



Annual Administration Report
on the Working of the Criminal
Tribes Act in the Bombay
Presidency

Part I

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APPENDIX I.

Population in Settlements on 31st March 1931.

Serial No.	Settlement.	Caste.	Men.	Women.	Boys.	Girls.	Total.
1	Sholapur	Kalkadis	212	243	243	212	910
		Ghantichors	118	180	136	100	493
		Haranshikaris	65	78	94	83	315
		Mangarudis	75	91	101	75	345
		Kanjar Bhats	58	69	106	75	308
		Chapparbands	3	3	...	...	6
		Total	531	618	683	645	2,377
2	Indl	Haranshikaris	38	32	40	30	135
		Katbus	0	7	4	5	25
		Total	42	39	44	35	160
3	Bijapur Industrial Section.	Kalkadis	5	4	1	5	15
		Ghantichors	13	5	10	5	33
		Haranshikaris	27	31	44	24	126
		Mangarudis	11	18	19	13	61
		Kanjar Bhats	1	1	3	1	6
		Chapparbands	4	1	2	3	10
		Katbus	2	1	1	...	4
		Dharalas	3	3	...	1	7
Total	66	64	80	53	263		
4	Bijapur Reformatory Section.	Kalkadis	10	18	19	15	64
		Ghantichors	24	22	14	13	73
		Waddars	5	3	...	...	8
		Haranshikaris	10	15	14	7	55
		Mangarudis	15	18	17	13	63
		Kanjar Bhats	3	3	2	2	10
		Lamanis	1	...	...	...	1
		Dharalas	7	7	3	1	18
		Rajput Bhamptas	13	11	5	6	35
		Kuru	4	3	5	2	14
		Bhils	8	1	1	1	11
		Kamathis	1	1
		Waghris	2	2
		Kolis	...	1	1
		Berads	1	1
		Total	122	102	73	60	357

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Serial No.	Settlement.	Caste.	Men.	Women.	Boys.	Girls.	Total.
5	Bagalkot	Haranshikaris	19	23	24	14	80
		Mangarudis	1	...	...	...	1
		Total	20	23	24	14	81
6	Kerur	Haranshikaris	39	30	25	27	121
		Total	39	30	25	27	121
7	Gadag	Kaikadis	14	15	13	15	57
		Ghantichors	27	29	28	32	116
		Haranshikaris	103	88	92	101	384
		Mangarudis	1	1	...	1	3
		Kanjar Bhats	2	3	2	1	8
		Chapparbands	2	2	1	...	5
		Waddars	2	2	1	2	7
Total	151	140	137	152	580		
8	Hubli including sub-settlement at Kambhar-ganvi.	Korwars	56	60	36	33	185
		Ghantichors	141	129	94	71	435
		Haranshikaris	223	236	201	166	826
		Mangarudis	7	5	3	10	25
		Kanjar Bhats	33	37	50	50	169
		Chapparbands	1	1	...	...	3
		Katbus	1	1	1	...	3
		Ghattiwaddars	39	33	36	28	136
Total	500	601	421	352	1,774		
9	Dandoli	Kaikadis	9	7	5	7	28
		Ghantichors	4	2	...	1	7
		Waddars	6	5	7	2	20
		Lamanis	11	6	11	8	36
		Ramoshis	2	2	2	3	9
		Borads	7	5	3	1	16
		Total	39	27	28	22	116

APPENDIX I—contd.

Serial No.	Settlement.	Caste.	Men.	Women.	Boys.	Girls.	Total.
10	Khanapur	Kalkadis	2	1	...	1	4
		Ghantichors	6	4	9	8	28
		Haranshikaris	3	1	2	3	9
		Bhats	15	16	16	16	65
		Waddars	5	4	2	1	12
		Lamanis	14	9	18	11	52
		Mangs	1	...	...	...	1
		Katbus	2	2	3	3	10
		Berads	46	39	43	43	171
		Total	93	76	93	93	355
11	Belgaum	Ghantichors	12	15	9	9	45
		Mangarudis	67	60	61	48	236
		Total	69	75	70	57	271
12	Nira Projects, camp Dhalewadi including its Reformatory Section.	Kalkadis	39	27	17	11	94
		Ghantichors	12	11	14	8	45
		Haranshikaris	100	105	116	92	413
		Mangarudis	40	33	37	33	143
		Kanjar Bhats	1	3	2	...	6
		Waddars	4	3	3	3	13
		Hurs	15	10	10	8	43
		Mangs	10	8	8	8	34
		Waghris	1	...	...	...	1
		Ramoshis	14	12	8	8	42
		Tadvis	5	4	10	4	23
		Kolis	5	4	4	3	16
		Bhile	21	20	10	12	73
		Katbus	1	...	...	...	1
		Rajput Bhamptas	0	6	6	9	21
Dharalas	1	1	1	...	3		
Total	278	252	254	168	972		

APPENDIX I—concl'd.

Serial No.	Settlement.	Caste.	Men.	Women.	Boys.	Girls.	Total.
13	Baramati	Kaikadis	3	3	2	1	9
		Ghantichors	5	6	4	3	18
		Mangarudis	11	16	17	13	57
		Kanjar Bhats	6	5	8	10	28
		Bhamptas	77	69	48	38	232
		Ramoshis	2	2	3	...	6
		Total	103	101	81	65	350
14	Ambornath	Kaikadis	11	12	8	9	33
		Bhamptas	18	17	12	11	58
		Mangarudis	53	62	63	59	237
		Kanjar Bhats	1	6	8	5	22
		Hurs	2	3	...	2	7
		Waghris	1	1	...	...	2
		Chapparbands	1	1	1	3	6
		Futgudis	14	10	6	5	34
		Katkaris	1	1	...	1	3
		Total	105	102	67	86	354
15	Presidency Construction Settlement at Gherdi.	Kaikadis	33	32	11	11	67
		Ghantichors	62	59	36	53	210
		Haranshikaris	8	1	1	1	6
		Mangarudis	48	59	49	33	189
		Kanjar Bhats	2	4	1	...	7
		Waddars	1	...	...	...	1
		Waghris	1	1	...	1	3
		Bhils	17	18	10	10	55
		Thakurs	1	2	1	1	5
		Kolis	4	4	1	2	11
		Dhanagars	2	2	1	...	5
		Mangs	2	2	1	4	9
		Tadvis	2	4	...	2	8
		Ramoshis	3	1	...	1	5
		Total	171	179	112	119	581
16	Dohad	Hurs	21	16	11	11	60
		Waghris	8	4	3	1	16
		Dharalas	6	5	...	...	11
		Bhats	1	2	3	...	6
		Total	36	27	17	13	93
		Grand Total	2,365	2,356	2,239	1,892	8,842

APPENDIX I-A.

Population in Free Colonies attached to Settlements.

Serial No.	Settlement.	Men.	Women.	Boys.	Girls.	Total.
1	Sholapur	579	553	478	307	2,107
2	Hotgi	54	58	83	47	249
3	Bijapur	49	50	49	61	215
4	Bagalkot	16	22	25	20	83
5	Kerur	2	2	.....	.....	4
6	Gadag	136	154	107	106	509
7	Hubi	287	206	314	311	978
8	Khanapur	4	4	1	... ..	9
9	Barnnati	40	47	53	37	177
10	Dharavi	173	196	126	78	578
11	Belgaum	10	8	14	8	40
12	Nira Projecta	1	1	.....	.....	2
13	Ambernath	10	12	11	9	49
14	Dohad	2	2	.....	4	8
	Total	1,363	1,481	1,161	977	4,989

APPENDIX II.

Number of Boys and Girls in Settlement Schools on
31st March 1931.

Serial No.	Settlement.	Day School.		Total.	Night school boys.	Other children belonging to Criminal Tribes living in Free Colony who attend Settlement School.				
		Boys.	Girls.			Day School.		Total.	Night School.	
						Boys.	Girls.			
1	Sholapur	304	246	550	67	213	178	391	79	
2	Indi	20	10	30	5	...	...	...	...
3	Bijapur Industrial Section ...	35	24	59	13	36	20	56	5	
4	Bijapur Reformatory Section.	34	36	63	15	...	...	...	...
5	Bagalkot	9	8	17	...	18	6	24	4	
6	Kerur	21	9	30	...	...	...	...	...
7	Gadag	42	63	95	35	53	20	73	10	
8	Hubli	192	153	345	55	123	104	226	30	
9	Dandeli	18	11	29	...	...	...	...	...
10	Khanapur	39	31	70	9	...	...	...	...
11	Belgaum	38	22	54	9	8	1	9	3	
12	Nira Projects	103	54	157	22	3	1	4	...	
13	Baramati	49	29	78	5	19	21	40	1	
14	Ambernath	52	35	88	33	4	1	5	4	
15	Presidency Construction Camp Gherdi.	54	36	90	15	...	...	...	...
16	Dohad	5	2	7	...	...	...	...	...
	Total ...	1,009	763	1,772	283	476	362	838	136	
	<i>Special Institutions.</i>									
1	Hotgi Agricultural Free Colony.	...	...	...	...	36	22	58	21
2	Dharavi Camp of Probationers.	...	...	...	...	39	15	54	15
	Total ...	...	...	...	...	75	37	112	36

Total Day school ... 2,722.
Total Night school ... 455.

APPENDIX

Statement of Apprentices for trade

Serial No.	Settlement.	Masonry.	Carpentry.	Tailoring.	Agriculture.
1	Sholepur	.....	31	.....	.....
2	Indi	.....	.....	.....	6
3	Bijapur Industrial Section	9	7	.....	6
4	Bijapur Reformatory Section	.....	.....	3	7
5	Begalkot	.....	1	1	.....
6	Gadag	.....	7	.....	.....
7	Hubli	.....	22	.....	.....
8	Khanapur	.....	.....	1	.....
9	Nira Project	9	.....	.....	.....
10	Baramati	.....	.....	2	.....
	Total	11	63	7	17
	<i>Special Institution.</i>				
	Hotgi Agricultural Colony	.....	.....	.....	15
	Grand Total	11	63	7	32

II-A.

(other than Mill Work).

Weaving.	Electrical Works.	Black-smith.	Moulding.	Shoemaking.	Ropemaking.	Ston quarry.	Total.
							81
							5
		1					15
60				3	3	90	96
							9
	2		2				11
							22
							1
							9
							9
60	2	1	2	3	3	90	194
							15
80	2	1	2	3	3	90	200

APPENDIX

*Convictions from 1st April 1930 to 31st March 1931
discharged on license*

Serial No.	Settlement.	Criminal Tribes Act.		Indian Penal	
		Cases.	Persons.	Against Property.	
				Cases.	Persons.
1	Sholapur	27	27	15	15
2	Indi ... ..	.....	.....	.....	.....
3	Bijapur Industrial Section ...	.....	.....	1	2
4	Bijapur Reformatory Section ...	4	5	15	3
5	Bagalkot ... ..	.....	.....	.....	.....
6	Korur ... ..	.....	.....	1	1
7	Gadag	4	4	1	1
8	Hubli	13	17	9	14
9	Dandeli	2	2	1	7
10	Khanapur	2	2	.....	.....
11	Belgaum	1	1	2	2
12	Nira Projects	11	11	4	4 [1]
13	Baramati	1	1	1	1
14	Ambernath	12	11	8	2 [1]
15	Presidency Construction, Camp Gherdi.	11	11	.....	.....
16	Dohad ... ..	.....	.....	.....	.....
17	Hotgi Agricultural Colony ...	.....	.....	.....	.....
18	Dharavi Probation Colony ...	.....	.....	.....	.....
	Total ...	88	93	54	54

[1] Such persons have already been included once in the columns.

III.

for persons in Settlements or attached Free Colonies or to their villages.

Code.		Chapter VIII, Criminal Procedure Code.		Offences under other Acts.		Total.	
Other offences under Indian Penal Code.							
Cases.	Persons.	Cases.	Persons.	Cases.	Persons.	Cases.	Persons.
2	7	.....	.....	1	1	45	60
...
...	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	1	2
...	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	20	8
...
...	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	1	1
...	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	5	5
2	2	1	1	1	1	26	35
...	.....	1	1	...	.....	4	10
1	1	.....	.....	...	.....	3	3
...	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	3	3
...	.....	1	1	1	1	17	18
...	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	2	2
...	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	15	14
...	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	11	11
...
...
...
5	10	8	8	3	3	163	163

APPENDIX IV.

Statement of Absconders as stood on 31st March 1931.

Serial No.	Settlement.	Popula- tion on 31st March 1931.	Absconders among regis- tered persons.			Absconders among un- registered depend- ents.	Grand total columns 6 and 7.
			Men.	Women.	Total.		
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
1	Sholapur	2,377	15	6	21	6	27
2	Indi	160	...	...	...	.....	...
3	Bijapur Industrial Section ...	233	1	...	1	.....	1
4	Bijapur Reformatory Section.	387	6	...	6	.....	6
5	Bagalkot	81	1	...	1	.....	1
6	Korur	191	...	...	...	.....	...
7	Gadag	580	5	1	6	1	7
8	HUBLI	1,774	8	7	15	10	25
9	Dandeli	116	...	...	...	.....	...
10	Khanapur	855	5	...	5	.....	5
11	Belgaum	271	1	1	2	1	3
12	Nira Projects	272	23	5	27	17	44
13	Baramati	360	...	...	...	.....	...
14	Ambermath	392	4	...	4	3	7
15	Presidency Construction Camp Gherdi.	581	13	5	18	10	28
16	Dohad	92	1	...	1	.....	1
17	Hotgi Agricultural Colony ...	242	...	...	...	.....	...
18	Dharavi Free Colony	273	3	5	8	.....	8
	Total	9,667	85	30	115	48	163

APPENDIX V.

APPENDIX

Co-operative Credit and Producers' Societies in the Criminal

Serial No.	Settlement.	Name of Society.	Reserve Fund.
			Rs. a. p.
1	Sholapur	Criminal Tribes Credit Society ...	2,427 8 11
2	Indi	Credit Society	70 4 4
		Agricultural Society	558 5 8
3	Bijapur Industrial Section ...	Credit Society	3,094 1 4
4	Bagalkot	Do.	1,450 9 5
5	Gadag	Do.	2,291 14 1
		Carpentry Producers' Society ...	5,003 6 11
6	HUBLI	Credit Society	2,385 7 3
7	Khanapur	Do.	5,800 10 11
8	Belgaum	Do.	68 1 9
9	Nira Project	Do.	133 10 5
10	Baramati	Do.	516 13 0
11	Ambernath	Do.	193 8 11
12	Presidency Construction, Camp Gherdi.	Do.	15 4 6
13	Dohad	Do.	11 10 8
	<i>Special Institution.</i>		
14	Hotgi Agricultural Colony ...	Agricultural Society	118 9 7
		Total ...	24,487 9 8

V.

Tribes Settlements as they stood on 31st March 1931.

Shares collected.	Total Capital.	Deposits received up to 31st March 1931.	Loans advanced by Societies to their members.
Rs. a. p.	Rs. a. p.	Rs. a. p.	Rs. a. p.
2,429 8 0	5,857 0 11	2,712 2 10	7,107 12 7
38 0 0	105 4 4	1,051 1 2	316 8 7
51 0 0	509 5 3	417 1 11	NIL.
905 0 0	3,999 1 4	7,101 8 11	894 5 0
122 0 0	1,572 9 5	1,191 12 10	210 0 0
1,053 0 0	3,349 14 1	901 5 10	3,122 6 1
269 0 0	5,271 5 11	851 5 6	1,412 5 6
3,962 0 0	6,337 7 3	7,512 15 4	14,325 0 0
254 0 0	5,514 10 11	3,535 15 8	9,314 15 11
31 0 0	99 1 9	544 12 6	215 8 0
274 0 0	407 10 5	2,237 4 5	2,530 8 6
199 0 0	515 12 0	1,729 0 0	4,205 0 0
647 0 0	539 5 11	445 8 7	922 9 11
10 0 0	25 4 5	1,712 4 5	1,742 6 0
65 0 0	76 10 8	263 6 3	190 0 0
154 12 0	372 14 7	490 1 3	745 7 0
10,475 4 0	34,962 12 8	23,835 11 5	46,767 11 1

APPENDIX

Statement showing expenditure per head in each settlement for the

Serial No.	Settlement established under Section 16, C. T. Act, and other institution.	Popula- tion.	Annual recurring expenditure.	Deduct income.	Net expenditure.
			Rs. a. p.	Rs. a. p.	Rs. a. p.
1	Sholapur	2,377	47,072 8 6	*9,321 14 10	37,690 4 8
2	Indi	160	2,616 7 0	40 10 8	2,575 12 9
3	Bijapur (Industrial and Reformatory sections).	620	26,044 7 5	1,520 9 0	24,523 14 5
4	Bagalkot	81	8,720 8 0	228 8 0	8,492 0 0
5	Korur	121	1,874 10 0	33 12 0	1,840 14 0
6	Gadag	580	14,241 11 1	1,817 0 0	12,424 11 1
7	Hubli	1,774	33,916 0 6	2,406 5 0	31,507 11 6
8	Dandeli	116	5,516 13 9	93 5 0	5,423 8 9
9	Khanapur	855	9,746 14 4	237 0 0	9,509 14 4
10	Belgaum	271	6,845 4 6	64 5 9	6,280 14 9
11	Nira Projects	972	21,609 9 3	562 0 0	20,947 9 3
12	Ambernath	392	10,773 1 0	1,764 4 0	9,008 13 0
13	Baramati	360	9,245 15 6	920 1 3	8,255 14 3
14	Presidency Construction Camp Gherdi.	581	15,019 12 0	325 11 6	14,694 0 6
15	Dohad	92	8,746 10 6	129 8 6	8,617 2 2
16	Central Staff ... ..	.....	66,034 5 5	10,569 10 4	55,464 11 1
17	Expenditure on Children's Home established under Section 17, C. T. Act.	.....	8,527 1 11	.....	8,527 1 11
18	Expenditure on Women's Home, Hubli.	.....	2,220 0 0	.....	2,220 0 0
19	Expenditure on Hotgi Agricultural Free Colony.	.....	3,588 10 9	670 6 0	2,918 4 9
20	Expenditure on Bombay supervision including Mang-garudis Camp near Bombay (Dharavi).	.....	6,706 7 9	2,686 0 0	4,020 7 9
Grand Total ...		8,842	2,93,326 10 4	33,512 15 5	2,64,818 10 11

Administration Report.

Annual Report on the working of the Criminal Tribes Act in the Bombay Presidency, Part I, for the year ending 31st March 1931.

GOVERNMENT OF BOMBAY.

HOME DEPARTMENT.

Resolution No. P. 171 (a).

Bombay Castle, 12th June 1931.

Letter from the Criminal Tribes Settlement Officer, Bombay Presidency, No. T/2302, dated the 30th April 1931—Submitting the Annual Administration Report on the working of the Criminal Tribes Act in the Bombay Presidency, Part I, for the year ending 31st March 1931.

RESOLUTION.—The annual administration report on the working of the Criminal Tribes Act submitted by the Criminal Tribes Settlement Officer, Bombay Presidency, with its accompaniments, is published for information.

2. The gradual change in the type of persons admitted to the settlements, in that the new entrants generally belong to the recidivist class as contrasted with the wandering gangs of criminal tribes with which the department had to deal in earlier years, is making the administration of the department more difficult.

3. The question of providing labour for the population of the various settlements is also becoming more difficult, because, with the yearly rise in the number of skilled labourers and the recent unemployment, which has rendered the supply of labour greater than the demand, the Railways and Industrial concerns are less ready to recruit labour from the members of Criminal Tribes who are at first unskilled. The department has therefore to turn more and more to canal works and agricultural settlements, which, though more suited to many of the classes which are dealt with in the settlements, involve more capital outlay and depend on the extent to which Government are able to undertake new major works.

4. Many of the settlers by reason of their former habits prefer to live in huts constructed by themselves. This preference saves Government the cost of constructing quarters, but on the other hand when the settlers have reached the stage of living in free colonies, dwellings of this type may involve a danger of relapse among tribes in whom the desire to wander has not been entirely subdued.

5. The work of the Criminal Tribes Settlement Department will now come closely in touch with that of the new Borstal School in meeting the problem of educating adolescent delinquents. The Criminal Tribes Settlement Officer has been made a member of the newly formed Borstal Association and is requested to work in close touch with the Governor of the Borstal School.

6. The thanks of Government are due to Messrs. Starte and Strutton and their many helpers, both official and non-official, who have contributed to the successful working of the department. Government agree with the commendations bestowed on them by the Criminal Tribes Settlement Officer in paragraph 18 of his report and request him to convey the thanks of Government to them.

By order of the Governor in Council,

G. W. McELHINNY,

Under Secretary to the Government of Bombay,
Home Department.

To

The Commissioner in Sind,
All Commissioners of Divisions,
The Resident, Kolhapur, and Political Agent, Southern
Maratha Country States,
The Inspector General of Police, Bombay Presidency,
The Commissioner of Police, Bombay,
All District Magistrates,
All Deputy Inspectors General of Police,
The Criminal Tribes Settlement Officer, Bombay Presidency,
All Superintendents of Police,
The Compiler, General Administration Report,
The General Department,
The Finance Department,
The Political Department,
The Public Works Department,
The Educational Department,
The Revenue Department,
The Government of India (by letter),
The Under Secretary of State for India,
The Editors of Newspapers,
The Non-official members of the Legislative Council,
The Non-official members of the Legislative Assembly and
the Council of State representing the Bombay Presidency,
The Secretary, Salvation Army for India and Ceylon, Simla,
The Director of Information.

Articles manufactured at Bijapur Settlement—

		Rs.	a.	p.	
1. Double Carpets	... From	3	10	0	
2. Single "	... "	2	6	0	
3. Deck Chair Carpets ($4\frac{1}{2} \times 1\frac{1}{2}$)	... "	1	4	0	
4. Dharries (Panja Carpets)	... "	0	4	0	a Sq. foot.
5. Bed Sheets suitable for hospitals	... "	1	9	0	
6. Pillow Cases suitable for hospitals	... "	0	3	6	
7. Double Chaddars	... "	4	2	0	
8. Single "	... "	2	10	0	
9. Towels	... "	0	9	0	
10. Girl Guide Saris	... "	4	0	0	
11. Blue Bird Saris	... "	3	6	0	
12. Khadi Shirting	... "	0	6	0	per yard.
13. Strong Chappals	... "	3	12	0	
14. Scout and Cub Uniforms—According to size.					

Order from—

THE MANAGER,
Settlement, Bijapur,
Bijapur.

Bath Embroidery—

		Rs.	a.	p.
Toilet runners with 3 mats	... From	2	14	0
Table cloths, 30" x 36"	... "	2	12	0
" " 50" x 50"	... "	4	0	0
Bed spreads with embroidery	... "	11	8	0
" " without embroidery	... "	8	0	0
Cushion Covers	... "	2	8	0
Travelling Cushion Cover	... "	3	4	0
Tassel bags	... "	1	8	0
" "	... "	1	10	0
Shopping bags and knitting bags	... "	1	12	0
Linen bags	... "	2	12	0
" " embroidered	... "	3	4	0
Bath Mats	... "	3	0	0
Blotters	... "	1	10	0
Bibs	... "	0	14	0

Bath Embroidery—contd.

		Rs.	a.	p.
Tea Cosies	From	1	12	0
Tray Mats	...	1	4	0
Frock length from 16"	...	4	0	0
Kettleholders	...	0	8	0
Bed room slipper tops	...	2	4	0
" " " (made up)	...	3	4	0
Waist-coats	...	5	0	0
Pochettes	...	3	8	0

Articles made in cotton materials of white, cream, blue, orange green embroidered with contrasting colours.

Order from—

LADY SUPERINTENDENT,

Industrial Settlement,

Hubli

Price list of Furniture—

		Rs.	a.	p.	to	Rs.	a.	p.
Bedsteads	... From	22	8	0	to	35	0	0
Dressing Table	... ..	35	0	0	to	60	0	0
Hanging Ahmirah	... ..	60	0	0				
Chest of Drawers	... ..	50	0	0				
Side Board, Collapsible	... ..	60	0	0	to	75	0	0
Writing Desk	... ..	60	0	0				
Teapoy	... ..	5	0	0	to	6	0	0
Cheval Glass Mirror	... ..	35	0	0				
Almirah	... ..	75	0	0	to	85	0	0
Cupboard	... ..	70	0	0	to	80	0	0
Writing Tables	... ..	12	8	0	to	22	8	0
Chairs	... ..	6	8	0	to	10	8	0
Folding Chairs	... ..	4	8	0	to	7	8	0

Orders for all sorts of furniture will be undertaken at reasonable rates.

Order from—

MANAGER,

Industrial Settlement,

Hubli.