

**NARSINGHPUR**

## PREFATORY NOTE.

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The extant Settlement Reports on the Narsinghpur District are those of Mr. (Sir Charles) Grant published in 1866 and of Mr. De Brett (1896). Sir Charles Grant's Report is very interesting and well written and quotations from it have been freely inserted in this volume. Mr. De Brett's remarks on agriculture and his description of the recent settlement have been reproduced in the Gazetteer. One or two good notes have been submitted from the District office by Mr. C. B. N. Cama. The chapter on History and the notices of castes have been compiled with the help of Mr. Hira Lāl, Assistant Superintendent of Gazetteer. This volume is complete in itself and may be used without reference to the B Volume, which is a collection of administrative statistics.

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# NARSINGHPUR DISTRICT GAZETTEER.

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| R. Logan, Deputy Commissioner ...                            | 28-11-79 | 8- 4-81  |
| G. J. Nicholls,                    ,,                    ... | 9- 4-81  | 6- 7-83  |
| S. H. Hennessy,                   ,,                    ...  | 7- 7-83  | 19-10-83 |
| J. W. Tawney,                    ,,                    ...   | 20-10-83 | 19- 1-86 |
| A. Bloomfield,                   ,,                    ...   | 20- 1-86 | 18- 2-91 |
| F. A. T. Phillips,                ,,                    ...  | 19- 2-91 | 16-11-96 |
| L. E. P. Gaskin,                   ,,                    ... | 17-11-96 | 13-12-96 |
| A. D. Younghusband,            ,,                    ...     | 14-12-96 | 25- 3-97 |
| E. A. DeBrett,                    ,,                    ...  | 26- 3-97 | 20-12-97 |
| A. S. Womack,                    ,,                    ...   | 21-12-97 | 9- 5-98  |
| L. E. P. Gaskin,                   ,,                    ... | 10- 5-98 | 12- 2-99 |
| R. W. G. Marshall,               ,,                    ...   | 13- 2-99 | 13- 3-99 |
| L. E. P. Gaskin,                   ,,                    ... | 13- 3-99 | 23-10-99 |
| E. A. DeBrett,                    ,,                    ...  | 24-10-99 | 4- 3-01  |
| Mehdi Hasan,                    ,,                    ...    | 5- 3-01  | 16-12-01 |
| L. A. G. Clarke,                   ,,                    ... | 17-12-01 | 2- 3-02  |
| Raghunath Rao,                   ,,                    ...   | 3- 3-02  | 2- 4-02  |
| L. A. G. Clarke,                   ,,                    ... | 3- 4-02  | 20- 7-02 |
| J. T. Marten,                    ,,                    ...   | 21- 7-02 | 14-11-02 |
| A. Mayne,                         ,,                    ...  | 15-11-02 | 10- 6-03 |
| Ganpat Rao Lothe,                ,,                    ...   | 11- 6-03 | 24- 6-03 |
| C. A. Clarke,                    ,,                    ...   | 25- 6-03 | 4-10-03  |
| A. Mayne,                         ,,                    ...  | 5-10-03  | 19- 6-04 |
| E. Batchelor,                    ,,                    ...   | 20- 6-04 | 4-11-04  |
| L. A. G. Clarke,                   ,,                    ... | 5-11-04  |          |