

DISTRICTS.	LAND			
	TOTAL.—			
	Collections and Remissions.			
	Arrears.		Current.	
	Collections.	Remissions.	Collections.	Remissions.
	80	81	82	83
	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.
1. Ganjam . . . . .	34,571	3,039	10,80,793	.....
2. Vizagapatam... . . . .	57,464	362	12,60,555	.....
3. Godavery... . . . .	1,40,310	16,282	39,57,351	.....
4. Kistna ... . . . .	83,228	29,226	36,91,586	.....
5. Nellore... . . . .	4,17,333	48,212	19,96,226	.....
6. Cuddapah... . . . .	1,11,375	21,156	18,38,930	.....
7. Bellary ... . . . .	50,623	29,935	24,08,547	.....
8. Kurnool... . . . .	12,443	1,768	14,61,054	.....
9. Madras ... . . . .	43,182	21,889	35,453	.....
10. Chingleput ... . . . .	3,11,178	23,100	12,17,358	.....
11. North Arcot... . . . .	10,51,143	21,808	16,77,157	.....
12. South Arcot... . . . .	5,82,420	7,487	28,01,791	.....
13. Tanjore... . . . .	86,430	818	40,25,267	.....
14. Trichinopoly... . . . .	1,68,919	4,615	15,57,749	.....
15. Madura... . . . .	4,69,422	15,325	12,90,767	.....
16. Tinnevely ... . . . .	3,14,282	5,217	24,70,812	.....
17. Coimbatore ... . . . .	1,29,678	3,411	24,64,685	.....
18. Neilgherries ... . . . .	500	310	37,707	.....
19. Salem ... . . . .	2,35,200	13,694	19,36,788	.....
20. South Canara... . . . .	17,989	243	12,25,667	.....
21. Malabar... . . . .	39,617	2,027	18,78,710	.....
Total...	43,57,307	2,69,924	403,24,993	.....

Balance of all sources of Revenue, etc.—(Continued.)

REVENUE.—(Continued.)

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Balance.				Subsequent collections and remissions up to 31st October 1871.		
Total.	Arrears.	Current.	Total.	Arrears.	Current.	Total.
84	85	86	87	88	89	90
RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.
11,18,403	3,905	89,349	93,254	335	61,332	61,667
13,24,381	301	1,08,136	1,08,437	41	94,431	94,472
41,13,943	3,27,022	2,65,552	5,92,574	3,275	1,72,910	1,76,185
38,04,040	63,715	1,50,316	2,14,031	19,504	69,769	89,273
24,61,771	26,762	5,55,588	5,82,350	899	4,33,758	4,34,657
19,71,401	19,622	1,69,142	1,88,764	3,854	1,25,240	1,29,094
24,89,105	17,015	88,304	1,05,319	1,152	62,202	63,354
14,75,265	3,800	31,638	35,438	256	23,310	23,566
1,00,564	36,991	44,438	81,429	5,780	18,182	23,962
15,51,636	1,12,303	5,34,355	6,46,658	8,381	2,81,579	2,89,960
27,50,108	1,27,387	8,61,482	9,88,869	12,903	6,53,975	6,66,878
33,91,698	80,234	5,08,723	5,88,957	8,150	3,65,495	3,73,645
41,16,515	8,984	1,23,056	1,32,040	1,708	89,445	91,153
17,31,283	13,368	75,884	89,252	2,068	53,308	55,376
17,75,514	2,50,296	10,45,712	12,96,008	1,293	6,06,256	6,07,549
27,90,311	26,136	4,24,803	4,50,939	1,546	3,85,836	3,87,382
25,97,774	3,873	1,67,485	1,71,358	290	1,56,588	1,56,878
38,517	1,044	2,575	3,619	.....	195	195
21,85,682	46,204	3,66,209	4,12,413	5,497	2,32,557	2,38,054
12,43,899	710	37,122	37,832	188	29,368	29,556
19,20,354	9,098	72,443	81,541	101	47,870	47,971
449,52,224	11,78,770	57,22,312	69,01,082	77,221	39,63,606	40,40,827

DISTRICTS.	LAND REVENUE.—(Concluded.)						
	TOTAL.—(Concluded.)						
	Balance.						
	Arrears.				Current.	Total.	
	Recoverable and doubt- ful.	Irrecoverable.					Total.
91	92			93	94	95	
RS.	RS.	A.	P.	RS.	RS.	RS.	
1. Ganjam ... ..	1,632	1,937	14	10	3,570	28,017	31,587
2. Vizagapatam ...	23	237	4	0	260	13,705	13,965
3. Godavery ... ..	1,31,632	1,92,114	14	6	3,23,747	92,642	4,16,389
4. Kistna... ..	28,642	15,569	3	7	44,211	80,547	1,24,758
5. Nellore ... ..	7,188	18,674	15	5	25,863	1,21,830	1,47,693
6. Cuddapah ... ..	12,577	3,190	5	9	15,768	43,902	59,670
7. Bellary ... ..	1,943	13,919	15	9	15,863	26,102	41,965
8. Kurnool ... ..	2,194	1,349	15	4	3,544	8,328	11,872
9. Madras ... ..	20,478	10,733	5	3	31,211	26,256	57,467
10. Chingleput ... ..	87,421	16,500	13	3	1,03,922	2,52,776	3,56,698
11. North Arcot ...	87,691	26,793	0	10	1,14,484	2,07,507	3,21,991
12. South Arcot ...	59,840	12,243	15	2	72,084	1,43,228	2,15,312
13. Tanjore ... ..	6,407	868	9	8	7,276	33,611	40,887
14. Trichinopoly ...	9,318	1,981	13	6	11,300	22,576	33,876
15. Madura ... ..	2,46,611	2,392	9	4	2,49,003	4,39,456	6,88,459
16. Tinnevely ... ..	17,593	6,997	4	6	24,590	38,967	63,557
17. Coimbatore ... ..	1,460	2,123	0	7	3,583	10,897	14,480
18. Neilgherries ...	613	431	5	2	1,044	2,380	3,424
19. Salem ... ..	22,905	17,801	5	7	40,707	1,33,652	1,74,359
20. South Canara ...	287	235	4	5	522	7,754	8,276
21. Malabar ... ..	8,145	851	4	0	8,997	24,573	33,570
Total...	7,54,600	3,46,948	4	5	11,01,549	17,58,706	28,60,255

Balance of all sources of Revenue, etc.—(Continued.)

## EXCISE ON SPIRITS AND DRUGS, (ABKARI.)

DEMAND.				COLLECTIONS AND REMISSIONS.	
Arrears.	Current.		Total.	Arrears.	
	Rented and Amany.	Miscellaneous.		Collections.	Remissions.
96	97	98	99	100	101
RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.
10,319	79,372	2	89,693	10,319	...
19,175	1,88,480	478	2,08,133	10,906	...
9,101	1,55,702	263	1,65,066	8,612	...
8,250	1,71,600	1,034	1,80,884	8,250	..
15,260	96,795	154	1,12,209	12,845	...
23,818	2,24,323	213	2,47,854	21,454	...
62,621	7,00,550	1,216	7,64,387	62,621	...
31,753	3,55,433	3,289	3,90,475	31,753	...
1,133	11,31,670	1,275	11,34,078	1,027	...
58,110	1,83,726	125	2,41,961	34,255	20,000
26,780	3,24,784	713	3,52,277	26,780	...
1,19,530	2,33,000	256	3,52,786	79,328	...
16,344	5,57,000	400	5,73,744	16,344	...
10,753	1,46,600	326	1,57,679	10,753	...
10,751	1,41,710	363	1,52,824	8,210	...
28,199	1,63,170	932	1,92,301	28,199	...
32,216	2,86,270	537	3,19,023	31,953	...
7,083	85,000	1,005	93,088	7,083	...
31,358	3,35,870	44	3,67,272	31,358	...
6,637	1,44,000	526	1,51,163	6,637	...
332	2,28,400	3,873	2,32,605	91	221
5,29,023	59,33,455	17,024	64,79,502	4,48,778	20,221



DISTRICTS.	EXCISE ON SPIRITS			
	COLLECTIONS AND REMISSIONS.—(Concluded.)			
	Current.			Total.
	Rented and Amany.	Miscellaneous.	Remissions.	
	102	103	104	105
	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.
1. Ganjam ... ..	73,199	2	...	83,520
2. Vizagapatam ... ..	1,75,550	478	...	1,86,934
3. Godavery ... ..	1,43,225	263	...	1,52,100
4. Kistna ... ..	1,64,804	1,034	...	1,74,088
5. Nellore ... ..	85,847	154	...	98,846
6. Cuddapah... ..	2,00,037	213	...	2,21,704
7. Bellary ... ..	6,40,179	1,216	...	7,04,016
8. Kurnool ... ..	3,08,427	3,289	...	3,43,469
9. Madras ... ..	10,41,850	1,275	7,480	10,51,632
10. Chingleput ... ..	97,740	125	...	1,52,120
11. North Arcot ... ..	2,55,392	713	...	2,82,885
12. South Arcot ... ..	1,84,468	256	...	2,64,052
13. Tanjore ... ..	4,93,959	400	...	5,10,703
14. Trichinopoly ... ..	1,37,140	326	...	1,38,219
15. Madura ... ..	1,34,874	363	...	1,43,447
16. Tinnevely ... ..	1,27,676	932	...	1,56,807
17. Coimbatore ... ..	2,52,943	537	...	2,85,433
18. Neilgherries ... ..	77,917	1,005	...	86,005
19. Salem ... ..	3,02,076	44	...	3,33,478
20. South Canara ... ..	1,31,048	526	...	1,32,211
21. Malabar ... ..	2,28,400	3,873	...	2,32,585
Total...	52,56,751	17,024	7,480	57,50,254

Balance of all sources of Revenue, etc.—(Continued.)

AND DRUGS, (ABKARI.)—(Continued.)

BALANCE.			SUBSEQUENT COLLECTIONS AND REMISSIONS UP TO 31st OCTOBER 1871.		
Arrears.	Current.	Total.	Arrears.	Current.	Total.
106	107	108	109	110	111
RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.
...	6,173	6,173	...	6,173	6,173
8,269	12,930	21,199	...	9,145	9,145
489	12,477	12,966	...	12,477	12,477
...	6,796	6,796	...	6,796	6,796
2,415	10,948	13,363	...	8,792	8,792
1,864	24,286	26,150	...	18,357	18,357
...	60,371	60,371	...	60,371	60,371
...	47,006	47,006	...	41,779	41,779
106	82,340	82,446	...	82,130	82,130
3,855	85,986	89,841	455	15,597	16,052
...	69,392	69,392	...	42,889	42,889
40,202	48,532	88,734	5,301	48,532	53,833
...	63,041	63,041	...	63,041	63,041
...	9,460	9,460	...	9,460	9,460
2,541	6,836	9,377	...	6,836	6,836
...	35,494	35,494	...	35,494	35,494
263	33,327	33,590	263	33,327	33,590
...	7,083	7,083	...	7,083	7,083
...	33,794	33,794	...	22,542	22,542
...	12,952	12,952	...	12,952	12,952
20	...	20	...	...	...
60,024	6,69,224	7,29,248	6,019	5,43,773	5,49,792

DISTRICTS.	EXCISE ON SPIRITS AND DRUGS, (ABKARI.)—(Concluded.)					
	BALANCE.					
	Arrears.				Current.	Total.
	Recoverable and doubt- ful.	Irrecoverable.		Total.		
	112	113		114	115	116
RS.	RS.	A. P.	RS.	RS.	RS.	
1. Ganjam ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...
2. Vizagapatam ... ..	...	8,269	4 11	8,269	3,785	12,054
3. Godavery ... ..	489	...	...	489	...	489
4. Kistna ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...
5. Nellore ... ..	...	2,414	10 0	2,415	2,156	4,571
6. Cuddapah ... ..	...	1,864	5 10	1,864	5,929	7,793
7. Bellary ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...
8. Kurnool ... ..	...	...	...	...	5,227	5,227
9. Madras ... ..	...	106	10 3	106	210	316
10. Chingleput ... ..	3,400	...	...	3,400	70,389	73,789
11. North Arcot ... ..	...	...	...	...	26,503	26,503
12. South Arcot ... ..	34,901	...	...	34,901	...	34,901
13. Tanjore ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...
14. Trichinopoly ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...
15. Madura ... ..	2,541	...	...	2,541	...	2,541
16. Tinnevely ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...
17. Coimbatore ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...
18. Neilgherries ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...
19. Salem ... ..	...	...	...	...	11,252	11,252
20. South Canara ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...
21. Malabar ... ..	...	20	0 2	20	...	20
Total...	41,331	12,674	15 2	54,005	1,25,451	1,79,456

*Balance of all sources of Revenue, etc.—(Continued.)*

## INCOME TAX.

DEMAND.				COLLECTIONS AND REMISSIONS.	
Arrears.	Current.		Total.	Arrears.	
	Ain.	Miscellaneous.		Collections.	Remissions.
117	118	119	120	121	122
RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.
128	46,031	...	46,159	128	...
1,074	98,128	...	99,202	944	...
4,010	1,60,237	144	1,64,391	1,544	...
8,876	1,13,815	...	1,22,691	7,743	22
1,624	1,13,459	...	1,15,083	1,044	...
1,854	1,19,240	381	1,21,475	1,449	201
770	1,48,408	...	1,49,178	691	...
9	48,489	...	48,498	9	...
14,524	3,74,239	845	3,89,608	8,258	17
3,627	44,575	...	48,202	3,612	15
2,375	92,141	169	94,685	1,440	241
879	35,544	538	36,961	335	...
3,432	2,29,716	4,837	2,37,985	2,026	502
338	50,933	97	51,368	297	41
980	1,39,926	528	1,41,434	504	349
2,481	1,24,722	...	1,27,203	1,731	...
239	71,576	43	71,863	48	164
...	17,082	...	17,082	...	...
3,594	53,802	634	58,030	433	3,149
160	53,296	115	53,571	160	...
2,450	99,235	388	1,02,073	1,200	25
53,424	22,34,594	8,724	22,96,742	33,596	4,7



DISTRICTS.	COLLECTIONS AND REMISSIONS.			BALANCE.	
	Current.			Arrears.	Current.
	Collections.	Remissions.	Total.		
	123	124	125	126	127
	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.
1. Ganjam ... ..	45,987	44	46,159	...	...
2. Vizagapatam ... ..	97,795	...	98,739	130	333
3. Godavery ... ..	1,53,982	...	1,55,526	2,466	6,399
4. Kistna ... ..	1,07,204	117	1,15,086	1,111	6,494
5. Nellore ... ..	1,07,682	...	1,08,726	580	5,777
6. Cuddapah ... ..	1,11,382	...	1,13,032	204	8,239
7. Bellary ... ..	1,46,171	...	1,46,862	79	2,237
8. Kurnool ... ..	48,130	...	48,139	...	359
9. Madras ... ..	3,63,069	961	3,72,305	6,249	11,054
10. Chingleput ... ..	30,675	...	34,302	...	13,900
11. North Arcot ... ..	85,942	974	88,507	694	5,394
12. South Arcot ... ..	32,703	...	33,038	544	3,379
13. Tanjore ... ..	2,31,389	815	2,34,732	904	2,349
14. Trichinopoly ... ..	49,370	...	49,708	...	1,660
15. Madura ... ..	1,30,409	330	1,31,592	127	9,715
16. Tinnevely... ..	1,12,928	...	1,14,659	750	11,794
17. Coimbatore ... ..	71,180	19	71,411	27	425
18. Neilgherries ... ..	17,082	...	17,082	...	...
19. Salem ... ..	54,023	...	57,605	12	413
20. South Canara ... ..	52,973	...	53,133	...	438
21. Malabar ... ..	93,137	...	94,362	1,225	6,486
Total...	21,43,213	3,260	21,84,795	15,102	96,845
Stoppages made from the pay of public servants as per Accountant-General's Return ... ..	1,05,397				
	22,48,610				

Balance of all sources of Revenue, etc.—(Continued.)

INCOME TAX.—(Continued.)

SUBSEQUENT COLLECTIONS UP TO 31st OCTOBER 1871.				BALANCE.			
Total.	Arrears.	Current.	Total.	Arrears.			Total.
				Recoverable and doubt- ful.	Irrecoverable.		
128	129	130	131	132	133		134
RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	A. P.	RS.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
463	11	52	63	...	119	4	119
8,865	...	3,664	3,664	514	1,951	10 7	2,466
7,605	72	5,909	5,981	1,039	...	...	1,039
6,357	6	3,280	3,286	92	482	5 8	574
8,443	26	4,175	4,201	178	...	...	178
2,316	40	2,136	2,176	9	30	4	39
359	...	220	220	...	...	...	...
17,303	771	8,478	9,249	3,409	2,069	...	5,478
13,900	...	7,862	7,862	...	...	...	...
6,088	694	3,270	3,964	...	...	...	...
3,923	3	2,356	2,359	541	...	...	541
3,253	904	2,349	3,253	...	...	...	...
1,060	...	509	509	...	...	...	...
9,842	31	7,580	7,611	96	...	...	96
12,544	14	4,893	4,907	...	736	...	736
452	...	203	203	...	26	7	27
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
425	12	70	82	...	...	...	...
438	...	392	392	...	...	...	...
7,711	...	5,045	5,045	1,225	...	...	1,225
1,11,947	2,584	62,443	65,027	7,103	5,414	15 3	12,518

DISTRICTS.	INCOME-TAX.— (Unconcluded.)		LICENSE		
	BALANCE.—(Concluded.)		DEMAND.		
	Current.	Total.	Arrears.	Current.	Total.
	135	136	137	138	139
	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.
1. Ganjam ... ..	...	...	...	...	...
2. Vizagapatam ... ..	281	400	...	...	...
3. Godavery ... ..	2,735	5,201	...	...	...
4. Kistna ... ..	585	1,624	...	16	16
5. Nellore ... ..	2,497	3,071	24	...	24
6. Cuddapah ... ..	4,064	4,242	...	8	8
7. Bellary ... ..	101	140	...	...	...
8. Kurnool ... ..	139	139	...	...	...
9. Madras ... ..	2,576	8,054	...	...	...
10. Chingleput... ..	6,038	6,038	...	...	...
11. North Arcot ... ..	2,124	2,124	...	2,246	2,246
12. South Arcot ... ..	1,023	1,564	...	...	...
13. Tanjore ... ..	...	...	...	...	...
14. Trichinopoly ... ..	1,151	1,151	...	...	...
15. Madura ... ..	2,135	2,231	...	...	...
16. Tinnevely... ..	6,901	7,637	...	16	16
17. Coimbatore ... ..	222	249	...	...	...
18. Neilgherries ... ..	...	...	...	...	...
19. Salem ... ..	343	343	...	...	...
20. South Canara ... ..	46	46	...	...	...
21. Malabar ... ..	1,441	2,666	...	...	...
Total...	34,402	46,920	24	2,286	2,310



TAX.				SALT.			
COLLECTIONS AND REMISSIONS.				DEMAND.			
Arrears.		Current.	Total.	Arrears.	Current.		
Collections.	Remissions.				Sales.	Miscellaneous.	Total.
140	141	142	143	144	145	146	147
RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.
...	...	...	...	...	14,95,858	110	14,95,968
...	...	...	...	...	3,57,930	323	3,58,253
...	...	...	...	...	5,65,169	42	5,65,211
...	...	16	16	...	12,67,262	14	12,67,276
...	24	...	24	...	11,80,019	164	11,80,183
...	...	8	8	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	...	429	11,551	204	12,184
...	...	...	...	36	2,131	...	2,167
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	...	...	26,55,183	62	26,55,245
...	...	2,246	2,246	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	...	...	6,10,000	2,318	6,12,318
...	...	...	...	...	12,30,703	916	12,31,619
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	...	...	6,31,303	193	6,31,496
...	...	16	16	...	8,86,756	69	8,86,825
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	...	...	5,45,252	...	5,45,252
...	...	...	...	...	11,62,235	122	11,62,357
...	24	2,286	2,310	465	126,01,352	4,537	126,06,354



DISTRICTS.	SALT.—				
	COLLECTIONS.				
	Arrears.		Current.		Total.
	Collections.	Remissions.	Sales.	Miscellaneous.	
	148	149	150	151	152
	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.
1. Ganjam ... ..	...	...	14,95,858	110	14,95,968
2. Vizagapatam ... ..	...	...	3,57,930	323	3,58,253
3. Godavery ... ..	...	...	5,65,169	42	5,65,211
4. Kistna ... ..	...	...	12,67,262	14	12,67,276
5. Nellore ... ..	...	...	11,80,019	164	11,80,183
6. Cuddapah ... ..	...	...	...	...	...
7. Bellary ... ..	344	75	10,765	175	11,359
8. Kurnool ... ..	28	...	2,023	...	2,051
9. Madras ... ..	...	...	...	...	...
10. Chingleput ... ..	...	...	26,55,183	62	26,55,245
11. North Arcot ... ..	...	...	...	...	...
12. South Arcot ... ..	...	...	6,12,318	...	6,12,318
13. Tanjore ... ..	...	...	12,30,703	916	12,31,619
14. Trichinopoly ... ..	...	...	...	...	...
15. Madura ... ..	...	...	6,31,303	193	6,31,496
16. Tinnevely ... ..	...	...	8,86,756	69	8,86,825
17. Coimbatore ... ..	...	...	...	...	...
18. Neilgherries ... ..	...	...	...	...	...
19. Salem ... ..	...	...	...	...	...
20. South Canara ... ..	...	...	5,45,252	...	5,45,252
21. Malabar ... ..	...	...	11,62,235	122	11,62,357
Total...	372	75	126,02,776	2,190	126,05,413



DISTRICTS.	SEA CUSTOMS.			LAND	
	DEMAND.		Collections.	DEMAND.	
	Duty.	Miscellaneous.		Duty.	Miscellaneous.
	164	165	166	167	168
	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.
1. Ganjam ... ..	31,207	29	31,236	...	...
2. Vizagapatam ... ..	59,293	60	59,353	...	...
3. Godavery ... ..	1,39,259	278	1,39,537	439	2
4. Kistna ... ..	7,258	108	7,366	...	...
5. Nellore ... ..	...	4	4	...	...
6. Cuddapah ... ..	...	...	...	...	...
7. Bellary ... ..	...	...	...	...	...
8. Kurnool ... ..	...	...	...	...	...
9. Madras ... ..	16,22,797	26,971	16,49,768	...	...
10. Chingleput ... ..	...	...	...	...	...
11. North Arcot ... ..	...	...	...	...	...
12. South Arcot ... ..	60,548	42	60,590	91,470	4
13. Tanjore ... ..	5,09,610	646	5,10,256	86,588	...
14. Trichinopoly ... ..	...	...	...	...	...
15. Madura ... ..	19,566	122	19,688	...	...
16. Tinnevely ... ..	1,22,104	615	1,22,719	...	...
17. Coimbatore ... ..	...	...	...	...	...
18. Neilgherries ... ..	...	...	...	...	...
19. Salem ... ..	...	...	...	...	...
20. South Canara ... ..	73,808	1,517	75,325	...	...
21. Malabar ... ..	1,27,631	2,220	1,29,851	10,358	30
Total...	27,73,081	32,612	28,05,693	1,88,855	36

Balance of all sources of Revenue, etc.—(Continued.)

CUSTOMS.		STAMPS.			
Collections.	JUDICIAL OR COURT FEES.		NON-JUDICIAL.		Collections.
	Sales.	Miscellaneous.	Sales.	Miscellaneous.	
169	170	171	172	173	174
RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.
...	52,736	1	28,018	1,009	81,764
...	77,776	...	48,349	2,209	1,28,334
441	1,30,592	627	64,997	3,744	1,99,960
...	81,714	...	50,027	320	1,32,061
...	56,599	1,236	44,452	115	1,02,402
...	1,08,507	4,774	70,508	239	1,84,028
...	97,633	3,031	67,396	121	1,68,181
...	57,969	861	55,336	4	1,14,170
...	3,07,172	...	2,03,295	2,649	5,13,116
...	41,049	757	25,970	64	67,840
...	68,468	1,184	59,515	328	1,29,495
91,474	60,304	26	46,887	1,973	1,09,190
86,588	2,79,396	1,439	1,61,203	259	4,42,297
...	61,298	1,031	35,713	...	98,042
...	1,82,595	4,655	1,06,088	53	2,93,391
...	1,69,309	...	1,05,116	3,487	2,77,912
...	79,050	...	58,221	2,150	1,39,421
...	3,358	28	4,329	...	7,715
...	53,501	194	79,376	1,257	1,34,328
...	1,03,497	1,782	47,458	571	1,53,308
10,388	2,72,747	...	1,99,673	6,104	4,78,524
1,88,891	23,45,270	21,626	15,61,927	26,656	39,55,479

\* Includes the Stamp duty, Rupees 2,22,463, levied in the office of the Superintendent of Stamps, viz., Rupees 1,11,817 on Court Fee Stamps and Rupees 1,10,646, on Non-Judicial Stamps.



DISTRICTS.	GRAND				
	DEMAND.			COLLECTIONS.	
	Arrears.	Current.	Total.	Arrears.	Current.
	175	176	177	178	179
	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.
1. Ganjam... ..	51,962	29,04,515	29,56,477	45,018	28,08,949
2. Vizagapatam. ...	78,376	22,07,717	22,86,093	69,314	20,86,318
3. Godavery ... ..	4,96,725	54,44,398	59,41,123	1,50,466	51,59,970
4. Kistna... ..	1,93,295	55,35,070	57,28,365	99,221	53,71,347
5. Nellore... ..	5,09,215	40,44,811	45,54,026	4,31,222	34,72,498
6. Cuddapah ... ..	1,77,325	25,36,265	27,13,590	1,34,278	23,34,598
7. Bellary... ..	1,61,393	35,26,961	36,88,354	1,14,279	33,75,234
8. Kurnool ... ..	49,809	20,16,204	20,66,013	44,233	19,37,093
9. Madras... ..	1,17,719	37,50,844	38,68,563	52,467	36,04,571
10. Chingleput ... ..	5,08,318	47,03,224	52,11,542	3,49,045	40,68,983
11. North Arcot ... ..	12,29,493	30,88,187	43,17,680	10,79,363	21,50,945
12. South Arcot ... ..	7,90,550	44,53,424	52,43,974	6,62,083	38,92,792
13. Tanjore ... ..	1,16,008	72,15,036	73,31,044	1,04,800	70,25,775
14. Trichinopoly ... ..	1,97,993	19,29,631	21,27,624	1,79,969	18,42,627
15. Madura ... ..	7,46,774	35,63,581	43,10,355	4,78,136	25,00,988
16. Tinnevelly ... ..	3,76,315	44,71,911	48,48,226	3,44,212	39,99,820
17. Coimbatore ... ..	1,69,417	31,30,022	32,99,439	1,61,679	29,28,766
18. Neilgherries ... ..	8,937	1,51,084	1,60,021	7,583	1,41,426
19. Salem... ..	3,30,050	28,27,675	31,57,725	2,66,991	24,27,259
20. South Canara ... ..	25,739	22,34,611	22,60,350	24,786	21,84,099
21. Malabar ... ..	53,524	40,64,169	41,17,693	40,908	39,85,240
Total...	63,88,937	737,99,340	801,88,277	48,40,053	672,99,296
Stoppages made from the pay of public servants.					1,05,397
					674,04,693

Balance of all sources of Revenue, etc.—(Continued.)

TOTAL.

REMISSIONS.				TOTAL INCLUDING REMISSIONS.		
Total.	Arrears.	Current.	Total.	Arrears.	Current.	Total.
180	181	182	183	184	185	186
RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.
28,53,967	3,039	44	3,083	48,057	28,08,993	28,57,050
21,55,632	362	...	362	69,676	20,86,318	21,55,994
53,10,456	16,282	...	16,282	1,66,748	51,59,970	53,26,718
54,70,568	29,248	117	29,365	1,28,469	53,71,464	54,99,933
39,03,720	48,236	...	48,236	4,79,458	34,72,498	39,51,956
24,68,876	21,357	...	21,357	1,55,635	23,34,598	24,90,233
34,89,513	30,010	...	30,010	1,44,289	33,75,234	35,19,523
19,81,326	1,768	...	1,768	46,001	19,37,093	19,83,094
36,57,038	21,906	8,441	30,347	74,373	36,13,012	36,87,385
44,18,028	43,115	...	43,115	3,92,160	40,68,983	44,61,143
32,30,308	22,049	974	23,023	11,01,412	21,51,919	32,53,331
45,54,873	7,487	...	7,487	6,69,570	38,92,790	45,62,360
71,30,575	1,320	815	2,135	1,06,120	70,26,590	71,32,710
20,22,596	4,656	...	4,656	1,84,625	18,42,627	20,27,252
29,79,124	15,674	330	16,004	4,93,810	25,01,318	29,95,128
43,44,032	5,217	...	5,217	3,49,429	39,99,820	43,49,249
30,90,445	3,575	19	3,594	1,65,254	29,28,785	30,94,039
1,49,009	310	...	310	7,893	1,41,426	1,49,319
26,94,250	16,843	...	16,843	2,83,834	24,27,259	27,11,093
22,08,685	243	...	243	25,029	21,84,099	22,09,128
40,26,148	2,273	...	2,273	43,181	39,85,240	40,28,421
721,39,349	2,94,970	10,740	3,05,710	51,35,023	673,10,036	724,45,059

DISTRICTS.	GRAND			
	BALANCE.			SUBSEQUENT MISSIONS UP
	Arrears.	Current.	Total.	Arrears.
	187	188	189	190
	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.
1. Ganjam... ..	3,905	95,822	99,427	335
2. Vizagapatam ... ..	8,700	1,21,399	1,30,099	52
3. Godavery ... ..	3,29,977	2,84,428	6,14,405	3,275
4. Kistna... ..	64,826	1,62,606	2,28,432	19,576
5. Nellore... ..	29,757	5,72,313	6,02,070	905
6. Cuddapah ... ..	21,690	2,01,667	2,23,357	3,880
7. Bellary... ..	17,104	1,51,727	1,68,831	1,195
8. Kurnool ... ..	3,808	79,111	82,919	264
9. Madras ... ..	43,346	1,37,832	1,81,178	6,551
10. Chingleput... ..	1,16,158	6,34,241	7,50,399	8,836
11. North Arcot ... ..	1,28,081	9,36,268	10,64,349	13,597
12. South Arcot ... ..	1,20,980	5,60,634	6,81,614	13,454
13. Tanjore ... ..	9,888	1,88,446	1,98,334	2,612
14. Trichinopoly ... ..	13,368	87,004	1,00,372	2,068
15. Madura ... ..	2,52,964	10,62,263	13,15,227	1,324
16. Tinnevely... ..	26,886	4,72,091	4,98,977	1,560
17. Coimbatore .. ..	4,163	2,01,237	2,05,400	553
18. Nilgherries ... ..	1,044	9,658	10,702	.....
19. Salem... ..	46,216	4,00,416	4,46,632	5,509
20. South Canara ... ..	710	50,512	51,222	188
21. Malabar ... ..	10,343	78,929	89,272	101
Total...	12,53,914	64,89,304	77,43,218	85,835



*Balance of all sources of Revenue, etc.—(Concluded.)*

**TOTAL.—(Concluded.)**

COLLECTIONS AND RE- TO 31ST OCTOBER 1871.			BALANCE.					
Current.	Total.	Arrears.				Current.	Total.	
		Recover- able and doubtful.	Irrecoverable.			Total.		
191	192	193	194			195	196	197
RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	A.	P.	RS.	RS.	RS.
67,505	67,840	1,652	1,937	14	10	3,570	28,017	31,587
1,03,628	1,03,680	23	8,625	12	11	8,648	17,771	26,419
1,89,051	1,92,326	1,32,635	1,94,066	9	1	3,26,702	95,377	4,22,079
82,474	1,02,050	29,681	15,569	3	7	45,250	81,132	1,26,382
4,45,830	4,46,735	7,280	21,571	15	1	28,852	1,26,483	1,55,335
1,47,772	1,51,652	12,755	5,054	11	7	17,810	53,895	71,705
1,25,397	1,26,592	1,952	13,957	3	9	15,909	26,330	42,239
65,417	65,681	2,194	1,349	15	4	3,544	13,694	17,238
1,08,790	1,15,341	23,887	12,908	15	6	36,795	29,042	65,837
3,05,038	3,13,874	90,821	16,500	13	3	1,07,322	3,29,203	4,36,525
7,00,134	7,13,731	87,691	26,793	0	10	1,14,484	2,36,134	3,50,618
4,16,383	4,29,837	95,282	12,243	15	2	1,07,526	1,44,251	2,51,777
1,54,335	1,57,447	6,407	868	9	8	7,276	33,611	40,887
63,277	65,345	9,318	1,981	13	6	11,300	23,727	35,027
6,20,672	6,21,996	2,49,248	2,392	9	4	2,51,640	4,41,591	6,93,231
4,26,223	4,27,783	17,593	7,733	4	6	25,326	45,868	71,194
1,90,118	1,90,671	1,460	2,149	7	7	3,610	11,119	14,729
7,278	7,278	613	431	5	2	1,044	2,380	3,424
2,55,169	2,60,678	22,905	17,801	5	7	40,707	1,45,247	1,85,954
42,712	42,900	287	235	4	5	522	7,800	8,322
52,915	53,016	9,370	871	4	2	10,242	26,014	36,256
45,70,618	46,56,453	8,03,034	3,65,045	2	10	11,68,079	19,18,686	30,86,765



No. 7.—Statement showing the receipts and sales of Salt for Fasli 1280.

Districts.	Balance on hand at the commencement of the Fasli.	QUANTITY RECEIVED IN STORE FOR FASLI 1280.			Total including balance.	QUANTITY SOLD DURING THE YEAR.					Wastage written off under the sanction of Government.	Total.	Balance remaining in store.
		Salt manufactured during the year.	Gain by measurement and confiscated Salt, etc.	Total.		Home consumption.	Inland consumption.	Exportation by sea. On private account.	Sold to French Government.	Total			
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14
	IND. MDS.	IND. MDS.	IND. MDS.	IND. MDS.	IND. MDS.	IND. MDS.	IND. MDS.	IND. MDS.	IND. MDS.	IND. MDS.	IND. MDS.	IND. MDS.	IND. MDS.
1. Ganjam .....	13,80,855	1,82,200	1,952	1,84,152	15,71,007	1,42,439	6,16,074	.....	.....	7,58,513	19,749	7,78,262	7,92,745
2. Vizagapatam ...	3,57,532	60,728	759	61,487	4,19,019	1,76,894	2,071	.....	.....	1,78,965	6,426	1,85,391	2,33,623
3. Godavery .....	1,97,502	2,99,272	466	2,99,738	4,97,240	2,73,889	9,110	.....	720	2,83,719	17,055	3,00,774	1,96,466
4. Kistna .....	8,60,491	7,17,070	33	7,17,103	15,77,594	3,91,441	2,59,110	.....	.....	6,50,551	.....	6,50,551	9,27,043
5. Nellore .....	8,99,858	6,72,218	394	6,72,612	15,72,470	2,84,719	3,12,491	.....	.....	5,97,210	19,537	6,16,747	9,55,723
6. Chingleput .....	15,17,540	15,84,884	2	15,84,886	34,02,426	2,16,494	11,53,372	2,48,420	.....	16,18,286	74,156	16,92,442	17,09,984
7. South Arcot ...	4,42,047	4,10,871	369	4,11,240	8,53,287	2,20,551	82,131	.....	41,882	3,44,565	39,306	3,83,871	4,69,416
8. Tanjore .....	7,79,231	4,44,666	1,325	4,45,991	12,25,222	3,70,819	2,68,044	44,405	10,800	6,94,063	.....	6,94,063	5,31,159
9. Madura .....	3,10,303	1,61,566	1,550	1,63,116	4,73,419	3,15,711	.....	.....	.....	3,15,711	10,117	3,25,828	1,47,591
10. Tinnevely .....	6,29,503	3,14,667	1,437	3,16,104	9,45,607	3,82,162	64,588	41,040	.....	4,87,790	.....	4,87,790	4,57,817
11. South Canara...	3,05,651	2,11,307	4,066	2,15,373	5,21,024	1,44,497	1,27,225	.....	.....	2,71,722	5,559	2,77,281	2,43,743
12. Malabar .....	3,04,537	5,64,316	132	5,64,448	8,68,985	4,61,037	1,40,131	.....	3,550	6,04,768	2,926	6,07,694	2,61,291
Total...	82,91,050	56,23,765	12,485	56,36,250	1,29,27,300	32,80,633	30,34,397	3,33,860	56,953	68,05,863	1,94,831	70,00,694	69,26,606

No. 8.—Statement showing the financial results of Salt transaction in Fasli 1280.

Districts.	Home consumption.	Inland consumption.	Exportation by Sea.	Sold to French Government.	Total.	Miscellaneous.	Total Gross Revenue.	Deduct Charges.	NET REVENUE.	
									Fasli 1279.	Fasli 1280.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11
	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.
1. Ganjam .....	2,84,836 0 0	12,11,022 0 0	...	...	14,95,858 0 0	110 5 4	14,95,968 5 4	55,321 4 6	15,22,209 7 0	14,40,647 0 10
2. Vizagapatam ...	3,53,788 5 0	4,142 0 0	...	...	3,57,930 5 0	322 7 4	3,58,252 12 4	33,663 7 0	3,07,185 15 1	3,24,589 5 4
3. Godavery.....	5,46,883 0 0	18,220 0 0	...	66 4 0	5,65,169 4 0	41 5 9	5,65,210 9 9	36,942 12 6	4,98,030 11 3	5,28,267 13 3
4. Kistna .....	7,68,482 0 0	4,98,780 0 0	...	...	12,67,262 0 0	14 8 8	12,67,276 8 8	67,810 11 7	11,75,580 11 6	11,99,465 13 1
5. Nellore .....	5,69,437 7 3	6,10,582 0 0	...	...	11,80,019 7 3	164 0 0	11,80,183 7 3	91,082 10 1	10,40,182 11 1	10,89,100 13 2
6. Chingleput.....	4,31,288 13 7	21,98,564 0 0	35,330 4 0	...	26,55,183 1 7	61 10 3	26,55,244 11 10	3,12,790 1 5	23,02,534 8 1	23,42,454 10 5
7. South Arcot ...	4,41,103 0 11	1,64,262 0 0	...	4,635 7 0	6,10,000 7 11	2,317 9 9	6,12,318 1 8	69,260 1 4	6,28,537 4 11	5,43,058 0 4
8. Tanjore .....	7,11,998 8 0	5,12,688 0 0	4,995 0 0	1,021 14 0	12,30,703 6 0	915 11 7	12,31,619 1 7	86,441 1 6	10,44,160 8 11	11,45,178 0 1
9. Madura .....	6,31,303 0 0	...	...	...	6,31,303 0 0	192 10 0	6,31,495 10 0	34,475 0 2	5,85,035 0 4	5,97,020 9 10
10. Tinnevely.....	7,53,133 9 7	1,29,176 0 0	4,446 0 0	...	8,86,755 9 7	69 0 10	8,86,824 10 5	48,686 12 5	7,70,642 15 9	8,38,137 14 0
11. South Canara...	2,87,812 15 4	2,54,450 0 0	...	...	5,42,262 15 4	2,989 0 4	5,45,251 15 8	1,19,156 10 4	4,17,285 15 5	4,26,095 5 4
12. Malabar .....	8,89,044 12 9	2,71,372 0 0	...	1,818 2 5	11,62,234 15 2	122 8 8	11,62,357 7 10	2,70,118 3 2	7,83,485 1 11	8,92,239 4 8
Total...	66,59,111 8 5	58,73,258 0 0	44,771 4 0	7,541 11 5	125,84,682 7 10	7,320 14 6	125,92,003 6 4	12,25,748 12 0	110,74,870 15 3	113,66,254 10 4
Earth Salt in Bellary ...							10,940 6 11			12,963 12 11
Do. in Kurnool...							2,023 6 0			...
Total...							126,04,967 3 3			113,79,213 7 3

# SETTLEMENT REPORT

OF

## GANJAM.

I HAVE the honour to report on the results of the Revenue Administration of this District during Fasli 1280 (1870-71) and to submit the usual Annual Statements.

I. SETTLEMENT—*Statement No. 1.*—2. The Gumsur Taluq was settled by Mr. Hope at Russelkondah, the Berhampore Taluq by Mr. Carr at Berhampore, Purshottapore, and Itchapore, and the Chicacole Taluq by Mr. Spedding at Chicacole.

II. VARIATIONS IN THE NUMBER AND TENURE OF VILLAGES.—3. The causes of variations in the number and tenure of villages during the Fasli under review are given below :—

Villages.	Number in Fasli 1279.	Number in Fasli 1280.	Increase.	Decrease.
Ryotwar ... ..	892	949	57	...
Joint Rent ... ..	509	460	...	49
Rents for more than one year ... ..	8	2	...	6
	1,409	1,411	57	55
Inam Villages ... ..	266	266	...	...
Fishery Villages ... ..	33	33	...	...
Villages in which there is no Jeroyeti cultivation ... ..	17	17	...	...
Total...	1,725	1,727	2	...

*Ryotwar.*—4. To 892 villages under this head in Fasli 1279, fifty-seven have been added, viz., fifty from "Joint rents," four from "Rents for more than one year," while three (of the fifteen villages which were struck off the accounts in consequence of the desertion of ryots through the effects of famine) have again been brought to account, the ryots having returned and cultivated their lands; there is therefore an increase of fifty-seven villages under this head.



*Joint Rent.*—5. The number of villages under this head in Fasli 1279 was 509, from which fifty were transferred to "Ryotwar," one village which was under the head of "Rents for more than one year" has been added to this head which accounts for the decrease of forty-nine villages.

*Rents for more than one year.*—6. From the eight villages under this head in Fasli 1279, five were transferred, viz., four to "Ryotwar" and one to "Joint Rents," while one village which was purchased on behalf of Government in consequence of no bidders having come forward when sold by public auction in satisfaction of arrears of revenue, has been struck off the accounts; there is therefore a decrease of six under this head.

7. In 32,969 puttahs no alterations were made; 3,333 puttahs were altered in consequence of changes in the ryots' holdings; and 1,169 fresh puttahs granted for holdings in the villages which were brought to the head "Ryotwar," and for lands newly brought under cultivation by the ryots who had hitherto no puttahs.

III. SEASON AND SANITARY STATE.—8. The early rains up to August were insufficient for agricultural operations, and transplantation in several places was, therefore, impeded. The standing crops of paddy and sugar-cane suffered from floods in consequence of the unusually heavy fall of rain in October; they were also affected by locusts and the gale of November; the harvest was, therefore, about half an average one.

The Rain-fall from April 1870 to March 1871 was as follows:—

Months.			Inches.	Cents.	Inches.	Cents.
April	1870	...	0	92½		
May	"	...	0	37½		
June	"	...	3	92½		
July	"	...	5	0		
August	"	...	6	25		
September	"	...	10	15	26	62½
October	"	...	14	40		
November	"	...	2	20		
December	"	...	...	...		
January	"	...	...	...		
February	"	...	1	52½		
March	"	...	1	62½	19	75
Total...			...	...	46	37½

9. During the Fasli under notice, cholera and small-pox prevailed only to a very small extent, but fever was very rife. The number of deaths from these and other diseases, &c., amounted to 13,705 against 15,517 in 1279, as detailed below. The total number of births during the same period as returned by the village officers is 21,367. 1,120 head of cattle have been lost from various diseases in the Government Taluqs:—

Diseases.	DEATHS.	
	Fasli 1279.	Fasli 1280.
Cholera	717	404
Small-pox	181	386
Fever	8,646	8,255
Other diseases, old age, &c.	5,973	4,660
Total...	15,517	13,705



IV. PRICES OF GRAIN—*Statement No. 2.*—10. The prices of paddy and other food-grains have been low during the Fasli under notice as compared with those of Fasli 1279.

V. RYOTS' HOLDINGS—*Statement No. 3.*—11. From this statement it will be observed that lands given up amount to 5,147 Acres, assessed at Rupees 9,570-3-5, and those taken up to 8,854 Acres subject to a cist of Rupees 21,279-10-9. The actual cultivation, including the waste charged, amounts to Acres 2,92,240, bearing a cist of Rupees 6,65,283-0-1, from which, however, Rupees 21,746-0-2, being remissions granted on account of losses of crops and of cowle lands, will have to be deducted, thus leaving a net demand of Rupees 6,43,536-15-11, independently of Rupees 69,060-15-5 being demand of items composing "Land Revenue, Miscellaneous." The details of each of the above items will be found below.

*Enclosure A. of Statement No. 3.*—12. The statement "Lands resigned" is made up of the following items:—

- (1). Transfer to the head "wet" of "dry" lands.
- (2). Lands sold in satisfaction of arrears of revenue and purchased on behalf of Government in consequence of the want of bidders.
- (3). Abandonment of holdings by certain poverty-stricken ryots.
- (4). Deficit discovered by measurement.
- (5). Abandonment of lands taken on progressive cowle in consequence of their being unfit for cultivation.
- (6). Re-transfer to the head "dry" of "wet lands" lately classed as such in reference to the temporary raising of wet crops thereon, and adjustment of rates of certain lands in some of the villages of the Gumsur Taluq which were newly measured.

13. The item "lands sold or transferred" consists of transfers of lands from one ryot to another both by private and public sales.

14. The item "lands rendered unfit for cultivation, or taken up for Government purposes," comprises the lands which were washed away by streams, covered by sand and taken up for Police Constables' huts and gravel-pits.

15. The item "lands taken on durkhast" is made up of the following items:—

- (1). Transfer of lands from the head "dry" to "wet".
- (2). Cultivation of waste lands and grant of waste lands on progressive cowle.
- (3). Excess discovered by measurement and the transfer to "Ryotwar" or "Joint Rent" of villages which were hitherto under "Rents for more than one year."
- (4). Grant of assessed waste for cultivation purposes on application.
- (5). Adjustment of rates of lands of certain villages which were measured.
- (6). Re-sale by public auction for cultivation purposes of assessed lands formerly purchased by Government for want of bidders when sold in satisfaction of arrears of revenue.
- (7). Resumption of unauthorized grants and the excess discovered in the extent of certain Inam lands.
- (8). Re-transfer of a portion of the assessment of certain villages which was made over to Village Service Fund under the Board's Proceedings of the 12th October 1869, No. 7,597.

16. The item "lands purchased or obtained by transfer" shows the lands transferred from one ryot to another either by public or private sale.

VI. WASTE CHARGED AND REMITTED.—17. The item "waste remitted" comprises the remission of assessment of lands in certain villages of the Berhampore Taluq which were left waste for want of water.

18. The item "waste charged" represents the lands left waste for grazing purposes.

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VII. ACTUAL CULTIVATION.—19. The subjoined abstract shows at one view the cultivation and settlement of the Fasil under review in comparison with the details of the preceding year :—

Items.	LAST FASLI.				CURRENT FASLI.				INCREASE.				DECREASE.			
	Extent.		Assessment.		Extent.		Assessment.		Extent.		Assessment.		Extent.		Assessment.	
	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17
	ACRES.	RS. A. P.	ACRES.	RS. A. P.	ACRES.	RS. A. P.	ACRES.	RS. A. P.	ACRES.	RS. A. P.	ACRES.	RS. A. P.	ACRES.	RS. A. P.	ACRES.	RS. A. P.
Dry ... ..	1,09,003	1,39,145 11 2	1,10,454	1,40,953 15 5	1,451	1,808 4 3	.....	... ..	.....	... ..	.....	... ..	.....	... ..	.....	... ..
Wet ... ..	1,80,015	5,14,943 11 3	1,82,271	5,24,844 14 4	2,256	9,901 3 1	.....	... ..	.....	... ..	.....	... ..	.....	... ..	.....	... ..
Total...	2,89,018	6,54,089 6 5	2,92,725	6,65,798 13 9	3,707	11,709 7 4	.....	... ..	.....	... ..	.....	... ..	.....	... ..	.....	... ..
<i>Add—</i>																
Second Crop assessment ... ..	...	... ..	...	... ..	.....	... ..	.....	... ..	.....	... ..	.....	... ..	.....	... ..	.....	... ..
Additional assessment ... ..	...	11 1 1	...	... ..	.....	... ..	.....	11 1 1	.....	... ..	.....	... ..	.....	... ..	.....	... ..
Water Tax ... ..	...	...	...	... ..	.....	... ..	.....	... ..	.....	... ..	.....	... ..	.....	... ..	.....	... ..
Road Fund ... ..	...	28,816 12 0	...	29,309 13 0	.....	493 1 0	.....	... ..	.....	... ..	.....	... ..	.....	... ..	.....	... ..
Village Service Fund ... ..	...	17,153 15 1	...	17,163 4 4	.....	9 5 3	.....	... ..	.....	... ..	.....	... ..	.....	... ..	.....	... ..
Total...	...	7,00,071 2 7	...	7,12,271 15 1	.....	12,200 12 6	.....	... ..	.....	... ..	.....	... ..	.....	... ..	.....	... ..
<i>Deduct—</i>																
Remissions ... ..	...	...	485	515 13 8	.....	515 13 8	.....	... ..	.....	... ..	.....	... ..	.....	... ..	.....	... ..
Road Fund ... ..	...	28,816 12 0	...	29,309 13 0	.....	493 1 0	.....	... ..	.....	... ..	.....	... ..	.....	... ..	.....	... ..
Village Service Fund ... ..	...	17,153 15 1	...	17,163 4 4	.....	9 5 3	.....	... ..	.....	... ..	.....	... ..	.....	... ..	.....	... ..
Remissions of other items as detailed in Statement No. 4 ... ..	...	4,380 0 11	...	21,746 0 2	.....	17,365 15 3	.....	... ..	.....	... ..	.....	... ..	.....	... ..	.....	... ..
Total...	...	50,350 12 0	...	68,734 15 2	.....	18,384 3 2	.....	... ..	.....	... ..	.....	... ..	.....	... ..	.....	... ..
Net demand ... ..	...	6,49,720 6 7	...	6,43,536 15 11	.....	...	.....	6,183 6 8	.....	... ..	.....	... ..	.....	... ..	.....	... ..
Miscellaneous item ... ..	...	69,574 1 8	...	69,060 15 5	.....	...	.....	513 2 3	.....	... ..	.....	... ..	.....	... ..	.....	... ..
Grand Total...	...	7,19,294 8 3	...	7,12,597 15 4	.....	...	.....	6,696 8 11	.....	... ..	.....	... ..	.....	... ..	.....	... ..

20. With regard to the principal sources of irrigation, the number of villages, the extent of the land irrigated, and the amount of revenue derived therefrom, I beg to refer the Board to paragraphs 17 to 22 of my predecessor's letter on the results of the Revenue Administration of this District for Fasli 1276 and the statement annexed thereto.

21. As stated in paragraph 22 of the Report on the Revenue Administration for Fasli 1275 no ruined tanks have been made over to private enterprise in this district.

VIII. SPECIAL PRODUCTS—*Enclosure B. of Statement No. 3.*—22. The increase in the extent of land cultivated with sugar-cane and cotton occurs chiefly in the permanently settled estates and is referrible to the more reliable returns submitted by the Zemindars, and the decrease in the extent of land cultivated with indigo is chiefly due to the prejudice which exists among the people of this district against its culture and manufacture.

*Enclosure C. of Statement No. 3.*—23. During the Fasli under notice 79 Acres, subject to an assessment of Rupees 89, were taken on progressive cowle, against 39 Acres, with an assessment of 64 Rupees, in the preceding Fasli. 494 Acres, bearing an assessment of Rupees 764, have been brought to full cist, while 1,009 Acres of land, subject to an assessment of Rupees 1,174, have been abandoned under the following circumstances:—

21-34 Acres of land, subject to an assessment of Rupees 27-5-0, which were given on a progressive cowle of eight years, were abandoned in consequence of the inability of the cowle-holder to bring the land to plough.

120 Acres of land, bearing an assessment of Rupees 160, which were given on progressive cowle of twenty years, were sold in satisfaction of the arrears of revenue and purchased on behalf of Government for want of bidders.

360 and 125 Acres of land, with cists of Rupees 360 and 150 which were granted on progressive cowles for fifteen and eight years, respectively, were abandoned in consequence of the death of the cowle-holders and the inability of their sons to reclaim the land.

382-20 Acres of land, bearing assessment of Rupees 476-10-8, which were granted on eight years' cowle, were abandoned in consequence of the land being unfit for cultivation.

IX. REMISSIONS—*Statement No. 4.*—24. A remission of 19,187 Rupees was granted to the ryots of certain villages in the Taluqs of Berhampore and Chicacole on account of loss of produce sustained from floods in consequence of the unusually heavy fall of rain in October and from locusts as well as from the gale of November. Rupees 4-7-11 were remitted to the ryots of certain village in the Gumsur Taluq, being a portion of the assessment of Acres 169-27½ of land covered by sand on condition of reclaiming the land on progressive remission extending over a period of four years, and a remission of Rupees 89 was granted for lands taken on progressive cowle during the year under report, while those granted in this and in the preceding Faslies on account of this year for lands given on cowle in those Faslies amount to Rupees 2,465.

X. ABSTRACT OF THE GENERAL RESULTS OF LAND REVENUE SETTLEMENT.—25. The subjoined table shows the current demand of Land Revenue compared with that of Fasli 1279:—

Items.	Fasli 1279.			Fasli 1280.			Increase.			Decrease.		
	RS.	A.	P.	RS.	A.	P.	RS.	A.	P.	RS.	A.	P.
<i>Land Revenue.</i>												
Permanently settled ...	4,30,954	9	7	4,31,004	9	7	50	0	0	...	...	...
<i>Not permanently settled.</i>												
Jody of Shotriem and Islam villages ...	24,858	0	0	24,858	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	...
Ryotwar ...	6,49,720	6	7	6,43,536	15	11	...	...	...	6,183	6	8
Sale of assessed waste lands and redemption of land tax ...	...	...	...	1,681	0	10	1,681	0	10	...	...	...
Total...	6,74,578	6	7	6,70,076	0	9	...	...	...	4,502	5	10
Miscellaneous ...	69,574	1	8	69,060	15	5	...	...	...	513	2	3
Total, Land Revenue...	11,75,107	1	10	11,70,141	9	9	...	...	...	4,965	8	1



26. The increase in "Permanently settled" is owing to the imposition, under the orders of Government, No. 2,854, dated the 13th November 1868, of a peishcush of Rupees 50 on the Cuttingia Estate which hitherto was rent free.

27. The decrease in Ryotwar is referrible to the grant of remissions on account of loss of produce.

28. The total increase in the "sales of waste lands and redemption of land tax" is the result of this item having for the first time been brought under the head of Land Revenue in reference to the new form of the Demand, Collection, and Balance Statement furnished by the Board.

29. For the decrease in Miscellaneous, *vide* causes given in paragraph 39.

XI. SUNDRY SOURCES OF REVENUE—*Abkarry*.—30. The decrease in the *Abkarry* is due to the new form of contract by which duty is levied only on the quantity of liquor sent out of the Distillery for sale in the district.

*Income-tax*.—31. The increase in the *Income-tax* is attributable to the operation of Act XVI. of 1870.

*Salt*.—32. The decrease in salt is chiefly referrible to the unwillingness on the part of local salt traders to make large purchases of salt as usual, as the Brinjaries of the Central Provinces will not barter their goods for salt because they are obliged to pay full duty to the Customs Officers of Central Provinces unless their salt is covered by a *rawanah* granted by the Superintendent of Government Salt Stores. This evil, as the Board are aware, is in course of being remedied.

*Sea Customs*.—33. The decrease in the *Sea Customs* is owing to the dullness of the market.

*Court Fees Stamps*.—34. The total increase in *Court Fees Stamps* is only nominal in consequence of there having been no such heading in the accounts of *Fasli* 1279.

*Stamps*.—35. The decrease in stamps is also nominal being entirely due to the division of the sales of stamps into these two heads under the instructions contained in the Board's Circular Official Memorandum No. 614 of the 1st July 1870.

36. The increase in the aggregate sales under these two heads is the result of the purchase by some of the *Zemindars* of this district of the paper of higher value for certain *Civil Suits*.

37. For the variations in the miscellaneous items under the above heads causes are given in paragraph 42.

XII. SEVOY JUMMAH—*Statement No. 5*.—38. The increase in the 1st, 6th, 8th, 32nd, 41st, and 46th items is the result of the following causes:—

(1.) Receipt of title-deeds from the 2nd Member of the Board of Revenue in charge of the Inam Department imposing quit-rent on certain Inams.

(2.) The increased cultivation of waste land brought to account subsequent to the close of the annual settlement.

(3.) Sale proceeds of the produce of certain Village Service Inams, &c.

(4.) Receipt of offers for the renewal of the rent of cheyroot in certain places.

(5.) Increased revenue derived from the Estates under the management of the Court of Wards.

(6.) Increased extent of land for which the Government water was used.

39. The decrease in the 4th, 40th, 43rd, and 55th items is referrible to the undermentioned causes:—

(1.) Transfer from "rents for more than one year" of five villages, four to "Ryotwar" and one to "Joint Rents," as well as the exclusion of another village from the accounts.

(2.) Smaller amount of distrained property sold.

(3.) Smaller amount of fines imposed on village servants.

(4.) Smaller number of Receipt books sold.

40. The variations in the 13th, 15th, 17th, 37th, and 45th items call for no remark in consequence of their contingent and variable nature.

41. The variations in the entries under the 56th item are referrible, 1st, to the re-sale, for cultivation purposes, of a smaller number of holdings formerly purchased by Government in consequence of the absence of bidders when sold in satisfaction of the arrears of revenue; 2nd, to the smaller extent of excess discovered by measurement subsequent to the close of the annual settlement; and, 3rd, to the non-resumption of recent grants subsequent to the above period. The 4th entry under this item calls for no remark.

42. The total decrease in the 1st item under *Abkarry Miscellaneous* is owing to the amount of fees for granting licenses for the sale of European liquors having been carried to the major head of *Abkarry* in reference to the entries in the new form of cash account furnished by the Accountant-General; the other items under this head, as well as the variations in miscellaneous under the head of *Income-tax*, *Salt*, *Sea Customs*, and *Stamps*, need no remark in reference to their contingent and variable nature.



XIII. ABSTRACT OF COLLECTIONS ON ACCOUNT OF LAND AND SUNDRY SOURCES OF REVENUE—43. The following is an Abstract showing the collections on account of Revenue, current and in arrears, during the Fasil under review, compared with those of Fasil 1279 :—

Items.	FASIL 1279.			FASIL 1280.			Increase.	Decrease.
	Arrears.	Current.	Total.	Arrears.	Current.	Total.		
<i>Land Revenue.</i>	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.
Permanently settled ... ..	8,598	4,17,624	4,26,222	12,959	3,93,477	4,06,436	..	19,786
Jody of Shotriem and Inam Villages ... ..	3,122	23,991	27,113	864	22,646	23,510	...	3,603
Ryotwar ... ..	18,120	6,32,086	6,50,206	16,267	6,00,901	6,17,168	...	33,038
Sales of waste land and redemption of Land-tax ...	...	...	...	...	809	809	809	...
Miscellaneous ... ..	4,228	65,328	69,556	4,481	62,960	67,441	...	2,115
Total...	34,068	11,39,029	11,73,097	34,571	10,80,793	11,15,364	...	57,733
Abkarry ... ..	3,480	80,753	84,233	10,319	73,201	83,520	...	713
Income Tax ... ..	...	31,084	31,084	128	46,031	46,159	15,075	...
Salt ... ..	...	16,22,885	16,22,885	...	14,95,968	14,95,968	...	1,26,917
Sea Customs ... ..	...	56,315	56,315	...	31,236	31,236	...	25,079
Court Fees Stamps ... ..	...	...	...	...	52,737	52,737	52,737	...
Stamps... ..	...	70,922	70,922	...	29,027	29,027	...	41,895
Total...	3,480	18,61,959	18,65,439	10,447	17,28,200	17,38,647	...	1,26,792
Grand Total...	37,548	30,00,988	30,38,536	45,018	28,08,993	28,54,011	...	1,84,525

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44. The decrease in permanently settled is chiefly owing to the non-payment according to kists of peishush by the proprietors of Raghunathapore and other Estates of Teckally, in consequence of the decision of the Privy Council, which has not as yet been carried out, being unfavourable to some of them. Steps have, however, been taken for its realization.

45. The decrease in Jody of Shrotriem and Inam villages is partly due to the smaller amount of balance outstanding at the beginning of the Fasli under notice than at that of Fasli 1279, and partly to the irregularity in the payment of Jody in consequence of losses sustained by some of the Inamdars.

46. The decrease in Ryotwar is partly attributable to the grant of remissions on account of losses of crops, and partly to the inability of the ryots to meet the Government demand as promptly as is desirable.

47. For the total increase in the sales of waste land and redemption of land-tax, see cause given in paragraph 28.

48. The decrease in Miscellaneous is referrible to the second cause given in paragraph 46.

49. For the variations under the head of Abkarry, Income-tax, Salt, Sea Customs, Court Fees Stamps, and Stamps, see causes given in paragraphs 30 to 36.

XIV. DEMAND, COLLECTION, AND BALANCE OF ALL SOURCES OF CURRENT REVENUE.—*Statement No. 7*—50. Of the balance enumerated in column 4 of this Statement, Rupees 29,526-0-7 have been collected subsequent to the close of Fasli as detailed in column 5, and for the realization of the remainder steps have been taken.

XV. DEMAND, COLLECTION, AND BALANCE OF ALL SOURCES OF ARREARS OF REVENUE.—51. Of the balance of Rupees 51,962-11-0 which was outstanding at the beginning of the Fasli under notice, Rupees 45,018-11-7 have been collected during the Fasli and Rupees 3,038-10-6 remitted under the orders of Government, dated the 3rd April 1871, No. 618, leaving a balance of Rupees 3,905-4-11 uncollected at its close. The subsequent collections have reduced this to Rupees 3,854-6-11, of which again Rupees 1,937-14-10 have now been recommended for remission, and of the remaining sum of Rupees 1,916-8-1, Rupees 1,796-4-7 it is expected will be collected during the ensuing kists, and the remainder, a doubtful balance, will be disposed of during the next settlement.

XVI. RECOMMENDATION OF IRRCOVERABLE ARREARS FOR REMISSION.—*Statement No. 8*—52. The subjoined table shows the particulars of irrecoverable balances now recommended for remission :—

Taluqs.	Faslies.	Jody of Shrotriem and Inam villages.	Ryotwar.	Miscellaneous.	Total.
		RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.
Berhampore ... ..	1274	...	0 6 1	...	0 6 1
	1276	...	8 2 3	...	8 2 3
	1277	...	136 5 10	...	136 5 10
	1278	...	141 0 1	...	141 0 1
	1279	...	195 4 7	2 7 6	197 12 1
Total...	...	...	481 2 10	2 7 6	483 10 4
Gumsur ... ..	1275	...	9 6 4	...	9 6 4
	1276	...	18 10 9	...	18 10 9
	1277	...	3 0 5	...	3 0 5
	1278	...	9 8 11	11 1 3	20 10 2
	1279	8 0 0	439 2 3	0 4 0	447 6 3
Total...	...	8 0 0	479 12 8	11 5 3	499 1 11

Taluqs.	Faslies.	Jody of Shrotriem and Inam villages.	Ryotwar.	Miscellaneous.	Total.
		RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.
Chicacole ... ..	1277	... ..	59 10 0	... ..	59 10 0
	1278	... ..	246 10 6	7 0 0	253 10 6
	1279	... ..	612 14 11	28 15 2	641 14 1
Total ..	...	...	919 3 5	35 15 2	955 2 7
Grand Total ..	...	8 0 0	1,880 2 11	49 11 11	1,937 14 10

*Particulars.*

	RS. A. P.
Death ... ..	125 13 5
Desertion ... ..	191 1 8
Poverty ... ..	1,042 15 3
Deficit discovered by measurement ... ..	333 5 0
Reduction made by the Inam Commissioner in the quit-rent of a certain Inam...	7 0 0
Washed away by a stream ... ..	14 15 2
Embezzled by the Village Curnum ... ..	222 12 4
Total...	1,937 14 10

53. Of the balance of Rupees 483-10-4 outstanding against the Berhampore Taluq, Rupees 22-6-2 is the assessment due by ten deceased ryots of four villages, Rupees 92-10-7 by nine ryots of eight villages who have deserted, and by the holder of an Inam whose land was sold in satisfaction of the arrears of revenue, Rupees 35-4-7 by fourteen impoverished ryots of twelve villages and Rupees 333-5-0 (which represents the assessment of portions of the holdings of twenty-three ryots for Faslies 1277 to 1279) is the result of deficit discovered in the extent of a Jeroyeti village to the former yearly demand of which Rupees 251-9-0 were added in Fasli 1276.

54. Of the balance of Rupees 499-1-11 outstanding against the Gumsur Taluq, Rupees 276-5-7 is the assessment due by forty-two impoverished ryots of twenty-eight villages whose holdings have all been sold in satisfaction of the arrears of revenue and purchased on behalf of Government for want of bidders with a single exception; and Rupees 222-12-4, the amount embezzled by the Curnum of the Jaksabad and other villages from the payments made to him by sixty-six ryots of thirteen villages, by a Samastanam Sirdar, and by the holder of a small Inam in a Jeroyeti village. For this offence the Curnum was sentenced by the Session Court to rigorous imprisonment for three years.

No property was discovered from the sale of which any portion of the aforesaid embezzled amount could be made good, as the only property belonging to the culprit had been already sold by public auction for Rupees 1-13-4 and brought to account.

55. Of the balance of Rupees 955-2-7 outstanding against the Chicacole Taluq, Rupees 103-7-3 are due by seven deceased ryots of four villages, Rupees 98-7-1 by fourteen ryots of five villages who have deserted, Rupees 731-5-1 by fifty-one impoverished ryots of seventeen villages and the holder of an Inam. The holdings of all these ryots as well as the Inam were sold in satisfaction of the arrears of revenue and purchased on behalf of Government for want of bidders. Rupees 14-15-2 is the assessment of a piece of land which was washed away by a stream, and 7 Rupees is the reduction made by the Inam Commissioner in the amount of quit-rent originally imposed on a certain Inam.

56. Under this explanation, I request that the Board will be pleased to obtain the sanction of Government for writing off the accounts the abovementioned irrecoverable balance of Rupees 1,937-14-10.



XVII. COERCIVE PROCESS.—57. Coercive process was employed during the Fasli under notice in 21,196 cases for the realization of arrears of revenue as detailed in the Enclosure A. of Statement No. 8.

XVIII. CHARGES—Statement No. 9.—58. The decrease in Refunds of Revenue is owing chiefly to there having been only two solitary cases requiring refunds during the Fasli under review.

59. The increase in the "salary of the Collectors, Sub, Head Assistant, Assistant, and Deputy Collectors," is chiefly the result of the debit to this head during the Fasli under notice of the salary of Mr. Carr and Mr. Hope as Sub and Principal Assistant Collectors for a portion of the year and of the salary of Mr. Maltby as well as the Military allowances of Captain Smith, whereas no such charges were debited to this head during Fasli 1279.

60. The increase in "Tent and house-rent allowances" is mainly due to the longer period during which the Acting Collector was on circuit.

61. The decrease in the "Huzur and Taluq establishment" is attributable to the post of the Town Sub-Magistrate of Berhampore having been vacant during a portion of the Fasli.

62. The small decrease in Saderwarid requires no remark.

63. The increase in Medical charges is chiefly referrible to the disbursement to the Hospital Assistant stationed at Ganjam of the arrears of pay as well as an increased rate of salary.

64. The increase in Contingencies is chiefly due to the payment during the Fasli under notice of a larger amount of batta to the Huzur Cutcherry servants and of hire for the conveyance of records in consequence of the longer period during which the Acting Collector was on circuit.

65. The decrease in Miscellaneous is chiefly owing to the transfer to the "Public Works Remittance" of the pay of Niranikam establishment during the whole of the year, whereas it was debited to this head up to March 1870 in Fasli 1279.

66. The total decrease in Contingencies under Abkarry is entirely due to the payment during Fasli 1279 of a large amount of fee for registering the Abkarry bond executed by Mr. Minchin for three Faslies from 1279 to 1281, whereas no such charge was incurred during the Fasli under notice.

67. The increase in the establishment under Income-tax is owing to the entertainment of a number of additional hands for working the Income-tax Act under the orders of Government, dated the 7th December 1870, No. 1,963.

68. The decrease in Refunds under the same head is chiefly the result of the remittance during Fasli 1279 to the Collector of Income-tax, Madras, of the amount of tax levied from the Estates under the management of the Court of Wards in reference to the Board's Proceedings, dated the 8th February 1870, No. 913, whereas no such charge was incurred during the Fasli under notice.

69. The decrease in Refunds under Sea Customs is attributable to the smaller amount paid on that account during the Fasli under notice.

70. The trifling variations in the other items under the same head require no remarks.

71. The decrease in the salary of the Deputy-Collector under Salt is chiefly owing to the non-disbursement during the Fasli under notice of his salary for April and May last in consequence of his having been absent on privilege leave.

72. The increase in establishment under the same head is chiefly the result of the regular disbursement during the year under notice of the whole of the sanctioned amount of pay of the establishment as well as of the arrears of pay to certain servants.

73. The trifling variations in "Country Stationery or Saderwarid" and "Travelling allowance of officers and batta to establishment" require no remark.



74. The decrease in the "Purchase of Salt and the Manufacturer's share," "Charges for conveying and storing salt," and "Contingencies" is chiefly due to the comparatively smaller quantity of salt manufactured during the year under notice.

75. The decrease in Petty Construction and Repairs is owing to the execution of repairs in reference to the sanctioned estimate.

76. The decrease in Commission or discount to licensed Stamp vendors under "Stamps" is chiefly referrible to the purchase by vendors during the Fasli under notice of a smaller quantity of stamps, and to sale by Government servants of a large quantity of stamps of the higher values.

77. The increase in Contingencies is chiefly referrible to the larger number of Service Postage labels used in sending out stamps to the Taluq Officers in reference to their indents.

78. The increase in Refunds is the result of payment to parties during the year under notice of a large amount on account of the value of spoiled stamps.

	RS.
Fasli 1279.....	13,86,856
" 1280.....	7,92,745
Decrease...	5,94,111
Fasli 1279.....	8,60,739
" 1280.....	1,84,152
Decrease...	6,76,587

large quantity left unstored at the close of the Fasli in consequence of the adverse nature of the season.

	RS.
Fasli 1279.....	6,63,620
" 1280.....	3,65,446
Decrease...	2,98,174

report of that Fasli, and that shown in the present one for the same period is solely attributable to the fact of that portion of the salt which was left unstored at the close of the Fasli having been given in an estimate in the report of Fasli 1279.

	RS.
Fasli 1279.....	8,44,944
" 1280.....	7,58,513
Decrease...	86,431
Fasli 1279.....	19,750
" 1280.....	28,220
Increase...	8,470

tioned wastage of 28,220 maunds is now requested.

Statement No. 12.—85. The statement requires no comment.

**XIX. WORKING OF THE NEW SYSTEM OF VILLAGE ACCOUNTS**—86. As already reported the new system of Village Accounts has been fairly brought into operation except in some of the villages of the Gumsur and Berhampore Taluqs as well as in the Khond hamlets situated below the ghauts which have been lately brought to account. The Village and Taluq Accounts have been examined by a Gumastah, and the discrepancies were as usual pointed out to the parties concerned; but I have to repeat the statement made by my predecessors regarding the incompetency of the generality of the Curnums of the Gumsur and Berhampore Taluqs, and the impracticability of replacing them, as stated by my predecessor in the 2nd part of paragraph 73 of his report on the Revenue Administration of this District for Fasli 1277.

SALT—Statement No. 10.—79. The decrease in the balance is the result of the manufacture during the Fasli under notice of a comparatively smaller quantity of salt owing to the unfavourable nature of the season.

80. The decrease in storage is partly referrible to the cause given in the preceding paragraph, and partly to there having been a

81. The decrease in manufacture is also attributable to the unfavourable nature of the season.

82. The difference between the quantity manufactured in Fasli 1279, as given in the

83. The decrease in the sales of Salt is due to the cause given in paragraph 32.

Statement No. 11.—84. The increase in wastage is chiefly owing to a large quantity of the salt of Fasli 1277 having been sold by retail at the Nowpadah works. Sanction for writing off the accounts the abovementioned

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XX. REGISTER OF LANDS ACQUIRED BY PUBLIC SERVANTS.—87. The annexed statement shows the number of public servants and the extent of lands held by them :—

Items.	Number of servants.	Extent of lands held.	
		A.	C.
Up to the end of Fasli 1279, as per last Register ... ..	56	2,271	9
Deductions on account of deaths, removals, &c. ... ..	2	114	87
	54	2,156	12
Add lands, waste and cultivated, acquired during the year, and of servants newly appointed... ..	.....	30	55
Total ..	54	2,186	67

XXI. RESULT OF THE SALES OF UNASSESSED WASTE LAND.—88. 205 Acres of unassessed waste lands were sold during the Fasli under review for Rupees 1,648, and Rupees 809 were collected on account of the stipulated instalments of the value, including interest, of lands sold.

89. The following table shows the demand, collection, and balance of interest charged on arrears of Land and Abkarry Revenue during the Fasli under notice :—

Items.	Demand.			Collection.			Balance.		
	RS.	A.	P.	RS.	A.	P.	RS.	A.	P.
<i>Current.</i>									
Land Revenue... ..	1,568	7	0	55	11	0	1,512	12	0
Abkarry ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Total...	1,568	7	0	55	11	0	1,512	12	0
<i>Arrears.</i>									
Land Revenue... ..	917	1	8	346	8	3	570	9	5
Abkarry ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Total...	917	1	8	346	8	3	570	9	5
Grand Total...	2,485	8	8	402	3	3	2,083	5	5

90. The current balance could not be collected before the close of the Fasli in consequence of the interest having been charged against the Zemindars and proprietors subsequent to the close of Fasli. Rupees 6-3-8 have been realized both on account of current and arrears of balances subsequent to the close of the Fasli, and for the collection of the remainder steps have been taken.

91. The Abstract Return of Agricultural Statistics for Fasli 1280 will shortly be submitted.

CHETTEEPORE,  
31st August 1871.

(Signed) C. G. MASTER,  
Acting Collector.

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OF

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I HAVE the honour to submit the Annual Report on the Settlement and Collections of this District for Fasli 1280, (1870-71,) accompanied by the prescribed accounts illustrative thereof.

2. I. VILLAGES AT WHICH THE SETTLEMENT WAS MADE.—The settlement of the Government taluqs of Survasiddhi and Golgondah was made by Mr. Lee-Warner, who was appointed to act as Principal Assistant on the occasion of Mr.

Board's Telegram, dated 2nd February 1871.

Horsbrugh going on furlough. It was commenced on the 20th February and closed on the 2nd March last, previous to Mr. Kelsall's joining the district.

The following statement shows the places at which the settlement was made:—

Taluqs.	Villages at which the settlement was made.
Golgondah ... ..	Nursipatam and Kottakota.
Survasiddhi ... ..	Rayavaram and Yellamunchelli.

3. II. VARIATIONS IN THE NUMBER AND TENURE OF VILLAGES.—One Ryani or joint-rent village reverted to Ryotwar in the year. With this exception the tenures remained the same as last year as shown below:—

No.	Taluqs.	Mode of settlement.	Number of villages for Fasli 1279.	Number of villages for Fasli 1280.	Increase.	Decrease.
1	Golgondah ... ..	Ryotwar ... ..	75	76	1	.....
		Joint-rent ... ..	17	16	.....	1
		Rents for more than one year ... ..	95	95	.....	.....
			187	187	1	1
2	Survasiddhi ... ..	Ryotwar ... ..	65	65	.....	.....
		Grand Total...	252	252	1	1



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The number of puttahs issued for Fasli 1280 was 4,630 against 4,439 of the previous year, being an increase of 191 in the year under review, particulars of which are given below:—

No.	Items.	Fasli 1279.	Fasli 1280.	Increase.	Decrease.
1	Number of fresh Puttahs ... ..	401	218	.....	183
2	Do. do. modified by additional entries ...	2,374	583	.....	1,791
3	Do. do. not at all modified ... ..	1,664	3,829	2,165	.....
	Total...	4,439	4,630	2,165	974
	Net ..	.....	.....	191	.....

4. III. SEASON AND SANITARY CONDITION.—On the whole the season was somewhat unfavourable. In the early part of the year the want of water was felt in the Survasiddhi Taluq, by which 995 Acres of land, assessed at Rupees 4,180, were left uncultivated. In November last the district was visited by a cyclone, which did considerable damage in the district, as already reported by me in my letters of 7th November 1870, No. 833, and 28th Idem, No. 904.

In the Government Taluq of Survasiddhi the damage to crops was so great that remission to lands flooded had to be given to the amount of Rupees 7,338-8-2. The Salt Kotars of Kuppili, Bimlipatam, Karassa, Balacheruvu, and Pentakota also materially suffered, and a large wastage, which will be observed in Statement No. 11, was the result.

5. IV. PRICES.—The average prices of the staple grains of the district during the year are given below, showing a decrease in all but horse-gram, in which there is a slight increase. The falling off in prices is owing to a falling off in exports during the year:—

No.	Grains.	Fasli 1276.	Fasli 1277.	Fasli 1278.	Fasli 1279.	Fasli 1280.	Total.	Average.
1	Paddy, 1st sort ...	163	85	149	152	133	682	136
2	Do. 2nd do. ...	152	77	136	139	126	630	126
3	Cholum or Jonnalalu...	213	103	173	184	167	840	168
4	Cumboo or Bejara ...	165	77	161	161	145	707	141
5	Horse-gram ... ..	235	124	168	168	177	872	174
6	Raggy ... ..	197	97	180	203	143	820	164
7	Harrack or Varagu...	136	112	83	88	79	498	100

6. V. RYOTS' HOLDINGS.—In the beginning of the year the ryots' holdings in the taluqs of Golgondah and Survasiddhi amounted to Acres 80,438, assessed at Rupees 1,86,812. During the year the relinquishments amounted to Acres 1,538, assessed at Rupees 3,456. New lands taken up amounted to Acres 5,062, assessed at Rupees 5,797, making the total holdings Acres 83,962, assessed at Rupees 1,89,153, or an increase of Acres 3,524, assessed at Rupees 2,342, as exhibited below:—

Items.	DRY.		WET.		TOTAL.	
	Extent.	Assess-ment.	Extent.	Assess-ment.	Extent.	Assess-ment.
	ACRES.	RS.	ACRES.	RS.	ACRES.	RS.
Holdings at the beginning of Fasli 1280.	55,550	57,335	24,888	1,29,477	80,438	1,86,812
Deduct lands given up ... ..	1,128	1,046	410	2,409	1,538	3,456
Remainder ... ..	54,422	56,288	24,478	1,27,068	78,900	1,83,356
Add lands newly taken up ... ..	4,398	2,322	664	3,475	5,062	5,797
Total...	58,820	58,610	25,142	1,30,543	83,962	1,89,153

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The total rain-fall of the district was 52 inches, being 17 inches more than in the previous year. The usual statement is annexed below:—

Months.			Inches.	Tenths.	Months.			Inches.	Tenths.
April	1870	...	.....	7	October	1870	...	20	5
May	..	...	.....	8	November	..	...	3	1
June	..	...	5	5	December	..	...	.....	.....
July	..	...	3	2	January	1871	...	.....	1
August	..	...	4	5	February	..	...	1	6
September	..	...	11	.....	March	..	...	1	.....
			25	7				26	3

The public health has on the whole been very good. Deaths from cholera have been about half the number of the previous year; small-pox the same; while in fever there is an increase of 2,419, but a large decrease of 6,905 from deaths from other causes, or a net decrease of 4,726 deaths in the present as compared with the previous year, as shown below:—

District.	Fasli.	Population.	DEATHS.					Ratio per thousand.
			Cholera.	Small-pox.	Fever.	Other causes.	Total.	
Vizagapatam.	1279	15,05,045	499	311	9,059	11,409	21,278	14.13
	1280	15,05,045	259	311	11,478	4,504	16,552	11

Cattle murrain prevailed in October, November, and December throughout the district, but during the other months it was only prevalent here and there.

7. VI. ACTUAL CULTIVATION.—The following comparative statement shows the cultivation of the last two years, resulting in an increase of Acres 1,526, but a decrease of Rupees 6,189 in assessment, which is owing to the low assessment of some of the lands in occupation:—

Talugs.	FASLI 1279.		FASLI 1280.		INCREASE.		DECREASE.	
	Land.	Assess-ment.	Land.	Assess-ment.	Land	Assess-ment.	Land.	Assess-ment.
	ACRES.	RS.	ACRES.	RS.	ACRES.	RS.	ACRES.	RS.
Golgondah ...	34,171	60,628	36,692	58,619	2,521	.....	.....	2,009
Survasiddhi ...	39,811	1,17,626	38,816	1,13,446	.....	.....	995	4,180
• Total ..	73,982	1,78,254	75,508	1,72,065	2,521	.....	995	6,189
Net...	.....	.....	.....	.....	1,526	.....	.....	6,189

8. VII. FINAL SETTLEMENT.—Particulars of the final settlement are given below in comparison with that of the previous year, showing a net decrease of Rupees 6,133-11-10 in the year under review, which is attributable to the remissions granted in this year.

Items.	LAST FASLI.				CURRENT FASLI.				INCREASE.				DECREASE.			
	Extent.		Assessment.		Extent.		Assessment.		Extent.		Assessment.		Extent.		Assessment.	
	ACRES.		RS.	A. P.	ACRES.		RS.	A. P.	ACRES.		RS.	A. P.	ACRES.		RS.	A. P.
Dry ... ..	55,550		57,334	5 2	58,820		58,610	4 4	3,270		1,275	15 2	.....		.....	...
Wet ... ..	24,888		1,29,476	11 6	24,207		1,27,707	8 4	.....		.....	...	681		1,769	3 2
Total...	80,438		1,86,811	0 8	83,027		1,86,317	12 8	3,270		1,275	15 2	681		1,769	3 2
<i>Add</i>																
Second Crop Assessment ... ..	.....		.....	...	.....		.....	...	.....		.....	...	.....		.....	...
Additional do. ... ..	.....		675	2 9	.....		480	7 2	.....		.....	...	.....		194	11 7
Water Tax ... ..	.....		.....	...	.....		.....	...	.....		.....	...	.....		.....	...
Road Cess ... ..	.....		9,037	1 4	.....		9,087	12 2	.....		50	10 10	.....		.....	...
Village Service Fund... ..	.....		.....	...	.....		.....	...	.....		.....	...	.....		.....	...
Total...	80,438		1,96,523	4 9	83,027		1,95,886	0 0	3,270		1,326	10 0	681		1,963	14 9
<i>Deduct Remissions.</i>																
Road Cess ... ..	.....		9,037	1 4	.....		9,087	12 2	.....		50	10 10	.....		.....	...
Village Service Fund... ..	.....		363	0 0	.....		389	0 0	.....		26	0 0	.....		.....	...
Other remissions as particularized in Statement No. 4 ... ..	.....		73	4 6	.....		8,495	5 0	.....		8,482	0 6	.....		.....	...
Total...	.....		9,413	5 10	.....		17,972	1 2	.....		8,558	11 4	.....		.....	...
Remaining Beriz... ..	80,438		1,87,109	14 11	83,027		1,77,913	14 10	2,589		.....	...	.....		9,196	0 1
Add Miscellaneous Items ... ..	.....		18,057	4 10	.....		21,119	9 1	.....		3,062	4 3	.....		.....	...
Total...	80,438		2,05,167	3 9	83,027		1,99,033	7 11	2,589		3,062	4 3	.....		9,196	0 1
Net...	.....		.....	...	.....		.....	...	.....		.....	...	.....		6,133	11 10

9. VIII. PRINCIPAL SOURCES OF IRRIGATION.—The principal sources of irrigation in the Government Taluqs, with the extent of land assessment, cultivation, etc., under each, are given below. No applications for ruined tanks were made during the year, and therefore none were made over to private individuals:—

No.	Taluqs.	Source of Irrigation.	Extent of Ayacut.	Assessment.	Cultivation under each source.	Actual revenue derived.
			ACRES.	RS.	ACRES.	RS.
1	Golconda ...	1. Komaravolu Ava, (lake) ...	611	2,995	611	2,995
		2. Rivers and channels... ..	2,450	13,225	2,360	13,044
		3. Tanks ... ..	7,272	35,381	7,124	33,520
		Total...	10,333	51,601	10,095	49,559
2	Survasiddhi ...	1. Kondakirla Ava, (lake) ... ..	1,365	11,402	1,365	11,402
		2. Rivers and channels... ..	7,510	40,964	7,198	31,288
		3. Tanks ... ..	7,621	38,728	7,315	29,516
		Total...	16,496	91,094	15,878	72,206
		Grand Total...	26,829	1,42,695	25,973	1,21,765

10. IX. WASTE CHARGED AND REMITTED.—The amount of waste charged was Rs. 14,252-5-5, of which Rupees 2,835-1-5 were remitted. The whole of this sum belongs to the Survasiddhi Taluq.

11. X. PARTICULARS OF REMISSION.—Remissions were granted to the extent of Rs. 8,495-5-0, viz., Rupees 1,136-12-10, on account of fields left uncultivated for want of water, and Rupees 7,358-8-2 on account of lands flooded by effects of the cyclone.

12. XI. PROGRESSIVE COWLE.—At the beginning of the year the extent of land occupied under the progressive cowle was Acres 400, assessed at Rupees 107. Adding to this the increase for the year just expired, Rupees 58-8-0, the demand amounts to Rupees 165-8-0. No fresh lands were taken nor were any relinquished, which shows that the system is gaining a footing with the ryots, which was not the case two years ago. (See Collector's report for Fasli 1278, dated 18th August 1869, paragraph 11).

13. XII. SPECIAL PRODUCTS.—The following statement shows the extent of cultivation under sugar-cane, cotton, and indigo:—

Names of products cultivated.	FASLI 1279.		FASLI 1280.		INCREASE.		DECREASE.	
	Extent.	Assessment.	Extent.	Assessment.	Extent.	Assessment.	Extent.	Assessment.
	ACRES.	RS.	ACRES.	RS.	ACRES.	RS.	ACRES.	RS.
Sugar-cane ...	6,501	44,893	6,128	34,599	.....	.....	373	10,294
Cotton ... ..	16,816	47,841	11,286	39,538	.....	.....	5,530	8,303
Indigo ... ..	5,199	43,369	6,236	54,064	1,037	10,695	.....	.....

The decrease in sugar and cotton is large, and is stated to be owing to the absence of rain in certain taluqs during the cultivation season of these crops. The increase in indigo is owing to the speculation becoming more popular in the district.



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14. XIII. GENERAL RESULTS OF THE LAND REVENUE ASSESSMENT.—The following is an abstract comparative statement of the result of the Land Revenue Assessment of the last two years, and shows a net decrease of Rupees 13,183-4-10 in the last as compared with the previous year:—

No.	Items.	Fasli 1279.	Fasli 1280.	Increase.	Decrease.
		RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.
1	Peisheush of Zemin-dary and Proprietary Estates...	97,081 1 10	97,081 1 10	.....	.....
2	Quit-rent on Shro-triem and villages.	51,398 3 10	4,920 15 0	.....	46,477 4 10
3	Ryotwar...	1,87,109 14 11	1,77,913 14 10	.....	9,196 0 1
4	Miscellaneous ...	1,79,284 14 11	2,21,774 15 0	42,490 0 1	.....
	Total...	13,87,874 3 6	13,74,690 14 8	42,490 0 1	53,673 4 11
	Net...	.....	.....	.....	13,183 4 10

The decrease in Shrotriem jodi is owing to the collection of quit-rent on Inams being transferred to Zemindars and proprietors under Government Order, dated 9th April 1882, No. 799; the payments made on this account by them being credited to Miscellaneous, which is the cause of the increase under this head. The Ryotwary decrease is owing to remissions, particulars of which are given in paragraph 7 above.

15. XIV. ABKARRY, SALT, AND OTHER SOURCES OF REVENUE.—The subjoined comparative abstract statement exhibits the demand under the several heads of Sundry sources of Revenue of the two last years:—

Items.	Fasli 1279.	Fasli 1280.	Increase.	Decrease.
	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.
Abkarry ...	1,97,172 12 0	1,88,480 5 8	.....	8,692 6 4
Miscellaneous ...	665 11 2	478 4 8	.....	187 6 6
Total...	1,97,838 7 2	1,88,958 10 4	.....	8,879 12 10
Salt ...	3,43,228 10 0	3,57,930 5 0	14,701 11 0	.....
Miscellaneous ...	1,089 4 7	322 7 4	.....	766 13 3
Total...	3,44,317 14 7	3,58,252 12 4	14,701 11 0	766 13 3
Sea Customs ...	67,852 2 1	59,293 0 3	.....	8,559 1 10
Miscellaneous ...	52 10 8	59 13 8	7 3 0	.....
Total...	67,904 12 9	59,352 13 11	7 3 0	8,559 1 10
Income Tax...	56,801 4 4	98,128 3 9	41,326 15 5	.....
Miscellaneous ...	.....	.....	.....	.....
Total...	56,801 4 4	98,128 3 9	41,326 15 5	.....
Stamps...	1,21,740 1 6	1,26,125 10 0	4,385 8 6	.....
Miscellaneous ...	230 0 0	2,208 8 0	1,978 8 0	.....
Total...	1,21,970 1 6	1,28,334 2 0	6,364 0 6	.....
Grand Total...	7,88,832 8 4	8,33,026 10 4	62,399 13 11	18,205 11 11
Net...	.....	.....	44,194 2 0	.....

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17. XVI. DEMAND, COLLECTION, AND BALANCE OF ALL SOURCES OF REVENUE, CURRENT AND ARREARS.—The entire Demand, Collection, and Balance under all sources of Revenue are given in the following abstract, from which it will be observed that out of a demand of Rs. 22,07,717-9-0 Rupees 20,86,318-0-7 were collected within the year, leaving a balance of Rupees 1,21,399-8-5 at its close. Of this sum Rupees 84,938-6-1 were subsequently realized, leaving Rs. 36,461-2-4 still due on the 31st July. The greater part of this sum is due by Zemindars and will be shortly realized:—

Items.	Amount.	Total.
	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.
<i>Demand.</i>		
Land Revenue ... ..	13,74,690 14 8	
Miscellaneous and other items ... ..	8,33,026 10 4	
		22,07,717 9 0
<i>Collections.</i>		
Collected up to 30th June 1871 ... ..	20,86,318 0 7	
Subsequent collections up to 31st July 1871 ... ..	84,938 6 1	
		21,71,256 6 8
Balance...	.....	36,461 2 4
<i>Particulars of the Balance.</i>		
Permanently settled ... ..	11,636 8 8	
Quit-rent on Shrotriem and Inam Villages ... ..	...	
Ryotwar ... ..	3,317 1 6	
Miscellaneous ... ..	13,880 2 10	
Abkarry... ..	7,352 5 10	
Income Tax ... ..	274 15 6	
		36,461 2 4

18. XVII. ARREARS.—At the beginning of the year the arrears amounted to Rupees 78,376-6-10. Of this sum Rupees 69,676-10-6, which includes a small amount of remission, Rupees 362-10-7, written off under Government Order, dated 3rd April 1871, No. 618, were collected within the year, leaving a balance of Rupees 8,699-12-4, which was reduced by subsequent collections to Rupees 8,681-7-7, particulars of which are given below:—

Items.	Amount.	Total.
	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.
Land Revenue—Permanently settled Shrotriem Jodi, and Ryotwar ... ..	27,322 5 3	
Do. Miscellaneous ... ..	30,804 13 8	
Abkarry... ..	19,175 3 11	
Income Tax ... ..	1,074 0 0	
		78,376 6 10
Collected within the Fasli ... ..	69,313 15 11	
Remitted as per Government Order, dated 3rd April 1871, No. 618 ... ..	362 10 7	
Subsequent collections up to 31st July 1871 ... ..	18 4 9	
		69,694 15 3
Balance...	.....	8,681 7 7



19. XVIII. ARREARS OF PREVIOUS YEARS IRRECOVERABLE.—The following account shows the irrecoverable arrears amounting to Rupees 8,641-14-10. In the Remark column I have explained the circumstances under which the several items, which comprised this amount are irrecoverable. Sanction to write off the same from the books of my office is requested:—

No.	Items.	Taluq.	Fasli.	Amount now recommended for remission.	Total.	Remarks.
				RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.	
1	Ryotwar	Survasiddhi	1279	195 1 11	...	The Principal Assistant writes that "this sum is due on certain lands of ryots who have absconded, and which were put up to auction for arrears and bought on behalf of Government, no bidders having presented themselves."
2	Miscellaneous Land Revenue.	Do.	1279	5 12 6	195 1 11	The Principal Assistant writes that "this is the amount of quit-rent on certain Inam lands in the bed of Ramasagaram tank of Vakapadu, which were not allowed to be cultivated."
		Do.	1279	2 7 6	...	The Principal Assistant writes that "this is the Jodi on certain Service Inam lands taken up for the Padimadaka road."
		Gajapatinagram.	1279	50 0 0	...	This sum was erroneously included in the demand against an Inamdar previous to the delivery of the title-deed. As under Board's Official Memorandum, dated 4th June 1870, No. 942, quit-rent is only chargeable from the date of delivery of the title-deed sanction is requested for writing off this amount.
					58 4 0	
3	Abkarry	Gajapatinagram.	1279	861 6 0	253 5 11	This sum stands against the late Abkarry renter of Gajapatinagram and Vizianagram, whose case was reported upon in letters, dated 30th March 1870, No. 218; 17th May 1870, No. 346; 22nd August 1870, No. 642, clause 19; and 12th October 1870, No. 750. As this amount is irrecoverable sanction is requested for writing off the same.
		Vizianagram	1279	5,395 6 11	...	
		Chipurpilli	1279	2,012 8 0	...	This sum is due by the late Abkarry renter of Chipurpilli, whose case was reported upon in letter, dated 20th October 1870, No. 777. The amount is irrecoverable, and sanction is requested for writing off the same.
4	Income Tax	Vizianagram	1279	64 0 0	8,269 4 11	The party owing this sum was at Benares when assessed. Before the money could be collected he left for Europe, where he is said to have died.
		Do.	1279	64 0 0 29 12 0	8,522 10 10	
		Do.	1279	25 8 0	...	Parties owing this money have left the district for good. It is not known where they have gone, nor is there any property of their's here to recover from.
					119 4 0	The individual by whom this sum is due lost his ship and failed in business. No property to recover from.
					8,641 14 10	

20. XIX. COERCIVE PROCESS.—In the Government Taluqs of Golgondah and Survasiddhi coercive measures more than usual had to be resorted to in consequence of many of the ryots having failed to pay up their dues. The number of revenue defaulters were 601, of which 18 belong to Golgondah and the remainder 583 to Survasiddhi. The amount due by these collectively amounted to Rupees 22,938, to meet which property to the value of Rupees 16,489 was attached, but only a portion was really sold and fetched Rupees 3,320 at auction, the ryots having released the remainder by paying up the balance due; credit is due to the taluq officials who carried out these measures with promptness.

21. XX. PROCESS SERVICE FUND.—The following abstract shows the transactions of this fund during the year under review:—

	RS.	A.	P.
Balance at the beginning of Fasli ... ..	8	14	0
Collections during the year ... ..	239	5	7
Total...	248	3	7
Deduct charges ... ..	244	3	7
Balance remaining undistributed ... ..	4	0	0

The number of Peons employed were 56, and the processes issued 457. The rates of batta were the same as sanctioned by the Board in Standing Circular Order, No. 277.

22. XXI. CHARGES.—The subjoined is a comparative statement of charges for the last two years, and exhibits a net decrease of Rupees 18,374:—

Items.	Fasli 1279.			Fasli 1280.			Increase.	Decrease.				
	RS.	A.	P.	RS.	A.	P.	RS.	A.	P.			
Land Revenue ... ..	1,81,596	13	1	1,66,357	2	5	...	...	15,239	0	0	
Abkarry ... ..	286	4	8	477	13	8	192	0	0	...	...	
Sea Customs ... ..	6,130	2	3	6,067	14	11	...	...	62	0	0	
Salt ... ..	37,132	9	6	33,663	7	0	...	...	3,469	0	0	
Stamps ... ..	3,964	11	2	4,184	14	8	220	0	0	...	...	
Income Tax ... ..	854	2	6	838	11	9	...	...	16	0	0	
Total...	2,29,964	11	2	2,11,590	0	5	412	0	0	18,786	0	0
Net...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	18,374	0	0

*Land Revenue.*—The decrease in Land Revenue is chiefly due to the sum of Rupees 19,862 paid in Fasli 1279 by a reduction in the peishcush of the Maharajah of Vizianagram on account of a suit in the Godavery District, as per Government Order, dated 3rd August 1869, No. 2,242.

*Abkarry.*—The Abkarry increase is due to the salaries of Abkarry Peons in Jeypore for some of the months of Fasli 1279 having been paid in arrears and debited in the accounts of Fasli 1280.

*Sea Customs.*—The decrease under this head is very slight and calls for no remark.

*Salt.*—In Salt there is a decrease of Rupees 3,469, and it is owing to a decrease in the manufacture of salt.

*Stamps.*—The increase of 220 Rupees in Stamps is due to the greater amount of discount granted to vendors.

*Income Tax.*—The Income Tax decrease is small and requires no remark.

23. XXII. VILLAGE, TALUQ, AND THEIR ACCOUNTS.—These have been examined, and are reported to be on the whole correctly kept.

24. XXIII. LANDS ACQUIRED BY PUBLIC SERVANTS.—A statement showing the lands possessed by the public servants in this district is herewith submitted.

25. XXIV. CONDUCT OF PUBLIC SERVANTS.—I have every reason to retain the good opinion I expressed in last year's report of my Sheristadar, Mr. McMurray. Ramdoss Pantulu, the Head Revenue Clerk, has conducted himself to my satisfaction.

26. XXV. MANAGEMENT OF PALCONDAH AND HOONJERAM ESTATES.—These estates continued in rent during the last year at Rupees 1,20,000 to Messrs. Arbuthnot and Co., whose lease of the same has been extended from Fasli 1281 to Fasli 1290 at an increased rental of Rupees 1,32,000 per annum. A report on their management by Mr. Mackie, the Agent of the renters, is herewith submitted, with the prescribed accounts marked A. and B. As usual the results stated are highly satisfactory, particularly the extension of indigo cultivation, which benefits the ryots so largely.

The demand on the estates was for Fasli 1280 Rupees 1,58,026-6-11, the whole of which, with the exception of Rupees 626-2-3, was realized within the year. A comparative statement of the Demand, Collection and Balance for the two last years is hereto attached, showing a net increase in the year under report of Rupees 284-14-0:—

Items.	FASLI 1279.				FASLI 1280.				COMPARISON BETWEEN COLUMNS 3 AND 7.			
	Villages.	Demand.	Collection.	Balance.	Villages.	Demand.	Collection.	Balance.	Increase.	Decrease.		
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	
	NO.	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.	NO.	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.	
Ryotwar...	170	1,49,295 6 9	1,48,258 6 3	1,037 0 6	170	1,49,792 5 6	1,49,166 3 3	626 2 3	496 14 9	...	...	
Jodi...	93	7,622 1 5	...	...	93	7,622 1 5	7,622 1 5	...	...	...	...	
Tuocavy, (advance)	...	824 0 0	824 0 0	...	...	612 0 0	612 0 0	...	...	212 0 0	...	
Total...	263	1,57,741 8 2	1,56,704 7 8	1,037 0 6	263	1,58,026 6 11	1,57,400 4 8	626 2 3	496 14 9	212 0 0	...	

The cultivated area is much the same as in last year, being only 51 Acres more. In last year there was an increase in the land occupied by paddy than indigo. This year there has been a decrease in paddy and an increase in indigo.

No.	Name of Produce.	Land in Fasli 1279.	Land in Fasli 1280.	Increase.	Decrease.
		ACRES.	ACRES.	ACRES.	ACRES.
1	Sugar-cane ...	365	444	79	...
2	Paddy ...	9,902	8,768	...	1,134
3	Indigo ...	651	1,690	1,039	...
4	Cotton ...	...	...	...	...
5	Other grains...	2,250	2,317	67	...
	Total...	13,168	13,219	1,185	1,134
	Net...	...	...	51	...



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The outlay on irrigation works was, Rupees 4,302-3-10, or Rupees 659-9-4 below the expenditure of last year. Of the above sum Rupees 1,459-9-2 were spent on New works, and Rs. 2,842-10-8 on Repairs, as particularized below:—

Items.	Fasli 1279.			Fasli 1280.			Increase.	Decrease.		
	RS.	A.	P.	RS.	A.	P.		RS.	A.	P.
New works... ..	1,650	10	6	1,459	9	2	.....	191	1	4
Repairs ... ..	3,311	2	8	2,842	10	8	.....	468	8	0
Total...	4,961	13	2	4,302	3	10	.....	659	9	4

VIZAGAPATAM,  
23rd August 1871.

(Signed)

R. J. MELVILLE,  
Acting Collector.

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OF

## GODAVERY.

SUBMITTING SETTLEMENT REPORT.—I have the honor to submit my Report on the Settlement of the Godavery District for Fasly 1280 (A. D. 1870-71.) together with the usual Statements.

2. STATEMENT No. 1.—In this statement the stations where, and the Officers by whom the settlement of each taluq was conducted, as well as the number of days occupied in the work, and the number of Pattas distributed, are shown. In addition to the taluqs of Ramachendrapur and Amalapur under my immediate charge, I settled the Bhimavaram Taluq in the range of the Deputy Collector, General Davies, stationed at Narsapur. Of the three taluqs comprising the Sub-Division, Peddapur and a portion of Rajahmandry were settled by Mr. Horsfall, while the remaining portion of Rajahmandry as also the whole of the Yernagudem Taluq were settled by the present Acting Sub-Collector Mr. Gribble. Ellore and Tanuku were settled by the Divisional Officer Mr. Happell, the Acting Head-Assistant Collector, and Narsapur by the Deputy-Collector R. Darmarau. The settlement of each taluq was made within its own limits, and at places convenient to the ryots and others concerned.

3. The following Statement exhibits the variations in the number of villages and tenures:—

Tenures.	Number of villages for Fasly 1279.	Number of villages for Fasly 1280.	Increase.	Decrease.
1. Ryotwar ... ..	940	941	1	...
2. Rents for more than one year ... ..	32	33	1	...
3. Rents for one year... ..	2	1	...	1
4. Villages paying no revenue to Government ...	3	3	...	...
Total Government Villages...	977	978	2	1
5. Kattubadi Agraharams ... ..	90	90	...	...
6. Sarva Agraharams ... ..	47	46	...	1
Total...	1,114	1,114	2	2

4. The number of Government and Inam villages is the same as in last year. Of the two villages under "Rents for one year" in Fasly 1279, one was rented for more than one year, the other having been taken up by the villagers under joint rents was entered under Ryotwar. Hence the changes under the two heads. The Agraharam of Ambikapuram was resumed by Government

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as it was fully assessed as an escheat by the Inam Commissioner—*Vide* Inam Register of Tiruvur Taluq (now part of Ellore) page 108. Hence the decrease under the head of Aghahams and the entry under "Rents for one year."

5. The number of the pattas for the current year is 58,773, of which joint and single rent pattas are 154, and individual pattas are 58,619 or 1,392 above those of last year.

6. Of the 58,619, 3,805 were new pattas, issued on account of lands taken up by new persons, to the heirs of deceased holders and to transferees, as also to replace pattas lost by ryots in exceptional cases. The remaining 54,814 were renewed in consequence of material changes and the addition of village cess, for the first time. This accounts for no entries in Column 6 of the Statement, as all the pattas had to be necessarily renewed.

7. SEASON.—The season was on the whole, very favourable, both for wet and dry crops, in both the Delta and Upland taluqs. At some places, the early rains were partial, and some tanks in the Upland Taluqs did not receive a sufficient supply of water in time to preserve the seed-beds planted in the early part of the year. During the south-west monsoon, the fall of rain was generally seasonable and sufficient. There was abundant rain in the second half of September, and an unusually heavy fall in October. The harvest of the early wet crop was plentiful throughout the district; but the yield was below the average in the Narsapur Taluq. The out-turn of the early dry crops was pretty fair. The north-east monsoon set in on the 15th October, and the excessive rains in this month caused a breach of several tanks and channels, and flooded the cultivation; thereby causing damage to the later dry crops in parts of the district. Black gram Green gram, Gingelly, and Jonna suffered from excessive rains. Tobacco was extensively cultivated in the Godavery islands, but was partly injured by rain. The yield of Red gram was poor. The Godavery\* and Yeluru received freshes as usual. The irrigation under the former was abundant, and cultivation extensive. The area cultivated during the Fasly was larger than in the preceding one. Garden crops, such as Onions, Chillies, and Turmeric were good. Cotton gave a moderate yield. The Dalwa cultivation was carried on only under the ancient channels, which were well supplied with water throughout the year.

\* Fasly 1279... FEET. ... 16  
 „ 1280... ... 17

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8. RAIN-FALL.—The annexed Statement shows the average fall of rain as compared with the preceding Fasly :—

Months.	Fasly 1279.		Fasly 1280.		Increase or decrease.	
	IN.	C.	IN.	C.	IN.	C.
1870, April ...	0	29	0	45	+	0 16
„ May ...	0	74	0	36	—	0 38
„ June ...	6	76	5	65		1 11
„ July ...	4	96	4	88		0 8
„ August ...	2	94	2	81		0 13
„ September ...	6	77	11	68		4 91
Total...	22	46	25	83		3 37
1870, October ...	6	36	17	16	+	10 80
„ November ...	1	24	1	27	+	0 3
„ December ...	0	37	0	0	—	0 37
1871, January ...	1	13	0	57	—	0 56
„ February ...	0	0	0	99	+	0 99
„ March ...	0	22	1	66	+	1 44
	9	32	21	65		12 33
Grand Total...	31	78	47	48		15 70



The total fall during the year is above that of the preceding year by 15 In. 70 O, of which a great portion is the result of the unusual rains in October; and the heavy rain in September last.

9. **SANITARY CONDITION.**—The sanitary condition of the district was bad. Fever prevailed to a great extent throughout the whole district; but in comparison with the past year, it has fortunately diminished in spite of extremely heavy rains; and the mortality was much below the figure of last year. It was fatal especially in Ramachendrapur, Amalapur, Narsapur, and Taluku Taluqs. Cholera broke out about the end of March 1870, and was most prevalent from June to August. The number of deaths by Cholera and Small-pox during the year is 9,978 and 1,009 against 3,448 and 534 respectively, in last year, resulting in the large increase of 6,530 and 475. The number of persons attacked with and deceased from Fever, Cholera, and Small-pox, as compared with the previous year, is given below:—

Diseases.	FASLY 1272.		FASLY 1280.		INCREASE.		DECREASE.	
	Attacked.	Died.	Attacked.	Died.	Attacked.	Died.	Attacked.	Died.
1. Fever...	47,153	20,042	33,664	11,492	.....	.....	13,489	8,550
2. Cholera...	3,968	3,448	13,504	9,978	9,536	6,530	.....	.....
3. Small-pox...	1,549	534	2,639	1,009	1,120	475	.....	.....
Total...	52,670	24,024	49,837	22,479	10,656	7,005	13,489	8,550

Cattle murrain was less than in the past year. The mortality is as follows:—

Fasly 1279...	..	..	..	..	28,294
Fasly 1280...	..	..	..	..	25,403

There was no scarcity of water or fodder.

10. **Statement No. 2.**—This statement shows the average prices of all the chief Agricultural products in each taluq, as well as in the district. The prices of all the chief articles of consumption have fallen off, owing chiefly to want of active demand for exportation.

11. **RYOT'S HOLDINGS—Statement No. 3.**—This statement shows the ryot's holdings and cultivation. The subjoined abstract of the statement exhibits in one view the holdings at the beginning of the year, the subsequent changes, and the waste remitted and charged.

Items.	AREA.	Assessment.
	ACRES.	RS.
Holdings at the beginning of Fasly 1280...	7,07,201	14,38,477
Deduct land given up ... ..	28,777	53,765
Remaining ..	6,78,424	13,84,712
Add land taken up... ..	45,260	81,473
Total...	7,23,684	14,66,185
Deduct waste remitted ... ..	6,011	18,163
Remaining...	7,17,673	14,48,022
<i>Particulars.</i>		
Actually cultivated ... ..	5,06,682	12,08,936
Waste charged ... ..	2,10,991	2,39,086