimates relating to the current season's manufacture at, cancelled.	9th ,, ,, 992, Mis. 9th May, ,, 1920, Mis.
Cheyur factory, Merkanam Circle.—Two estimates, one for repairing the bund in the swamp adjoining, and the other for reconstructing two guard-sheds on the bund, sanctioned with remarks.—Orders passed on letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, reporting on the feasibility or otherwise of growing creepers on the slope of the Cheyur swamp bund with a view to avoid large annual expenditure on its repairs.—Orders passed on letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, reporting that a bund 2½′ high will be sufficient for keeping out the swamp water at,	10th Mar., ,, 990, Mis. 18th May, ,, 2052, Mis. 30th Nov., ,, 4984, Mis.
Covelong Circle.—The action of the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, in permitting the Inspector to utilize the savings under estimate No. 62 of 1895–96 for putting up the revetment of the northern bund of the Covelong factory, approved.	13th Mar., ,, 1049, Mis.
Merkanam.—An estimate for matting the Circle office at, sanctioned.	13th ,, ,, 1052, Mis.
Vallur factory, Ennore Circle.—An estimate for repairing the patrol path in the, sanctioned.	21st ,, ,, 1201, Mis.
Vadasamanjeri factory.—Two estimates, one for the upkeep of platforms and the other for tarring the channel crossing and transport planks at the, sanctioned.	25th ,, ,, 1293, Mis.
Madras Salt depôt.—The Agent and Manager, Madras Railway Company, requested to remit the amount left unexpended on the work of laying down a siding and turn table at the, to the Bank of Madras for being credited to Government under the head of "salt cash remittance" in the accounts of March 1896.	26th ,, ,, 1313, Mis.

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Ennore Circle.—An estimate for repairing the protective flood bund on the north limit of Attiput factory, sanctioned with remark.—An estimate for repairing the protective bund on the north limit of the Attiput factory, sanctioned with remark.	26th Mar., No. 1315, Mis. 28th May, „ 2198, Mis.
Tada factory.—An estimate for repairing the cart-stands at the, returned to the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, with remark.	26th April, „ 1639, Mis.
Tada factory.—An estimate for Rs. 410 for the upkeep of platforms, sanctioned.	26th „ „ 1647, Mis.
Covelong factory.—An estimate for constructing a foot bridge over the boat channel opposite to platform No. VII at the, sanctioned.	27th „ „ 1667, Mis.
Vayalur factory.—An estimate for clearing silt from the channels of the, sanctioned with remarks.—A higher rate of As. 3 per cubic yard of dry silt removed from the channels in the, sanctioned with remarks.—Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, requested to submit revised estimates for clearing channels in the Kattur and Vayalur factories and the one submitted by him for clearing the channel at Kattur, returned to the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division.—Revised estimates for clearing silt from the channels in the factories of the Vayalur Circle, sanctioned with remarks and the one already sanctioned for clearing the channels at Vayalur, cancelled.—An estimate for repairing and clearing silt from the boundary channels of the Kattur factory, sanctioned with remarks.	27th „ „ 1668, Mis. 30th „ „ 1729, Mis. 28th May, „ 2233, Mis. 30th Sept., „ 4102, Mis. 20th Nov., „ 4856, Mis.
Tada factory.—An estimate for repairing the protective bund of the, sanctioned.	27th May, „ 2179, Mis.
Chunampet factory.—An estimate for tarring the wooden bridge connecting the eastern and southern bunds of the, resanctioned.	28th „ „ 2196, Mis.
Vayalur factory.—An estimate for repairing certain bunds at the, sanctioned with remarks.	28th „ „ 2197, Mis.
Madras Salt depôt.—An estimate for the upkeep of platforms at the, returned to the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, with remarks.—An estimate for the upkeep of platforms at the, sanctioned with remarks.	29th „ „ 2202, Mis. 14th Nov., „ 4743, Mis.
Ennore and Vayalur Circles.—Certain estimates for the upkeep of platforms in the factories of the, returned with remarks.—Certain estimates for the upkeep of platforms in the several factories of the, returned to the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, with remarks.—Five estimates for the upkeep of platforms in the several factories of the, sanctioned with remark.	29th May, „ 2234, Mis. 11th Sept., „ 3854, Mis. 15th Dec., „ 5199, Mis.
Ennore North flood gate.—Government Order, Public Works Department, sanctioning an estimate for Rs. 17,300 for converting the, in the Buckingham Canal into a lock, recorded.	17th June, „ 2552, Mis.
Attiput and Vallur factories.—Two estimates for providing channel crossing plants for the, returned to the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, with remarks.	22nd „ „ 2598, Mis.

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Vadasamanjeri factory.—An estimate for repairing the temporary wooden bridges across the channels of the, sanctioned.	1st July, No. 2722, Mis.
Chingleput Sub-division.—The re-allotments required on account of incomplete works of 1895–96 of the, sanctioned with remarks.	3rd „ „ 2760, Mis.
Covelong and Vadasamanjeri factories.—Letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, stating that certain estimates for planting experimental screwpine fences have been sanctioned by him in the, recorded.	8th „ „ 2848, Mis.
Ennore lock.—Two estimates for constructing temporary quarters for the time-keeper and the peons attached to the, sanctioned with remarks.	13th „ „ 2910, Mis.
Repairing the patrol path in the Vadasamanjeri factory.—Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, requested to report whether in view of the opening of sales of Government salt at the Madras Salt depôt next December, it is likely that any manufacture will take place at Vadasamanjeri factory next year and if not whether it would not be better to postpone the work of,	11th „ „ 2912, Mis.
Vallur factory.—Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, requested to submit a site plan of the bridge proposed to be put up across the main channel in the,—Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, requested to furnish certain information in connection with the bridge proposed to be put up across the main channel in the,	20th „ „ 3029, Mis. 21st Sept., „ 4025, Mis.
Pulidiwak factory.—Copy of Proceedings of the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, to the Assistant Commissioner, Chingleput Sub-division, ordering the estimate for repairing the circular huts in the, to be held in abeyance, recorded.	4th Aug., „ 3322, Mis.
Keelambakam, Covelong Circle.—An estimate for repairing 55 circular huts at, sanctioned.	10th „ „ 3345, Mis.
Madras Depôt.—An estimate for providing iron gratings for the trap doorways in the municipal drain running across the sewage farm at the, sanctioned.	13th „ „ 3412, Mis.
Ennore Circle.—An estimate for repairing the bridge across the back-water near platform No. III, Pulidiwak factory, returned to the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, with remark.—An estimate for repairing the bridge across the back-water near platform No. III, Pulidiwak factory, sanctioned with remark.	14th „ „ 3425, Mis. 19th Oct., „ 4343, Mis.
Madras Depôt.—Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, requested to explain the necessity for the work of putting up a barbed wire fence round certain portions of platforms Nos. II and III.	26th Aug., „ 3595, Mis.
Ennore Circle.—The Assistant Commissioner, Chingleput Sub-division, requested to submit with as little delay as possible an estimate for raising the north-east corner and southern half of platform No. XIII, and for covering it with good clay.—An estimate for levelling the surface of	2nd Sept., „ 3651, Mis. 14th Oct., „ 4254, Mis. 12th Nov., „ 4730, Mis.

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No. XIII platform in the, at a cost of Rs. 870, approved and sanctioned.—The Assistant Commissioner, Chingleput Sub-division, informed that a slope of 1 in 200 is sufficient to drain platform No. XIII of the,	
Tada Circle.—A second supplemental estimate for repairing the quarters of Sub-Inspectors and clerks in the, sanctioned with remarks.	5th Oct., No. 4180, Mis.
Tada Circle office.—An estimate for providing a punkah for the, sanctioned.	10th „ „ 4304, Mis.
Madras Depôt.—An estimate for constructing a slab drain in front of the gate leading to platform No. III, returned to the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, with remarks.—The estimate resubmitted, returned with remarks to the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division.	29th „ „ 4536, Mis. 12th Dec., „ 5169, Mis.
Madras Depôt Circle.—An estimate for removing the barbed wire fence from platform No. II and putting up the same on platform No. V of the, sanctioned with remarks.	7th Nov., „ 4611, Mis.
Covelong Circle.—Sanction to the estimate for providing punkahs for the officers' quarters in the, declined with remark.	17th „ „ 4755, Mis.
Ennore Circle.—Two estimates for providing new palmyra water shoots on the platforms of the Vallur and Pulidiwak factories of the, sanctioned.	19th „ „ 4779, Mis.
Kathivakum.—An estimate for constructing a shed at, on one side of the Circle office for the use of the licensees, &c., sanctioned with remark.	30th „ „ 4935, Mis.
Madras Depôt.—An estimate for raising the southern boundary wall of the sewage farm at the, sanctioned.	7th Dec., „ 5057, Mis.
Merkanam.—Copy of Proceedings of the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, to the Assistant Commissioner, Chingleput Sub-division, approving his action in having ordered the construction with burnt brick in mud of all the exposed portions of the walls of the clerks' quarters at, recorded.	5th „ „ 5110, Mis.
Madras Depôt.—An estimate for repairing the eastern boundary wall of platform No. I at the, returned to the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, with remark.	12th „ „ 5159, Mis.
WORKS (COCANADA SUB-DIVISION).	
Penuguduru factory.—An estimate for repairing the two calingulas to regulate the brine supply at the, sanctioned with remarks.	10th Jan., „ 94, Mis.
Budgerow of the Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division.—An estimate for renewing the hull of the, sanctioned with remarks.	15th „ „ 147, Mis.
Penugudaru.—Two estimates for constructing 20 circular huts for the use of the temporary establishment at, returned to the Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, with remarks.—Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, in-	23rd „ „ 271, Mis. 14th July, „ 2925, Mis.

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formed, with remarks, that provision for the construction of huts for the use of the temporary peons at, may be made in the budget for 1897–98.	
Mogalturu.—An estimate for constructing boat huts at, sanctioned, and certain other estimates relating to the same factory, returned to Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, with remarks.	27th Jan., No. 368, Mis.
Penuguduru factory.—An estimate for repairing watch towers and guard-sheds at the, sanctioned.	3rd Feb., „ 464, Mis.
Mogalturu.—Two estimates for providing bamboo matting for the officers' quarters at, sanctioned.	17th Mar., „ 1141, Mis.
Penugudury Excise factory.—A supplemental estimate for repairing the road leading to platform No. I inside the, sanctioned with remark.	20th „ „ 1225, Mis.
Rajahmundry Circle.—The proposal of the Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, to construct quarters for the use of the Inspectors and the Assistant Inspectors, approved, and the Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, requested to make arrangements for entrusting the works to a contractor when the estimates are sanctioned.—Three estimates for constructing officers' quarters and out-houses at Rajahmundry, sanctioned with remarks.	26th April, „ 1635, Mis. 30th Sept., „ 4101, Mis.
Penugudury and Mogalturu factories.—Two estimates for the upkeep of platforms and drying grounds at the, sanctioned.	30th April, „ 1753, Mis.
Cocanada Sub-division.—The re-allotments required on account of the incomplete works of 1895–96 of the, sanctioned with remarks.	4th May, „ 1835, Mis.
Penugudury Excise factory.—An estimate for maintaining roads within the limits of the, sanctioned.	28th July, „ 3143, Mis.
Jagannaikpur.—Letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, stating that the matter of constructing Assistant Inspector's quarters at, may lie over pending the Commissioner's inspection of the factory, recorded.	7th Nov., „ 4614, Mis.
Penugudury Extension No. I.—Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, requested to furnish certain information in connection with the proposed widening of the brine supply channel in,	25th „ „ 4849, Mis.
Mogalturu factory.—Two estimates, one for constructing a combined check-weighment and guard-shed and the other for repairing the bridge over the Ramannapalem channel in the, sanctioned with remark.	18th Dec., „ 5251, Mis.
Penugudury Excise factory.—Two estimates for clearing channels and for repairing two calingules to regulate brine supply at the, sanctioned.	22nd „ „ 5255, Mis.
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Southern Division.—List of estimates sanctioned by Deputy Commissioner, in November, communicated to the Accountant-General, Madras.—List of estimates sanctioned	8th Jan., „ 14, Mis. 28th „ „ 342, Mis. 13th Feb., „ 613, Mis.

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by the Deputy Commissioner, in December 1895, reviewed and communicated to the Accountant-General, Madras. —List of estimates sanctioned by the Deputy Commissioner, in January 1896, communicated to the Accountant-General, Madras. —List of estimates sanctioned by Deputy Commissioner, in February 1896, reviewed and communicated to the Accountant-General, Madras. —List of estimates sanctioned by the Deputy Commissioner in March 1896, communicated to the Accountant-General, Madras.—List of estimates sanctioned by Deputy Commissioner, in April 1896, reviewed and communicated to the Accountant-General, Madras.—List of estimates sanctioned by Deputy Commissioner, in May 1896, reviewed and communicated to the Accountant-General, Madras.—List of estimates sanctioned by the Deputy Commissioner, in June 1896, reviewed and communicated to the Accountant-General, Madras.—List of estimates sanctioned by the Deputy Commissioner, in July 1896, reviewed and communicated to the Accountant-General, Madras.—List of estimates sanctioned by the Deputy Commissioner, in August 1896, reviewed and communicated to the Accountant-General, Madras.—List of estimates sanctioned by the Deputy Commissioner, in September 1896, reviewed and communicated to the Accountant-General, Madras.—List of estimates sanctioned by the Deputy Commissioner, in October 1896, reviewed and communicated to the Accountant-General, Madras.—List of estimates sanctioned by the Deputy Commissioner, in November 1896, reviewed and communicated to the Accountant-General, Madras.	17th Mar., No. 1122, Mis. 18th May, „ 2064, Mis. 27th „ „ 2181, Mis. 1st July, „ 2731, Mis. 21st „ „ 3053, Mis. 26th Aug., „ 3592, Mis. 28th Sept., „ 4109, Mis. 3rd Nov., „ 4570, Mis. 30th „ „ 4945, Mis. 16th Dec., „ 5173, Mis.	
Northern Division.—List of estimates sanctioned by Deputy Commissioner, in November 1895, reviewed and communicated to Accountant-General.—List of estimates sanctioned by the Deputy Commissioner, in December 1895, reviewed and communicated to Accountant-General. —List of estimates sanctioned by Deputy Commissioner, in January 1896, reviewed and communicated to the Accountant-General, Madras. —List of estimates sanctioned by the Deputy Commissioner, in February 1896, reviewed and communicated to the Accountant-General, Madras.—List of estimates sanctioned by Deputy Commissioner, in March 1896, reviewed and communicated to the Accountant-General, Madras.—List of estimates sanctioned by Deputy Commissioner, in April 1896, reviewed and communicated to Accountant-General. —List of estimates sanctioned by Deputy Commissioner, in May 1896, reviewed and communicated to the Accountant-General, Madras.—List of estimates sanctioned by Deputy Commissioner, in June 1896, reviewed and communicated to the Accountant-General, Madras.—List of estimates sanctioned by the Deputy Commissioner, in July 1896, communicated to the Accountant-General, Madras.— List of estimates sanctioned by the Deputy Commissioner, in August 1896, reviewed and communicated to the Accountant-General, Madras.—List of estimates sanctioned by the Deputy Commissioner, in September 1896, reviewed and communicated to the Accountant-General, Madras.—List of estimates sanctioned by the Deputy Commissioner, in October 1896, communicated to the Accountant-General, Madras.—List of estimates sanctioned by the Deputy Commissioner, in November 1896, communicated to the Accountant-General, Madras.	11th Jan., „ 132, Mis. 21st „ „ 245, Mis. 12th Feb., „ 589, Mis. 7th Mar., „ 904, Mis. 17th April, „ 1516, Mis. 22nd May, „ 2130, Mis. 8th July, „ 2831, Mis. 14th „ „ 2926, Mis. 20th Aug., „ 3506, Mis. 12th Sept., „ 3851, Mis. 14th Oct., „ 4246, Mis. 19th Nov., „ 4812, Mis. 12th Dec., „ 5174, Mis.	

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Schedule of requirements for 1896–97 *on account of Imperial Civil Works.*—Government Order directing that the, be forwarded to Government of India, Public Works Department, recorded.	15th Jan., No. 187, Mis.
Central Division.—List of estimates sanctioned by Deputy Commissioner, in November 1895, communicated to Accountant-General, Madras.—List of estimates sanctioned by the Deputy Commissioner, in December 1895, reviewed and communicated to Accountant-General, Madras.—Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, informed that there is no necessity for employing a gardener to look after the gardens attached to the Inspector's quarter at Salem.—List of estimates sanctioned by the Deputy Commissioner, in January 1896, reviewed and communicated to the Accountant-General, Madras.—List of estimates sanctioned by the Deputy Commissioner, in February 1896, communicated to the Accountant-General, Madras.—Letter from the Deputy Commissioner stating that the estimate No. 176 of 1895–96 of the Nellore Sub-division has been cancelled by him, communicated to the Accountant-General, Madras.—List of estimates sanctioned by the Deputy Commissioner, in March 1896, reviewed and communicated to the Accountant-General, Madras.—List of estimates sanctioned by the Deputy Commissioner, in April 1896, reviewed and communicated to the Accountant-General, Madras.—List of estimates sanctioned by the Deputy Commissioner, in May 1896, reviewed and communicated to the Accountant-General, Madras.—List of estimates sanctioned by Deputy Commissioner, in June 1896, communicated to the Accountant-General, Madras.—List of estimates sanctioned by the Deputy Commissioner, in July 1896, reviewed and communicated to the Accountant-General, Madras.—Deputy Commissioner, requested to furnish information in regard to certain items provided for in estimate No. 39 of the Chingleput Sub-division, sanctioned by him in May 1896.—Supplemental list of estimates sanctioned by the Deputy Commissioner, in July 1896, reviewed and communicated to the Accountant-General, Madras.—List of estimates sanctioned by the Deputy Commissioner, in August 1896, reviewed and communicated to the Accountant-General, Madras.—Letter from the Deputy Commissioner, reporting the circumstances under which Estimate No. 42 of 1896–97 of the Chingleput Sub-division was sanctioned by him, recorded.—List of estimates sanctioned by the Deputy Commissioner, in September 1896, communicated to the Accountant-General, Madras.—List of estimates sanctioned by the Deputy Commissioner, in October 1896, reviewed and communicated to the Accountant-General, Madras.—List of estimates sanctioned by the Deputy Commissioner, in November 1896, communicated to the Accountant-General, Madras.	15th „ „ 202, Mis. 18th „ „ 319, Mis. 28th „ „ 343, Mis. 5th Mar., „ 861, Mis. 17th „ „ 1130, Mis. 21st „ „ 1222, Mis. 16th April, „ 1505, Mis. 6th June, „ 2370, Mis. 1st July, „ 2732, Mis. 21st „ „ 3049, Mis. 20th Aug., „ 3506, Mis. 28th „ „ 3631, Mis. 5th Sept., „ 3757, Mis. 28th „ „ 4029, Mis. 21st „ „ 4083, Mis. 26th Oct., „ 4465, Mis. 2nd Dec., „ 5004, Mis. 18th „ „ 5188, Mis.
Reduction of Rs. 31,000 *made by Government in the Board's budget estimate on account of works.*—Instructions issued to Deputy Commissioners in connection with the, and Deputy Commissioners, Northern and Southern Divisions, requested to report on certain points.—Instructions for the execution of certain works provided in the budget for 1896–97, issued.—Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, requested to submit the estimate for constructing two latrines at the Cuddalore factory and to point out the source from which it can be sanctioned.	5th Feb., „ 490, Mis. 20th April, „ 1612, Mis. 9th May, „ 1921, Mis.

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WORKS (GENERAL)—*cont.*	
Government Order, Revenue Department, on Government Order, Public Works Department, sanctioning certain modification of grants in the IV Circle, recorded.	27th Mar., No. 1351, Mis.
Works in the Naupada, Calingapatam and Cheyur factories.—Deputy Commissioners, Northern and Central Divisions, requested to exercise the greatest possible economy on, during 1896–97.	29th April, „ 1693, Mis.
Upkeep of platforms in the excise factories of the Presidency.—The attention of all Deputy Commissioners drawn to the increasing expenditure on the, and they are requested to report whether the number of coolies cannot be largely reduced.—Report from the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, stating that the number of platform coolies employed in the factories of the Tinnevelly and Negapatam Sub-divisions, cannot be reduced except those of the Morekolam Circle, recorded.—Letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, reporting on the feasibility of reducing the existing strength of platform coolies in the excise factories of his division, recorded.	6th July, „ 2780, Mis. 9th Oct., „ 4260, Mis. 5th Nov., „ 4587, Mis.
Statement of demands under provincial for incomplete works of 1895–96, *and for new works proposed to be undertaken in the current official year.*—Government Order passing orders on the, communicated to the Collectors of all Maritime districts.	18th July, „ 288.
Public Works relating to Customs executed by the Revenue Department during 1895–96.—Reports of the Collectors on, reviewed.—Government Order recording Board's Proceedings, Mis. No. 3710, dated 3rd September 1896, recorded.	3rd Sept., „ 3710, Mis. 1st „ „ 4021, Mis.
A *nil* statement of salt works proposed for entry in the Public Works budget (Imperial) for 1897–98, submitted to Government.—A revised list, submitted to Government.—Government Order approving and transferring to the Public Works Department the revised list, communicated to the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, and Assistant Commissioner, Chingleput Sub-division, and the Presidents of the Local Fund Boards, Chingleput and South Arcot.	14th „ „ 3857 Mis. 12th Oct., „ 4224, Mis. 1st Nov., „ 4635, Mis.
Trestles in fish-curing yards.—Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, informed that the Board does not approve of the use of,	29th Sept., „ 4057, Mis.
Unforeseen repairs.—Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, informed that he can sanction, entered in the budget up to a limit of Rs. 500 in each case.	7th Oct., „ 4145, Mis.
List of works proposed to be carried out by the Public Works Department for the Customs Department during 1897–98, submitted to Government.—Government Order, Revenue Department, transferring to the Public Works Department, Board's Proceedings submitting a, recorded.	8th „ „ 4209, Mis. 10th Nov., „ 4695, Mis.
Works which can without inconvenience or danger to revenue be put off to some future time.—Deputy Commissioners requested not to sanction, and also to report on the possibility of postponing until the next official year the construction of certain works and pending final orders not to take further steps towards the construction of such of them as are not actually in progress.	9th Dec., „ 496.

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Certain unsanctioned works for which allotments have been provided in the Provincial budget.—Proceedings of the Public Works Department ordering to be held in abeyance recorded.	10th Dec., No. 5118, Mis.
WORKS (GODAVARI DISTRICT).	
River jetties at Cocanada.—Government Order communicating Proceedings of the Public Works Department sanctioning, with remarks, estimates for the extension of the, recorded.	20th „ „ 5296, Mis.
WORKS (KISTNA DISTRICT).	
Wharves at Masulipatam.—Letter from the Collector of Kistna requesting that orders may be issued in the Public Works Department for the preparation of an estimate for providing stone-paving and road metal for the, and for repairing them, submitted to Government with the Board's support.—Government Order transferring the Board's Proceedings to Public Works Department, communicated to the Collector of Kistna.—Government Order, Revenue Department, on Government Order, Public Works Department, communicating to the Superintending Engineer, II Circle, for compliance, the endorsement of the Revenue Department, recorded.—Plan and estimates for providing stone-paving and road metal to the, submitted to Government.—Government Order, Revenue Department, approving and transferring to the Public Works Department, Board's Proceedings, Mis. No. 4053, dated 29th September, 1896, recorded.	10th Mar., „ 981, Mis. 16th April, „ 1506, Mis. 25th „ „ 1739, Mis. 29th Sept., „ 4053, Mis. 24th Oct., „ 4482, Mis.
WORKS (MADRAS DISTRICT).	
Stamp office.—Letter from the Superintendent of Stamps requesting sanction to add the existing doorways of the store-room of the, doors made of iron rails, submitted to Government with support.—Government Order transferring to the Public Works Department Board's Proceedings, Mis. No. 48, dated 9th January 1896, recorded.—Government Order, Revenue Department, communicating Public Works Department Government Order directing the Consulting Architect to carry out the work after an estimate has been sanctioned, recorded.	9th Jan., „ 48, Mis. 30th „ „ 390, Mis. 20th Feb., „ 785, Mis.
Madras Harbour.—Government Order, Revenue Department, on Government Order, Marine Department, according conditional approval to certain works recommended by the Committee appointed to consider the improvements requisite to complete the, recorded.	9th Mar., „ 1077, Mis.
Repairing and removing the punkahs in the Assistant Secretary's and Secretary's rooms.—A sum of Rs. 45-13-0 for, sanctioned and contractor Moonoosamy Rajoo directed to have the repairs completed during the Christmas holidays.	17th Nov., „ 4762, Mis.
Proposal of the Collector of Sea Customs, Madras, to construct a light verandah of corrugated iron round the combustible shed on the beach, recommended to Government.	14th Dec., „ 5220, Mis.

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WORKS—(MALABAR DISTRICT).	
Tramway rails and turn tables in the Calicut Custom House.—Correspondence with the Collector of Malabar regarding the repair of the, submitted to Government with the request that orders may be issued in the Public Works Department for the submission of an estimate.—Board's Proceedings, Mis. No. 1098 dated 14th March 1896, transferred by Government to Public Works Department.—Government Order, Revenue Department, communicating Government Order, Public Works Department, requesting the Superintending Engineer, IV Circle to submit an estimate for requisite repairs to the, recorded.—Government Order, Revenue Department, communicating Proceedings of the Public Works Department returning to the Superintending Engineer, IV Circle, for sanction and execution an estimate for repairing, communicated to the Collector of Malabar.	14th Mar., No. 1098, Mis. 27th „ „ 1859, Mis. 16th April, „ 1537, Mis. 18th July, „ 3048, Mis.
Calicut pier.—Government Order calling for report as to whether having in view the traffic served by the, it would be advisable to spend a large sum of money for its repair, forwarded to the Collector of Malabar.	19th Oct., „ 4365, Mis.
Sea Custom House at Tellicherry.—Proposals of the Collector of Malabar for making improvements to the, submitted to Government for favour of the issue of orders for the preparation of plans and estimates by the Public Works Department.—Government Order, Revenue Department, transferring the Board's Proceedings to the Public Works Department for issue of the necessary orders, recorded.	11th Nov., „ 4711, Mis. 8th Dec., „ 5088, Mis.
WORKS—(MASULIPATAM SUB-DIVISION).	
Narasaraopet, Vinukonda Circle.—An estimate for making punkahs for the Inspector's quarters at, for the use of the Inspector, returned to the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, with remarks.—An estimate for repairing the Inspector's quarters at, returned to the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, with remarks.	8th Jan., „ 9, Mis. 9th „ „ 41, Mis.
Manginapudi.—An estimate for sinking a well near the Sub-Inspector's quarters at, sanctioned.	10th „ „ 100, Mis.
Pandraka factory.—Two estimates for repairing the preventive and productive bunds in the, returned to the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, with remarks.—Two estimates for repairing the preventive and productive bunds in the, sanctioned with remarks.—Letter from the Assistant Commissioner, Masulipatam Sub-division, reporting that the increased expenditure on account of repairs to the productive and preventive bunds of the, is due to the increased area under manufacture, recorded.	17th Feb., „ 640, Mis. 1st June, „ 2273, Mis. 16th „ „ 2561, Mis.
Nizampatam factory.—A supplemental estimate for Rs. 850 for excavating a boat channel at the, sanctioned.	27th Mar., „ 1526, Mis.
Manginapudi factory.—An estimate for Rs. 770 for the upkeep of platforms and drying grounds at the, sanctioned.	12th May, „ 1959, Mis.
Bezwada.—Assistant Commissioner, Masulipatam Sub-division, requested to furnish certain information in connection with the estimate for making punkahs for the Inspector's quar-	15th „ „ 2017, Mis. 20th Sept., „ 3991, Mis. 13th Dec., „ 5149, Mis.

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ters at,—An estimate for making punkahs for the Inspector's quarters at, sanctioned.—An estimate for putting up two teakwood beams across the main room of the Inspector's quarters at, returned with remarks to the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division.	
Nizampatam factory.—An estimate for the upkeep of platforms and drying grounds in the, returned to the Assistant Commissioner, Masulipatam Sub-division.—The remarks of the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, on the estimate resubmitted by the Assistant Commissioner, Masulipatam Sub-division, for the upkeep of platforms and drying grounds in the, awaited.—An estimate for the upkeep of platforms and drying grounds in the, sanctioned.	15th May, No. 2019, Mis. 11th July, „ 2894, Mis. 27th „ „ 3159, Mis.
Masulipatam Sub-division.—The re-allotments required on account of incomplete works of 1895-96 of the, sanctioned with remarks.	18th May, „ 2056, Mis.
Pandraka factory.—An estimate for repairing the drying grounds for new beds along the boat canal, sanctioned with remarks.	27th „ „ 2180, Mis.
Nizampatam factory.—Concurred with the Deputy Commissioner in considering that it will not be equitable to charge the licensees any portion of the cost of the upkeep of bridle-paths at the,	11th July, „ 2896, Mis.
Pandraka factory.—An estimate for providing bamboo blinds to the Assistant Inspector's quarters, returned to the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, with remarks.	8th Sept., „ 3788, Mis.
Narasaraopet.—The work of constructing a Circle office at, resanctioned for Rs. 2,700 and the site on which it is proposed to construct it, approved.	25th Nov., „ 4861, Mis.
WORKS (NEGAPATAM SUB-DIVISION).	
Adirámpatnam.—An estimate for coir-matting the Circle office at, returned to the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, with remarks.	8th Jan., „ 10, Mis.
Sennamangalam chouki on the Karikál frontier, Nannilam Circle.—An estimate for constructing quarters for the female searcher at, sanctioned with remark.—An estimate for constructing a kitchen for the use of the female searcher at, sanctioned with remark.	10th „ „ 111, Mis. 5th Mar., „ 855, Mis.
Neidavasal factory.—A supplemental estimate for coir-matting the Assistant Inspector's quarters at the, sanctioned.	10th Jan., „ 125, Mis.
Cuddalore Circle.—An estimate for constructing a 12′ standard gate for the Inspector's quarters, returned to the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division.—Estimate sanctioned.	17th „ „ 191, Mis. 22nd May, „ 2131, Mis.
Tranquebar factory.—An estimate for raising the drying ground in the south of the platform at the, sanctioned.	18th Jan., „ 200, Mis.
Adirámpatnam factory.—An estimate for clearing silt from the brine supply channels of the, sanctioned with remarks.	18th „ „ 201, Mis.
Mánavári, Cuddalore Circle.—An estimate for constructing a bridge over the brine supply channel on the western side of	21st „ „ 246, Mis. 6th June, „ 2371, Mis.

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the bridle-path at, returned to the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, with remarks.—Estimates sanctioned.—Two supplemental estimates, sanctioned.	18th Nov., No. 4777, Mis.
Adirámpatnam factory.—An estimate for extending the drying ground of platform No. VI-A of the, returned to the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, with remarks.	21st Jan., „ 249, Mis.
Cuddalore Circle.—An estimate for repairing the wooden bridge near the river gate in the Kamblimedu factory, sanctioned.	21st „ „ 254, Mis.
Cuddalore factory.—An estimate for repairing the road from the Pachayankuppam entrance gate to platform No. 11, sanctioned.	3rd Feb., „ 442, Mis.
Adirámpatnam factory.—An estimate for repairing the approach inside the factory limits of the, returned to the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, with remarks.—Two estimates for repairing the approach inside and outside the limits of the, sanctioned.	6th „ „ 518, Mis. 2nd June, „ 2286, Mis.
Villupuram Circle.—Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, requested to submit certain information in regard to the supplemental estimate for coir-matting the Inspector's quarters at,—A supplemental estimate for coir-matting the Inspector's quarters, sanctioned with remark.	3rd Mar., „ 846, Mis. 8th July, „ 2822, Mis.
Negapatam Salt depôt.—An estimate for repairing the lightning conductor of the magazine at the, sanctioned with remarks.	16th Mar., „ 1100, Mis.
Kandamangalam sayer station, Villupuram Circle.—An estimate for repairing the kitchen for the quarters of the female searcher at the, sanctioned.—An estimate for erecting certain pandals round the quarters and kitchen of the female searcher at the, sanctioned with remark.	19th „ „ 1153, Mis. 13th Nov., „ 4723, Mis.
Negapatam factory.—Certain estimates for the upkeep of platforms and for constructing portable sheds at, sanctioned with remarks.—Certain estimates for the upkeep of platforms at the, returned with remarks.—Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, requested to expedite the written consent of the remaining licensees of the, for the departmental execution of their works.	27th Mar., „ 1320, Mis. 2nd June, „ 2279, Mis. 7th Sept., „ 3762, Mis.
Kamblimedu factory.—Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, requested to furnish certain information in connection with his report on the unsatisfactory way in which the work of constructing a masonry bridge on the approach to the, was executed.	22nd April, „ 1580, Mis.
Adirámpatnam.—An estimate for constructing masonry cistern and channels for the bath-rooms of the Inspector's and the Assistant Inspector's quarters, returned with remarks to the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division.	20th „ „ 1603, Mis.
Thambikkanalluvankottai factory.—An estimate for clearing silt from the brine supply channels of the, returned with remark.—An estimate for clearing silt from the channels in the, returned with remarks to the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division.	20th „ „ 1604, Mis. 1st Nov., „ 4568, Mis.

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WORKS (NEGAPATAM SUB-DIVISION)—*cont.*	1896.
Cuddalore Circle.—Certain estimates for Rs. 380 for the upkeep of platforms and drying grounds in the several factories of the, sanctioned.	19th April, No. 1616, Mis.
Mánavári sub-station of the Kamblimedu factory.—An estimate for Rs. 290 for constructing quarters for the Sub-Inspector at, sanctioned with remarks.—A supplemental estimate for constructing Sub-Inspector's quarters at the, sanctioned with remarks.	21st „ „ 1617, Mis. 24th Aug., „ 3561, Mis.
Védáranniyam factory.—Two estimates for clearing silt in the channels of the, sanctioned with remark.—A supplemental estimate for clearing silt in the channels of the, sanctioned with remark.	28th April, „ 1719, Mis. 14th Oct., „ 4256, Mis.
Valdavoor sayer station, Villupuram Circle.—An estimate for sinking a well at the, returned with remarks to the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division.—An estimate for sinking a trial well at the, sanctioned.—An estimate for sinking a pucca well at the, sanctioned.	30th April, „ 1752, Mis. 13th Aug., „ 3411, Mis. 26th Dec., „ 5292, Mis.
Védáranniyam.—An estimate for repairing the bunds in the great swamp, sanctioned with remarks.	5th May, „ 1853, Mis.
Adirámpatnam Circle.—Three estimates for the upkeep of platforms and drying grounds in the several excise factories of the, sanctioned.	8th „ „ 1913, Mis.
Védáranniyam Circle.—Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, requested to furnish certain information in connection with the construction of bridges over the canal between the drying ground in B block and platforms Nos. II and III.	11th „ „ 1933, Mis.
Adirámpatnam factory.—An estimate for extending the drying ground of platform No. VI, returned to the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, with remark.	11th „ „ 1938, Mis.
Tranquebar factory.—An estimate for the upkeep of platforms and drying grounds at the, sanctioned.	11th „ „ 1953, Mis.
Védáranniyam.—Two estimates for putting up beams for punkahs to the Inspector's and Assistant Inspector's quarters at, returned to the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, with remarks.—Two supplemental estimates for providing beams for hanging punkahs in the quarters of the Inspector and Assistant Inspector returned with remarks to the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division.	11th „ „ 1955, Mis. 22nd Oct., „ 4390, Mis.
Védáranniyam factory.—An estimate for the upkeep of platforms and drying grounds in the, sanctioned with remark.	16th May, „ 2059, Mis.
Védáranniyam factory.—An estimate for repairing certain modasals in the, sanctioned.	16th „ „ 2060, Mis.
Negapatam Sub-division.—The re-allotments required on account of incomplete works of 1895–96 for the, sanctioned with remarks.	22nd „ „ 2132, Mis.
Negapatam factory.—An estimate for putting up beams for punkahs to the Assistant Inspector's quarters at the, returned to the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division.—An estimate for putting up beams for punkahs to the Assistant Inspector's quarters at the, sanctioned.	29th „ „ 2216, Mis. 2nd Oct., „ 4126, Mis.

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Véddranniyam factory.—An estimate for tarring the three wooden bridges in A and B blocks, sanctioned.	4th June, No. 2333, Mis.
Kudikadu factory, Cuddalore Circle.—An estimate for repairing the breaches in the salt road at the, sanctioned.	15th „ „ 2492, Mis.
Véddránniyam.—An estimate for repairing the Sub-Inspectors' and clerk-shroffs' quarters at, returned to the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, with remarks.	24th „ „ 2612, Mis.
Negapatam Sub-division.—Certain estimates for rattan blinds required for officers' quarters in certain circles of the, sanctioned with remark.	24th „ „ 2637, Mis.
Adirámpatnam factory.—An estimate for coir-matting the flooring of the salt office at the, sanctioned.	26th „ „ 2676, Mis.
Kattumavadi Circle.—An estimate for sinking a fresh water well for the use of the Sub-Inspectors and peons of the Latchmi pans, returned with remarks to the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division.—Estimate sanctioned with remark.	22nd July, „ 3073, Mis. 29th Oct., „ 4532, Mis.
Neidavasal factory.—An estimate for providing rattan blinds for the Assistant Inspector's quarters in the, sanctioned.	13th Aug., „ 3410, Mis.
Adirámpatnam extension.—An estimate for planting prickly-pear on the sides of the drying ground of the, returned to the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, with remarks.—The estimate resubmitted, returned with remarks to the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division.	2nd Sept., „ 3656, Mis. 19th Dec., „ 5197, Mis.
Adirámpatnam Circle.—Four estimates for rattan blinds required for officers' quarters in the factories of the, sanctioned.	8th Sept., „ 3786, Mis.
Negapatam Salt depôt.—An estimate on actuals for constructing an experimental iron watch tower at the, sanctioned with remarks.—Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, informed that the Board disapproves the use of old iron rail posts for watch towers.	15th „ „ 3900, Mis. 3rd Dec., „ 5075, Mis.
Thambikkanallavankottai factory.—An estimate for repairing the wooden bridges over the supply channels at the, sanctioned.	18th Sept., „ 3936, Mis.
Negapatam.—An estimate for removing silt from the Perar river up to the boat basin at, sanctioned with remarks.	25th „ „ 4061, Mis.
Véddránniyam factory.—An estimate for plastering and white-washing bridge at the entrance of the, sanctioned.	16th Oct., „ 4325, Mis.
Cuddalore factory.—Certain explanations in regard to the proposal of the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, to respace platforms Nos. II and III of the, called for.	4th Nov., „ 4593, Mis.
A road from the Kamblimedu factory to the Alapakkam Railway station.—An estimate for constructing, returned to the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, with remarks.	11th „ „ 4687, Mis.
Kattumavadi.—An estimate and plan for extending the Circle office at, returned with remarks to the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division.	27th „ „ 4934, Mis.

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Védáranniyam factory.—An estimate for constructing five drying grounds in the, sanctioned.	30th Nov., No. 4940, Mis
Védáranniyam Canal.—Government Order sanctioning, with remarks, an estimate amounting to Rs. 27,183 for clearing the, recorded.	27th „ „ 4983, Mis.
Negapatam.—Proceedings of the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, sanctioning petty repairs to the roofing of the peons' lines at, recorded.	29th „ „ 5017, Mis.
Védáranniyam factory.—An estimate for repairing the culverts in A and C blocks of the, sanctioned.	7th Dec., „ 5058, Mis.
WORKS (NELLORE SUB-DIVISION.)	
Nellore.—An estimate for repairing the office and Assistant Commissioner's quarters at, resanctioned.—Orders passed on letter from Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, suggesting that the saving on the estimate for the repair of the Assistant Commissioner's office and quarters at, be utilized towards the repair of the store-shed attached to it.—An estimate for removing prickly-pear from the compound of the Assistant Commissioner's bungalow at, sanctioned with remark.	8th Jan., „ 25, Mis. 4th Mar., „ 873, Mis. 10th „ „ 948, Mis.
Chinna Ganjám factory.—An estimate for constructing an office at the, sanctioned with remarks.—A revised estimate for constructing a factory office at, sanctioned with remarks and the one already sanctioned for the same, cancelled.	10th Jan., „ 90, Mis. 25th Nov., „ 4862, Mis.
Iskapalli.—An estimate for constructing a shed near the shroff's room at, sanctioned.	10th Jan., „ 91, Mis.
Dugarazpatnam factory.—An estimate for repairing the pot well attached to the casuarina tope in the, sanctioned.	22nd „ „ 302, Mis.
Pákala Circle.—Certain estimates for constructing quarters and office in the, returned to the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, with remarks.—Estimates amounting to Rs. 5,470 for constructing Inspector's quarters, Circle office and two clerks' quarters at, sanctioned with remarks.—An estimate for providing a punkah to the Inspector's room in the Circle office at, returned to the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, with remarks.	1st Feb., „ 436, Mis. 14th July, „ 2957, Mis. 17th Sept., „ 3935, Mis.
Iskapalli factory.—Stated that it is unnecessary to construct separate huts for the petty officers in the, and the estimate submitted by the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, for the same, returned.	6th Feb., „ 517, Mis.
Iskapalli.—Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, informed that work No. 131 of the Nellore Sub-division may be proceeded with and an estimate for matting the floor of the Circle office at, resanctioned.	4th Mar., „ 840, Mis.
Iskapalli factory.—An estimate for the upkeep of platforms and drying grounds at the, sanctioned.	7th „ „ 898, Mis.
Chinna Ganjám factory.—An estimate for the upkeep of platforms and drying grounds at the, sanctioned.	19th April, „ 1601, Mis.

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Krishnapatam Circle.—An estimate on actuals for opening the Pulicat bar, sanctioned with remarks.—Letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, submitting a report regarding the impossibility of repairing the Dykes' bund this year owing to the setting in of violent southerly winds, recorded with remarks.—An estimate for repairing the Dykes' bund, sanctioned with remarks.	19th April, No. 1610, Mis. 21st ,, ,, 1622, Mis. 7th May, ,, 1894, Mis.
Krishnapatam factory.—An estimate for barrelling platform No. I, sanctioned with remark.	27th April, ,, 1665, Mis.
Pákala Circle.—An estimate for the upkeep of platforms and drying grounds in the Pákala factory, sanctioned.	27th ,, ,, 1666, Mis.
Chinna Ganjám factory.—Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, requested to furnish certain information in regard to the material used for repairing the road leading to the,—Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, requested to call upon Inspector M.R.Ry. Rungaswami Aiyar to submit an explanation in connection with his unauthorized use of certain metal for the repair of the road in the,	6th May, ,, 1857, Mis. 10th Aug., ,, 3338, Mis.
Nellore Sub-division.—The re-allotments required on account of incomplete works of 1895-96 of the, sanctioned with remarks.	9th May, ,, 1930, Mis.
Kanuparti factory.—An estimate for the upkeep of platforms and drying grounds at the, sanctioned with remarks.—An estimate for repairing the roads inside the, sanctioned with remarks.	12th ,, ,, 1960, Mis. 6th June, ,, 2372, Mis.
Krishnapatam.—Certain estimates for the upkeep of platforms in the excise factory and in the two extensions at, and for providing canvas binding to the matting in the Circle office, sanctioned.	27th Mar., ,, 2129, Mis.
Kanuparti—An estimate for removing the cash-chest from the old office and imbedding it in the new Circle office at, sanctioned.	1st June, ,, 2266, Mis.
Kanuparti factory.—An estimate for clearing silt from the boat channel at the, sanctioned with remarks.	3rd July, ,, 2752, Mis.
Krishnapatam factory.—An estimate for constructing a check-weighment shed on platform No. VI, returned with remarks to the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division.	4th ,, ,, 2759, Mis.
Krishnapatam factory Extension No. II.—An estimate for repairing four palmyra bridges across boat and irrigation channels in, sanctioned.	28th ,, ,, 3144, Mis.
Chinna Ganjám factory.—Recommendation of the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, to allow certain licensees of the, to construct a small drying ground at their own cost, approved.	28th ,, ,, 3157, Mis.
Krishnapatam Circle.—Three estimates for repairs to certain works in the, sanctioned with remarks from the funds of 1895-96.	5th Aug., ,, 3306, Mis.
Kanuparti factory.—An estimate for extending boat channel to platform No. V, returned with remarks.	2nd Sept., ,, 3672, Mis.

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WORKS (NELLORE SUB-DIVISION)—*cont.*	1896.
Krishnapatam factory.—An estimate for planting prickly-pear on the upper slopes of platform No. V in extension No. II, sanctioned with remark.	3rd Sept., No. 3705, Mis.
Kanuparti factory.—An estimate for constructing a shed for the horses and servants of the inspecting officers at the, sanctioned.	4th „ „ 3732, Mis.
Krishnapatam factory.—An estimate on actuals for constructing a check-weighment shed on platform No. VI, sanctioned with remarks.	20th „ „ 3990, Mis.
Extension No. I, Krishnapatam factory.—An estimate for clearing silt from, and diverting a portion of the irrigation channel in, returned to the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, with remarks.	12th Oct., „ 4310, Mis.
Krishnapatam factory.—Two estimates, one for removing and refixing a tide-gauge in the, and the other for fixing a tide-gauge at the Dugarazpatnam factory, sanctioned.	6th Nov., „ 4612, Mis.
Chinna Ganjám factory.—An estimate for reconstructing the traders' shed at the, returned with remarks.	24th „ „ 4828, Mis.
Iskapalli.—An estimate for putting up teakwood rafters to hang the punkahs in the Inspector's and Assistant Inspector's quarters at, sanctioned.	13th Dec., „ 5148, Mis.
Kanuparti factory.—Two estimates, one for gravelling the approaches to the new Circle office and the other for putting up a pandal round the office at the, returned with remarks to the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division.	15th „ „ 5195, Mis.
Iskapalli factory.—An estimate for fixing a tide-gauge at the, returned with remark.	25th „ „ 5289, Mis.
WORKS (SOUTH ARCOT DISTRICT).	
Quarters for a clerk and a peon at Madalapet on the Pondicherry frontier.—Certain information in connection with the proposed construction of, called for and the transfer of funds proposed with reference to another work, sanctioned.—Letter from the Collector of South Arcot stating that the construction of, will be postponed as funds are not available, recorded.	4th Nov., „ 4586, Mis. 16th Dec., „ 5153, Mis.
WORKS (SOUTH CANARA DISTRICT).	
Mangalore.—Remarked that corrugated iron is not a suitable material for the godown to be constructed chiefly for salt storage and stated that the estimate should be revised so far as the walls up to 9 or 10 feet from the ground are concerned.—Collector of South Canara requested to submit at an early date after revision the estimate returned with the Board's Proceedings, Mis. No. 2942, dated 14th July 1896.—Collector of South Canara informed, with remarks, that contact of salt with corrugated iron will injure the iron and requested to submit the estimate and plans of the proposed warehouse at once if the former requires no revision.—Plans and estimate for Rs. 11,400 for the construction of a public warehouse at, submitted for the sanction of Government.—Government Order approving and transferring to the Public Works Department the plans and estimate, recorded.	14th July, „ 2942, Mis. 28th Aug., „ 3618, Mis. 9th Sept., „ 3800, Mis. 21st Oct., „ 4370, Mis. 19th Nov., „ 4808, Mis.

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WORKS (SOUTH CANARA DISTRICT)—*cont.*	
A new Custom House at Bandur.—Collector of South Canara requested to state what it would cost to open up a view of the mouth of the river from the present Custom house.—Collector of South Canara informed that the proposed construction of, may remain in abeyance for the present.	23rd Oct., No. 4417, Mis. 19th Dec., „ 5248, Mis.
WORKS (TANJORE DISTRICT).	
Sea Customs office at Muttupet.—Collector of Tanjore requested to arrange to have certain petty construction and repair works relating to the, executed by the Public Works Department from funds at the disposal of that Department.	18th Jan., „ 2535, Mis.
Tanjore district.—A sum of Rs. 112 required for certain petty construction and repair works in the, sanctioned from reserve under Land Customs and stated that the Collector's application for an additional allotment of Rs. 860 was disposed of in Board's Proceedings, Mis. No. 2535, dated 18th June 1896.	11th July, „ 2913, Mis.
WORKS (TINNEVELLY SUB-DIVISION).	
Tuticorin.—An estimate for coir-matting the Circle office at, returned to the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, with remarks.—An estimate for matting the Circle office at, sanctioned.	8th Jan., „ 10, Mis. 8th Sept., „ 3785, Mis.
Vattanam, Tuticorin and Kuttanguli Circles.—Certain supplemental estimates for coir-matting the officers' quarters in the several factories of the, sanctioned.	10th Jan., „ 119, Mis.
Theethandathanam factory.—Government Order sanctioning the departmental execution of the licensees' work in the, communicated to the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, and the Assistant Commissioner, Tinnevelly Sub-division.	18th „ „ 229, Mis.
Vattanam factory.—Assistant Commissioner, Tinnevelly Sub-division, requested to furnish details for the sum of Rs. 380-2-3 spent on the work of widening and strengthening the bund to the south of the,—Assistant Commissioner, Tinnevelly Sub-division, requested to explain certain discrepancies in the calculation of expenditure on the work of widening and strengthening the southern bund of the,	22nd „ „ 252, Mis. 12th Mar., „ 1044, Mis.
Sevandakolam, Levingipuram and Arasadi factories of the Tuticorin Circle.—Three estimates for putting up barbed wire fences round the platforms in the, sanctioned with remark.	28th Jan., „ 326, Mis.
Kuttanguli factory.—An estimate for repairing the bridge over the supply channel at the, sanctioned.	3rd Mar., „ 824, Mis.
Tuticorin Circle.—An estimate for Rs. 125 for constructing two 12′ gates for the jungle reserve of the Sevandakolam extension, sanctioned with remark.	15th May, „ 2055, Mis
Tinnevelly Sub-division.—The re-allotments required on account of incomplete works of 1895-96 of the, sanctioned.	19th „ „ 2078, Mis.
Kuttanguli factory.—Two estimates, one for the upkeep of platforms and drying grounds and the other for repairing and maintaining the fence round the jungle reserve, sanctioned.	22nd „ „ 2128, Mis.

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WORKS (TINNEVELLY SUB-DIVISION)—*cont.*	1896.
Tinnevelly Sub-division.—Certain estimates for rattan blinds required for the officers' quarters in certain factories of the, sanctioned with remark.—Certain estimates for suspending punkahs in the officers' quarters in certain circles of the, sanctioned.	22nd May, No. 2137, Mis. 8th Sept., „ 3784, Mis.
Korapad factory.—An estimate for clearing the supply channel at the, sanctioned.	23rd May, „ 2161, Mis.
Theethandathanam factory.—An estimate for the upkeep of platform No. I at the, returned with remark.—Estimate sanctioned.	2nd June, „ 2277, Mis. 14th Aug., „ 3441, Mis.
Tuticorin Circle.—Four estimates for the upkeep of platforms in the several factories of the, sanctioned and two others for guarding the jungle reserves at Arasadi, Sevandakolam and Levingipuram factories, returned with remarks.	6th June, „ 2373, Mis.
Tuticorin.—An estimate for repairing the Assistant Commissioner's bungalow at, sanctioned with remark.	18th „ „ 2543, Mis.
Manakkudi.—Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, informed, with remarks, that the upkeep of the platform at, should now be at the cost of Government and that in respect of the lessee's salt remaining in store after the 31st March 1896 the rent fixed for the full year and establishment charges in excess of 5 per cent. of the duty on salt sold should be levied from him.	20th „ „ 2563, Mis.
Sevandakolam and Levingipuram factories of the Tuticorin Circle.—Certain estimates sanctioned for repairing the supply channels at the, cancelled.—Two estimates for clearing silt from the channels at the, sanctioned with remarks.	19th „ „ 2566, Mis. 19th „ „ 2567, Mis.
Vattanam factory.—An estimate for the upkeep of platform No. II, sanctioned.	19th „ „ 2568, Mis.
Morekolam and Muthuragunathapatnam factories.—Two estimates for the upkeep of platforms in the, sanctioned with remarks.	1st July, „ 2723, Mis.
Levingipuram, Sivandakolam and Karapad factories of the Tuticorin Circle.—Three estimates for repairing sluices in the supply channels at the, sanctioned.	3rd „ „ 2753, Mis.
Tuticorin Circle.—Two estimates for repairing the approaches to the Sevandakolam and Levingipuram factories of the, sanctioned with remark.	11th „ „ 2904, Mis.
Morekolam factory.—An estimate for protecting the north-east corner of the, with palmyra palisades and groynes, sanctioned with remark.	14th „ „ 2941, Mis.
Theethandathanam factory.—Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, requested to furnish certain information in connection with the estimate for constructing sluices for the brine supply channel at the,—Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, requested to furnish certain information in regard to the number of masonry sluices proposed to be used for the brine supply channel at the,	18th „ „ 3025, Mis. 16th Oct., „ 4279, Mis.

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WORKS (TINNEVELLY SUB-DIVISION)—*cont.*	1896.
Manakkudi.—Proposal of the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, to convert some of the ten garce spaces on the platform at, into twenty garce ones, disapproved with remarks.	26th Aug., No. 3579, Mis.
Vattanam factory.—An estimate for widening and strengthening the bund to the south of the, sanctioned with remarks.	26th „ „ 3597, Mis.
Morekolam factory.—An estimate for erecting two thatched stables for inspecting officers at the, returned to the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, with remarks.	8th Oct., „ 4211, Mis.
Tuticorin.—An estimate for matting the Assistant Commissioner's bungalow at, sanctioned.	9th „ „ 4230, Mis.
Morekolam Circle.—An estimate for making a punkah for the office-room of the Assistant Inspector's quarters, sanctioned.	9th „ „ 4234, Mis.
Morekolam Circle.—An estimate for repairing the dry thorn fence round the Muthuragunathapatnam factory, sanctioned with remark.	18th „ „ 4347, Mis.
Morekolam Circle.—A supplement estimate for coir-matting the officer's quarters in the, sanctioned with remark.	20th „ „ 4366, Mis.
Tuticorin Circle office.—An estimate for providing the shroff's room of the, with an iron-grated door and window, sanctioned with remark.	2nd Nov., „ 4579, Mis.
Srivilliputtûr Circle.—Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, requested to furnish certain information in connection with the construction of quarters and office for the Inspector.	11th „ „ 4669, Mis.
Kuttanguli factory.—An estimate for putting up a door in the wall separating the sitting from the sleeping-room of the Assistant Inspector's quarters, returned to the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division.	10th Dec., „ 5114, Mis.
Tuticorin Circle.—An estimate for repairing the branch road at Arasadi in the, returned to the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, with remarks.	23rd „ „ 5241, Mis.
WORKS (TINNEVELLY DISTRICT).	
Sea Customs Office at Káyalpatnam.—Government Order, Revenue Department, on Government Order, Public Works Department, containing information regarding the sanction of an estimate for Rs. 2,000 by the Superintending Engineer and the entry of Rs. 2,000 in the preliminary Public Works Department budget of 1896–97 for the construction of, communicated to the Collector of Tinnevelly district.	4th April, „ 1406, Mis.
Tuticorin Port.—Proposals of the Collector of Tinnevelly for the erection of a new combined Port office and Custom House and for other improvements of the, submitted for the orders of Government.	7th Nov., „ 4662, Mis.
WORKS (TRICHINOPOLY SUB-DIVISION).	
Coimbatore-Cochin frontier.—The re-allotment of Rs. 9 on the work of repairing the huts at the, sanctioned.	1st Oct., „ 4095, Mis.

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WORKS (TRICHINOPOLY SUB-DIVISION)—*cont.*	
Erode.—Copy of Proceedings of the Deputy Commissioner, Southern Division, cancelling estimate No. 2 of the Trichinopoly Sub-division for repairing the compound wall of the Normal school building at, recorded.	5th Oct., No. 4171, Mis.
WAREHOUSE.	
ORISSA.	
Certain bonded warehouses in the Balasore Sub-division.—Remarked on the endorsement of the Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, submitting copy of letter from the Assistant Commissioner, Balasore Sub-division, on the working of,	25th Jan., „ 461, Mis.
WASTAGE.	
Manickpatna Circle.—Sanction for writting off as ordinary wastage 2,714 maunds of Government salt in the accounts of the, for quarter ending 30th September 1895, accorded. —Sanction for writing off as ordinary wastage a certain quantity of Government salt in the accounts of the, for the quarter ending 31st December 1895, accorded.—Sanction for writing off as ordinary wastage a certain quantity of Government salt in the accounts of the, during the quarter ending 31st March 1896, accorded.—Sanction for writing off as ordinary wastage a certain quantity of Government salt in the accounts of the, during the quarter ending 30th June 1896, accorded.—The attention of the Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, called to the suspicious uniformity of the wastages in certain heaps shown in the W-3 of the Chatrapur (Orissa) Sub-division, for the quarter ending 30th September 1896 and declined to pass them without some satisfactory explanation on the point.	10th „ „ 121, Mis. 15th April, „ 1533, Mis. 18th May, „ 2045, Mis. 19th Aug., „ 3489, Mis. 30th Nov., „ 4999, Mis.
WORKS (BALASORE SUB-DIVISION).	
Panchpara, Balasore Circle.—Certain estimates for repairing the officers' quarters and out-houses at, sanctioned with remarks.	10th Jan., „ 96, Mis.
Kulikhati, Basudebpur Circle.—An estimate on actuals for Rs. 39 for repairing the out-houses attached to the Assistant Inspector's quarters at, sanctioned with remarks.	4th May, „ 1819, Mis.
Panchpara.—The re-allotment of Rs. 36-1-10 on account of work No. 33 of 1895-96 for providing coir-matting and bamboo blinds for the officers' quarters at, sanctioned with remark.	11th „ „ 1954, Mis.
Kulikhati, Basudebpur Circle.—An estimate for sinking a masonry well at, sanctioned.	6th June, „ 2380, Mis.
Balasore Circle.—An estimate for supplying beakers for the use of the Sub-Inspectors and Party No. III of the, sanctioned.	11th Aug., „ 3376, Mis.
Panchpara, Balasore Circle.—An estimate for constructing a landing jetty opposite the officers' quarters at, returned with remark to the Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division.	24th „ „ 3548, Mis.
Basudebpur Circle.—Certain estimates for annual repairs to quarters and out-houses in the, sanctioned with remarks.	29th Oct., „ 4537, Mis.
Kendrapara Circle.—An estimate for repairing three country kishties of the, sanctioned.	6th Nov., „ 4621, Mis.

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WORKS—(BALASORE SUB-DIVISION)—*cont.*	1896.
ORISSA—*cont.*	
Kendrapara Circle.—Three estimates for repairing the officers' quarters and out-houses of the, sanctioned with remarks.	6th Nov., No. 4629, Mis.
Panchpara.—Four estimates for repairing the officers' quarters, out-houses and office at, sanctioned.—An estimate for demarcating the land round officers' quarters at, sanctioned.	30th „ „ 4941, Mis. 22nd Dec., „ 5257, Mis.
Balasore Circle.—An estimate for repairing the Sub-Inspector's quarters at Jogai, sanctioned and the other for repairing the out-houses within the office compound at Panchpara, returned with remark to the Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division.	15th „ „ 5190, Mis.
Machgaon Circle.—Four estimates for repairing the officers' quarters and out-houses in the, sanctioned.	20th „ „ 5265, Mis.
WORKS—(CHATRAPUR SUB-DIVISION).	
Manikpatna Circle.—An estimate for repairing the store-shed at Satpara, sanctioned.	10th Jan., „ 95, Mis.
Gurubai factory.—The suggestion of the Assistant Commissioner, Chatrapur Sub-division, to shift the sites of certain gates on the platform at the, approved.	10th „ „ 124, Mis.
Manikpatna Circle.—An estimate for planting bamboo dry thorn fence round the Gurubai factory, sanctioned.	10th „ „ 133, Mis.
Work No. 16 of 1895-96 constructing stage huts on the postal line between Nubba and Ganjam.—The order of the Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, to utilize the materials purchased on, for work No. 69, approved with remark.—Estimate for, cancelled.	20th Feb., „ 672, Mis. 5th May, „ 1836, Mis.
Tua and Gurubai in the Manikpatna Circle.—Two estimates aggregating to Rs. 690 for repairing the salt heaps of 1894-95 and 1895-96 in the factories of, sanctioned with remarks.	1st April, „ 1376, Mis.
Tua factory.—Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, informed that the proposal to construct a bund round the, may be abandoned for the present, but the matter should be brought to the Commissioner's notice when he visits the factory.	11th July, „ 2890, Mis.
Manikpatna Circle.—Six estimates for Rs. 270, one for constructing a road from platform to the, Gurubai and the others for repairs to certain wells, bridges and jolly boats in the, sanctioned with remarks.	30th Nov., „ 4942, Mis.
Gurubai factory.—An estimate for repairing the combined check-weighment shed and watch tower at the, sanctioned.	14th Dec., „ 5193, Mis.
Manikpatna Circle.—Eight estimates amounting to Rs. 566 for repairs to works in the, sanctioned.	22nd „ „ 5258, Mis.