
REPORT

ON THE

**ADMINISTRATION OF THE ESTATES UNDER THE
MANAGEMENT OF THE COURTS OF WARDS**

IN THE

**NORTHERN, CENTRAL AND SOUTHERN DIVISIONS
AND SIND**

For the year ending 31st July 1911.

Northern Division.

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Central Division.

THE HONOURABLE MR. G. S. CURTIS, Commissioner, C. D.

Southern Division.

THE HONOURABLE MR. W. D. SHEPPARD, Commissioner, S. D.

(1).—NUMBER OF ESTATES UNDER MANAGEMENT.

NORTHERN DIVISION.

At the beginning of the year there were nineteen estates under management. Nos. 5 and 6 in Ahmedabad (Parabadi and Dhandhuka), Nos. 14 to 17 in Kaira (Mahij, Napad, Bhetasi and Jhanod) and No. 26 in Surat (Kazi) were added during the year. Of these No. 16 was already under Government management under section 28 of the Gujarát Talukdárs' Act. Thus there were 20 estates under control at the close of the year, but no statistics are given for estates Nos. 5, 6, 14, 15 and 17 which were under management for a very brief portion of the year and correct information for estate No. 26 is not available.

CENTRAL DIVISION.

At the beginning of the year, there were eleven estates under management. Three (Nos. 5, 7 and 13) were added during the year and one (No. 14) was released.

SOUTHERN DIVISION.

The total number of estates under management at the beginning of the year was fourteen, *viz.*, 12 in the Belgaum District, 1 in Bijápúr and 1 in Ratnágiri. In Belgaum four new estates were brought under the Act. Estate No. 13 (Yargatti Deshgat) was under temporary management during the year and since the close of the year has been brought under regular management, the Desaini having been declared unfitted to manage the property. The management of estate No. 14 (Hampannavar) was assumed with the consent of the District Court under section 7 of the Court of Wards Act on the application of the executor under a will, while the superintendence of estates Nos. 15 (Hudli) and 16 (Patki) was assumed on the application of the owners under section 9.

(2).—INCOME.

NORTHERN DIVISION.

The total gross income of these estates exclusive of debts recovered and loans received was Rs. 1,64,767, of which 55·8 per cent. was on account of rents of lands. The income of the 19 old estates amounted to Rs. 1,60,909 as against Rs. 1,48,841. In the 5 cases (Nos. 2, 3, 18, 21 and 23) in which the increase is appreciable, it is of a non-recurring character, such as payment for land acquired by Government, for trees and land sold, a lump payment for the lease of the estate (No. 3) and collection of arrears. In one case the crops failed on account of "frost" but the decrease in receipts in other cases is due to minor causes which it is not necessary to mention in detail.

CENTRAL DIVISION.

Of the fourteen estates, information as regards No. 8 (estate of Shri Baba Maharaj) is withheld as before, pending orders of Government which have not yet been received. Excepting this estate, the total receipts of the remaining thirteen estates, excluding debts recovered and loans received, were Rs. 1,72,611. The gross opening balance was Rs. 72,290, while two estates (Raisingpur and Raste) had Rs. 1,05,000 invested in promissory notes. Information about estates Nos. 5, 10 and 13 (Kathi, Raste, Gujar) appears in the report for the first time. Owing, mainly to the excellence of the season the revenues of all the estates showed a rise; the exception being No. 3 (Gorwadkar), where fewer debts were recovered during the year, and No. 4 (Raisingpur), where the Forest Revenue declined owing to the forest being placed under a proper working plan.

SOUTHERN DIVISION.

The gross income of the estates in the Belgaum District during the year was Rs. 2,08,125 as against Rs. 1,71,885 and one khandi of rice in the preceding year. The greater portion of the increase is derived from the new estates taken under management during the year, the remainder being made up by increased receipts from estates 4, 5, 8 and 12. The gross income from the Tignibidri estate in the Bijapur District showed a decrease of Rs. 216, while that of the Nevalkar brothers in Ratnágiri showed an increase of Rs. 104. The variations in the case of these two estates are too small to call for any remarks.

(3).—EXPENDITURE.

NORTHERN DIVISION.

The total gross expenditure exclusive of loans advanced and investments made amounted to Rs. 1,20,395. The expenditure of the 19 estates previously under management fell from Rs. 1,21,959 to Rs. 1,17,330. There was abnormal expenditure in estate No. 23 on account of a marriage, which was more than counterbalanced by the absence of such items in estates Nos. 2, 7 and 18 this year.

CENTRAL DIVISION.

The total expenditure of the fourteen estates (excluding No. 8) was Rs. 1,86,093 and includes besides the ordinary expenses the following items:—

- Rs. 12,000 ... Invested in promissory notes by estate No. 10 (Raste).
- Rs. 75,977 ... Repayment of debts due by estates Nos. 6, 9, 11 and 12 (Rajebahadur).

The closing balance at the credit of the estates was Rs. 1,43,122 besides Rs. 117,000 invested on behalf of the two estates abovementioned.

SOUTHERN DIVISION.

The gross expenditure in the Belgaum District was Rs. 1,15,916 as against Rs. 1,22,928 in 1909-1910. Exclusive of figures for the new estates, the actual decrease amounts to Rs. 14,052 and is mainly due to the following items of non-recurring expenditure incurred in the previous year:—

- (1) Expenses in connection with obtaining probate of the will of the late Sar Desai of Sirsangi and the expenses incurred in defending a suit filed by the Sar Desai's widow against the Court of Wards...Rs. 6,000.
- (2) Expenses of the marriage of the Kokatnur Desai's daughter and compensation for annulment of a permanent lease...Rs. 5,000.
- (3) Purchase of a house for the Desai of Kowad...Rs. 2,378.

In the case of estates 17 and 18, the gross expenditure was respectively Rs. 4,250 and Rs. 992 as against Rs. 3,644 and Rs. 1,803 of the previous year. The increase in the case of the former is due to the extra remuneration paid to Village Officers for doing the collection work, etc., of the estate and to the remarriage expenses amounting to Rs. 600 incurred during the year; while the fall in the case of the latter is due to the absence of marriage expenses this year which were incurred last year to the extent of Rs. 800.

(4).—COLLECTION OF ESTATES' DUES.

NORTHERN DIVISION.

The season was on the whole satisfactory and its effect was reflected in the collection of the current year's demand to the extent of 90 per cent. ; arrears amounting to Rs. 5,821 were also recovered during the year. The dispute between the Inámdár of the Shah Alam estate and his tenants was settled during the year and Rs. 2,058 were recovered. Owing to the failure of crops in the villages of the Hirapur estate Rs. 2,530 only were collected out of the total demand of Rs. 5,700. Arrears amounting to Rs. 13,975 and Rs. 39,760, which were on inquiry found to be irrecoverable were written off in the Shah Alam and Desai estates, respectively.

CENTRAL DIVISION.

The total rental demand of the estates excluding Nos. 7 and 8 (for which details are not available) on account of the year under report amounted to Rs. 1,06,313, of which Rs. 93,405 were collected. As regards previous years the demand amounted to Rs. 89,014, of which only Rs. 16,296 were collected. In both cases the uncollected balance appertains principally to estates Nos. 10, 11 and 12 (Raste, Thorat and Ghadge). The Collector of Poona does not state the reasons to which the large arrears due to the Raste estate are due. He will be asked to explain. In the case of the Thorat estate there is a nominal balance of Rs. 18,017, but the actual balance is stated not to exceed Rs. 5,000. The difference is stated to be due to confusion in the accounts of the village of Bahe, which is in course of being cleared up. Considerable adjustments remain to be made on account of assessment on private lands belonging to the ward, assessment on jadid inám lands, and assessment on account of lands held by tenants and paid direct to Government. When these are complete, the total outstanding will be considerably reduced. In the case of the Ghadge estate the figures are less satisfactory, the arrears amounting to no less than Rs. 23,039, of which only Rs. 3,113 were recovered during the year. The arrears apparently date from as far back as 1897-98: and only part of them are covered by assistance decrees. The Collector is being asked to have careful enquiry made, to write off all that are really irrecoverable, and to recover the balance without delay.

SOUTHERN DIVISION.

Belgaum.—The season was on the whole good and its character was reflected in the collection of the rents of all the estates except Kowad (No. 7) in which the harvest was rather poor. Of a total demand of Rs. 1,73,214 for the year under report, Rs. 1,65,946 (exclusive of advance-collections) were recovered, the balance for collection being Rs. 6,117 as against Rs. 6,107 in the preceding year. No suspensions were granted during the year, but current revenue to the extent of Rs. 1,181 was remitted owing to the poverty of the defaulters. Of the arrears due in previous years, Rs. 12,888 or over 13½ per cent. were collected, while Rs. 35,247 were written off as a result of the enquiry ordered by Government in their review of the last annual report (paragraph 2 of Government Resolution No. 2840, dated 20th March 1911). The balance outstanding Rs. 56,547 is still large and is due principally from estates Nos. 1, 5, 7 and 8. High rents and poverty of defaulters are the principal causes of the arrears of estates Nos. 1, 5 and 7. Individual inquiries into the condition of defaulters are being made and the Collector reports that remissions will be

given to persons who may be found unable to pay. The arrears of estate No. 8 date from the year 1872 and are principally the result of the Desai's mismanagement. In this case too, lists of defaulters are reported to be in course of preparation and the Collector promises to take all possible steps to clear the accounts of irrecoverable dues.

Bijápur.—Out of a total of Rs. 4,250 on account of current demands a sum of Rs. 4,158 was collected during the year leaving a balance of Rs. 92 only. The arrears outstanding at the end of the year on account of past year's dues amounted to Rs. 5.

Ratnágiri.—The outstanding balance for collection at the end of the year amounting to Rs. 205 is, the Collector reports, in the course of recovery.

(5).—GOVERNMENT REVENUE CESSSES AND RATES.

NORTHERN DIVISION.

The total amount which the estates paid to Government on account of revenue, etc., was Rs. 25,619. Remission of arrears of Jama amounting to Rs. 7,679 was granted to the Hirapur estate during the year.

CENTRAL DIVISION.

The total Government demand paid for all the estates except Nos. 7 and 8 amounted to Rs. 22,999.

In the case of estate No. 6, a demand of Rs. 37 for 1908-09 was allowed to be suspended during the year. In respect of other estates, there were neither suspensions nor remissions granted.

SOUTHERN DIVISION.

The total amount which the estates in the Belgaum District paid to Government on account of revenue, cesses and rates was Rs. 45,210, there being no necessity for the grant of remissions or suspensions during the year. The payment included Rs. 63 on account of income-tax.

In the case of the Tignibidri estate, the usual amounts of Judi, local fund cess and assessment and Judi on account of the Inám Japti lands were paid by the Jabágirdár. The annual instalment of tagái amounting to Rs. 127 was also paid.

All Government dues were punctually paid by the Nevalkar estate, there being no necessity for remission or suspension. The slight increase of Rs. 2 in the assessment is due to the inclusion of a debtor's lands in the estate.

(6).—COST OF MANAGEMENT.

NORTHERN DIVISION.

The cost of management of all the estates was Rs. 8,961 being about 5½ per cent. of their income. Though the average cost is well within 10 per cent. of the income that limit was exceeded in five estates, viz., those of Shah Alam, Kharante, Nadiád, Manjipura and Salia Khabda and Kotda. An explanation of this was given in the last year's report.

CENTRAL DIVISION.

In the case of estates Nos. 6, 7, 13 and 9 the expenditure on this account was nil as the management was in the hands of Government officers. In the case of estate No. 2, a manager on Rs. 60 and in that of No. 3, a kárkún on Rs. 15 have been appointed. In No. 3 in addition to the kárkún, a pleader and manager was appointed on Rs. 100 per mensem for 6 months as much of the property consisted of money bonds, mortgage-deeds and full enquiry was necessary in each case and in the case of No. 9 a relative of the ward.

In the case of estate No. 4 (Raisingpur), the cost of management was Rs. 2,483 as against Rs. 3,571 in the previous year. The decrease was due to the fact that the posts of the Chief Kárkún and Police Jamádár were vacant during the year, the former, as owing to the want of suitable residence no one was appointed and the latter on account of the holder of the post reverting to British service. The Káthi estate (No. 5) was handed over to the ward's uncle for management and the old establishment was retained at a monthly cost of Rs. 515-13-4.

A special establishment was entertained in the case of Rasto estate (No. 10) headed by a Superintendent with Kárkúns and peons under him. The annual cost was Rs. 4,891.

As regards the estates of Thorat and Ghadge (Nos. 11 and 12), one temporary hand for the former and a manager and a Kárkún for the latter were engaged. The total cost for the year amounted to Rs. 616 and Rs. 1,251, respectively.

For estate No. 14, the establishment entertained to work under the manager consisted of a Kárkún on Rs. 20 and a peon on Rs. 6. Besides a special hand on Rs. 12 had to be employed for a month to recover the minor ward's dues. The total cost on this account amounted to Rs. 516.

SOUTHERN DIVISION.

The aggregate cost of management of all the estates in Belgaum absorbed 6·4 per cent. of the gross income realised as against 6·1 per cent. in the preceding year. The cost was well within 10 per cent. in the case of all estates except two, viz., Nos. 9 and 10, where it exceeded that standard owing to the fact that the greater portion of these estates is in the possession of mortgagees.

Rs. 100 have been sanctioned as extra remuneration to the village officers who carry on the work of collection in connection with the Tignibidri estate. This extra remuneration was sanctioned in consideration of the increase of the collection work occasioned by the addition of the income of khaskamat lands and also increase of correspondence work.

There has been no variation in the cost of management of the Nevalkar's estate.

(7).—ADVANCES GRANTED TO CULTIVATORS.

No advances were granted during the year to the cultivators in any of the three Divisions.

(8).—SPECIAL SCHEMES FOR MANAGEMENT.

NORTHERN DIVISION.

The Rozka and Bagad estates were leased during the year for a sum of Rs. 10,701 and Rs. 1,551, respectively. A lease of the Tagdi Vavdi estate was issued to the ward's brother-in-law at a reduced rate of Rs. 12,000 owing to the failure of the crops. Under the terms of the lease of the village of Hirapur consideration was to be raised from Rs. 2,100 to Rs. 3,200 after the tanks were repaired. In the current year, however, a reduction of Rs. 770 had to be allowed to the lessee though the repairs were nominally complete, owing to the existence of a serious defect therein.

CENTRAL DIVISION.

The only estates with regard to which there is anything to report are those of Bhusával Inámdár (No. 2), Raisingpur (No. 4) and Potnis (No. 9). As regards the first, the only big claim of Rs. 65,000 remaining to be satisfied, was settled for Rs. 32,500. To meet this it was arranged to pay Rs. 6,000 from current balance, Rs. 6,000 from the next year's revenue, and Rs. 8,000 by sale of gaothan lands: and to leave the balance to be repaid in future years with interest at 8 per cent. As regards the second, the principal asset of the estate consists of forests which have been in the past very badly handled. In order

to secure their proper conservation a working plan was prepared by Mr. Dodgson, Divisional Forest Officer, West Khándesh, during the year, for which he was paid an honorarium of Rs. 500. With regard to the third, Government were pleased to advance a loan of Rs. 50,000 for the liquidation of the debts due by the estate and as a result of this liberal assistance outstanding debts amounting to Rs. 98,201 were settled in cash for Rs. 49,000.

SOUTHERN DIVISION.

The special schemes adopted for the management of estates Nos. 3 and 4 have been described in previous reports. The Alakhnūr estate (No. 10) is all Watan property and steps have been taken for the restoration of the mortgaged land. The Nej estate (No. 9) is heavily encumbered. Progress in the settlement of its debts has been retarded by the death of one of the arbitrators, the late Mr. Natu. The creditor Shrimant Appasaheb Sarjerao Shitole was requested to make a fresh nomination in place of the deceased and his reply was not received till the close of the year. The suits filed against the creditors of the Kokatnūr estate for the redemption of mortgaged lands have all been decided in favour of the estate, with the result that the lands revert to the estate free of encumbrances. The only other estate with regard to which a special scheme will be necessary is No. 15 (Hudli). This estate has so lately come under the management of the Court of Wards that the full extent of its liabilities is not yet known.

(9).—MAINTENANCE AND EDUCATION OF WARDS.

NORTHERN DIVISION.

The total expenditure under this head amounted to Rs. 29,292. The wards of the school-going age are:—

- (1) The Rojka Minor.
- (2) The Bagad Minor.
- (3) The Parabadi Minor Manubhai.
- (4) The Parabadi Minor Kanubhai.
- (5) The Dhandhuka Minor.
- (6) The Kharanti Minor.
- (7) The Nadiád Minor.
- (8) The Manjipura Minor.
- (9) The Napad Minor.
- (10) The Desai of Broach.
- (11) The Mota Mandir Maharaj of Surat.
- (12) The Surat Nagarsheth.

Most of these are learning Vernacular and English in local schools, the first two being at the Dhandhuka hostel. The young Desai of Broach is under the care of a personal guardian in England, where he has made satisfactory progress and is preparing for College. The services of a graduate of good reputation have been borrowed from the Educational Department for the Minor Maharaj of Surat; the evil influences of intriguing persons have to be guarded against and the Collector's efforts are directed to making him an earnest and quiet student. The minor Nagarsheth receives his education in a private school. His progress is fair.

CENTRAL DIVISION.

In the case of estates Nos. 3, 4, 6 and 7 there is no change of importance in the allowances fixed and the arrangements made.

The Chieftain of Kathi (No. 5) left behind him 4 minor sons, three of whom have been brought to Dhulia for education. The fourth lives at Kathi with the manager, as he is very young. For the sons brought to Dhulia a monthly allowance of Rs. 188 including the cost of establishment specially engaged for them has been sanctioned.

Sardar Bhivrao Madhavrao Potnis (No. 9), who died on June 10th last, was in receipt of a special allowance of Rs. 3,000 for life for his maintenance. Its continuance to his heir is now under consideration.

The monthly expenditure in connection with the education and maintenance of the minor Raste (No. 10) was Rs. 463-8-0.

The maintenance charges of the Thorat Ward (No. 11) and his relatives amounted to Rs. 1,780 as against Rs. 600 in the previous year, which seems excessive but is attributed to a rise in the allowance given to the ward and to new grants to female dependants.

In the case of Ghadge estate (No. 12), the maintenance charges amounted to Rs. 2,890-10-0 as against Rs. 1,000 in the previous year. No less than Rs. 2,700 of this is paid to three old ladies who are dependant on the estate.

Mr. Yeshwantrao Gujar (No. 13) gets a political allowance of Rs. 150 per mensem.

A monthly allowance of Rs. 30 was paid to the mother of the minor ward (No. 14) for maintenance as before.

The only Government wards of school-going age are :—

(No. 3) Gorwadkar minor—

She is about 12 years of age and is being taught to read and write in the female school at Jalgaon.

(No. 5) Chieftain of Kathi—

The Minor ward and his two younger brothers receive education at Dhulia. The ward is 18 years of age.

(No. 10) Raste Minor—

He is 15 years of age and has been placed under the care of Mr. Candy, late Principal, Sardárs' School, Kolhápúr; a tutor has also been engaged to look after the person and education of the minor.

(No. 11) Thorat Minor—

He is 12 years of age and receives education in the vernacular school at Wálva. He is now learning in the Vernacular VI standard.

(No. 14) Bubane Minor—

He is a lad, aged 8 years, and is in the second Vernacular standard in one of the Municipal schools at Sholápur.

Estates Nos. 3, 4, and 10 (Gorwadkar, Raisingpur and Raste) are free of debt. As regards No. 8 (Baba Maharaj), no details are available; No. 14 has been found so hopelessly involved as to be beyond extrication; No. 7 is believed to be in the same condition.

The settlement of the debts of No. 1 is under correspondence: that of No. 2 has been effected during the year under report, as described in paragraph 8 above, and the estate should be clear of debt by 1919, or even earlier. The accounts of No. 5 (Kathi) have not yet been cleared up, but there is a large balance at the credit of the estate, which will be more than sufficient to clear off the debts, as soon as the amount of the latter is accurately known. Estate No. 6 (Rájebahádúr) is stated to have liabilities at the close of the year amounting to Rs. 13,160 only: debts amounting to Rs. 47,123 are said to have been rejected by the Court of Wards and Rs. 21,531 remitted by the creditor. The accuracy of these figures will be further investigated: at present it appears difficult to credit them. The Potnis estate (No. 9) received a loan of Rs. 50,000 from Government during the year by the help of which all outstanding debts were cleared off. In the case of the Thorat estate (No. 11), considerable progress was made in liquidating debts, the unsatisfied balance being reduced from Rs. 90,794 to Rs. 63,172. The Ghadge estate (No. 12) had a total liability, at the beginning of the year, of Rs. 53,504; of this claims involving Rs. 18,262 were rejected, and Rs. 5,000 were paid in cash, so that the balance at the end of the year was Rs. 30,242. The liabilities of No. 13 (Gujar) are now reported to be Rs. 43,633: no progress was made in liquidating them during the year.

SOUTHERN DIVISION.

The total expenditure under this head amounted to Rs. 17,710 in the Belgaum District as against Rs. 12,066 in the preceding year. The increase is chiefly due to the payment of an allowance to the Desai of Kurbet and his wife who in the previous year did not ask for an allowance. The Desai is now in receipt of a monthly allowance of Rs. 300 and his wife of a monthly allowance of Rs. 100. The payment of a monthly allowance of Rs. 50 to the Hampannavar Ward (No. 14) and the raising of the monthly allowance of Meherbán Jijajirao of Nipáni from Rs. 40 to Rs. 55 also contributed to the increase. No change was made in the allowances paid to the other wards.

The subsistence allowance given to the youngest brother Dadasaheb of the Tignibidri estate was reduced from Rs. 25 to Rs. 20, while that of Babasaheb was raised from Rs. 30 to Rs. 35 per month.

The elder of the two Nevalkar brothers died on 29th November last, leaving behind a widow, two very young sons and a daughter married last year.

The only wards of school-going age are Nos. 1, 7, 9, 14, 15 and 16. No. 1 attends the Sardárs' High School in Belgaum and is in the fifth English standard class. His progress is reported to be satisfactory. The elder Kowad boy (No. 7) also attends the same school and is in the second English standard class. His progress is fair. His younger brother attends a Maráthi school in Belgaum and is in the fourth standard class. The Nej Ward (No. 9) resides with his mother in Nej and attends the village school there. No. 14 receives private tuition as there is no English school in his village.

No. 15 who is over 18 years of age left school more than a year ago and all attempts to induce him to resume his studies have proved fruitless. No. 16 who was attending a High School in Dhárwár was temporarily withdrawn from the school by his mother on the death of his father. He will be sent back to Dhárwár shortly.

(10).—REPAYMENT OF DEBTS AND EXISTING LIABILITIES.

NORTHERN DIVISION.

The total liabilities of the 19 estates previously under management were Rs. 2,88,962 at the beginning of the year. During the year fresh debts amounting to Rs. 42,210 were incurred; of this sum, Rs. 40,000 were on account of the Government loan advanced to the Shastri estate of Surat since replaced by a loan locally offered at 4½ per cent. Rs. 1,319 were added on account of interest, Rs. 91 on account of costs of suits and Rs. 800 on account of a new claim allowed to be submitted against the Nadiád estate. The total liabilities of the estates thus amounted to Rs. 3,31,172. The total debt reduction during the year, exclusive of that paid off from a Government loan of Rs. 40,000, amounted to

• Details:—

Rs. 18,191 ... Sale of property.

Rs. 1,604 ... Remitted by creditors.

Rs. 15,005 ... Paid out of current revenue.

Rs. 5,060 ... Rejected by the Court of Wards.

Rs. 39,860.* Estates Nos. 3, 4, 7, 9, 10,

18 and 24 are entirely free from debt.

The Shah Alum estate had a balance of

Rs. 5,893 at the close of the year against

the debt of Rs. 3,000. The creditor's

accounts of estate No. 2 are being examined under the provisions of the Dekkhan Agriculturists' Relief Act and the amount of debt finally settled will be paid up from the balance of the estate.

The balance of debt of estate No. 20 was Rs. 356, but it will be necessary to retain the management until the debts of each sharer have been satisfied from his own individual share and this is expected to take about 7 years more. To liquidate the debt of the Gadukpur estate it has been proposed to raise a loan of Rs. 7,900 from the Shivrajpur Talukdári estate.

CENTRAL DIVISION.

The total balance of debts at the beginning of the year was Rs. 5,49,437. Fresh loans were incurred to the extent of Rs. 52,000 and claims amounting to Rs. 2,25,642 were cleared during the year, leaving a balance of Rs. 3,75,845 at the close of the year.

SOUTHERN DIVISION.

Belgaum.—The total liabilities at the beginning of the year were Rs. 571,567 and new claims to the extent of Rs. 77,721 were received during the year against estates Nos. 1, 3, 4 and 8 while a temporary loan of Rs. 4,000 was taken for estate No. 8. The loan was repaid before the end of the year. Of these liabilities, Rs. 13,078 were remitted by creditors in consideration of prompt settlement of their claims and claims amounting to Rs. 23,024 were rejected. Claims to the extent of Rs. 28,302 were paid during the year. The total reduction of debt was thus Rs. 64,404. The total liabilities at the end of the year inclusive of new claims amounted to Rs. 5,88,884.

Bijapur.—Rs. 600 were paid towards the liquidation of the debt against the Tignibidri Jahágirdár; Rs. 1,381 being the interest up to 31st May last were also paid during the year. The outstanding balance of tagái to be repaid by the estate amounted to Rs. 245.

Estate No. 18 of the Ratnágiri District is free from debt.

(11).—REDUCTION IN CLAIMS SECURED IN CONSIDERATION OF PROMPT SETTLEMENT.

NORTHERN DIVISION.

A claim of Rs. 800 against the Nadiád estate was settled for Rs. 350 and a claim of Rs. 2,044 against the Bhetasi estate for Rs. 1,043. All important settlements as regards estates previously under management have already been made as far as possible and there has not yet been time to settle claims against estates which have recently come under management.

(12).—GENERAL REMARKS.

NORTHERN DIVISION.

The long standing question of division of the respective shares of Government and the Inámdárs in the villages of Salia Khabda and Kotda was decided during the year. The survey will be undertaken during the ensuing fair season.

The reports indicate that individual officers have given much consideration to the interests of the estates in their charge.

CENTRAL DIVISION.

The administration of the Act during the year has been on the whole satisfactory and productive of considerable advantage to the Wards.

SOUTHERN DIVISION.

Belgaum.—The administration of the Act during the year was successful and productive of much good. Of the four estates added during the year, the management of three was assumed on the application of the owners of former managers. This is a significant fact testifying to the appreciation by the public of the advantages of management by the Court of Wards. Estate No. 2 is involved in debt beyond all hope of redemption and an application has been submitted to Government under this office No. 3846, dated 25th October 1911, for sanction to the withdrawal of the superintendence of the estate by the Court of Wards. The total liabilities in British territory of estate No. 6 amount to Rs. 99,000, including a claim for Rs. 66,000 which has recently been rejected by the Subordinate Judge. Besides this, liabilities amounting to Rs. 76,529 are contracted by the Ward on the security of the lands in the Sângli State. The creditor whose claim for Rs. 66,000 has been rejected has filed an appeal in the High Court. If the Subordinate Judge's decision is reversed, the position of the estate will be hopeless. If the decision is upheld, it may be possible to save the estate with the aid of a Government loan.

An appeal has been filed in the High Court against the Subordinate Judge's decision in the Sirsangi adoption suit referred to in the last year's report. The suit filed by the younger brother of the Desai of Kurbet with the intention of getting the Desgat declared impartible has been rejected by the Civil Court.

The decree in the Darkhást in connection with estate No. 15, referred to in the last Administration Report of the Minors' estates, was partially satisfied and the Court of Wards promised to pay off the balance in January 1912. The Darkhást was accordingly withdrawn by the judgment-creditor. The appeal to the High Court referred to in the abovementioned report is still pending.

With all the care and economy bestowed, the management of the Nevalkar's estate, the Collector observes, is not likely to be successful. The estate consists mostly of advances made without or on insufficient security and increasing difficulty is experienced every year in recovering the amounts falling due. A sum of Rs. 7,000 has already been reported for being written off as irrecoverable and the remainder due stands no better chance of recovery. The expense of official management, Rs. 325 per annum, is also very large for the income. The Collector is of opinion that it is no use continuing the present management and that the estate should be restored to the owners; he promises to take steps in the matter.

During the year Rs. 14,300 representing the surplus balances of estates Nos. 7, and 12 were invested in Government Promissory Notes. Since the close of the year, a further sum of Rs. 49,000 has been invested in the same securities on behalf of estates Nos. 1, 9 and 14.

STATEMENT I.

Statement showing the general position of each estate

Serial No.	Name of District.	Name of Estate.	Name of Ward.	Date and ground on which management was assumed.	Age of Ward.	Total area of the estate.	Cultivated area.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
NORTHERN DIVISION.							
1	Ahmedabad	Shah Alum estate	Inamdar Syed Imam Haidartax valad Musanjan Sahab.	21st September 1906 ... With a view to secure better management, the estate being in debt.	29	5,806	4,10
2	Do.	Eadehahi estate.	Dewan Mirza Aftab Hussein Khan Mirza Nazifali Khan.	4th March 1910 ... For settlement of debts.	28	2,945	2,71
3	Do.	Rozka estate	Fathbhai Manubha	4th March 1909 ... On account of the minority of the ward and as there was no one to look after the estate.	15	2,822	2,30
4	Do.	Bagad estate	Ravat Mulu	23rd April 1910 ... Owing to minority.	17	1,867	1,53
5	Do.	Parabadi estate	Manubha Atabhai and Kanubhai Atabhai	10th February 1908 ... Owing to minority.	12 9	.....	.....
6	Do.	Dhanchuka estate	Premanand Manilal	29th July 1911 ... Owing to minority.	7	...	.....
7	Do.	Tagdi Vardi estate	Bhikhubhai Nathabhai	10th February 1908 ... Owing to minority.	20	6,760	6,15
8	Do.	Hirapur estate	Sheikh Musleuddin Gulam Mohiuddin and Sheikh Fatehuddin Gulam Mohiuddin.	27th November 1909 ... With a view to secure better management, the estate being in debt.	57 54	4,094	2,64
9	Kaira	Naika estate	Jagubhai Jibava	7th August 1908 ... Owing to the Thakor's inability to manage the estate.	50	676	34
10	Do.	Kharanti estate	Keshavlal Sinchand	8th July 1910 ... Owing to minority.	9	327	25
11	Do.	Nadiid estate	Desai, Shivabhai Valabbhai.	11th August 1907 ... There was no near relation to manage the estate.	9	97	2
12	Do.	Manjipura estate	Ramchandra Pandurang	1st April 1907 ... Owing to minority.	15	806	63
13	Do.	Vanthvali estate	Raozpbbhai Chhotalal	27th June 1910 ... For settlement of debts.	24	264	25
14	Do.	Mahij estate	(1) Popatji alias Himat-sing Viraji. (2) Tulji Ranchhodji ... (3) Ratanesang Partapsang. (4) Jethiji Bhaiji ... (5) Devising Partapsang. (6) Bal Magjibha, widow of Khengar Bhaiji. (7) Bal Hirabha, widow of Jesang Kalubhai. (8) Bal Andaraba, widow of Bhimsing Jaluji.	27th May 1911 ... For settlement of debts.	(1) 82 (2) 33 (3) 25 (4) 20 (5) 15 (6) 22 (7) 23 (8) 37	.....	.....
15	Do	Napad estate	Thakor Chhatrasingji	25th April 1911 ... Owing to minority.	13	.....	.....

under Government management during the year 1910-11.

Uncultivat- ed area.	Total assessment.	Total Land Revenue Demand including cesses.	Total gross income recovered.	Total gross expenditure.	Balance.		Total liabilities.	Remarks.
					Invested.	Uninvested.		
9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17
Acres.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	
1,413	17,914	16,278	20,763	17,212	...	5,893	3,000	
154	5,669	5,392	16,328	4,457	2,700	11,943	* 10,433	* Vide the re- mark against the establish- ment in State- ment IV.
506	5,071	10,728	10,849	5,696	18	14,262	...	
109	1,635	1,557	1,721	1,359	...	870	.....
...	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	.....	The particulars re- quired for the report are not available as the estate came under manage- ment at the close of the year.
...	
634	4,995	12,267	11,810	9,021	...	2,803	.....
2,040	6,638	5,700	4,304	4,500	...	394	1,23,748	
284	5,574	3,398	2,423	1,660	...	1,903	.....
92	1,056	412	895	429	...	729	.....
5	529	1,003	995	906	...	813	1,676	
123	3,554	2,575	2,246	1,650	...	1,078	8,827	
29	1,054	1,520	1,676	1,340	...	200	4,692	
...	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	.....	Particulars not available as the estate came under manage- ment at the close of the year.
...	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	.....	The estate came under manage- ment after the minor's grand- mother and Karthari had taken the in- come of the estate. No particulars of income and expenditure are therefore avail- able.

Serial No.	Name of District.	Name of Estate.	Name of Ward.	Date and ground on which management was assumed.	Age of Ward	Total area of the estate.	Cult. area.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
	NORTHERN DIVISION—continued.				Years.	Acres.	
16	Kaira	Bhotasi estate	Takhatsing Raising	20th October 1910 Owing to minority.	5	2,105	
17	Do.	Jhanod estate	Nolivarsingji Prathiraj-singji.	6th July 1911 Owing to minority.	3	.....
18	Broach	Desai estate	Hariprasad Vishnuprasad.	31st March 1907 Owing to minority.	18	3,358	
19	Do.	Osāra estate	(1) Syed Mahomed Sudak. (2) Syed Mastu' Mian (3) Syed Mahomed Raja alias Kalunian.	13th March 1911 With a view to secure better management the estate, being in debt.	(1) 40 (2) 25 (3) 22	220	
20	Panch Mahals	Salia Khabda and Kotda estate.	(1) Yakubali Mulamati (2) Anirali Akbarali (3) Sarfarajali Dilawarali. (4) Ajarali Umaravali (5) Husseinmian Dadamian	1st May 1907 For disposal of the liabi- lities of the estate.	(1) 62 (2) 32 (3) 52 (4) 52 (5) 47	2,237 Khabda. 1,412 Khotda. 1,419	Salia. 22 13 14
21	Do.	Gadukpur estate	(1) Sher Mahomedkhan Najar Mahomedkhan. (2) Bai Amirbibi, widow of Vajir Mahomedkhan. (3) Imamkhan Ahmed- khan. (4) Najanbibi, widow of Mustafakhan. (5) Mahomedkhan Umrao- khan. (6) Dasubibi (7) Yakubkhan Baillan- khan.	28th December 1909 For clearance of debts.	(1) 81 (2) 36 (3) 61 (4) 51 (5) 31 (6) 27 (7) 33	1,158	11
22	Surat	Mota Mandir estate.	Maharaj Shri Vrajatan- lalji Maganlalji.	8th November 1906 Minority of the ward.	15		
23	Do.	Nagarsheth estate	Balubhai Gulabbhai	8th November 1906 On account of the minority of the ward.	16	17	
24	Do.	Hariprasad Vishnu- prasad estate.	Hariprasad Vishnuprasad.	16th September 1907 On account of the minority of the ward.	18	25	
25	Do.	Shastri estate	(1) Ganpatrao Bhim- shauker. (2) Vishwarathrao Bhim- shauker. (3) Mahadevrao Krishnarao	6th May 1908 The wards belong to a respectable family.	(1) 34 (2) 19 (3) 47	360	
26	Do.	Kazi estate	Syed Mahomed Syed Akhi.	24th October 1910 On account of the minority of the ward.	9	711	
Total, Northern Division.		39,136	3.

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Uncultivated area.	Total assessment.	Total Land Revenue demand including cesses.	Total gross income recovered.	Total gross expenditure.	Balance.		Total liabilities.	Remarks.
					Invested.	Uninvested.		
9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17
Acrea.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	
1,602	1,597	3,630	3,124	2,761	...	635	...	
...	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	2,701	The particulars are not available as the estate came under management at the close of the year.
363	17,610	20,037	30,600	21,666	*44,895	19,634	.....	* Inclusive of promissory notes of the value of Rs. 20,200.
...	1,402	2,137	2,542	2,819	...	211	22,000	
216	†949							
53	†505	1,085	1,056	970	...	1,950	856	† Last year's figures were incorrect.
2	801							
33	781	446	1,664	242	...	2,240	9,000	
appended.	...	1,775	85,810	85,562	...	2,303	17,074	
...	151	200	9,172	3,040	...	1,572	8,101	
...	69	751	1,623	2,404	...	163	.....
...	2,232	4,215	4,599	2,127	6,000	1,157	4,000	
not available.		.....	734	391	...	391	about 22,000	
7,658	70,756	95,611	1,64,707	1,20,393	53,613	70,758	2,77,013	

Serial No.	Name of District.	Name of Estate.	Name of Ward.	Date and ground on which management was assumed.	Age of Ward	Total area of the Estate.	Cultivated area.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
CENTRAL DIVISION.							
1	Ahmednagar ...	Javale Jahágirdár's Estate.	Mr. Malharrao Anandrao, Jahágirdár of Javale.	18th March 1910 ... Management assumed under section 9 of the Act for the liquidation of debts.	Years. About 39	Acres, 79 279 Bighas.	Acres, 79 204 Bighas.
2	East Khándesh .	Bhusáwal Inámdár's Estate.	Mr. Ganpatrao Sagajirao Nimbalkar, Inámdár.	29th July 1907 ... Management assumed under section 9 of the Act for the liquidation of debts.	31	4,696	3,634
3	Do. ...	Gorwadkar Estate ...	Varubai, daughter of Dagadu Nagesh Gorwadkar.	20th September 1909 ... Under section 4, on account of the minority of the ward and as there was no near relation to look after the estate.	12	154	154
4	West Khándesh .	Raisingpur Estate ...	Meherbán Surupsing Khatya Walvi, Chieftain of Raisingpur.	24th July 1908 ... Under section 4, owing to the mental disability of the Chieftain.	36	123,000 approximately.	3,423
5	Do. ...	Kathi Estate ...	Meherbán Rangitsing Surupsing Padvi, Chieftain of Kathi.	15th March 1911 ... Under section 4, owing to the minority of the Chieftain.	18	320,000 approximately.	50,165
6	Násik ...	Málegaon Rájebahádar's Estate.	Sardár Gopalrao Shivdeo- rao, Rájebahadar of Málegaon.	1st June 1909 ... Management assumed under section 9 of the Act for the liquidation of debts.	About 57	1,007	1,007
7	Do. ...	Pingle of Trimbak ...	(1) Mahadeo Sakharan and his son (2) Vinayak Mahadeo.	19th October 1910 ... On the authority of the District Court's order under section 10 (1) of the Act owing to the incapability of the first to manage his own affairs and to the minority of the second.	50 13	40	5
8	Poona ...	The late Shri Baba Maharaj of Poona.	5th December 1908

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Inculti- ed area.	Total assess- ment.	Total Land Revenue demand includ- ing cesses.	Total gross income recovered.	Total gross expenditure.	Balance.		Total Liabilities.	Remarks.
					Invested.	Uninvested.		
9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17
Acres.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	
... Bighas. 75	66 208	} 450	1,147	838	...	1,617	5,425	Cols. 7, 10 and 16.—The figures now given are correct. Those reported last year were approximate and hence the difference.
1,002	6,916							
...	93	172	181	2,568	...	2,577	NIL	
124,532	2,530	2,530	14,009	19,272	60,000	33,899	NIL	Col. 10.—The figure (Rs. 1,991) shown in last year's statement was wrong. The figure now given is correct.
239,895	5,129	5,129	82,758	11,853	...	24,102	15,589 Approximately.	
...	2,382	2,746	5,097	2,393	...	3,060	13,160	Col. 7.—Land previously transferred was taken back by payment of debt and hence the increase in the total area. Col. 10.—Last year's figures were not available. Those now given are correct.
85	19	.....	554	32	...	522	12,398	Col. 11.—Demand not yet known.
...	The question as to the propriety of assuming superintendence of the estate is still under consideration and so the information cannot be supplied.							*The name of the ward cannot be given as the question as to who is the pro- per heir to the estate has not yet been de- cided. The appeal pending in the High Court was decided on 25th September 1910 in favour of Shri Bala Ma- hary, but the litigation con- tinues and is expected to be carried to the Privy Council.

Serial No.	Name of District.	Name of Estate.	Name of Ward.	Date and ground on which management was assumed.	Age of Ward.	Total area of the Estate.	Cms. area
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
CENTRAL DIVISION—contd.							
9	Poona	Potnis Estate	Bhivrao Madhavrao Potnis, 1st Class Sardar (Deccan).	28th April 1908 ... Management assumed under section 9 of the Act for the liquidation of debt.	Years. Died on 10th June 1911.	Acres. 80	Acres. 80
10	Do.	Raste Estate	Meharben Madhavrao Anandrao Raste of Poona.	8th July 1910 ... Permanent Management assumed under section 4 of the Act owing to the minority of the ward.	15	47,963	47,963
11	Satara	Thorat Estate	Shivajirao Narayanrao Thorat of Babe in the Valva Taluka.	5th June 1909 ... Management assumed under section 4 of the Act for the liquidation of debts, the ward being a minor.	12	4,263	4,263
12	Do.	Ghadge Estate	Lakshmibai, widow of Bhawanji Shivaji Ghadge.	5th May 1910 ... Management assumed under section 6 of the Act with a view to secure better management, the estate being in debt.	20	11,291 Bighas 5,277	11,291 Bighas 5,277
13	Do.	Gujar Estate	Yeshwantrao Prataprao Gujar.	29th August 1910 ... Management assumed under section 9 of the Act for the liquidation of debt.	35	1 Bighas 299	1 Bighas 299
14	Sholapur	Bubane Estate	Bhalchandra Dattatraya Bubane.	19th October 1909 ... Management assumed under section 6 of the Act on account of the owner being a minor and the estate in debt.	8	110	110
Total, Central Division.		.....	.....	.....	.....	517,704 Bighas 5,856	517,704 Bighas 5,856
SOUTHERN DIVISION.							
1	Belgaum	Koujalgi Desgat	Bhimappa Girappa Desai.	1st April 1906 ... Minority of the ward.	17	42,953	42,953
2	Do.	Venkatrao Konher Astekar's Estate.	Venkatrao Konher Astekar (deceased).	2nd April 1906 ... On application under section 9.	Dead	.....	.....
3	Do.	Nipani Desgat	1. Raghunathrao Murarrao Naik Nimbalkar Desai. 2. Jyajirao alias Murrarrao Shiddojirao Nimbalkar.	(1) 1st ward 1st May 1903 ... On application. (2) 2nd ward 23rd November 1907 ... On application.	41 29	4,671	4,671
4	Do.	Kokatnur Desgat	1. Rayappa Shankerappa Desai. 2. Mallappa Shankerappa Desai.	1st July 1906 ... On application	(1) 53 (2) 42	5,609	5,609
5	Do.	Sirasangi Desgat	25th August 1906 ... The owner having died without issue and having left a widow who is a minor.	30,612	30,612

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Serial No.	Name of District.	Name of Estate.	Name of Ward.	Date and ground on which management was assumed.	Age of Ward.	Total area of the Estate.	Cultivated area.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
SOUTHERN DIVISION—contd.					Years.	Acres.	Acres.
6	Belgaum	Narasingrao Konher Astekar's Estate.	1. Narayanrao Konher, 2 Keshavarao Konher.	15th May 1907 On application under section 9.	(1) 53 (2) 48	...	...
7	Do.	Kowad Desgat	{ 1. Ramachandrarao alias Babasaheb. 2. Parvatrao Annasaheb Ganapatrao Desai.	{ 15th November 1907 Minority of the ward.	{ (1) 15 (2) 10	4,957	2,305
8	Do.	Kurbet Desgat	Khanderao alias Babasaheb Shidramappa Desai.	6th July 1908 District Court's order under section 5 (1) C.	38	45,112	43,571
9	Do.	Nej Estate	Babasaheb Inzindar. Bhujangrao	15th June 1908 Minority of the ward.	13	279	174
10	Do.	Alakhnūr Desgat	Krishnarao Desai. Sheshgirrao	15th August 1908 On application under section 9.	29	4,193	4,105
11	Do.	Nerli Estate	Dhundappa Konaji. Bhusappa	16th October 1909 Minority of the ward.	19	37	37
12	Do.	Yadihalli Desgat	{ (1) Nilawa husband (2) Shidawa Rudrappa Desai.	{ 30th April 1910 Minority of the ward.	{ (1) 14 (2) 16	2,601	2,601
13	Do.	Yargatti Deshgat	Bhimabai, Bhratar Krishnappa Desai.	1st December 1910 District Court's order under section 5 (1) b.	55	\$ Not known	
14	Do.	Hampannawar Estate.	Malikarjun Shivlinappa Hampannawar.	29th November 1910	13	287	287
15	Do.	Hudli Estate	{ (1) Faheb Pacha valad Sabu Saheb. (2) Sayyad Hassan Saheb valad Sayyad Hussin Saheb. (3) Sayyad Babasaheb alias Ibuldulla Saheb valad Hussin Saheb.	{ 12th May 1911 On application.	{ (1) 23 (2) 45 (3) 40	1,100	30
16	Do.	Patki Estate	Binde Shankarrao Patki...	7th June 1911 Minority of the ward.	.....	.....	.....
Total for the Belgaum District		.....	.....	.....	.....	142,701	127,000

I—continued.

Uncultivated area.	Total assessment.	Total Land Revenue demand including cesses.	Total gross income recovered.	Total gross expenditure.	Balance.		Total Liabilities.	Remarks.
					Invested.	Uninvested.		
9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17
Acres.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	
...	.....	.....	19	.....	...	49	1,75,329	Insolvent.
2,089	4,081	12,050	13,149	12,320	6,100 P. Note	*10,552	.....	During this year a sum of Rs. 4,030 was invested in Government Promissory Notes, actual price paid being Rs. 3,902-0-3.
*Since the close of the year Rs. 4,000 have been invested in Government Promissory Notes.								
1,138	30,395	29,258	32,214	22,774	...	8,030	86,373	Columns 9 to 15—Figures for Kaddim Inam Lands were erroneously included in last year's figures. Hence the discrepancy.
105	227	408	408	317	...	121	21,605	
85	901	876	313	57	...	279	26,361	
...	32	803	844	1,618	...	530	Nil.	
...	3,867	10,716	16,255	5,754	20,300	6,970	.....	During the year Rs. 10,200 were invested in Government Promissory Notes, actual prices paid being Rs. 9,013-11-5.
..	.....	10,863	11,885	4,315	...	7,222	.....	§ Not known as the period of notice under section 14(13) did not expire before the close of the year.
...	363	2,449	9,650	2,284	...	32,854	.....	Since the close of the year a sum of Rs. 30,000 has been invested in Government Promissory Notes.
826	704	536	615	411	...	159	.....	Not known as the period of notice under section 14(1) did not expire before the close of the year.
...	The estate came under management so late in the year that no figures are available.
15,578	1,16,279	1,73,244	2,08,125	1,15,916	26,460	1,65,232	5,58,954	

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Serial No.	Name of District.	Name of Estate.	Name of Ward.	Date and ground on which management was assumed.	Age of Ward.	Total area of the Estate.	Cultivated area.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
	SOUTHERN DIVISION—concluded.				Years.	Acres.	Acres.
17	Bijapur	... Tignibidri ...	1. Mahomed Gavas Saheb valad Haji Ibrahim Saheb Jahágirdár. 2. Mirasaheb <i>alias</i> Babasaheb Jahágirdár. 3. Mahomedsaheb <i>alias</i> Dadasaheb valad Haji Ibrahimsaheb Jahágirdár	5th March 1908 ... Assumed under section 9 of the Court of Wards Act owing to the indebtedness of the estate.	(1) 48 (2) 43 (3) 38	3,717 area of the whole village. Out of which the Jahágirdár owns 2,705 acres.	3,642
18	Ratnágiri	... Nevalkar's Estate at Vijaydurg.	1. Vaman Dhonddev Nevalkar (deceased on 25th November 1910). 2. Atmaram Dhonddev Nevalkar.	4th September 1908 ... Owing to the mental disability of the one and the minority of the other.	21	190	190
Total, Southern Division		.....	.....	.. ...	.....	146,608	130,439
Grand Total		.....	.....	.....	.....	703,448 Bighas 5,855	313,033 Bighas 5,730

I—concluded.

Unculti- vated area.	Total assessment.	Total Land Revenue demand includ- ing cesses.	Total gross income recovered.	Total gross expenditure.	Balance.		Total Liabilities.	Remarks.
					Invested.	Uninvested.		
9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17
Acres.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	
71	1,635	4,287	4,346	4,250	...	1,210	22,645	
...	94	347	768	992	...	491	.....
15,619	1,18,009	1,77,878	2,13,239	1,21,158	26,400	1,06,963	6,11,529	
389,701 Bighas 75	} 2,72,970	3,79,835	5,57,617	3,39,669	1,97,013	3,80,843	12,04,387	

Statement showing the Details required in columns 6—9 of Statement No. I as regards the Mota Mandi Estate in Surat.

Names of places where lands are situated.	Paying full Assessment.				Ináml.						E
	Number of Survey Nos.	Area.	Assessment.	Rents of land with Government dues.	Number of Survey Nos.	Area.	Assessment.	Salámi.	Loss.	Rents of land with Government dues.	
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	
		Acres.	Rs	Rs.		Acres.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	
Sachin State	...	...	...	...	5	6	68	18	50	48	
British Territory—											
Chorási Táluka	1	3	18	30	12	62	413	92	351	570	
Olpad Taluka	...	...	...	...	1	3	25	7	18	23	
Broach District	...	...	...	...	8	23	116	23	93	105	
Kaira do.	3	4	22	...	2	3	18	9	9	26	
Dholka Táluka	...	...	...	...	2	4	10	3	7	22	
Total	4	7	40	30	25	95	612	134	478	746	
Baroda Raj—											
Kámraj Táluka	3	37	108	...	2	43	121	74	46	...	
Palsána do.	...	...	...	...	1	15	41	13	28	...	
Velachha do.	21	117	272	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Petlád do.	...	...	...	...	5	17	14	26	...	...
Baroda	6	39	89	...	7	21	67	13	55	...	
Total	30	193	469	...	15	96	243	126	129	...	

STATEMENT II.

STATEMENT

Statement showing Receipts and Charges of Estates and

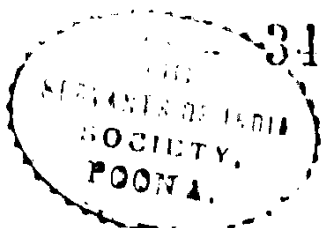
Serial No.	Name of District.	Name of Estate.	Cash balance of last year.	Receipts.							
				Rents of land.	Other dues	Miscellaneous Receipts.	Interest.	Total Gross Income.	Debts recovered.	Loans received.	Grand Total.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
	NORTHERN DIVISION.			Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
1	Ahmedabad	Shah Alam Estate	7,835	17,407	.....	3,356	.....	20,763	.....	.....	20,763
2	Do.	Bādshāhi Dewan Estate	2,777	5,438	.....	10,890	.....	16,328	.....	.....	16,328
3	Do.	Rozka Estate	8,931	10,776	.....	62	11	10,849	232	.....	11,131
4	Do.	Bāgad Estate	503	1,721	.....	.....	.....	1,721	.....	.....	1,721
5	Do.	Parabdi Estate	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
6	Do.	Dhundhuka Estate	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
7	Do.	Tagdi Vavdi Estate	16	11,810	.....	.....	.....	11,810	.....	.....	11,810
8	Do.	Hirapur Estate	3,631	2,533	1,482	786	.....	4,804	.....	.....	4,804
9	Kaira	Naika Estate	1,140	2,426	.....	.....	.....	2,426	.....	.....	2,426
10	Do.	Kharanti Estate	48	338	.....	57	.....	395	715	.....	1,110
11	Do.	Nadiad Estate	234	936	.....	9	.....	995	100	.....	1,095
12	Do.	Manjipura Estate	2,442	2,240	.....	.....	.....	2,210	.....	.....	2,210
13	Do.	Vanthvali Estate	278	1,616	.....	60	.....	1,676	.....	.....	1,676
14	Do.	Maihi Estate	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
15	Do.	Napad Estate	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
16	Do.	Bhetasi Estate	279	3,124	.....	.....	.....	3,124	13	.....	3,137
17	Do.	Jhanod Estate	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
18	Broach	Desai Estate	8,911	21,009	7,974	711	908	30,600	2,030	.....	32,630
19	Do.	Osara Estate	524	2,143	.....	899	.....	2,642	.....	.....	2,642
20	Panch Mahāls	Salia, Khatda and Kotda Estate.	1,864	1,056	.....	.....	.....	1,056	.....	.....	1,056
21	Do.	Gadukpur Estate	1,496	421	.....	1,243	.....	1,664	.....	.....	1,664
22	Surat	Mota Mandir Estate	2,527	1,775	.....	33,565	.....	35,340	.....	.....	35,340
23	Do.	Nagarsheth Estate	237	200	.....	8,372	.....	9,572	.....	.....	9,572
24	Do.	Hariprasad Vishnuprasad Estate.	1,040	751	.....	772	.....	1,523	.....	.....	1,523
25	Do.	Shastri Estate	1,413	4,245	.....	354	.....	4,599	.....	40,000	44,599
26	Do.	Kazi Estate	.....	.....	.....	734	.....	734	.....	.....	734
		Total, Northern Division...	46,187	92,024	9,436	62,370	917	1,64,707	3,140	40,000	2,07,807
	CENTRAL DIVISION.										
1	Ahmednagar	Javale Estate. Jahagirdār's	708	236	756	105	.....	1,147	.....	.....	1,147
2	East Khāndesh	Bhusaval Estate. Inamdar's	777	10,036	611	3,432	.....	14,079	.....	.....	14,079
3	Do.	Gorwadkar's Estate	1,657	172	.....	9	.....	181	3,805	.....	3,148
4	West Khāndesh	Raisingpur Estate	39,152	2,581	7,941	1,457	2,030	14,009	10	.....	14,019
5	Do.	Kathi Estate	24	5,370	26,331	239	768	32,758	8,172	.....	37,300
		On the 6th December 1910 when the management was actually taken in hand.									
6	Nasik	Malegnon Estate. Rajobahadār's	21	2,736	3,224	137	.....	5,097	.....	2,000	7,097
7	Do.	Pingie of Trimphak	.....	.....	554	.....	.....	554	.....	.....	554
8	Poona	The late Shri Baba Maharaj of Poona.	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
9	Do.	Potnis Estate	1,304	73	6,278	1,517	.....	7,868	.....	10,000	17,868
10	Do.	Raste Estate	13,239	51,395	6,851	4,037	403	62,690	17,883	.....	80,573
11	Sāfāra	Thorat Estate	6,778	18,190	3,277	.....	.....	21,467	.....	.....	21,467
12	Do.	Ghadge Estate	4,407	14,276	1,270	244	.....	15,790	.....	.....	15,790
13	Do.	Gujar Estate	.....	1,124	.....	.....	.....	1,124	.....	.....	1,124
14	Sholāpur	Bubane Estate	4,223	2,651	.....	.....	.....	2,651	944	.....	3,595
		Total, Central Division	72,200	1,09,090	66,143	11,177	3,201	1,79,611	26,314	2,000	2,07,925

I.

Government Management for the year 1910-11.

Expenditure.										Closing Balance.	Remarks.
Government demands.	Cost of management.	Maintenance and education of ward.	Interest and rent.	Miscellaneous.	Total Gross Expenditure.	Loans advanced.	Other invest- ment.	Repayment of debts.	Grand Total.		
13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24
Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	
9,302	2,184	2,400	...	8,256	17,212	...	...	5,403	22,705	6,893	* Includes a sum of Rs 2,350, paid to Irrigation Department on account of assessment in Kyat lands.
971	973	1,120	...	1,303	4,457	...	2,700	...	7,157	11,918	
2,005	590	933	...	2,108	5,698	...	...	104	5,800	14,202	
677	88	345	5	244	1,359	...	...	...	1,350	870	
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	} Vide remarks in State- ment I.
...	
2,716	650	4,987	...	602	9,021	...	...	...	9,021	2,836	
11,177	249	700	...	2,074	4,500	...	...	3,541	8,041	304	} Last year's figure included arrears.
1,338	198	...	...	126	1,860	...	...	...	1,060	1,040	
20	47	91	...	271	429	...	...	...	429	720	
359	128	160	...	241	908	...	...	109	1,068	613	
509	255	210	...	816	1,850	...	...	1,700	3,010	1,074	
812	135	120	...	273	1,340	...	...	414	1,754	200	
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	} Vide remarks in State- ment I.
...	
915	290	475	...	1,151	2,761	...	...	...	2,761	655	
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	} Vide remarks in State- ment I.
...	
2,542	1,555	11,748	...	5,821	21,668	...	...	191	21,857	10,094	
301	184	600	1,089	585	2,619	...	...	30	2,855	211	
...	108	...	...	832	970	...	...	...	970	1,050	
140	67	...	...	35	242	...	...	678	920	2,240	
845	934	3,000	...	30,763	35,662	...	...	...	31,502	2,305	
17	115	1,200	...	1,708	3,040	...	...	5,197	8,237	1,572	
78	47	573	...	1,706	2,404	...	...	...	2,404	165	
337	120	460	276	904	2,107	...	...	42,023	44,825	1,167	
...	...	200	...	104	304	...	...	30	343	391	
25,119	8,961	20,292	1,370	55,153	1,20,395	...	2,700	60,241	1,63,336	70,708	
340	...	450	...	30	838	...	...	...	838	1,017	
8,590	533	1,510	...	96	5,674	...	...	...	5,674	9,152	
107	941	320	...	1,108	2,508	...	...	...	2,503	2,577	
344	2,483	6,460	...	9,985	19,272	...	...	...	10,272	13,509	} In addition Rs. 6,000 are invested in prome- sory notes.
776	4,039	1,025	...	8,013	11,852	...	...	...	11,852	24,102	
626	...	1,300	113	440	2,393	...	...	1,035	4,058	3,000	
...	...	15	...	17	32	...	...	...	32	622	
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	} Vide remark against this estate in statement No. I.
...	
9	...	...	...	423	433	...	...	56,709	57,140	2,032	
2,551	4,831	5,517	...	15,328	31,955	...	12,000	...	40,855	147,03	} In addition Rs. 67,000 are invested in prome- sory notes.
2,356	616	1,780	...	310	6,032	...	...	12,004	14,006	9,110	
4,048	1,251	2,891	...	2,123	11,213	...	...	5,000	16,213	3,164	
63	...	...	...	7	75	...	...	...	75	1,010	
120	516	330	...	1,000	2,672	...	...	...	2,672	5,149	
22,000	15,203	21,493	119	59,230	99,116	...	12,000	75,977	1,60,003	1,40,122	

Serial No.	Name of District.	Name of Estate.	Cash balance of last year.	Receipts.							
				Rents of land.	Other dues.	Miscellaneous Receipts.	Interest.	Total Gross Income.	Debits recovered.	Loans received.	Grand Total.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
		SOUTHERN DIVISION.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
1	Belgaum	Konjalgi Desgat	19,243	83,702	1,137	2,743	200	87,782	4,000		91,782
2	Do.	Venkatrao Konher Astekar's Estate.	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
3	Do.	Nipani Desgat	2,714	20,311	553	465	.....	21,329	.....	.....	21,329
4	Do.	Kokatnur Desgat	724	7,069	35	18	.....	7,122	.....	.....	7,122
5	Do.	Sirangi Desgat	29,612	60,332	690	5,021	748	67,040	2,078	.....	69,118
6	Do.	Narsingrao Astekar's Estate. Konher	30	.....	.....	19	.....	19	.....	.....	19
7	Do.	Kowad Desgat	11,890 241	10,015	292	2,191	661	13,149	1,672	.....	14,821
			12,101								
8	Do.	Kurbet Desgat	9,063	29,930	656	1,628	.....	32,214	.....	4,000	36,214
9	Do.	Nej Estate	30	408	.....	.....	.....	408	.....	.....	408
10	Do.	Alakhnur Desgat	23	313	.....	.....	.....	313	.....	.....	313
11	Do.	Nerli Estate	613	803	.....	19	23	844	486	.....	1,330
12	Do.	Yadihalli Desgat	6,018	12,124	73	3,618	440	16,255	651	.....	16,906
13	Do.	Yargatti Deshgat	152	10,863	12	510	.....	11,385	.....	.....	11,385
14	Do.	Hampannawar Estate	23,584	2,449	83	6,680	428	9,650	1,904	.....	11,554
15	Do.	Hudli Estate	323	551	.....	61	.....	615	.....	.....	615
16	Do.	Patki Estate	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
17	Bijapur	Tignibidri Estate	1,744	4,190	.....	156	.....	4,346	.....	.....	4,346
18	Rutnágiri	Newalkar's Estate of Vijayadurg.	25	227	75	276	190	768	690	.....	1,453
		Total, Southern Division	1,00,403	1,83,310	8,795	23,404	2,700	2,13,239	11,681	4,000	2,28,920
		Grand Total	2,24,880	3,84,454	69,394	96,951	6,618	5,57,617	40,135	96,000	6,81,722



II—concluded.

Expenditure.										Closing balance.	Remarks.
Government demands.	Cost of management.	Maintenance and education of ward.	Interest and rent.	Miscellaneous.	Total Gross Expenditure.	Loans advanced.	Other investment.	Repayment of debts.	Grand total.		
13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24
Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	
11,837	2,847	8,127	...	3,848	20,639	4,000	...	3,442	28,101	32,924	Insolvent.
...	
2,680	1,231	4,775	9,052	880	18,518	...	...	3,958	22,476	1,607
829	556	1,300	1,680	449	4,814	...	...	1,808	6,422	1,424
4,114	8,905	...	...	14,026	22,045	...	...	...	22,045	66,888
...	40	
2,685	1,209	4,368	...	3,998	12,320	...	4,100	150	16,570	10,562	Also investment.
15,707	2,294	3,231	200	1,342	22,774	18,806	41,580	8,086	Also investment shown in column 4 of Statement I.
...	57	194	...	66	317	...	...	...	317	121
...	57	...	...	...	57	...	...	...	57	279
49	68	240	51	1,215	1,518	...	...	...	1,018	530
3,458	637	...	...	1,459	5,754	...	10,210	...	15,964	6,070
3,599	422	204	4,315	4,315	7,222	The estate came under management so late in the year that no figures are available.
419	331	475	...	1,029	2,234	...	...	...	2,234	32,654
403	26	...	...	12	441	...	...	333	779	159
...	
779	219	1,200	1,401	651	4,250	...	...	800	4,850	1,240
99	324	458	...	111	992	992	401	
16,068	13,938	19,363	12,384	28,330	1,21,158	4,000	14,300	28,902	1,68,360	1,66,003	Also investment shown in column 14 of Statement I.
94,706	33,164	70,153	13,872	1,23,769	2,39,663	4,000	29,000	1,05,120	5,37,789	3,80,843	

STATEMENT

Statement showing the efficiency of rent collection in estates

Serial No.	Name of District.	Name of Estate.	Demands.			Collection.	
			Current.	Arrears.	Total.	On account of current year.	On account of arrears.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
	NORTHERN DIVISION.		Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
1	Ahmedabad	Shah Alam Estate	16,778	30,835	47,613	14,272	3,135
2	Do.	Badshahi Divan Estate	5,392	1,497	6,889	5,144	294
3	Do.	Rozka Estate	10,726	50	10,776	10,726	50
4	Do.	Bagad Estate	1,557	210	1,767	1,557	164
5	Do.	Parabdi Estate	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
6	Do.	Dhandhuka Estate	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
7	Do.	Tagdi Vavdi Estate	12,267	107	12,374	11,759	51
8	Do.	Hirapur Estate	5,700	5,262	10,962	2,536	.....
9	Kaira	Naika Estate	3,398	3,716	7,114	2,426	.....
10	Do.	Kharanti Estate	412	201	613	317	21
11	Do.	Nadiad Estate	1,003	85	1,088	969	17
12	Do.	Manjipura Estate	2,575	2,635	5,210	1,980	266
13	Do.	Vanthali Estate	1,520	817	2,337	1,343	273
14	Do.	Mahij Estate	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
15	Do.	Napad Estate	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
16	Do.	Bhetasi Estate	3,630	1,884	5,514	2,921	203
17	Do.	Jhanod Estate	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
18	Broach	Desai Estate	20,037	63,449	83,486	19,672	1,337
19	Do.	Osara Estate	2,137	28	2,165	2,137	6
20	Panch Mahals	Salia, Khatda and Khotda Estates.	1,095	41	1,136	1,056	.....
21	Do.	Gadakpur Estate	446	65	511	417	4
22	Surat	Mota Mandir Estate	1,775	.....	1,775	1,775	.....
23	Do.	Nagarseth Estate	200	.....	200	200	.....
24	Do.	Hariprasad Vishnuprasad Estate.	751	.....	751	751	.....
25	Do.	Shastri Estate	4,245	.....	4,245	4,245	.....
26	Do.	Kazi Estate	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
		Total, Northern Division...	95,614	1,10,832	2,06,476	86,203	5,821

No. III.

under Government management during the year 1910-11.

Total.	Amount written off.	Balance.			Details of balances.			Remarks.
		Converted into bonds or decrees.	Others.	Total.				
9	10	11	12	13	14			15
Ra.	Ra.	Ra.	Ra.	Ra.	Ra.			
17,407	13,975	.....	16,231	16,231	Old	...	...	14,030
					Current	...	...	2,201
5,438	367	.....	1,084	1,084	Old	...	...	873
					Current	...	...	211
10,776	.....	.....	.....	.....		.....
1,721	46	.....	.....	.....		.....
.....		
.....		
11,810	56	.....	508	508	Current	...	...	508
2,536	770	.....	7,656	7,656	Old	...	...	5,262
					Current	...	...	2,394
2,426	613	273	3,802	4,075	Old	...	...	3,103
					Current	...	...	972
338	10	...	265	265	Old	...	...	170
					Current	...	...	95
986	.....	.....	52	52	Old	...	...	18
					Current	...	...	34
2,246	1,137	.....	1,627	1,827	Old	...	...	1,232
					Current	...	...	595
1,616	36	.....	685	685	Old	...	...	508
					Current	...	...	177
.....		
.....		
3,124	487	.....	1,903	1,903	Old	...	...	1,402
					Current	...	...	501
.....		
21,009	39,760	10,838	11,879	22,717	Old	...	...	22,352
					Current	...	...	365
2,143	.....	22	.....	22	Old	...	...	22
1,056	.....	.....	80	80	Old	...	...	41
					Current	...	...	39
421	.....	.....	90	90	Old	...	...	61
					Current	...	...	29
1,776	.....	.....	.....	.....		.....
200	.....	.....	.....	.....		.....
751	.....	.....	.....	.....		.....
4,245	.....	.....	.....	.....		.....
.....		
92,024	57,257	11,183	46,062	57,195	Old	...	...	49,074
					Current	...	...	8,121

} *Vide remarks in State-
ment I.*} *Vide remarks in State-
ment I.**Vide remarks in State-
ment I.*

Serial No.	Name of District.	Name of Estate.	Demands.			Collection.	
			Current.	Arrears.	Total.	On account of current year.	On account of arrears.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
	CENTRAL DIVISION.		Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
1	Ahmednagar ...	Javale Jahagirdar's Estate.	450	.....	450.	286	.....
2	East Khândesh ...	Bhusawal Inâmdâr's Estate.	11,582	74	11,656	10,622	25
3	Do. ...	Gorwadkar Estate ...	172	63	235	172	.....
4	West Khândesh ...	Râisingpur Estate ...	2,530	51	2,581	2,530	51
5	Do. ...	Kâthi Estate ...	5,129	583	5,712	4,997	373
6	Nâsik ...	Mâlegaon Rajebahadur's Estate.	2,746	.....	2,746	2,736	.....
7	Do. ...	Pingle of Trimbak ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
8	Poona ...	The late Shri Baba Mahârâj of Poona.	.....	.....	...	.....	.....
9	Do. ...	Potnis Estate ...	219	*58	277	15	53
10	Do. ...	Raste Estate ...	52,708	42,316	95,024	46,773	4,622
11	Sâtâra ...	Thorat Estate ...	15,587	120,620	36,207	11,861	6,329
12	Do. ...	Ghadge Estate ...	12,866	23,039	35,905	11,163	3,113
13	Do. ...	Gujar Estate ...	1,165	8	1,173	1,116	8
14	Sholâpur ...	Bubane Estate ...	1,159	2,202	3,361	1,134	1,717
		Total, Central Division ...	1,06,313	89,014	1,95,327	93,405	16,296
	SOUTHERN DIVISION.						
1	Belgaum ...	Koujalgi Desgat ...	31,955	6,121	38,076	30,545	3,157
2	Do. ...	Venkatrao Astekar's Estate. Konher	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
3	Do. ...	Nipâni Desgat ...	19,943	1,615	21,558	19,793	518
4	Do. ...	Kokatnûr Desgat ...	7,063	.....	7,069	7,069	.....
5	Do. ..	Sirsangi Desgat ...	46,820	43,271	90,091	44,722	5,660
6	Do. ...	Narsingrao Astekar's Estate. Konher	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
7	Do. ..	Kowad Desgat ...	12,050	8,205	20,255	9,624	371

No. III—continued.

Total.	Amount written off.	Balance.			Details of balances.		Remarks.
		Converted into bonds or decrees.	Others.	Total.			
9	10	11	12	13	14		15
Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.		
286	10	.....	154	154	Current year	154	
10,647	.....	.....	1,009	1,009	Previous year	49	
					Current year	960	
						1,009	
172	.....	.....	63	63	Previous year	63	
2,581	.....	.....	.....	.....
5,370	.....	.....	842	842	Previous year	210	
					Current year	132	
						312	
2,736	.....	.....	10	10	Current year	10	
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....			Vide remark against this estate in col. 11 in Statement No. I.
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....			Vide remark against this estate in Statement No. I.
73	.....	.....	204	204	Current year	204	* Last year's figures were incorrect. The figures now supplied are final.
51,395	.....	.....	43,629	43,629	Previous year	37,694	
					Current year	5,935	
						43,629	
18,190	.....	.....	18,017	18,017	Previous year	14,291	† A/cars shown under the head "Demand" do not tally with those standing at the end of the past year. The figures now given are also approximate as village accounts are incomplete. Definite figures cannot therefore be shown until the scrutiny is complete.
					Current year	3,726	
						14,017	
14,276	.....	.....	21,629	21,629	Previous year	19,925	
					Current year	1,704	
						21,629	
1,124	.....	.....	49	49	Current year	49	
2,851	.....	.....	510	510	Previous year	485	
					Current year	26	
						510	
1,09,701	10	.....	85,616	85,616	Previous year	72,718	
					Current year	12,898	
						85,616	
33,702	811	.....	3,560	3,560	Previous year	Rs. 2,232	The amount in column 8 includes an overcollection of Rs. 27.
					Current year	1,324	
						3,560	
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....			Insolvent.
20,311	983	.....	264	264	Previous year	122	
					Current year	1,2	
						264	
7,009	.....	.....	.....	.....
54,332	24,368	.....	15,370	15,370	Previous year	13,392	The amount in column 8 includes an overcollection of Rs. 29.
					Current year	1,978	
						15,370	
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....			Insolvent.
10,015	2,103	73	8,064	8,137	Previous year	5,639	
					Current year	2,298	

STATEMENT

Serial No.	Name of District.	Name of Estate.	Demands.			Collection.	
			Current.	Arrears.	Total.	On account of current year.	On account of arrears.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
			Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
	SOUTHERN DIVISION— <i>contd.</i>						
8	Belgaum	Kurbet Desgat	29,256	35,208	64,464	28,445	1,435
9	Do.	Nez Estate	408	.....	408	408	.....
10	Do.	Alaknur Desgat	376	.....	376	313	.....
11	Do.	Nerli Estate	803	.....	803	803	.....
12	Do.	Yadiballi Deshgat	10,716	4,118	14,834	10,470	1,654
13	Do.	Yargatti Desgat	10,863	Not known	10,863	10,863	.....
14	Do.	Hampannawar Estate	2,449	.....	2,419	2,449	.....
15	Do.	Hudli Estate	536	27	563	531	23
16	Do.	Patki Estate	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
			1,73,244	98,565	2,71,809	1,66,035	12,638
17	Bijapur	Tignibidri Estate	4,250	87	4,237	4,158	32
18	Ratnágiri	Nevalkar's Estate at Vijayadurg.	347	109	456	183	68
		Total, Southern Division.	1,77,841	98,711	2,76,552	1,70,376	12,988
		Grand Total	3,79,798	2,98,557	6,78,355	3,49,984	85,105

No. III—continued.

Total.	Amount written off.	Balance.			Details of balances.	Remarks
		Converted into bonds or decrees.	Others.	Total.		
9	10	11	12	13	14	15
Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	
29,930	7,679	26,888	26,888	<div>Previous year ... 26,685</div> <div>Current year ... 303</div> <div>26,888</div>	The amount in column 9 includes an overcollection of Rs. 33.
408	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
313	.....	.....	63	63	Current year 63
803	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
12,124	454	467	1,789	2,256	<div>Previous year ... 2,256</div> <div>Current year ... Nil</div> <div>2,256</div>	
10,863	.....	.....	.....	.....	Previous arrears are not known.
2,449	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
554	.....	.....	9	9	<div>Previous year ... 4</div> <div>Current year ... 5</div> <div>9</div>
.....	The estate came under management so late in the year that no figures are available.
1,73,923	36,428	510	56,007	56,547	<div>Previous arrears ... 5,0430</div> <div>Current year's arrears ... 6,117</div> <div>56,547</div>	
4,190	97	97	<div>Rs. a. p.</div> <div>2 8 0 of 1907-1908.</div> <div>2 8 0 of 1909-1910.</div> <div>92 0 0 of 1910-1911.</div> <div>97 0 0</div>	The amount in column 9 includes an overcollection of Rs. 89.
251	.....	.....	205	205	<div>Previous year ... 41</div> <div>Current year ... 164</div> <div>205</div>
1,83,364	36,428	510	56,309	56,849	<div>Previous year's arrears ... 50,476</div> <div>Current year's arrears ... 6,373</div> <div>56,849</div>	
8,85,089	93,695	11,673	1,87,987	1,99,660		

Statement showing progress made in Liquidation of Debt

Serial No.	Name of District.	Name of Estate.	Debts due on assumption of charge.	Debts incurred in previous years after charge was assumed.	Debts cleared off in previous years.						Balance of debt at the beginning of the year.
					By incurring other debts.	By sale of property.	Rejected by Court of Wards or Civil Court.	Remitted by Creditors.	From current revenue.	Total.	
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
		NORTHERN DIVISION.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
1	Ahmedabad.	Shah Alam Estate ...	12,268	...	...	...	.....	...	4,752	4,752	7,516
2		Badshahi Dewan Estate.	10,435	...	...	...	.....	...	...	...	10,435
3		Rozka Estate ...	104	...	...	...	.....	...	...	...	104
4		Bagad Estate ...	302	...	...	...	.....	...	302	302	...
5		Parabdi Estate ...	...	...	...	...	.....	...	...	...	...
6		Dhandhuka Estate ...	...	...	...	...	.....	...	...	...	...
7		Tagdi Vavdi Estate...	54,163	...	...	...	24,700	19,963	9,500	54,163	...
8		Hirapur Estate ...	1,27,945	...	...	...	.....	...	656	656	1,27,945
9		Naika Estate ...	1,737	...	...	...	.....	...	1,737	1,737	...
10		Kharanti Estate ...	...	...	...	...	.....	...	...	...	...
11		Nadiad Estate ...	5,661	...	...	...	1,167	2,109	696	3,972	1,689
12		Manjipura Estate ...	12,829	1,811	...	...	.....	...	1,575	1,575	13,645
13		Vanthvali Estate ...	8,739	...	...	...	.....	...	...	...	8,739
14		Mahij Estate ...	...	...	...	...	.....	...	...	...	...
15		Napad Estate ...	...	...	...	...	.....	...	...	...	...
16	Kaira.	Bhetasi Estate ...	3,744	...	...	...	.....	...	...	...	3,744
17		Jhanod ...	...	...	...	...	.....	...	...	...	...
18		Desai Estate ...	7,716	232	...	...	.....	...	7,848	7,848	10
19		Osara Estate ...	23,862	1,674	...	...	...	...	2,600	2,600	22,932
20		Salia, Khabda and Kotda Estate.	25,702	...	...	25,346	.....	...	...	25,346	356
21		Gadukpur Estate ...	10,338	...	...	...	.....	...	...	...	10,338
22		Mota Mandir Estate .	91,866	...	...	31,356	.....	...	43,436	74,792	17,074
23		Nagarsoth Estate ...	34,020	...	...	...	.....	...	20,319	20,319	13,701
24		Hariprasad Vishnu-prasad Estate.	5,750	...	...	3,592	.....	936	1,222	5,750	...
25		Shastri Estate ...	86,602	...	...	...	.....	30,980	...	50,980	35,622
26	Surat.	Kazi Estate ...	23,039	...	...	...	.....	...	...	...	23,039
		Total, Northern Division .	5,46,820	3,717	...	60,204	25,867	53,988	94,643	2,34,792	3,15,737

IV.

Court of Wards Estates during the year 1910-11.

Additional debts incurred during the year.	Debts paid off during current year.					Balance.	Date by which it was expected on assumption of management that estate would be clear of debt.	Remarks.
	By incurring fresh debts.	By sale of property.	Rejected by Court of Wards or Civil Court.	Remitted by creditors.	From current income.			
13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21
Rs. 979 (Interest)	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs. 5,493	Rs. 3,000	1913	* This does not represent the amount of debt really due by the estate. The creditors' accounts are being examined under the Dekkhan Agriculturists' Relief Act.
.....	10,435	1912	
.....	104	.....	.....
.....	
.....	
.....	} Vide remarks in Statement I.
.....	
.....	3,541	1,23,748	More than 20 years.	+ Claim allowed to be submitted under section 14 (3) of the Court of Wards Act.
.....	
.....	
800†	103	350	160	1,676	1914-15	
.....	2,478	.....	1,760	8,827	1920-21	
100 (Interest)	2,479	1,254	414	4,692	1918-19	Vide remarks in Statement I. The estate has been recently taken under management and notice under section 14 (1) of the Act has not yet been issued.
.....	
.....	
.....	1,013	.....	2,701	1916-17	
.....	
91 (Cost of suit)	191	The debt will be paid up when the funds become available probably this year. Arrangements are being made to pay off the debts by sale of moveable property.
.....	86	22,000	1939-40	
.....	856	.....
.....	673	9,000	.....
240 (Interest)	17,074	.....
.....	5,197	8,504	There is no debt other than the Government loan which is to be paid up according to the settled scheme. A suit is pending in Civil Court, the decision in which will determine the exact amount of debt due on the mortgage and then it will be considered how the debt should be liquidated.
.....	
10,000	40,000	12,994	.....	.....	2,628	40,000	.....
.....	39	23,000 (approximate)	.....
.....	
42,210	40,000	18,191	5,060	2,647	15,014	2,77,013	

Serial No.	Name of District.	Name of Estate.	Debts due on assumption of charge.	Debts incurred in previous years after charge was assumed.	Debts settled in previous years.						Balance of debt at the beginning of year.
					By incurring other debts.	By sale of property.	Rejected by Court of Wards or Civil Court.	Remitted by Creditors.	From current revenue.	Total.	
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
		CENTRAL DIVISION.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
1	Ahmednagar.	Javale Jahagirdar's estate.	5,425	...	...	...	.....	...	...	...	5,425
2	East Khândesh.	Bhusaval Inámdár's estate.	80,538	833	...	...	5,143	1,885	8,342	15,370	65,20
3		Gorwádkar estate ...	...	...	...	...	.....	...	...	...	.....
4		Raisingpur estate ...	167	...	...	...	.....	18	149	167	.....
5	West Khândesh.	Kathi ...	15,589	...	...	...	.....	...	...	...	15,58
6	Násik.	Malegaon Rajebahadár's estate.	*78,629	3,000	..	...	.....	...	100	100	81,55
7		Pingle of Trimbak ...	12,398	...	...	...	.....	...	...	...	12,39
8	Poona.	The late Shri Balha Maharaj of Poona.	...	...	...	...	.....	...	...	...	.....
9		Potnis estate ..	99,721	...	...	...	.....	...	1,517	1,517	98,2
10		Raste estate ...	...	...	...	...	.....	...	...	...	.....
11	Sátara.	Thorat estate ...	92,699 Details : 92,703 626	...	...	...	1,905	...	...	1,905	90,7
12		Ghadge estate ...	92,699 59,504 Details : 36,285 23,219	...	...	...	...	...	6,000	6,000	59,5
13		Gujar ...	59,504 43,633	...	...	...	.....	...	...	...	43,6
14	Sholápur.	Babane estate ...	183,010	...	...	...	.....	50	50	100	182,5
		Total, Central Division ...	5,71,313	3,333	...	...	7,048	1,953	16,158	25,159	5,42,1

IV—continued.

Additional debts incurred during the year.	Debts settled during current year.					Balance.	Date by which it was expected on assumption of management that estate would be clear of debt.	Remarks.
	By incurring fresh debts.	By sale of property.	Rejected by Court of Wards or Civil Court.	Remitted by creditors.	From current income.			
13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21
Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.		
.....	5,425	16 years, i.e., in 1926 ...	Vide remark against column 15 in Statement I.
...	65,501	1919 A. D.	
.....	There are no debts to the estate.
.....	
.....	15,589	As the late Chieftain did not keep any accounts of his debts they are yet to be settled. Probable date by which the estate will be free from debt cannot therefore be as- certained.	
* 2,000	47,123	21,581	1,665	13,160	About the year 1935 ...	* The figure of Rs. 50,000 reported last year was a rough estimate. The actual old debt was found to be Rs. 78,629.
.....	12,398	About 1955 A. D.	
.....	
50,000	49,006	1,517	.....	47,681	6,185	43,815	1930 A. D.	
.....	There are no debts to the estate.
...	14,109	909	12,604	63,172	.....
.....	18,262	.....	5,000	30,242	About 12 years.	
.....	43,633	About 20 years.	
.....	82,910	The estate was hopelessly involved and was there- fore given up.	† The figure of Rs. 78,125 reported last year was a rough estimate. The figures now supplied are final.
52,000	49,006	1,517	79,494	70,171	25,454	3,75,845		

Serial No.	Name of District.	Name of Estate.	Debts due on assumption of charge.	Debts incurred in previous years after charge was assumed.	Debts settled in previous years.						Balance of debt at the beginning of year.
					By incurring other debts.	By sale of property.	Rejected by Court of Wards or Civil Court.	Remitted by Creditors.	From current income.	Total.	
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
		SOUTHERN DIVISION.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
1	Belgaum.	Koujalgi Desgat ...	37,304 1,180	...	...	...	.....	...	34,433	34,433	2,571 1,180
2		Venkatrao Konher Astekar's estate.	61,837	...	...	...	.....	...	...	...	61,837
3		Nipani Desgat ...	2,21,818 727	1,75,800	1,75,000	...	.....	32,979	5,728	2,13,707	1,83,911 727
4		Kokatnur Desgat ...	54,759 300	30,000	21,471	...	2,000	12,815	160	26,446	48,313 300
5		Sirsangi Desgat ...	71,951	...	...	...	.....	198	66,627	66,825	5,124
6		Narsingrao Konher Astekar's estate.	1,75,529	205	...	...	.....	...	205	205	1,75,529
7		Kowad Desgat ...	2,746	...	...	...	752	...	1,844	2,596	100
8		Kurbet Desgat ...	47,679 75,514	1,361	...	...	.....	...	3,517	3,517	45,523 75,514
9		Fej estate ...	21,563	96	...	...	.....	...	54	54	21,659
10		Alakhnur Desgat ...	26,445	56	...	...	.....	...	137	137	26,389
11		Nerli estate ...	...	60	...	...	.....	...	60	60	.....
12		Yadiballi estate ...	...	...	...	...	.....	...	...	...	.....
13		Yargatti Deshgat ..	...	...	...	...	.....	...	...	...	.....
14		Hampan Nawar estate.	...	...	...	...	.....	...	...	...	.....
15		Hudli estate ...	338	...	...	...	.....	...	...	...	33
16		Pakki estate ...	...	...	...	...	.....	...	...	...	.....
		Original liabilities ...	7,21,969	2,07,578	1,96,471	...	2,752	45,992	1,12,765	3,57,980	5,71,500
		Claims received during the year.	77,721								77,721
			7,99,690								6,49,221
17	Bijapur ...	Tignibidri estate ...	26,796 885 53	25,000	23,699	...	.....	3,097	2,000 559	Tagai. 29,355	23,000 379 Tagai.
			27,734						2,559		23,370
		Original liabilities ..	7,49,703	2,32,578	2,20,170	...	2,752	49,089	1,15,324	3,87,335	5,94,906
		Claims received during the year.	77,721								77,721
		Total ...	8,27,424								6,72,627
	Total, S. D.	Grand Total ...	19,45,557	2,39,628	2,20,170	60,294	35,667	1,05,030	2,26,125	6,47,286	15,31,500

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From

M. WEBB, ESQUIRE, I. C. S.,

COURT OF WARDS FOR THE PROVINCE OF SIND;

To

THE COMMISSIONER IN SIND.

I have the honour to submit the annual report on the working of the management of private estates by the Court of Wards for the year ending 31st July 1911.

2. When the year opened, there were 62 estates under management. Twenty-four new estates were admitted during the year and one was released on the owner attaining his majority. There were therefore 85 estates under management at the close of the year.

Of the new estates, eleven were transferred from the guardianship of the Collectors and District Judges, and 13 were admitted on applications made to the Court of Wards direct.

At the opening of the year 15 applications for superintendence were pending, and 54 more were received during the course of the year, making a total number of 69 for disposal. Of these 48 were disposed of during the year, 13 estates being admitted and 35 rejected. Six more have been disposed of since, only one estate being admitted.

3. In spite of the increase in the number of estates under management, the income from rents of land shows a decrease from Rs. 2,03,594 to Rs. 1,82,523. Most estates show an increased income under this head, and the apparent decrease is due to the fact that about Rs. 30,000 received from the Collector of Lárkána in 1909-10 to be credited to estate No. 25 were shown as rents for that year, whereas they appear to have been realised from the produce of 1908-09. There has however been a real decrease in the income of some of the Lárkána estates owing to the increase of assessment under the new settlement.

4. Expenditure shows an increase of Rs. 37,422 over last year. This is partly due to the larger number of estates under management and partly to the fact that the expenses of management for last year have been debited and recovered this year.

5. The rents collected are smaller in proportion to the demand than last year. The results are however more creditable to the collecting agency than would appear from the figures in Statement III. Out of a total demand of Rs. 1,95,967 for the year under report and Rs. 12,557 on account of arrears, the balances uncollected on July 31st were Rs. 22,414 and Rs. 3,557, respectively, or in all Rs. 26,001. Of this amount Rs. 10,500 were under postponement, Rs. 3,000 are due from one estate to another, Rs. 5,936 are due from a rich but recalcitrant zamindár of the Lárkána District, against whom special measures will probably have to be taken, and Rs. 2,783 have since been recovered. The balance under normal process of recovery is only Rs. 3,782, an amount which calls for no special notice.

Some progress has been made in the recovery of old debts, Rs. 17,354 having been collected. The recovery of such debts, which are generally small and are often disputed, is not easy, and several methods are under trial in the hope of finding one that is both successful and economical.

6. Government dues on account of assessment for the year under report amounted to Rs. 79,173. Rs. 9,475 were also due on account of arrears of assessment and Rs. 776 on account of takávi instalments. Out of the total of Government revenue, cesses and rates,

Rs. 89,724, Rs. 84,177 were paid during the year, leaving a balance of Rs. 5,547 as under :—

Assessment	...	...	...	...	Rs. 4,771
Takávi	...	...	...	...	776

7. The cost of management for 1909-10 which was recovered this year was Rs. 13,083, the percentage on the gross income being 7.92.

Advances granted to cultivators. 8. Rs. 1,020 were advanced for cultivation expenses. The balance of Rs. 17 outstanding at the end of last year has been recovered.

Maintenance and education of Wards. 9. The total amount of Rs. 27,504 shown under this head was spent as under :—

Cash for maintenance	...	...	...	Rs. 25,402
Produce adjusted to maintenance	...	...	...	730
Education charges	...	...	...	1,372

There are 96 male wards whose estates are under management. Of these 32 are not of school-going age, and 59 are receiving education of some sort, including two, who are reading the Koran. Five only are not studying at all, and arrangements have now been made to send two of these to school.

10. The progress made in the repayment of debt is shown in statement IV which needs no comment. As the income that may be expected from each estate becomes clearer in the course of management, arrangements are being made to pay off interest-bearing debts by loans raised at a lower rate of interest. Considerable progress in this direction is hoped for during the coming year.

Sixty-four claims were filed during the year for a total amount of Rs. 60,003. Of these 37 were decided, Rs 43,263 being allowed. Twenty-seven were pending at the close of the year, of which 9 were awaiting the receipt of a legal opinion, 4 the settlement of some complicated shop accounts, and nearly all the rest had been filed after the end of the touring season and will be decided when a hearing can be fixed at a convenient distance for the parties.

11. The invested balance is larger than that of last year by nearly Rs. 93,000, but there is still an uninvested balance of two' and a quarter lakhs. A large part of this must be kept in hand to meet the current expenses of estates, but even of the sum thus kept it has been found possible to invest a portion in fixed deposits for short periods with the Bank of Bombay, now that the Remembrancer of Legal Affairs has ruled that the Court of Wards is not a trustee within the meaning of section 3 of the Indian Trusts Act. Under the same ruling advances are being made from the richer estates to those estates under the Manager and Court of Wards which require them.

As in the Incumbered Estates office, the experiment has been tried with your permission of recording and filing correspondences on a system of currents suggested by Mr. F. G. Pratt, I. C. S. The experiment appears to have been a complete success, and it is hoped that it will render impossible the accumulation of unfiled and unsorted records which has occurred in the office of the Manager.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your most obedient servant,

M. WEBB,

Court of Wards for the Province of Sind.

STATEMENT No. I.

STATEMENT

Statement showing the general position of each Estate

Serial No.	Name of District.	Name of Estate.	Name of Wards.	Date and ground on which management was assumed.	Age of Ward.	Total area of the Estate.	Cultivated area.		
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8		
					Years.	Acres.	Acres.		
1	Karachi	Tarumal	Tarumal, son of Jethomal. Rajhumal, son of Dhaman-mal. Mamabai, daughter of Kakumal. Totalbai, daughter of Kakumal.	..... ..... Transferred to estate serial No. 9 (vide Commissioner in Sind's No. 560, dated 31st October 1910).	25 17 ..... .....	..... ..... ..... .....	..... ..... ..... .....
2	Do.	Abdulla	Abdulla, son of Ahmed ... Allabdino, son of Rahim-khan.	Transferred from Collector under section 6 of Bombay Act I of 1905, 1st February 1910.	22 20	111	96		
3	Do.	Yar Mahomed	Yar Mahomed, son of Tayab.		10			109	71
4	Do.	Fatma	Bibi Fatma, daughter of Assudalla Shah.		13			193	74
5	Do.	Gulam Murtaza	Gulam Murtaza Shah, son of Sayad Mahomed Shah.		8			3,159	1,475
6	Do.	Mamun	Mamun valad Saleh Mahomed. Zainah, daughter of Falch Mahomed.		15 11			196	136
7	Do.	Shahabudin Shah	Shahabudin Shah valad Satabo Shah.	16	1,102	765			
8	Do.	Ghulam Mahomed	Ghulam Mahomed, son of Haji Abdullah.	Transferred under section 6 of Act I of 1905 (Commissioner's sanction dated 27th June 1910).	13	81	31		
9	Do.	Mamabai	Mamabai, daughter of Kakumal. Totalbai, daughter of Kakumal.		17 15	.....	.....
Total			4,951	2,578
10	Hyderabad	Ahmadalikhan	Ahmadalikhan, son of Chakarkhan.	Commissioner in Sind's order, dated 27th June 1910.	11	441	145		
11	Do.	Hyderali	Hyderali valad Gulam Akbar.		9	398	137		
12	Do.	Bijar Khan	Bijarkhan Mahomad-khan.		14	497	223		
13	Do.	Gulam Rasul	Gulam Rasul valad Ali Nawaz Khan.		8	596	141		
14	Do.	Sajan	Sajan valad Alibaksh ...		19	335	23		
15	Do.	Fakirmahomed	Fakir Mahomed valad Mahomedali.	Transferred under section 6 of Act I of 1905, 1st February 1910.	15	208	169		
16	Do.	Jeram	Jeram valad Kirpal ...		17	65	49		
17	Do.	Bhugro	Bhugro valad Towar ...		9	161	34		
18	Do.	Misri	Misri valad Gulam Mahomed.		8	367	154		
19	Do.	Abdul Hakim	Abdul Hakim, son of Mahomed Khan. Allahobhayo, son of Mahomed Khan. Nurmahomed valad Mahomed Khan.		21 17 15	79	30		
20	Do.	Mirza Ali Akbar Beg.	Mirza Ali Akbar Khan ... Mahomed Hussein Beg ... Hassan Beg ... Musamat Benn Begum ... " Zainu Nissa ... " Firoz Begum ... " Mahir Nissa ...	Commissioner in Sind's sanction, dated 26th May 1908 (the wards being declared incapable of managing their affairs). 23 20 10 63 48 18 13	2,190			82	

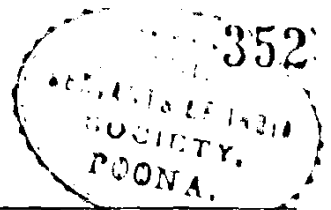
under Government management for the year 1910-11.

Uncultivated area.	Total assessment.	Total Land Revenue Demand including cesses.	Total gross income recovered.	Total gross expenditure.	Balance.		Total liabilities.	Remarks.
					Invested.	Uninvested.		
9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17
Acres.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	
...	.....	335	987	10,985	...	6,523	.....	Superintendent of the estate of Tarnood withdrawn.
...	
...	
...	
15	201	801	833	523	...	3,103	.....
38	138	287	100	164	...	564	.....
119	301	691	801	1,073	800	504	.....
1,684	2,496	4,469	4,436	4,577	...	2,255	.....
70	215	466	466	690	...	523	.....
397	1,271	3,262	3,257	10,288	...	1,334	.....
50	180	279	465	180	...	285	.....
...	.....	147	164	370	...	4,557	.....	Difference in the figure of area shown last year (1900-10) and that in the current year is due to the errors since rectified.
2,373	4,772	10,737	11,509	23,740	800	19,651	.....
296	872	919	919	781	...	181	.....
201	677	1,505	1,505	1,083	...	422	.....
274	579	1,492	1,479	1,239	...	240	.....
455	390	1,160	1,109	614	...	405	.....
362	55	265	276	374	...	863	.....
39	567	1,252	1,266	701	...	1,761	.....
16	80	269	261	242	...	236	.....
127	126	275	851	728	15,140	2,155	.....
213	449	981	1,040	620	...	1,047	...	
49	91	284	274	827	...	527	.....
1,321	2,715	9,780	8,667	9,150	...	893	124	The name shown in the last year's statement was a mistake.

STATEMENT

Serial No.	Name of District.	Name of Estate.	Name of Wards.	Date and ground on which management was assumed.	Age of Ward.	Total area of the estate.	Cultivated area.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
					Years.	Acres.	Acres.
21	Hyderabad— <i>continued.</i>	Ali Nawaz ...	Ali Nawaz valad Khudabaksh.	Commissioner's sanction, dated 26th January 1910.	10	301	165
22	Do.	Kabul Fazul ...	Kabul valad Fazul ...	Transferred from Collector, Hyderabad, under section 6 of Act I 1905 (Commissioner's No. 25, dated 12th January 1911).	22	257	133
		Fakir Mahomed Fazul.	Fakir Mahomed valad Fazul.		15		
		Saleh Fazul ...	Saleh valad Fazul ...		12		
23	Do.	Ramkishen ...	Ramkishen valad Menghraj.	Transferred under section 6 of Act I of 1905 (Commissioner's No. 116, dated 4th March 1911).	13	301	92
			Talsidas valad Jamnadas.		8		
			Jamnabai, daughter of Jamnadas.		6		
24	Do.	Tirithdas ...	Tirithdas valad Manikrai.	Commissioner's No. 169, dated 30th March 1911.	16	...	No
25	Do.	Budhal Shah ...	Budhal Shah valad Usman Shah.	Commissioner's No. 276, dated 22nd May 1911.	8	.....	.....
26	Do.	Udhavdas ...	Udhavdas valad Chotawal.	Lunacy Act XXXV of 1858 (Commissioner's No. 400, dated the 28th June 1911).	.....	.. ..	.....
			Total ..		.....	6,246	2,424
27	Thar and Parkar.	Ahmedali Shah ...	Ahmedali Shah valad Mahomedali Shah.	Transferred under section 6 of Act I of 1905, 1st February 1910.	17	168	115
			Musamat Basran, daughter of Kurhamali Shah.		13		
28	Do.	Nihal Khan ...	Nihal Khan valad Jurio Khan.		17	3,029	879
			Musamat Rasti, daughter of Jurio Khan.		16		
			Musamat Huri, daughter of Jurio Khan.		7		
29	Do.	Sayad Khan ...	Ahsanali Khan, son of Jurio Khan.	Transferred under section 6 of Act I of 1905, 1st February 1910.	13	1,408	519
			Sayad Khan valad Kamal Khan.		14		
			Musamat Janat, daughter of Kamal Khan.		8		
30	Do.	Khudadost ...	Khudadost valad Nabi Bux.		13	1,844	689
			Musamat Kakim, daughter of Nabi Bux.		12		
31	Do.	Dhaniparto ...	Dhaniparto valad Mahomed Hayat.	Commissioner's sanction No. 100, dated 24th February 1911.	8	.....	New
32	Do.	Samun ...	Samun valad Iso ...	Commissioner's sanction No. 171, dated 30th March 1911.	9	.....	.....
33	Do.	Hasraj ...	Hasraj valad Ramchand...	Commissioner's sanction No. 298, dated 1st June 1911.	10	.....	.....
			Isar valad Tilak ...		8		
			Total ...		.....	6,468	2,432
34	Larkana	Gokaldas ...	Gokaldas Mevaldas ...	Transferred under section 6 of Act I of 1905, 1st February 1910.	15	21,965	8,422
35	Do.	Wahidbux ...	Wahidbux, son of Illahibux.		13		
			Nabibux, son of Illahibux.		10		
36	Do.	Amarsing ...	Amarsing valad Khushiram.		15	88	34

I—continued.



Uncultivat- ed area.	Total assessment.	Total Land Revenue Demand including cesses.	Total gross income recovered.	Total gross expenditure.	Balance.		Total liabilities.	Remarks.
					Invested.	Uninvested.		
9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17
Acres.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	
136	512	1,117	1,119	697	...	606	.....
124	334	494	494	352	...	196	.....
209	189	2,999	2,881	8,523	...	—590	95	Difference in the figure of area shown last year (1909-10) and that in the current year is due to the errors since rectified.
produce.	.....	68	243	.....	...	243	.....
...	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	.....	No produce.
...	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	.....	Do.
3,822	7,136	22,860	22,884	20,471	16,140	9,275	219	
73	444	794	802	906	...	555	124	
2,149	3,079	8,779	8,864	4,631	...	11,582	.....
859	1,560	2,848	2,878	2,109	...	2,855	.....
955	3,261	6,052	6,933	3,261	...	3,672	.....
estate.	1,008	1,225	1,215	740	...	475	.....	Difference in the figure of area shown last year (1909-10) and that in the current year is due to the errors since rectified.
Do.	174	174	149	149	...	.....	.....
Do.	68	63	.....	74	...	7,112	.....
4,038	9,592	19,935	20,841	11,870	...	28,251	124	
2,099	3,530	9,324	10,826	6,245	16,640	17,046	.....
13,543	31,444	73,094	70,193	54,657	56,700	58,108	.....
4	115	859	872	1,541	1,604	3,855	.....

STATEMENT

Serial No.	Name of District.	Name of Estate.	Name of Wards.	Date and ground on which management was assumed.	Age of Ward.	Total area of the estate.	Cultivated area.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
					Years.	Acres.	Acres.
37	Larkana—contd.	Wahidbaksh	Wahidbaksh valad Snjawal	Transferred under section 6 of Act I of 1905, 1st February 1910.	20	14	12
38	Do.	Sidik	Sidik valad Yako		12	26	25
39	Do.	Parusing	Parusing valad Manjsing.		9	56	24
			Salamatrai valad Manjsing.		7		
40	Do.	Ali Hassan	Ali Hassan valad Dost Mahomed.		16	1,733	722
			Mst. Zeina, daughter of Dost Mahomed.		14		
41	Do.	Sher Mahomed	Sher Mahomed valad Gulam Hyder.		16	709	368
42	Do.	Piral	Piral valad Allahbayo		16	98	84
			Azim valad do.		8		
43	Do.	Sadhu	Sadhu valad Sital		14	49	49
44	Do.	Bachan	Mst. Bachan, daughter of Khudabux.		20	.....	Discharged appointed, June
45	Do.	Allahwaryo	Allahwaryo valad Khudabaksh.		17	83	68
			Makbul do.		14		
46	Do.	Rewachand	Revachand Tavarmal		18	154	81
47	Do.	Ahmed	Ahmed valad Yusif		18	653	366
48	Do.	Nek Mahomed	Mst. Alam Khatun, daughter of Darbun Khan.		19	529	381
			Nek Mahomed valad Gulam Mahomed.		3		
			Mst. Janat, daughter of Gulam Mahomed.		5		
49	Do.	Imambaksh	Imambaksh valad Ali Navaz		18	172	150
50	Do.	Mahomed Saleh	Mahomed Saleh valad Saindad.		11	59	33
51	Do.	Do.	Mahomed Saleh valad Mato.		11	22	20
			Mst. Mithan, daughter of Mato.		13		
			Shah Mahomed valad Mato.		9	25	12
52	Do.	Mst. Bachi	Mst. Bachi, daughter of Allahando.		11		
			Mst. Begum, daughter of Allahando.		17		
			Mst. Nurkhatun, daughter of Allahando.		9		
53	Do.	Sabbro	Haji Sabbro, son of Razikdin.	Commissioner's sanction, dated 17th March 1910.	8	165	99
54	Do.	Thariomal	Thariomal Topanmal	Commissioner's sanction, dated 2nd May 1910.	17	Under dispute.	
55	Do.	Mahomed Massood	Mahomed Massood valad Khush Mahomed.	Commissioner in Sind's No. 109, dated 18th March 1909, on application under section 9.	28	75	24
			Khalr Mahomed valad Khush Mahomed.		24		
			Abdulla valad Khush Mahomed.		14		
			Mst. Janat, wife of Khush Mahomed.		57		
			Mst. Sardarkhatun, daughter of Khush Mahomed.		17		
56	Do.	Amrah Khatun	Amrah Khatun, daughter of Gulam Hyder.	Commissioner in Sind's sanction, dated 27th June 1910.	11	116	104

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Uncultivated area.	Total assessment.	Total Land Revenue Demand including cesses.	Total gross income recovered.	Total gross expenditure.	Balance.		Total Liabilities.	Remarks.
					Invested.	Uninvested.		
9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17
Acres.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	
2	48	298	301	273	...	270	.....
1	90	418	290	318	...	968	.....
32	75	331	334	271	...	354	2,580	
1,011	2,876	6,938	7,223	9,387	30,908	8,343	.....
323	1,174	4,222	3,381	2,933	8,433	3,826	.....
14	406	906	918	648	...	1,230	.....
...	142	392	400	301	...	797	1,225	
under section 40 and her husband dian under section 41 of Act I of 1905.			389	8,173	...	103	.....
15	206	376	378	350	...	219	.....
73	272	554	594	672	...	228	1,782	
287	525	3,585	2,173	2,330	...	6,393	.....
148	1,843	2,317	9,017	2,630	7,240	15,645	.....
22	642	1,444	704	734	...	5,322	.....
26	125	872	738	341	...	242	1,217	
2	130	350	355	299	...	440	.....
13	46	91	91	51	...	40	.....
66	344	591	572	453	...	149	.....
...	141	144	268	152	...	214	.....
51	97	195	895	452	...	266	.....
12	437	1,079	1,020	779	...	241	.....

Serial No.	Name of District.	Name of Estate.	Name of Wards.	Date and ground on which management was assumed.	Age of Ward.	Total area of the estate.	Cultivated area.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
					Years.	Acres.	Acres.
57	Larkana—contd.	Lachmibai	... Lachmibai daughter of Ruchandmal.	Transferred under section 6 of Act I of 1905. Commissioner's No. 831, dated 21st June 1910.	2	136	108
58	Do.	... Aratmal	... Aratmal valad Bashomal.	Transferred under section 6 of Act I of 1905 Commissioner in Sind's sanction No. 600, dated 7th December 1910.	11	.....	.....
59	Do.	... Darya Khatum	... Darya Khatum, daughter of Kadirbuz.	Commissioner in Sind's No. 20, dated 10th January 1911.	8	92	61
60	Do.	... Mirishah	... Mirishah valad Lalshah.	Commissioner in Sind's sanction No. 101, dated 24th February 1911.	3	Newly	came under
			Mahomedshah valad Lalshah.		1		
			Janat, daughter of Lalshah.		2		
Total ...					.....	80,037	12,224
61	Sukkur	... Gulam Kadir	... Gulam Kadir valad Gulam Hyder.	Transferred under section 6 of Act I of 1905, on 1st February 1910.	18	2,504	1,337
62	Do.	... Dharamdas	... Dharamdas valad Kalland.		16	21	21
			Sabbraj Do. ...		14		
			Devidas Do. ...		12		
63	Do.	... Gulam Mustafa	... Gulam Mustafa valad Azimshah.		21	1,350	419
			Arbab Shahvalad Azimshah.		19		
64	Do.	... Pirdino	... Pirdino Shah valad Khair Mahomed Shah.		11	375	64
			Nawazalishah valad Khair Mahomed Shah.		10		
65	Do.	... Nawazali	... Nawazali valad Fakir Khair Mahomed.		15	173	77
			Hassanalli valad Fakir Khair Mahomed		13		
			Mumtazali valad Fakir Khair Mahomed.		9		
			Mst. Hakma, daughter of Fakir Khair Mahomed.		16	162	48
66	Do.	... Abdul Khalik	... Abdulkhalik valad Mahomed Hassan.		15		
			Mst. Gulam, daughter of Mahomed Hassan.		28		
			Mst. Sabih, daughter of Mahomed Hassan.		24		
			Mst. Vaziran, daughter of Mahomed Hassan.		22		
67	Do.	... Hadibaksh	... Hadibaksh valad Rasulbaksh.		15	No	.....
68	Do.	... Harun Khan	... Harun Khan valad Abdul Halim.		16	72	69
			Mst. Shuhai, daughter of Abdul Halim.		18		
69	Do.	... Mir Hassan	... Mir Hassan valad Nur Shah.		11	169	68
70	Do.	... Gulam Hyder	... Gulam Hyder valad Pir Ali Mahomed Shah.		6	1,118	500
			Bibi Alam Khatun, daughter of Pir Ali Md. Shah.		10		
			Bibi Atibah Khatun, daughter of Pir Ali Mahomed Shah.		8		

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Uncultivat ed area.	Total assessment.	Total Land Revenue Demand including cesses.	Total gross income recovered.	Total gross expenditure.	Balance.		Total liabilities.	Remarks.
					Invested.	Uninvested.		
9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17
Acres.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	
28	466	1,557	1,557	616	...	1,589	746	
...	94	265	265	158	...	724	222	
41	334	369	369	334	...	35	297	
Superintendence.		85	85	.....	...	85	60	
17,813	45,602	1,10,606	1,14,168	95,098	1,21,325	1,20,737	8,129	
1,167	5,189	9,450	9,844	12,838	4,000	18,809	.....
...	37	1,513	2,695	2,202	27,500	1,651	.....
931	1,363	8,019	2,526	2,591	...	8,188	447	
811	241	471	529	1,172	...	1,061	4,330	
96	881	1,004	1,074	629	...	1,168	4,709	
114	200	440	569	835	732	510	.....
le land.		491	580	1,073	...	297	.....
8	317	1,033	1,052	642	...	2,096	.....
41	169	340	345	331	...	118	.....
549	1,915	4,273	4,297	2,268	...	5,135	.....

STATEMENT

Serial No.	Name of District.	Name of Estate.	Name of Wards.	Date and ground on which management was assumed.	Age of Ward.	Total area of the estate.	Cultivated area.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
					Year.	Acres.	Acres.
71	Sukkur—contd.	Jumanmal	Jumanmal valad Teekchand. Pokarmal valad Teekchand. Piriomal valad Teekchand.		15 13 8	102	70
72	Do.	Shewo	Shewo valad Pamandas ... Narsain valad Pamandas ...	Transferred under section 6 of Act 1 of 1905. Commissioner in Sind's sanction, dated 21st June 1910.	12 8	No arable land.	
73	Do.	Matiomal	Matiomal valad Dolahdinomal.	Commissioner in Sind's sanction, dated 22nd August 1910.	16	56	12
74	Do.	Menghraj	Menghraj valad Bherumal. Jagumal valad Bherumal. Sukhibai, daughter of Bherumal.	Commissioner in Sind's sanction, dated 14th September 1910.	6 4 9	No arable land.	
75	Do.	Abdul Rahim	Abdul Rahim valad Din Mahamad.		15	422	168
76	Do.	Abdul Wahib	Abdul Wahib valad Hakim Khan. Jan Mahamad valad Hakim Khan. Shah Mahamad valad Hakim Khan. Gulam Nabi valad Hakim Khan. Ayab valad Hakim Khan. Musamat Vazir, daughter of Hakim Khan.	Transferred under section 6 of Act 1 of 1905. Commissioner in Sind's sanction, dated 18th October 1910.	12 10 8 4 2 6	78	77
77	Do.	Musamat Mugal	Musamat Mugal, daughter of Paid Khan.	Commissioner in Sind's sanction, dated 10th November 1910.	12	New Estate.	
78	Do.	Nabibux	Do. Sakhi, daughter of Paid Khan. Nabibux valad Khudabux.	Commissioner in Sind's sanction, dated 19th December 1910.	6 7	New Estate.	
				Total ..		6,572	2,999
79	Upper Frontier.	Sind Banumal	Banumal valad Tahimal.		14	253	74
80	Do.	Khawandbux	Khawandbux valad Hamid. Rasulbux valad Hamid ..	Transferred under section 6 of Act I of 1905 on 1st February 1910.	19 17	461	140
81	Do.	Khush Mahomed	Khush Mahomed valad Kadurbux.		14	337	108
82	Do.	Mahran Khan	Mahran Khan valad Pirbux.		19	620	145
83	Do.	Mahomed Bux	Mahomed Bux valad Juma Khan.	Commissioner in Sind's sanction, dated 19th May 1910.	13	247	70
84	Do.	Gulabsing	Gulabsing valad Ganeshsing. Puransing valad Ganeshsing.	Transferred under section 6. Commissioner in Sind's sanction, dated 21st June 1910.	19 18	No arable land.	
85	Do.	Gulam Hassan	Gulam Hassan valad Mevo Khan.	Commissioner in Sind's sanction No. 170, dated 30th March 1911.	7	.....	New
86	Do.	Sheikh Abdul Hakim.	Abdul Hakim valad Abdul Hamid Khan.	Commissioner in Sind's sanction No. 325, dated 9th June 1911.	11	New
				Total ..		1,918	597
				Grand Total ..		56,192	23,254

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Uncultivat- ed area.	Total assessment.	Total Land Revenue Demand including cesses.	Total gross income recovered.	Total gross expenditure.	Balance.		Total liabilities.	Remarks.
					Invested.	Uninvested.		
9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17
Acres.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	
32	610	1,868	1,580	1,173	...	1,340	.....
...	.....	240	1,873	992	42,325	192	.....
44	59	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	93	
...	.....	.....	.....	20	1,017	8,127	24,421	
284	403	2,183	1,359	550	...	3,299	.....
1	359	1,419	1,147	754	...	430	1,845	
...	15	15	15	15	...	86	.....
...	132	816	816	147	2,807	169	.....
3,573	11,390	28,070	29,801	27,732	78,381	47,126	35,845	
179	192	399	812	207	...	407	.....
321	367	713	625	653	...	1,206	.....
169	468	999	1,021	636	...	2,341	.....
475	563	1,066	1,325	812	...	1,209	.....
177	167	582	388	279	...	109	691	
...	.....	.....	272	460	11,705	—102	.....
Estate.	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	.....
Estate.	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	.....
1,321	1,757	8,759	3,943	3,047	11,705	5,260	891	
32,938	80,249	1,95,967	2,02,646	1,66,953	2,23,551	2,28,300	45,208	

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STATEMENT
Statement showing Receipts and Charges of Estates

Serial No.	Name of District.	Name of Estate.	Closing balance of last year.	Receipts.							Gross Receipts.
				Rents of land.	Other dues.	Miscellaneous receipts.	Interest.	Total gross income.	Debts recovered.	Loans received.	
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
1	Karachi	Tarumal	Rs. 16,421	Rs. 466	Rs.	Rs.	Rs. 531	Rs. 987	Rs.	Rs.	
2	Do.	Abdullah	2,796	801			32	833			
3	Do.	Yar Mahomed	628	93			7	100			
4	Do.	Musmat Fatma	1,576	705			36	801			
5	Do.	Gulam Murtaza	2,396	4,403			28	4,436			
6	Do.	Mamun	737	457			9	466			
7	Do.	Shahabuddinshah	1,365	3,257				3,257		7,000	
8	Do.	Gulam Mahomed		465				465			
9	Do.	Mamabai	(a) 4,763	164				164			
		Total, Karachi District	30,682	10,668			643	11,509		7,000	
1	Hyderabad	Nurza Ali Akbarbeg	3,965	8,621		46		8,667		12,000	
2	Do.	Ali Nawaz	184	1,117			3	1,119			
3	Do.	Ahmedali Khan	43	919				919			
4	Do.	Hyderali Khan		1,505				1,505			
5	Do.	Bijar Khan	-200	1,479				1,479	200		
6	Do.	Ghulam Rasul		1,109				1,109			
7	Do.	Sajan	961	265			11	276			
8	Do.	Fakir Mahomed	1,193	1,252			14	1,266			
9	Do.	Jeram	217	259			2	261			
10	Do.	Bhugro	17,594	285			566	851	578		
11	Do.	Misri	827	1,031			9	1,040			
12	Do.	Abdul Hakim	430	268			6	274	100		
13	Do.	Kabub	(b) 54	494				494			
14	Do.	Ramkrishna		2,881				2,881	52		
15	Do.	Tiribdas		68		175		243			
16	Do.	Budhahshah									
17	Do.	Udhandas									
		Total, Hyderabad District	25,321	21,553		221	610	22,384	830	12,000	
1	Larkana	Mahomed Masand	-73	195		700		895			
2	Do.	Gokaldas	29,175	10,014		20	792	10,826	661		
3	Do.	Wahidbaksh Bhuto	(c) 1,15,853	68,181		86	3,931	70,198	2,735		
4	Do.	Amarsing	3,380	804			68	872	2,855		
5	Do.	Wahidbaksh Bijawal	242	208			3	301			
6	Do.	Sidik Yako	996	278			12	290			
7	Do.	Parusing	291	331			3	334			
8	Do.	Ali Hassan	39,410	4,945			2,283	7,223			
9	Do.	Sher Mahomed	10,811	3,106			275	3,381			
10	Do.	Piral and Azim	1,010	906			12	918			
11	Do.	Sadhumal	693	892			8	400			
12	Do.	Musmat Baohan	7,897	819			70	889			
13	Do.	Allahwarayo	191	278			2	279			
14	Do.	Rewachand	471	569			5	594	30		
15	Do.	Ahmed	6,555	2,097			76	2,178			
16	Do.	Alam Khatun	16,408	2,687		6,000	330	9,017			
17	Do.	Imambaksh	5,352	642			62	704			
18	Do.	Mahomed Saleh	115	737			1	738			
19	Do.	Mahomed Saleh Mato	384	850			5	855			
20	Do.	Musamat Bachi	-100	91				91	100		
21	Do.	Haji Sahro	30	571			1	572			
22	Do.	Thariomal	98	267			1	268			
23	Do.	Amrah Khata w		1,020				1,020			
24	Do.	Lachumibai	(d) 648	1,557				1,557			
25	Do.	Aratmal	(e) 981	265				265			
26	Do.	Darya Khalim		369				369			
27	Do.	Misirishah		35				35			
		Total, Larkana District	2,37,903	69,422		6,806	7,940	1,14,168	7,351	19,120	
		Carried forward	2,93,906	1,31,841		7,027	9,193	1,18,061	8,311		

No. II—continued.

Government management for the year 1910-11.

Expenditure.										Closing balance.	Remarks.
Government demands.	Cost of management	Maintenance and education of wards.	Interest and rent.	Miscellaneous.	Total gross expenditure.	Loans advanced.	Other investment.	Repayment of debts.	Grand total.		
13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24
Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	
201	46	276	...	10,631	10,885	...	...	...	10,885	6,623	
166	8	...	...	...	5.3	...	...	...	623	8,106	
947	18	109	...	...	164	...	...	...	164	604	
2,503	274	1,500	...	...	1,073	...	...	...	1,073	1,304	
809	28	154	...	...	3.0	...	...	...	4,577	2,235	
1,271	107	266	175	...	100	...	...	...	680	523	
130	...	...	...	...	8,419	...	...	...	10,288	1,334	
...	...	...	...	...	50	...	...	...	180	235	
...	...	120	...	...	250	...	...	...	370	4,537	
5,600	501	2,729	175	19,730	29,740	...	...	...	23,740	20,451	(a) Transferred from Tara-mala's estate.
5,174	619	2,708	131	553	9,100	750	...	13,709	23,730	603	
513	50	135	...	...	697	...	...	...	697	606	
730	36	15	...	...	781	...	...	...	781	131	
915	28	140	...	...	1,083	...	...	...	1,083	422	
579	...	...	...	...	660	...	...	...	1,239	240	
509	...	105	...	...	614	...	...	...	614	405	
55	23	96	...	...	200	...	...	...	374	803	
567	74	60	...	...	701	...	...	...	701	1,701	
80	27	72	...	...	63	...	...	...	243	236	
135	10	240	...	...	3.3	...	...	...	728	18,395	
452	48	120	...	...	620	...	...	...	620	1,047	
91	30	156	...	...	50	...	...	...	327	527	
834	...	18	...	...	352	...	...	...	352	196	(b) Balance received from the Collector.
...	...	210	...	3,313	3,523	...	...	...	3,523	700	
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	213	
...	
...	
10,133	945	4,075	131	5,187	20,471	750	...	13,909	35,220	25,415	
220	10	195	...	21	452	...	...	104	856	206	
3,442	454	1,223	...	1,127	6,245	...	...	731	6,976	32,886	
31,057	6,064	4,910	...	11,906	51,057	19,321	...	...	73,979	1,14,879	(c) Balance of Rs. 40,000 received from Bank of Bombay.
113	36	240	...	1,160	1,541	...	...	1,107	2,048	5,459	
134	19	120	...	...	273	...	...	...	273	270	
139	59	120	...	...	318	...	...	...	318	903	
75	23	168	...	...	271	...	...	...	271	354	
2,903	757	2,335	...	3,329	9,367	...	...	...	9,397	34,151	
1,124	190	960	...	650	2,633	...	...	...	2,933	11,269	
403	62	180	...	...	618	...	...	...	618	1,250	
112	35	120	...	...	301	...	...	...	301	797	
...	233	335	...	7,600	8,173	...	...	...	8,173	103	Discharged balance being retained for Blough expenses.
246	14	130	...	...	350	...	...	...	350	219	
363	35	120	...	209	672	...	...	195	867	223	
520	264	540	...	1,000	2,330	...	...	...	2,330	6,306	
1,504	207	640	...	272	2,630	...	...	...	2,630	22,585	
612	88	...	...	...	734	...	...	...	734	5,323	
125	3	214	...	...	341	20	...	250	611	212	
131	25	144	...	...	259	...	...	...	259	440	
39	...	12	...	...	61	...	...	...	61	40	
302	22	83	...	...	453	...	...	...	453	149	
141	11	...	...	...	152	...	...	...	152	214	
379	...	...	...	...	779	...	...	...	779	241	
603	...	...	...	...	616	...	...	...	616	1,659	(d) Bal not received from District Court.
58	...	62	...	...	158	...	...	364	523	724	(e) Balance received from the Collector.
304	...	...	...	...	334	...	...	...	334	35	
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	35	
45,000	8,852	12,907	...	27,553	95,093	19,341	...	2,751	1,17,190	3,12,223	
91,302	10,093	13,710	300	62,500	1,41,203	20,991	...	16,700	1,41,150	2,59,129	

Serial No.	Name of District.	Name of Estate.	Closing balance of last year.	Receipts.							Grand Total.
				Rents of land.	Other dues.	Miscellaneous receipts.	Interest.	Total gross income.	Debts recovered.	Loans received.	
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
		Brought over	Rs. 2,93,906	Rs. 1,31,641	Rs.	Rs. 7,027	Rs. 9,198	Rs. 1,48,051	Rs. 8,311	Rs. 19,000	Rs. 4,82,724
1	Sukkur	Ghulam Kadir	24,592	9,455	.....	15	374	9,841	711	.....	35,000
2	Do.	Dharmdas	28,658	1,747	.....	.....	948	2,095	.....	.....	31,400
3	Do.	Ghulam Mustafa	3,003	2,481	.....	.....	35	2,520	250	.....	4,750
4	Do.	Pirdinobah	1,674	510	.....	.....	19	529	30	.....	2,243
5	Do.	Nawazali	723	1,066	.....	.....	8	1,074	.....	.....	1,797
6	Do.	Abdul Khalik	1,008	440	.....	.....	129	569	.....	.....	1,537
7	Do.	Hadibaksh	700	571	.....	.....	9	590	.....	.....	1,279
8	Do.	Harun Khan	1,696	1,033	.....	.....	10	1,052	.....	.....	2,739
9	Do.	Mir Hassan Shah	104	344	.....	.....	1	315	.....	.....	419
10	Do.	Ghulam Hyder Shah	3,106	4,201	.....	.....	30	4,297	.....	.....	8,497
11	Do.	Jumanmal	(f) 2,065	1,483	.....	105	12	1,580	63	.....	3,120
12	Do.	Shoro Narian	(g) 41,636	240	.....	.....	1,633	1,873	.....	.....	45,509
13	Do.	Mational	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
14	Do.	Menghraj	9,164	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	9,164
15	Do.	Abdul Rahim	(h) 1,789	1,284	.....	95	.....	1,859	710	.....	3,569
16	Do.	Abdul Wabib	.....	1,119	.....	29	.....	1,147	87	.....	1,234
17	Do.	Musmal Mugul	.....	15	.....	.....	.....	15	38	.....	53
18	Do.	Nabibaksh	(i) 2,807	316	.....	.....	.....	316	.....	.....	3,123
		Total, Sukkur District	1,22,798	26,335	.....	243	3,223	29,301	1,857	.....	1,54,149
1	Thar and Parkar.	Ahmedali Shah	659	794	.....	.....	8	802	.....	.....	1,461
2	Do.	Nihal Khan	7,349	8,779	.....	.....	85	8,204	.....	.....	16,113
3	Do.	Sayad Khan	2,036	2,654	.....	.....	24	2,878	.....	.....	4,704
4	Do.	Khudadosh	.....	6,923	.....	.....	.....	6,923	.....	.....	6,923
5	Do.	Dhani Pato	.....	1,215	.....	.....	.....	1,215	.....	.....	1,215
6	Do.	Samo Samun	.....	149	.....	.....	.....	149	.....	.....	149
7	Do.	Hasraj	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	7,166	.....	7,166
		Total, Thar and Parkar District.	10,094	20,724	.....	.....	117	20,841	7,166	.....	28,001
1	Upper Sind Frontier.	Banumal	302	309	.....	.....	3	312	.....	.....	614
2	Do.	Khawandtakah	1,234	611	.....	.....	14	625	.....	.....	1,869
3	Do.	Khush Mahomed	1,956	999	.....	.....	22	1,021	.....	.....	2,978
4	Do.	Mahran Khan	788	1,310	.....	.....	9	1,325	.....	.....	2,113
5	Do.	Mahomedbaksh	.....	388	.....	.....	.....	388	.....	.....	388
6	Do.	Gulabsing	(j) 11,791	.....	.....	.....	272	272	.....	.....	12,063
7	Do.	Ghulam Husan	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
8	Do.	Shaik Abdul Hakim	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
		Total, Upper Sind Frontier.	16,069	3,623	.....	.....	320	3,943	.....	.....	20,015
		Grand Total	4,42,865	1,82,523	.....	7,270	12,853	2,02,616	17,854	19,000	6,61,545

No. II—continued.

Expenditure.										Closing balance.	Remarks
Government demands.	Cost of management.	Maintenance and education of Wards.	Interest and rent.	Miscellaneous.	Total gross expenditure.	Loans advanced.	Other investment.	Repayment of debts.	Grand total.		
13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24
Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	
61,395	10,098	19,710	308	52,800	1,44,309	20,091	.....	14,750	1,81,150	2,84,118	
5,174	1,090	1,920	....	4,684	12,838	...	.....	.....	12,838	22,309	
39	5	222	...	1,936	2,202	...	.....	.....	2,202	29,151	
1,493	130	240	...	761	2,601	...	.....	.....	2,601	8,193	
256	40	860	...	516	1,172	...	.....	.....	1,172	1,001	
445	64	120	...	.....	629	...	.....	.....	629	1,109	
200	15	120	...	.....	335	...	.....	.....	335	1,242	
241	12	270	...	550	1,073	...	.....	.....	1,073	297	
317	85	240	...	.....	612	...	.....	.....	612	2,600	
205	13	.....	...	114	331	...	.....	.....	331	118	
1,859	864	45	...	.....	2,268	...	.....	.....	2,268	5,135	
610	113	450	...	.....	1,173	...	.....	1,215	2,393	1,310	(a) Rs. 1,052 received from the Collector.
.....	.....	840	...	153	993	...	.....	.....	993	42,617	(b) Balance received from District Court.
.....	
.....	.....	.....	...	20	20	...	.....	.....	20	9,144	Balance received from Railway Department.
439	.....	82	...	20	550	...	.....	.....	550	8,280	(c) Received from Mr's brother.
359	.....	860	...	35	754	...	.....	.....	754	430	
15	.....	.....	...	.....	15	...	.....	.....	15	38	
132	.....	15	...	.....	147	...	.....	.....	147	2,076	(d) Balance shown in pass-books received.
11,751	1,900	5,281	...	8,797	27,793	...	.....	1,215	29,047	1,23,507	
445	63	248	...	150	906	...	.....	.....	906	535	
3,079	712	840	...	.....	4,631	...	.....	.....	4,631	11,532	
1,560	115	434	...	.....	2,109	...	.....	.....	2,109	2,835	
3,261	.....	.....	...	.....	3,261	...	.....	.....	3,261	8,072	
740	.....	.....	...	.....	740	...	.....	.....	740	475	
149	.....	.....	...	.....	149	...	.....	.....	149	.....
68	.....	.....	...	6	74	...	.....	.....	74	7,112	
9,302	890	1,522	...	156	11,870	...	.....	.....	11,870	20,251	
103	15	.....	...	29	207	...	.....	.....	207	1,407	
367	46	240	...	.....	653	...	.....	.....	653	1,206	
409	65	102	...	.....	636	...	.....	.....	636	2,811	
583	69	180	...	.....	813	...	.....	.....	813	1,299	
107	.....	72	...	40	379	...	.....	.....	379	100	
.....	.....	394	...	66	460	...	.....	.....	460	11,808	(f) Balance received from District Court.
.....	
1,729	194	988	...	135	3,047	...	.....	.....	3,047	10,985	
81,177	13,063	27,534	806	61,888	1,80,958	20,091	.....	17,105	2,25,914	4,16,551	

M. WEBB,
Court of Wards for the Province of Sind.

STATEMENT No. III.

Statement showing the efficiency of rent collection in Estates under Government management for the year 1910-11.

Serial No.	Name of District.	Name of Estate.	Demands.			Collections.			Amount written off.	Balance.			Details of balance.
			Current.	Arrears.	Total.	On account of current year.	On account of arrears.	Total.		Converted into bonds or decrees.	Others.	Total.	
			Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.				Rs.	Current Rs.
1	Karachi.	44. Rijhumal ...	335	177	512	297	159	456	...	...	58	58	38
2		45. Abdulla ...	801	...	801	801	...	801	...	...	...	...	...
3		46. Yar Mahomed ...	257	38	325	55	33	83	...	...	232	232	232
4		47. Fatma ...	691	1,221	1,912	390	375	765	...	...	1,147	1,147	301
5		48. Gulam Murtaza ...	4,460	73	4,532	4,402	6	4,408	...	...	134	134	67
6		49. Mamun ...	468	3	469	454	3	457	...	...	12	12	12
7		50. Shahbuddin ...	3,262	...	3,262	3,257	...	3,257	...	...	5	5	5
8		60. Ghulam Mahomed ...	279	290	569	175	290	465	...	...	104	104	104
9		75. Mamubai ...	147	19	166	145	19	164	...	...	2	2	2
		Total ...	10,737	1,821	12,553	9,976	890	10,866	...	...	1,692	1,692	761
10	Hyderabad.	1. Mirza Ali Akbar ...	9,780	2,040	11,820	7,950	671	8,621	...	...	3,199	3,199	1,830
11		3. Ali Navaz ...	1,117	100	1,217	1,117	...	1,117	...	...	100	100	...
12		53. Ahmed Ali Khan ...	919	...	919	919	...	919	...	...	...	...	...
13		54. Hyderali ...	1,505	...	1,505	1,505	...	1,505	...	...	...	...	...
14		55. Bijar Khan ...	1,402	...	1,402	1,479	...	1,479	...	...	13	13	13
15		56. Gulam Rasul ...	1,160	...	1,160	1,109	...	1,109	...	...	51	51	51
16		57. Sajjan ...	265	...	265	265	...	265	...	...	...	...	...
17		58. Fakir Mahomed ...	1,252	...	1,252	1,252	...	1,252	...	...	...	...	...
18		59. Jernam ...	269	...	269	259	...	259	...	...	10	10	10
19		60. Bhugro ...	275	10	285	275	10	285	...	...	...	...	...
20	Thar and Parkar.	61. Misl ...	981	50	1,031	981	50	1,031	...	...	...	...	...
21		62. Abdul Hakim ...	234	...	234	269	...	269	...	...	16	16	16
22		79. Kabul ...	494	...	494	494	...	494	...	...	...	...	...
23		82. Ram Kishin ...	2,909	...	2,909	2,881	...	2,881	...	...	119	119	119
24		83. Tirithdas ...	68	...	68	63	...	63	...	...	...	...	...
25		86. Bud Lalshah ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
26		89. Udhandas ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Total ...	22,860	2,200	25,060	20,822	731	21,553	...	...	3,507	3,507	2,033
27	Larkana.	10. Ahmedali Shah ...	794	...	794	794	...	794	...	...	...	...	...
28		11. Nihal Khan ...	8,779	...	8,779	8,779	...	8,779	...	...	...	...	...
29		12. Sayad Khan ...	2,843	6	2,849	2,843	6	2,849	...	...	...	...	...
30		62. Khudadost ...	6,052	881	6,933	6,052	881	6,933	...	...	...	...	...
31		80. Dhanl Pato ...	1,225	...	1,225	1,215	...	1,215	...	...	10	10	10
32		85. Samun ...	174	...	174	149	...	149	...	...	25	25	25
33		87. Hasraj ...	63	...	63	...	...	...	...	...	63	63	63
		Total ...	19,935	897	20,832	19,837	837	20,724	...	...	93	93	93
34	Larkana.	24. Gokaldas ...	9,324	951	10,275	9,211	803	10,014	...	...	261	261	113
35		25. Wahidbaksh Bhuto ...	73,094	92	73,186	66,069	92	66,181	...	...	7,005	7,005	7,005
36		26. Amarsing ...	859	48	907	801	3	804	...	...	103	103	53
37		27. Wahidbaksh Sujawal ...	298	...	298	298	...	298	...	...	...	...	...
38		28. Sidik ...	413	...	413	278	...	278	...	...	140	140	140
39		29. Parusing ...	331	...	331	331	...	331	...	...	...	...	...
40		30. Ali Hassan ...	6,938	7	6,945	4,938	7	4,945	...	...	2,000	2,000	2,000
41		81. Sher Mahomed ...	4,222	700	4,922	2,431	675	3,106	...	...	1,816	1,816	1,791
42		33. Piral ...	906	...	906	906	...	906	...	...	...	...	...
43		33. Sadhu ...	392	...	392	392	...	392	...	...	...	...	...
44	Larkana.	35. Mahomedali Dathan ...	...	819	319	...	319	319	...	...	...	...	...
45		36. Allahwarayo ...	376	...	376	376	...	376	...	...	...	...	...
46		37. Rewachand ...	554	35	589	554	35	589	...	...	...	...	...
47		33. Ahmed ...	3,555	1,487	5,042	610	1,497	2,097	...	...	2,975	2,975	2,975

STATEMENT No. III—continued.

Serial No.	Name of District.	Name of Estate.	Demands.			Collections.			Amount written off.	Balance.			Details of balances.	
			Current.	Arrears.	Total.	On account of current year.	On account of arrears.	Total.		Converted into bonds or decrees.	Others.	Total.		
			Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.				Rs.	Current.	Old.
49	Larkana—continued.	39. Nek Mahomed ...	2,317	370	2,687	2,317	370	2,687	...	...	...	...
50		40. Imambaksh ...	1,444	...	1,444	642	...	642	...	...	802	802	802	...
51		41. Mahomed Saleh ...	872	...	872	737	...	737	...	...	135	135	135	...
52		42. Mahomed Saleh ...	350	...	350	350	...	350	...	...	...	...
53		43. Musamat Bachi ...	91	...	91	91	...	91	...	...	...	...
54		51. Haji Sahro ...	591	272	863	571	...	571	...	...	292	292	29	272
55		63. Thariomal ...	144	126	270	141	126	267	...	...	3	3	3	...
56		2. Mahomed Masood ...	195	...	195	195	...	195	...	...	...	...
57		65. Amra ...	1,079	...	1,079	1,020	...	1,020	...	...	59	59	59	...
58		69. Lachimbai ...	1,557	...	1,557	1,557	...	1,557	...	...	...	...
59		76. Aratmal ...	265	...	265	265	...	265	...	...	...	...
60		78. Danga Khaun ...	369	...	369	369	...	369	...	...	...	...
		81. Miar Shah ...	35	...	35	35	...	35	...	...	...
		Total ...	1,10,606	4,407	1,15,013	95,506	3,917	99,423	...	...	15,591	15,591	15,101	490
61	Sukkur.	13. Gulam Kadir ...	9,460	370	9,830	9,263	202	9,465	...	...	365	365	197	163
62		14. Dharamdas ...	1,513	394	1,907	1,353	394	1,747	...	...	103	100	100	...
63		15. Gulam Mustafa ...	3,019	1,232	4,251	1,357	1,134	2,491	...	...	1,700	1,700	1,602	93
64		16. Pirdino ...	471	57	528	453	57	510	...	...	18	18	18	...
65		17. Nawazali ...	1,004	349	1,353	717	349	1,066	...	...	297	297	297	...
66		18. Abdul Khalik ...	440	...	440	440	...	440	...	...	...	...
67		19. Hadibaksh ...	491	120	611	451	120	571	...	...	40	40	40	...
68		20. Harun Khan ...	1,033	...	1,033	1,033	...	1,033	...	...	...	...
69		21. Mir Hassan ...	341	36	376	308	36	344	...	...	32	32	32	...
70		22. Pir Gulam Hyder ...	4,273	14	4,287	4,247	14	4,261	...	...	26	26	26	...
71		23. Jumanmal ...	1,983	...	1,983	1,463	...	1,463	...	...	400	400	400	...
72	Upper Sind Frontier.	68. Shew and Narain ...	240	...	240	240	...	240	...	...	...	...
73		70. Motiomai ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
74		71. Lala Menghraj ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
75		72. Abdul Rahim ...	2,183	...	2,183	1,264	...	1,264	...	...	919	912	919	...
76		73. Abdul Wahib ...	1,419	...	1,419	1,119	...	1,119	...	...	300	300	300	...
77		74. Mahomed Mugul ...	15	...	15	15	...	15	...	...	...	...
78		77. Nabibux ...	316	...	316	316	...	316	...	...	...	...
		Total ...	28,070	2,572	30,642	24,029	2,306	26,335	...	...	4,307	4,307	4,011	296
79	Upper Sind Frontier.	4. Banumal ...	399	19	418	290	19	309	...	...	109	109	109	...
80		5. Khawand Baksh ...	713	401	1,114	611	...	611	...	...	503	503	102	401
81		6. Khush Mahomed ...	999	...	999	999	...	999	...	...	...	...
82		8. Mahran Khan ...	1,068	250	1,318	1,068	250	1,318	...	...	...	...	194	...
83		64. Mahomed Baksh ...	582	...	582	388	...	388	...	...	194	194	194	...
84		67. Gulabasing ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
85		84. Gulam Hussein ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
86	83. Sheikh Abdul Hakim ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Total ...	3,759	670	4,429	3,354	289	3,623	...	...	509	509	405	401
		Grand Total ...	1,95,967	12,557	2,08,524	1,73,523	9,000	1,82,523	...	...	20,001	20,001	22,444	3,587

Difference in the figure of arrears shown last year and that of this year is due to errors since rectified and addition of arrears of new Estates

STATEMENT IV.

Statement showing the progress made in liquidation of debt in the Court of Wards' Estates during the year 1910-11.

Name of District.	Name of Estate.	Debts due on assumption of charge.	Debts incurred in previous years after charge was assumed.	Debts settled in previous years.						Balance of debt at the beginning of year.	Additional debts incurred during year.	Debts settled during current year						Balance.	Date by which was expected assumption of management of the estate would be clear of debt.
				By incurring other debts.	By sale of property.	Rejected by Court of Wards or Civil Courts.	Remitted by creditors.	From current income.	Total.			By incurring fresh debts.	By sale of property.	Rejected by Court of Wards or Civil Courts.	Remitted by creditors.	From current income.			
Hyderabad	Mirza Ali Akbar Beg	Rs. 18,769	Rs. ...	Rs. ...	Rs. ...	Rs. ...	Rs. 4,539	Rs. ...	Rs. 4,539	Rs. 14,230	Rs. ...	Rs. 12,000	Rs. ...	Rs. ...	Rs. 307	Rs. 1,799	Rs. 124	31st July 1914.	
	Misri Khan	200	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	200	...	...	...	...	...	200	...
	Ramkrishna	95	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	95	...	...	...	...	...	...	95
	Total	19,064	...	...	...	...	4,539	...	4,539	14,525	...	12,000	...	...	307	1,999	219
Thar and Parkar.	Ahmedali Khan	124	124	124		
	Total	124	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	124	...	...	...	...	...	...	124
Larkana	Kazi Musand	97	3	...	3	94	10	...	104	31st July 1914.	
	Gokaldas	1,528	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,528	61	...	...	...	858	731	...
	Amarsing	1,098	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,098	9	...	...	...	...	1,107	...
	Parusing	5,160	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5,160	...	...	...	...	2,580	...	2,580
	Sadhmal	1,225	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,225	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,225
	Rewachand	1,927	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,927	50	...	...	...	...	195	1,762
	Imambaksh	220	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	220	...	...	...	220	...	...	...
	Mahomed Saleh	2,252	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2,252	...	...	...	...	785	250	1,217
	Lachmibal	746	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	746	...	...	...	...	...	...	746
	Aratmo.	784	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	784	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Daryakhatum	297	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	297	...	...	...	...	198	364	222
	Misri Shat	60	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	60	...	...	...	...	...	...	60
	Total	15,394	3	...	3	15,391	130	...	104	220	4,421	2,647		8,129
Sukkur	Ghulam Mustofa	447	447	447		
	Pirdino Shah	4,775	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4,775	...	...	...	...	445	...	4,330
	Nawazali	4,709	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4,709	...	...	...	...	...	...	4,709
	Jumanmal	1,420	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,420	...	...	...	...	205	1,215	...
	Menghraj	29,867	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	29,867	...	...	...	...	4,946	...	24,421
	Mahomed Rahim	100	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	100	...	...	...	100	...	...	...
	Abdul Wahib	2,312	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2,312	...	...	...	467	...	...	1,845
	Mational	93	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	93	...	...	...	...	...	...	93
Total	43,223	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	43,223	...	...	...	507	5,596	1,215	35,815	
Upper Sind Frontier.	Mahomedbux	1,084	1,084	173	...	891		
	Total	1,084	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,084	...	...	...	...	173	...	891
	Grand Total	78,869	4,542	...	4,542	74,827	130	12,000	104	787	10,497	5,801		45,208

NOTE.—No estimate was made on the assumption of management of the dates on which these estates would be freed from debt. The dates shown against estates of Mirza Ali Akbar Beg and Kazi Musand are taken from the reports under section 18; reports on the other estates have not yet been submitted.

M. WEBB,
Court of Wards for the Province of Sind.

*Below report on the estates under management of the Court of Wards
in Sind for the year 1910-11.*

No. 657 of 1911.

REVENUE DEPARTMENT.

*Office of the Commissioner in Sind,
Government House,
Karachi, 19th October 1911.*

Submitted to Government.

2. There has been a decrease of Rs. 21,071 in the income from rents of land this year, but, as pointed out in paragraph 3 of the report, it is chiefly nominal.

3. Statement I shows that some estates had sufficient balances to pay off debts. It is hoped that good progress will be made in the matter of liquidating debts during the current year.

4. The uninvested balance of the estates has increased from Rs. 1,92,248 at the end of last year to Rs. 2,28,300 at the end of the year under report, a state of things which the Commissioner regards as unsatisfactory. Fixed deposits for short periods may be an excellent way of dealing with money likely to be soon required, but should not be allowed to replace more permanent forms of investment. The Manager's attention is being drawn to this point.

5. The percentage of collection of the current year's dues of the estates to the amount to be collected was 88.55 as compared with 95.62 in the previous year. The falling off is satisfactorily explained in paragraph 5 of the report.

The explanation of the Court of Wards for Sind as regards postponements to the extent of about Rs. 10,500 is as follows:—

"The actual amount under postponement is Rs. 10,476. Of this sum Rs. 1,200 are on account of an old debt, which is to be repaid in two instalments and which there was no probability of recovering otherwise, and Rs. 271 are due from a close relation of the estate owner. The latter lessee is dead and the guardian of the minor wishes the arrears to be written off. Of the remainder the principal details are as follows:—

Estate No. 15 Rs. 1,635.

The lease is held by the estate owner and a relation. In spite of poor crops, they paid the whole assessment, Rs. 500 takávi and Rs. 1,135 arrears.

Estate No. 38 Rs. 2,975.

The land has been seriously damaged by floods from the Lárkána hills and the lessee was given postponement, so that he might have an opportunity of recovering himself. The remaining estates to the lessees of which postponement was allowed are practically all in the Kambar, Shahdadpur and Garhi Yasin talukas, in parts of which there was a deficiency of water. In each case there was a careful investigation, and interest is being charged at rates varying from 6 to 12 per cent. It is not anticipated that there will be any difficulty in recovering these arrears ultimately, although as unfortunately the same talukas have suffered severely this year, it may be advisable to postpone the recovery of some of them to another year. Each case will however be carefully scrutinized before this is done and avoidable arrears will not be allowed to accumulate.

Postponements have been granted to lessees of the Court of Wards with rather more freedom than to those of estates under the Manager, because in the case of the former there is as a rule no urgent need of ready money, and provided that a proper rate of interest is charged and the lessee and his surety are otherwise solvent, the estate gains nothing by causing a good lessee unnecessary difficulties."

In this office memorandum No. 472, dated the 5th September 1910, Government were moved to amend section 29 of the Court of Wards Act (I of 1905)

with a view to empowering the Court of Wards to effect recovery of arrears of rent of estates under the Court's superintendence without referring the matter to the Collectors. If the proposed amendment is sanctioned it is certain that the recovery of these dues will be made with much greater facility.

6. The estates only and not the persons of the wards being under the superintendence of the Court of Wards, the latter is not responsible for the education of the wards. They seem, however, to have made satisfactory progress.

7. The administration of the Court of Wards has been on the whole very satisfactory. Mr. Webb held charge of the duties for nearly the whole year.

A. D. YOUNGHUSBAND,
Commissioner in Sind.

To

THE CHIEF SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT,
Revenue Department,
Bombay.

Annual Reports.

Report on the Administration of the Estates under the management of the Courts of Wards in the Presidency proper and Sind for the year 1910-11.

No. 4110.

REVENUE DEPARTMENT.

Bombay Castle, 29th April 1912.

Letter from the Commissioner, N. D., No. 4152, dated 12th October 1911.

Memorandum from the Commissioner in Sind, No. 657, dated 19th October 1911.

Letter from the Commissioner, S. D., No. 4268, dated 29th November 1911.

Letter from the Commissioner, C. D., No. C.—447, dated 31st January 1912.

Submitting the annual reports on the management of private estates in their respective charges as Courts of Wards for the year ending 31st July 1911.

RESOLUTION.—In the Presidency proper there were at the beginning of the year 1910-11, 44 estates under the management of the Courts of Wards. During the course of the year one estate, which proved to be hopelessly insolvent, was released, while 14 new estates were brought under superintendence. During the whole or part of the year there were therefore 58 estates under control, but practically no statistics are given for 11, of which 8 were brought under management towards the close of the year, two in the Southern Division are insolvent, and one, that of the late Shri Bábá Maháráj of Poona, continues under nominal superintendence only as it is not certain that the litigation regarding the succession to it has finally closed.

2. The total income, exclusive of debts recovered and loans received, of the remaining 47 estates was Rs. 5,57,000, of which 70 per cent. consisted of rents of lands. The season generally was excellent and the frost in Gujarát injured severely the crops on only one estate. The figures of rent collections given in statement III show that out of the current demand of Rs. 3,80,000, collections amounted to Rs. 3,50,000 or 92 per cent., that out of the arrears which amounted to Rs. 2,99,000 at the beginning of the year, Rs. 35,000 were collected and Rs. 94,000 were written off during the year, and that consequently the total amount of arrears was reduced to Rs. 2,00,000 at the close of the year. A considerable portion of this sum is reported to be irrecoverable and enquiries are being made with a view to writing it off.

3. The expenditure for the same estates was Rs. 3,39,000 exclusive of loans advanced and investments made. Of this amount 21 per cent. was expended on the maintenance and education of the wards and their dependants and 11 per cent. was on account of management. The management charges, however, were less than 7 per cent. of the total income of the estates.

4. In order to show the progress made in reducing the indebtedness of the estates it is convenient to omit from consideration the 15 estates which were under management for only a portion of the year as well as the 3 estates which were under merely nominal control, viz., the two insolvent estates in the Southern Division and the estate of Shri Bábá Maháráj. Of the remaining 40 estates 6 were entirely free from debt when brought under management. The debts of the other 34 estates at the dates on which their management was undertaken amounted to 15½ lakhs and had been reduced to Rs. 11,19,000 at the beginning of the year under review. During the year fresh debts amounting to Rs. 98,000 were incurred, but practically the whole of this sum was employed in paying off old debts on advantageous terms. Claims against the estates amounting to Rs. 1,08,000 were rejected by the Courts of Wards or by the Civil Courts. The total indebtedness of the 34 estates under consideration was reduced during the year from Rs. 11,19,000 to Rs. 8,46,000—a difference of nearly one-fourth. Fourteen of the estates are now clear or practically clear of debt, 15 are likely to be free in less than twenty years, and only five appear to be so deeply involved as to require more than twenty years to repay their creditors. Of the unindebted estates some have large balances, invested and uninvested.

5. Twenty-five wards are of school-going age, of whom one, the Desái of Broach, is preparing for College under the care of a personal guardian in England. In all cases the education of the wards is progressing satisfactorily.

6. In Sind twenty-four new estates were admitted to management during the year and one was released, so that at the close of the year there were 85 estates under management as compared with 62 at the end of the previous year. The income handled by the Court of Wards was Rs. 2,03,000 and the expenditure incurred was Rs. 1,87,000. The rent collections were satisfactory, and out of a total demand, including arrears, of Rs. 2,09,000, a sum of only Rs. 15,500 remained unauthorizedly uncollected at the close of the year. The total debt of the indebted estates is only Rs. 45,000 and debt liquidation operations are of comparatively little importance. In other respects the management of the estates in Sind was good and the arrangements made for the education of minor wards suitable.

7. The administration of the Act continues to be very beneficial to the estates under control, and the ability of the Courts to carry through prompt settlements of debts for cash has, as shown in paragraph 4, resulted in a striking reduction of the liabilities of the indebted estates in the Presidency proper. The thanks of Government are due to the district officers who have managed the estates entrusted to them with care and frequently with much personal industry.

R. D. BELL,

Under Secretary to Government.

To

The Commissioner in Sind,
 The Commissioner, N. D.,
 The Commissioner, C. D.,
 The Commissioner, S. D.,
 All Collectors, including the Collectors and Deputy Commissioners in Sind,
 The Talukdári Settlement Officer,
 The Manager, Encumbered Estates in Sind,
 The Director of Agriculture,
 The Settlement Commissioner and Director of Land Records,
 The Director of Public Instruction,
 The Private Secretary to His Excellency the Governor,
 The Accountant General,
 The Compiler of the General Administration Report,
 The Judicial Department of the Secretariat,
 The Educational Department of the Secretariat,
 The Political Department of the Secretariat,
 The Financial Department of the Secretariat,
 The Editors' Tables and Editors of Newspapers,
 The Non-official Members of the Legislative Council,
 The Government of India,
 The Under Secretary of State for India.

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