

# The Economic Condition of India

DURING

## The Sixteenth Century



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## PREFACE

I would not have ventured to place before the public this somewhat incomplete study of the economic conditions of India at the time of Akbar's conquest but for the demand for copies of the paper I read under the chairmanship of the Hon'ble Sir John Thompson, K.C.I.E., C.S.I., I.C.S., at three of the sittings of the Historical Study Circle in Delhi. If it serves to arouse interest in a much neglected aspect of Indian History and to correct the impression created by Mr. Moreland's writings, it will have fulfilled its purpose.

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