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RELIGION, CASTE AND LANGUAGE.

THE annexed table shows the distribution of the population in each taluk according to religion. Taking the district as a whole, 81·68 per cent. are Hindus and 10·60 per cent. are Musalmans. Christians form 6·75 per cent. of the total population, while the proportion of Jains is slightly under one per cent. South Canara contains a much lower proportion of Hindus than any other district except Malabar, while the proportion of Musalmans is higher only in Kurnool, Madras and Malabar. Christianity has been long established in this district, and its adherents are numerous, no less than 71,259 persons being followers of this faith. Only three districts—Tanjore, Madura and Tinnevelly—contain a larger number of Christians. More than one-third of the Jains of the presidency are found in South Canara. There are 67 persons under the head of ‘others,’ of whom 48 are Brahmos, 15 are Pársis and 3 are Buddhists. The remaining one individual made no return of his religion. The proportions in the different taluks present striking differences. The inhabitants of the Amindivi Islands are all followers of the faith of Islám. Elsewhere the Hindus largely predominate; the proportion is lowest in Kásaragód and Mangalore, and in the former the Musalmans form 20·21 per cent., while the proportion of Christians in the latter is as high as 14·93 per cent. Kásaragód borders closely on Malabar, and Mangalore contains the head-quarters of more than one mission. In the Coondapoor taluk, on the other hand, which is farthest removed from Malabar, nearly 93 per cent. of the people belong to the Hindu religion. Jains are found in every taluk of South Canara except the Amindivi Islands, but their numbers are large only in Mangalore, Udupi and Uppinangadi.

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Statement showing the Religions of the Population.

Taluk.	Hindus.				Musalmans.			Christians.			Jains.			Others.			Percentage on total population.					
	Total.	Males.		Females.	Total.	Males.		Females.	Total.	Males.		Females.	Total.	Males.		Females.	Hindus.	Musalmans.	Christians.	Jains.	Others.	
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	
Amindivi Islands.	...	...	...	...	3,722	1,738	1,984	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	100'00	...	...	...	...
Coondapoor.	111,805	50,862	60,948	5,122	2,565	2,557	3,063	1,517	1,546	278	148	130	...	...	...	...	92'96	4'26	2'55	0'23	...
Kásaragod ...	216,946	106,068	110,878	56,731	27,961	28,770	6,731	3,438	3,293	281	133	118	...	...	...	...	77'30	20'21	2'40	0'09	...
Mangalore ...	201,287	98,642	102,645	30,870	15,341	15,329	41,645	20,402	21,243	5,243	2,744	2,498	64	37	27	72'17	11'00	14'93	1'88	0'02		
Udipi ...	227,041	105,295	121,746	7,125	3,745	3,380	17,251	8,525	8,726	2,300	1,162	1,188	...	...	...	...	89'43	2'81	6'80	0'91	...
Uppinangadi.	105,494	53,258	52,236	8,613	4,917	3,696	2,569	1,343	1,226	2,128	1,093	1,035	3	3	...	...	88'80	7'25	2'16	1'79	0'00
TOTAL ...	862,573	414,125	448,448	111,983	56,267	55,716	71,259	35,225	36,034	10,199	5,280	4,919	67	40	27	81'68	10'60	6'75	0'86	0'01		

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<i>Increase per cent. since 1881.</i>		Statistics of Religion.
Hindus 8·17	and this is no doubt partly due to the fact that they are relatively most numerous in those taluks in which the general rate of increase was lowest; but there can be little
Musalmans	... ... ... 19·57	doubt that they have also lost some of their number through con-
Christians	... ... ... 22·41	
Jains	... ... ... 1·54	
TOTAL POPULATION	... 10·06	version to Islám or Christianity, for the followers of these two faiths have advanced at a much higher rate than the rest of the population. This question is discussed in the Madras Census Report of 1891, and the conclusion there arrived at is that some 4,000 Hindus were converted to the creed of Muhammad during the ten years. The conversions to Christianity may be put at between 4,000 and 5,000. The Jains have hardly advanced at all; this fact suggests the conclusion that they are gradually forsaking their religion for Hinduism or Christianity.

The Hindus in South Canara are mostly members of the Saiva sect. The Vaishnavites constitute only 11 per cent. and the Mádhvas 4 per cent. The proportion of the latter sect, however, is the highest in the presidency, and the district also contains the largest absolute number of Mádhvas. The town of Udipi contains their chief math.

Sects of Hindus.

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Sect.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Percent-age.
Saivites	720,295	346,953	373,342	83·51
Vaishnavites	97,621	45,590	52,031	11·32
Mádhvas	35,151	17,404	17,747	4·07
Lingáyats	701	427	274	0·08
Others (including not stated)	8,805	3,751	5,054	1·02
TOTAL	862,573	414,125	448,448	100·00

The progress made by each of these sects during the last two decades cannot be determined with any degree of accuracy, as a very large number of Hindus did not return their sect at the two earlier enumerations. Of the 8,805 persons who appear under the head of 'others' 992 made no return of sect; of the remainder, 7,653 persons have returned their sect (or had it returned for them) as Bhútárádhikas or devil-worshippers, 41 are Sáktis, 81 have returned their caste name as their sect, and 38 are said to be Daivárádhikas or worshippers of god. If devil-worship were to be accepted as a

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sect, it would include fully three-fourths of the population of the district, for the Bhútas play a much more important part in the religious life of the people than do Siva and Vishnu.

The subjoined statement shows the sects of the Christian population :—

Christian Sects.

Sect.	1891.			1881.		
	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.
Baptist ...	1	1	...	...	...	...
Church of England ...	101	59	42	71	44	27
Episcopalian ...	4	2	2	...	...	...
Free Church of Scotland.	2	2	...	...	...	...
Lutheran ...	4,264	2,113	2,151	34	20	14
Presbyterian ...	51	26	25	14	9	5
Protestant ...	60	30	30	3,320	1,644	1,676
Roman Catholic ...	66,678	32,937	33,741	54,660	27,277	27,383
Syrian ...	48	26	22	1	1	...
Unsectarian ...	9	5	4	...	...	...
Wesleyan ...	7	2	5	2	1	1
Not stated ...	34	22	12	113	61	52
TOTAL ...	71,259	35,225	36,034	58,215	29,057	29,158

In 1881 as many as 3,320 persons were shown under the vague head of 'Protestant,' but in 1891 only 60 persons returned it as their sect. The figures for the two years cannot, therefore, be compared in detail, but taking all the Protestant sects together and distributing the 'Not stated' ratably between Protestants and Roman Catholics, we get the following results :—

Sect.	1891.	1881.	Increase.	Percentage of increase.
Roman Catholic ...	66,710	54,766	+ 11,944	+ 21·81
Protestant ...	4,549	3,449	+ 1,100	+ 31·89
TOTAL ...	71,259	58,215	+ 13,044	+ 22·41

It will be seen that the Protestants have increased faster than the Roman Catholics, but their absolute number is still very small.

The Roman Catholics constitute 93·62 per cent. of the total number of Christians, the proportion for the presidency being only 66·12 per cent.

The distribution of Christians by race is shown in the following table :—

Race.	Total.	Roman Catholics.	Protestants.
Foreign	153	39	114
Eurasian	204	181	23
Native	70,902	66,490	4,412
TOTAL	71,259	66,710	4,549

No less than 99 per cent. are natives. It will also be seen that a large proportion of foreigners belong to one or other of the Protestant sects, while the majority of Eurasians and Native Christians are Roman Catholics.

Of the two towns in the district, Mangalore alone is of any size.

Religion.	Population.	Percentage.
Hindus	23,398	57·18
Musalmans	7,584	18·53
Christians	9,845	24·06
Jains	36	0·09
Pársis	15	0·03
Buddhists	3	0·01
Brahmos	40	0·10
Not stated	1	0·00
TOTAL	40,922	100·00

than the proportions for the district as a whole. These figures show clearly that Musalmans and Christians are more partial to town-life than Hindus, a feature which is observed throughout the presidency.

The subjoined statement shows the names of the various castes returned at the census of 1891 and the number of persons who returned each. The classification of the castes is based on their traditional occupation or origin, but it must not be regarded as final, nor can it be assumed that every name which appears in the list is that of a real, separate and distinct caste. There are 49 names which are left unclassified owing to absence of information about them. Some of these are probably the names of foreign castes distorted by the enumerators in their attempt to transliterate them into their own vernacular.

The largest caste is the Billava, which has a strength of 125,663. The Bráhmans come next with 95,739, the most important sections of them being the Sárasvats, Shivallis, Havigs and Kótas. Then come the Mápillas (90,000), Bants (70,000),

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The distribution of its population according to religion is shown in the marginal statement. The proportion of Hindus is considerably lower and that of Musalmans and Christians higher

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Castes, Tribes and Races.

Caste, tribe or race.	Total.	Males.	Females.
<i>Agriculturists, formerly military and dominant.</i>			
Agamudaiyan	3	2	1
Áré	1,906	993	913
Brádi	1	1	...
Jangára	1	1	...
Kodagan or Coorgi	7	7	...
Kshatriya	5,295	2,621	2,674
Lankékára	1	1	...
Maráthi	25,921	12,642	13,279
Náyar	15,388	7,571	7,817
Pondala	161	84	77
Rájput	256	159	97
Ráju or Rázu	3	3	...
Sámantan	12	11	1
Sérvégára	4,938	2,359	2,579
Válékára	104	53	51
Velama	6	3	3
Vilyakára	240	129	111
<i>Agriculturists.</i>			
Bálólikára	596	307	289
Banta	70,004	34,406	35,598
Dakhni	7	4	3
Gatti	863	417	446
Gauda	42,524	21,818	20,706
Haladava	171	82	89
Háluvakkí	11	7	4
Hanaba	144	69	75
Harékára	1	1	...
Jaiu	9,365	4,856	4,509
Kámáti	6	1	5
Kápu	388	213	175
Malava	3,042	1,482	1,560
Múdamane	1,308	536	772
Nádava	38,607	18,334	20,273
Nagarálu	14	9	5
Púluvan	7	2	5
Raddérú	107	58	49
Rájapuri	8,936	4,398	4,538
Súdra	78	63	15
Telaga	394	178	216
Vakkaliga	1,024	558	466
Vellála	378	214	164

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<i>Cattle-breeders, Graziers, &c.</i>			
Erumán	1,207	539
Gauala	2	2
Gópala	8	5
Kondi	2	1
Sábali	1	1
Vallaba	19	6
Yemmemáriyava	2	2
<i>Field Labourers.</i>			
Adiyán	50	19
Bándiguláma	617	228
Battada	38	17
Bhaira	3,513	1,632
Chálavádi	18	7
Charava	8	4
Cheruman	7,742	3,744
Garasa	43	19
Goddéra	9	1
Hasala	680	354
Holeyá	107,806	49,016
Kúsa	10,479	3,632
Mála	31	14
Méra	775	290
Moyili *	6,131	3,018
Palli or Vanniyan	8	5
Paniyan	13	9
Panji	52	25
Paraiyan	48	42
Polta	288	140
Rányadava	742	302
Tigala	240	115
Véttuvan	370	184
<i>Forest and Hill Tribes.</i>			
Bhil	23	23
Kádukonkani	57	34
Koraga	4,355	2,010
Kudiya	4,756	2,410
Kudubi	10,657	5,354
Mávilán	50	23
Modikan	4	4
Savara	473	233
<i>Priests.</i>			
Bráhmans—			
Áchárya	14	7
Ándhra	42	26
Aravattuvakkalu	53	22
Áshitahasram	17	11
Badaganádu	17	6
Báradésikára	217	105
Brahacharanam	48	30
Bráhman	57	32
Chittapávana	1,491	701
			790

* Moyilis are temple-servants. There has been some confusion with Máyilas who are Malayálam agricultural labourers.

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<i>Priests—cont.</i>			
Bráhmaṇs—cont.			
Déśasta	497	246	251
Drávida	46	34	12
Gauda	1,137	604	533
Gujaráti	23	19	4
Havig	11,234	5,637	5,597
Indra	218	114	104
Kamme	18	10	8
Kanauj	22	8	14
Kandávara	1,576	787	789
Karádi	2,731	1,363	1,368
Karnátaka	346	176	170
Konkanasta	3,200	1,638	1,562
Kóta	11,017	5,827	5,690
Nágpúr	130	65	65
Nambi	77	51	26
Nambidi	46	25	21
Pádia	154	78	76
Panchagráma	368	204	164
Pújári	19	12	7
Sakalápura	463	183	280
Sárasvata	30,273	15,528	14,745
Shívalli	28,660	13,872	14,788
Smárta	28	20	8
Srívaishnava	42	13	29
Tanadáva	743	306	437
Uttarádi	15	8	7
Vadaína	121	61	60
Vaidíki	75	36	39
Váttiman	56	28	28
Others	448	242	206
TOTAL BRAHMANs	95,739	47,635	48,104
Jangam	289	188	101
Káji	1	1	...
Pidáran	15	9	6
<i>Devotees.</i>			
Atíta	2	2	...
Bairági	6	5	1
Fakír	2	2	...
Gósáyi	3	3	...
Harídás	5	3	2
Sanyási	17	8	9
<i>Temple Servants.</i>			
Ambalavási	139	80	59
Báriya	3	1	2
Dévadiga	19,232	8,715	10,517
Dévali	202	88	114
Máli	985	446	539
Padárti	216	114	102
Pattáli	23	12	11

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<i>Temple Servants—cont.</i>			
Poduvál	824	400	424
Sátáni	70	40	30
Stánika	4,639	2,349	2,290
Váriyan	64	34	30
<i>Astrologers and Physicians.</i>			
Kanisan	1,213	606	607
Vaidya	20	8	12
<i>Musicians and Ballad-reciters.</i>			
Bhatráju	5	4	1
Mélakkáran	288	131	157
Purusa	269	126	143
Sappaliga	2,156	997	1,159
Vádyakára	1	1	...
Válagadava	11	2	9
<i>Dancers and Singers.</i>			
Dakkéra	26	10	16
Kalávanta	82	31	51
Parvatikára	3	3	...
Pátraméla *	9	4	5
Sáni	3	2	1
<i>Traders.</i>			
Balija	298	155	143
Banajiga	848	457	391
Banya	1	1	...
Bóra	6	2	4
Chetti	667	323	344
Gópti	18	18	...
Gujíara	37	32	5
Kavarai	21	11	10
Khója	1	1	...
Kómati	46	26	20
Labbai	49	49	...
Manisarkara	4	2	2
Máppilla	90,345	44,662	45,683
Méman	79	64	15
Naváyat	2,104	1,366	738
Nimiskára	67	32	35
Vaisýa	424	222	202
Váni	3,278	1,569	1,709
<i>Carriers.</i>			
Lambádi	26	25	1
<i>Goldsmiths.</i>			
Akkásale	8,567	4,122	4,445
Ponnasetti	243	123	120
Sonár	1,413	677	736
Tattán	507	267	240

* Synonym for Kalávanta.

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<i>Artisans.</i>			
Kammála	22,470	10,653	11,817
Silpi	45	24	21
Tagaradava	11	7	4
<i>Barbers.</i>			
Hajám	1,776	873	903
Kávutiyán	339	165	174
Kelasi or Kshauraka	2,304	1,130	1,174
Mangala	2	2	...
Návudiya	148	73	75
Velakkattalavan	70	34	36
<i>Blacksmiths.</i>			
Kammara	1,571	694	877
Kollan	438	218	220
<i>Carpenters, Masons and Turners.</i>			
Áyiri	24	11	13
Badige *	24	13	11
Cháródi	808	335	473
Cheptégára	1,286	611	675
Gudigára	587	279	308
Kallakotti	83	36	47
Kólayán	10,071	4,878	5,193
Mésta	202	82	120
Muvvári	587	268	319
Tac'chan	256	117	139
Úráli	4	2	2
<i>Brass and Copper Smiths.</i>			
Bógrára	15	7	8
Kanchugára	133	70	63
Músári	28	21	7
<i>Tailors.</i>			
Chimpiga	52	28	24
Darji	107	70	37
Námdév	9	4	5
Tépagárti	6	3	3
<i>Grain-Parchers and Confectioners.</i>			
Kudlukára	1,548	789	759
Pennegára	164	81	83
<i>Weavers, Calenderers and Dyers.</i>			
Atakari	22	11	11
Bannagára	4	3	1
Bilimagga	41	18	23
Dévánga	257	130	127
Jáda	3,924	1,913	2,011

* 'Badige' is simply Canarese for a carpenter; there is no caste of that name.

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<i>Weavers, Calenders and Dyers—cont.</i>			
Nágalika	1	1	...
Pattégára	3	2	1
Sále	5,239	2,512	2,727
Séníyan	4	2	2
<i>Washermen.</i>			
Agasa	5,533	2,665	2,868
Dhóbi	406	208	198
Madiválá	1,647	805	842
Nekkára	575	285	290
Pariyáta*	292	152	140
Rajaka	11	6	5
Vannán	1,372	657	715
Veluttédan	11	3	8
<i>Shepherds and Wool-weavers.</i>			
Golla	748	364	384
Heggade	1,539	733	806
Idaiyan or Yádavan	34	20	14
Kurumban	189	116	73
<i>Oil-pressers.</i>			
Chalya	95	41	54
Gániga	10,633	5,214	5,419
Téli	2	1	1
<i>Potters.</i>			
Kummará or Kumbára	26,983	13,008	13,975
Kusavan	573	279	294
<i>Glass-workers and Bangle-makers.</i>			
Valaiyalkáran	974	472	502
<i>Salt-workers.</i>			
Uppara	175	78	97
<i>Fishermen, Boatmen, Palki-bearers, Cooks, &c.</i>			
Ambiga	131	66	65
Béstá	5	4	1
Bhádela	44	44	...
Bóya	2,207	1,128	1,079
Gábita	59	59	...
Harkantra	50	50	...
Kandegára	25	8	17
Khárvi	3,517	1,725	1,792
Marakkádu	75	50	25
Mogér	30,984	18,858	17,126

* 'Pariyáta' may mean a barber: Parivala is a washerman.

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<i>Fishermen, Boatmen, Palki-bearers, Cooks, &c.—cont.</i>			
Móyan ...	106	54	52
Mukkuvan ...	2,185	1,074	1,111
Pallic'chán ...	4	2	2
Valluvan ...	10	4	6
<i>Personal Service.</i>			
Kotári ...	1,217	560	657
Mukkári ...	768	356	412
<i>Toddy-drawers and Distillers.</i>			
Bhandári ...	1,659	875	784
Billava ...	125,663	61,134	64,529
Dívar ...	165	106	59
Halepaik ...	21,665	9,558	12,107
Pangadikára ...	212	114	98
Segidi ...	25	9	16
Tiyyan ...	24,439	11,959	12,489
<i>Leather-workers.</i>			
Chakkiliyan ...	43	20	23
Jírigára ...	20	11	9
Mádiga ...	590	259	331
Máyikan ...	90	42	48
Muc'chi ...	21	11	10
Sámagára ...	1,571	801	770
Tólkollan or Kidáran ...	37	17	20
<i>Scavengers.</i>			
Chac'chadi ...	1	1	...
<i>Earth-workers.</i>			
Gávade ...	11	11	...
Odde ...	46	29	17
<i>Mat-makers, Basket-makers and Cane-splitters.</i>			
Bellera ...	674	255	419
Kichegára ...	4	3	1
Maddéra ...	2	1	1
Nalke ...	1,253	609	644
Pánán ...	198	97	101
Parava ...	851	423	428
Pombada ...	272	134	138
<i>Hunters and Fowlers.</i>			
Bédar ...	46	27	19

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<i>Miscellaneous and Disreputable Vagrants.</i>			
Kundegolaka	10	4	6
Súle	524	211	313
<i>Beggars.</i>			
Bisna	2	2	...
Dásari	851	451	400
Gondala	13	10	3
Jógi	1,793	909	884
Maleyava	1,192	585	607
Paradési	116	45	71
Siddha	48	23	25
Víra	167	75	92
Yógikurukkal	221	97	124
<i>Tumblers and Acrobats.</i>			
Dommara	44	22	22
Jetti	38	20	18
Payilván	16	8	8
<i>Jugglers, Snake-charmers and Animal Exhibitors.</i>			
Hammata	14	7	7
<i>Sorcerers, &c.</i>			
Vélan	23	15	8
<i>Non-Indian Asiatic Races.</i>			
Arab	30	28	2
Belúchi	32	32	...
Chinese	3	3	...
Moghal	93	51	42
Pársi	15	9	6
Pathán	867	501	366
Saiyad	1,379	745	634
Sheik	11,407	5,794	5,613
<i>Non-Asiatic Races.</i>			
European	153	107	46
Mauritian	1	...	1
<i>Eurasians.</i>			
Eurasian	204	122	82
<i>Christian Converts.</i>			
Native Christian	70,641	34,879	35,762

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Castes, Tribes and Races—cont.

Caste, tribe or race.	Total.	Males.	Females.
<i>Titular Names.</i>			
Mudali ...	10	10	...
Náyaka ...	10	3	7
Náyudu ...	12	9	3
Pillai ...	10	5	5
Sáhib ...	7	5	2
<i>Territorial, Linguistic and Sectarian Names.</i>			
Hanafi ...	129	66	63
Kanarese ...	154	73	81
Kanauj ...	12	2	10
Konkani ...	2,344	1,156	1,188
Lingáyat ...	650	416	234
Musalman ...	3,605	1,880	1,725
Pudu Islám ...	964	501	463
Sháfi ...	451	208	243
Shia ...	11	10	1
Sunni ...	144	78	66
Brahmo ...	48	27	21
Hindustani ...	1	1	...
Jentu ...	1	1	...
Kach'hi ...	9	8	1
Malayáli ...	71	41	30
Tamala ...	9	6	3
Telangi ...	6	4	2
Āvishnava ...	27	18	9
<i>Unclassified Castes.</i>			
Ambali ...	37	37	...
Bápada ...	16	10	6
Battalekára ...	1	...	1
Bélam ...	1	1	...
Bháyan ...	3	3	...
Byari ...	14	7	7
Chanchuni ...	2	2	...
Dálji ...	4	4	...
Davala ...	14	6	8
Dvíja ...	10	3	7
Haníbi ...	2	2	...
Hariava ...	2	...	2
Hávádiga ...	27	17	10
Hotte ...	1	1	...
Játi Brashta ...	478	191	287
Jimme ...	1	1	...
Kallu ...	5	2	3
Khándévara ...	1	...	1
Kshétravási ...	2	2	...
Mádira ...	4	4	...
Malakabaur ...	1	1	...
Malladar ...	10	3	7
Manégára ...	1	1	...
Manilava ...	2	2	...

*Castes, Tribes and Races—cont.*CHAP. II.
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Caste, tribe or race.	Total.	Males.	Females.
<i>Unclassified Castes—cont.</i>			
Mókshamata ...	2	2	...
Mollóni ...	1	1	...
Mulya ...	8	4	4
Musakaru ...	2	...	2
Musikinavaru ...	8	8	...
Narbali ...	1	1	...
Nirétu ...	2	2	...
Nírpattan ...	20	9	11
Niruchan ...	1	...	1
Palayamár ...	4	1	3
Pándrava ...	4	3	1
Pattéta ...	14	8	6
Pulimara ...	4	4	...
Púsalára ...	5	3	2
Púvadi ...	2	2	...
Sahira ...	1	1	...
Sautara ...	1	1	...
Silabalikeavaru ...	1	1	...
Silérū ...	4	4	...
Típatan ...	2	...	2
Tirnlarava ...	1	1	...
Tirunáme ...	1	1	...
Vádári ...	8	6	2
Vadéya ...	2	1	1
Yennamájí ...	2	1	1
Caste not returned ...	213	90	123
Grand Total ...	1,056,081	510,937	545,144

At the census every individual was required to return his or her mother-tongue and this information was obtained for the whole population with the exception of 318 individuals. In many cases, however, the name of the caste was entered in the language column and great difficulty was experienced in ascertaining whether these castes had special dialects of their own. In all but a few cases it was found that they had not, and the numerous entries met with in the schedules were eventually reduced to the 32 items given in the following table. Of these, the first, *Áré*, was taken as a separate dialect on the strength of a report from the Collector, but it was subsequently discovered that it did not differ appreciably from colloquial Maráthi, and there can be no doubt that it is merely a synonym for that language. On the other hand, it is possible that some of the lower castes, such as Nalke, Pombada, &c., do speak a patois of their own, but it is in such cases very difficult to decide whether the differences from ordinary Tulu or Canarese are so great as to warrant separate classification.

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LANGUAGE.*Statistics of Mother-Tongue returned at the Census of 1891.*

Language.	Number returning it.	Language.	Number returning it.
<i>Madras Languages.</i>			
Áré	942	Malayálam	191,696
Bellera	668	Patnál	2
Canarese	213,551	Tamil	1,150
Hindustani	16,602	Telugu	2,096
Konkani	130,191	Tulu	460,209
Koraga	1,868	Uriya	10
Lambádi	17		
<i>Other Indian Languages.</i>			
Goanese	6	Kodagu	940
Gujaráti	210	Maráthi	34,925
Hindi	7	Márwádi	3
Kach'hi	87	Punjábi	1
<i>Non-Indian Asiatic Languages.</i>			
Arabic	149	Chinese	3
Balochi	33	Pashtu	3
<i>Non-Asiatic Languages.</i>			
English	192	Portuguese	9
French	11	Abyssinian	
German	54	Spanish	
Italian	27		
<i>Parent-tongue not returned</i>			
			318

Notwithstanding the name of the district, Canarese is not the predominant language, for Tulu is the mother-tongue of 43·59 per cent. of the inhabitants and Canarese of only 20·23 per cent. Malayálam is spoken by 18·16 per cent. and Konkani by 12·33 per cent. Hindustani was returned as their mother-tongue by 1·57 per cent. of the population and Maráthi by 3·31 per cent. Tulu shows no decided signs of being driven out by Canarese or Malayálam, for the numbers claiming it as their mother-tongue have increased since 1881 by 8·20 per cent., which is not much less than the rate of increase of the population of the Tulu tracts. Canarese, indeed, has increased by only 4·98 per cent., but the numbers speaking Malayálam have advanced by 18·46 per cent. The distribution by taluks of these languages is shown in the subjoined statement:—

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Taluk.	Number returning				
	Tulu.	Canarese.	Malayálam.	Konkani.	Maráthi.
Amindivi Islands	3,677
Coondapoor ...	378	94,845	805	14,938	5,163
Kásaragód ...	83,475	21,057	148,132	13,129	11,956
Mangalore ...	168,166	11,256	27,689	58,839	2,747
Udipi ...	126,700	69,536	2,746	36,964	11,756
Uppinangadi ...	81,490	16,857	8,647	6,321	3,303
TOTAL ...	460,209	213,551	191,696	180,191	34,925

Malayálam is the prevailing language in Kásaragód taluk and in the Amindivi Islands, and it is spoken by about 10 per cent. of the inhabitants of Mangalore taluk. *Tulu* is found chiefly in Mangalore, Udipi and Uppinangadi, and it is also the mother-tongue of about 30 per cent. of the population of Kásaragód. The proportion of the *Canarese*-speaking population varies from 4 per cent. in Mangalore to 79 per cent. in Coondapoor. *Konkani* is found chiefly in Mangalore and Udipi, but in neither of them is it the predominant language. *Maráthi* is spoken by about 12,000 people in each of the two taluks of Kásaragód and Udipi. *Hindustani* is spoken, for the most part, by Musalmans of foreign origin, who are now settled in Southern India. *Koraga* is the language spoken by an uncivilized tribe of the same name who live chiefly by basket-making. The caste returns show 4,355 of them, but only 1,868 have returned Koraga as their parent-tongue. It is a dialect of Tulu. *Bellera* is the language of a tribe of the same name, who are found chiefly in Coondapoor taluk. A few of them are also met with in Udipi. The total number of Belleras in the district is 674, and 668 of them have returned the tribal language. Vocabularies of these two languages are given in an appendix to this chapter. They require further verification, however, before being accepted as correct. *Balochi* was returned as their parent-tongue by 33 individuals in the Mangalore municipality, all of whom were Musalman sailors. *Coorgi* or *Kodagu* is spoken by 940 persons and about 800 of these live in the Coondapoor taluk.

There are only 357 Europeans and Eurasians in the district, but 386 persons have returned European languages as their mother-tongue. The difference indicates that some natives have returned European languages as their home-speech, or that a few Europeans and Eurasians have made no return of race. Both these errors were found throughout the presidency.

Vocabularies of the Koragara and Bellera dialects.

[NOTE.—The letters T and C denote that the word is the same in Tulu and Canarese respectively.]

English.	Equivalents of Koragara dialect reported from the Taluks of						Equivalents of the Bellera dialect reported by the Tahsildar of Udupi.	Remarks.
	Udipi.			Mangalore.				
One	Vonji. T.	...	...	Vará* T.	...
Two	Radda. T.	...	...	Radda. T.	Yerda. C.
Three	Múji. T.	...	...	Múji. T.	Múji. T.
Four	Nála. T.	...	...	Nála. T.	Nála. T.
Five	Aina. T.	...	...	Aina. T.	Aina. T.
Six	Áji. T.	...	...	Áji. T.	Áji. T.
Seven	Yéla. T.	...	...	Yéla. T.	Yéla. T.
Eight	Yelma. T. (corrupt)	...	...	Yemmo. T.	Yenta. C.
Nine	Vormba. T.	...	...	Varmbo. T.	Vambattu. C.
Ten	Patta. T.	...	...	Patta. T.	Hattu. C.
Eleven	Pattonji. T.	...	...	Pattonji. T.	Hannonju.‡ C.
Twelve	Padráda. T.	...	...	Padráda. T.	Hannerda. C.
Thirteen	Padmúji. T.	...	...	Padmúji. T.	Hadimúru. C.
Fourteen	Padnála. T.	...	...	Padnála. T.	Hadinálga.§ C.
Fifteen	Padinaina. T.	...	...	Padnéa. T.	Hadinaina.|| C. T.
Sixteen	Padinjji. T.	...	...	Padnáji. T.	Hadináji. T.
Seventeen	Padnála. T.	...	...	Padnála. T.	Hadinéla. C.
Eighteen	Padnelma. T. (corrupt)	...	...	Padneumo. T.	Hadinenta. C.
Nineteen	Padnormba. T.	...	...	Padnormbá. T.	Hattomabbattu. C.
Twenty	Irvo. T.	...	...	Irva. T.	Ippatti. C.
Thirty	Muppo. T.	...	...	Nuppá. T.	Mávattu. C.
Forty	Nalpo. T.	...	...	Nálpá. T.	Nálvattu. C.
Fifty	Aivo. T.	...	...	Aivá. T.	Aivattu. C.

English.	Equivalents of Koragara dialect reported from the Taluks of					Equivalents of the Bellera dialect reported by the Tahsildar of Udipi.	Remarks.
	Udipi.		Mangalore.				
Sixty	Ajpo. T.	... .. ..	Ájpá. T.	... .. ..	Aruvattu. C.	
Seventy	Yelpo. T.	... .. ..	Yelpá. T.	... .. ..	Yeppattu. C.	
Eighty	Yeupo. T.	... .. ..	Yerpá. T.	... .. ..	Yembattu. C.	
Ninety	Soppo. T.	... .. ..	Soppá. T.	... .. ..	Tombattu. C.	
Hundred	Núdu. T.	... .. ..	Núdu. T.	... .. ..	Nuru. C.	
Thousand	Sávira. C. T.	... .. ..	Sávira. C. T.	... .. ..	Sávira. C. T.	
I	Yáma. T.	... .. ..	Ana	... .. ..	Yéna. T.	* Tulu, í.
Thou	Iiji*	... .. ..	Iiji*	... .. ..	Vuyi.	
He	Áyi. T.	... .. ..	Ái. T.	... .. ..	Ákla. T.	
She	Ad†	... .. ..	Ad†	... .. ..	Yenka. T.	
It	Ad. C.	... .. ..	Ad. C.	... .. ..	Adn. C.	
We	Yenkul. T.	... .. ..	Amber	... .. ..	Yenkulo. T.	
You	Nikul. T.	... .. ..	Nimber	... .. ..	Vuyi.	
They	Ákul. T.	... .. ..	Ákla. T.	... .. ..	Ninka. T.	
Me	Ang	... .. ..	Anán or Yangá	... .. ..	Áyáka.	
Thee	Ning	... .. ..	Ijjigá or Ningá	... .. ..	Adek‡	... .. ..
Him	Áyéga. T.	... .. ..	Ainá or Ayangá	... .. ..	Adek‡	... .. ..
Her	Adak‡	... .. ..	Adeka‡	... .. ..	Adek‡	... .. ..
It (objective case)	Adak. § C.	... .. ..	Áiná	... .. ..	Adek. § C.	... .. ..
Us	Amberaga	... .. ..	Amberegá	... .. ..	Yenkalek. T.	§ Can., Adakke.
You	Nimberaga	Nimbaregá	Nink. T.	
Them	Akaleg. T.	Ákleég. T.	Áyák	Same as singular form.
My	Anna	Ana	Yenna. T.	

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English.	Equivalents of the Koragara dialect reported from the Taluks of				Remarks.
	Udipi.	Mangalore.	Equivalents of the Bellera dialect reported by the Tahsildar of Udipi.		
Thy	Ninna. T. C.	Ijjigá	Ninni. C. (corrupt).		
His	Aya	Áiná. T.	Ayani.		
Her	Adena*	Adená*	Adenavu*	* See remark against 'She.'	
Its	Adena	Áiná†	Adenavu ...	† Same as 'His.'	
Our	Amma	Amber or Ammá ...	Yenkudo. T.		
Your	Nimma. C.	Nimberná ...	Vuyi.		
Their	Ákalna. T.	Áklegá ...	Aye‡ ...	‡ Tulu for 'He.'	
This	Ut	Ad § or Uttu ...	Ut ...	§ Can. for 'It.'	
That	Ad. C.	Ad. C. ...	Ad. C.		
These	Ut	Ad || ...	Umbe ...	|| Can. for 'It.'	
Those	Ad ¶	Ad ¶ ...	Ayu. T. ...	¶ Can. for 'It.'	
Which	Vód	Hintetan or Vadu ...	Yávad. C.		
What	Antav	Intan ...	Jain.		
Why	Ante	Integá ...	Jaindek.		
Here	Pulpa	Phúl ...	Hule.		
There	Alpa. T.	Abe ...	Avni. T.		
Where	Vól. T.	Vobé ...	Yevul.		
Now	Ikkal	Ikkal ...	Ite. T.		
Then	Akkal	Akkál ...	Áged.		
When	Yákkal	Yéni or Yekál ...	Yéged.		
Father	Amme. T.	Kodtái ...	Appa. C.		
Mother	Appe. T.	Kodtád ...	Aba.		
Son	Mage. T.	Kuje ...	Mage. T.		
Daughter	Magal. T. ...	Kúji ...	Magal. T.		
Elder brother	Parye ...	Paré ...	Anña. C.		

English.	Equivalents of Koragara dialect reported from the Taluks of					Equivalents of the Bellera dialect reported by the Tahsildar of Udipi.	Remarks.
	Udipi.		Mangalore.				
Younger brother	Megge. T.	...	...	...	Megge. T.	...	
Elder sister	Pared	...	Akka. C. T.	...	Akka. C. T.	...	
Younger sister	Megdu. T.	...	Yalyáv kúji. T.	...	Megdi. T.	...	
Grand-father	Ajje. T.	...	Néle kodtái. T.	...	Ajje. T. C.	...	
Grand-mother	Ajji. T. C.	...	Néle kodtái. T.	...	Ajji. T. C.	...	
Grand-son	Pulli. T.	...	Pulli. T.	...	Mommaga. C.	...	
Grand-daughter	Pulli. T.	...	Pulli. T.	...	Marjed.	...	
Father-in-law	Mámé. T.	...	Mámá. T.	...	Tammale. T.	...	
Mother-in-law	Mámí. T.	...	Mámí. T.	...	Mámikla.	...	
Husband	Korai	...	Koráye	...	Gandsa *	...	* Can., Ganda.
Wife	Korti	...	Korti	...	Hernjati †	...	† Can., Hendati.
Man	Gandla *	...	Naramani or Ganda. T.	...	Mansagi ‡	...	‡ Can., Gandasu or Manushya.
Woman	Poona. T.	...	Kodtái	...	Henninkol §	...	§ Can., Henu.
Old man	Jabbe	...	Para kodtái. T.	...	Sálwe.	...	
Old woman	Jabbu	...	Para kodtái. T.	...	Sándi.	...	
Boy	Kúje	...	Kúji	...	Gandidki.	...	
Girl	Kúji	...	Kúji	...	Henninkol.	...	
Child	Bále. T.	...	Kúji	...	Jéd.	...	
Head	Mande. T.	...	Tale. C.	...	Mande. T.	...	
Hair	Tare. T.	...	Tare. T.	...	Mandedakudel. T.	...	
Face	Mone. T.	...	Muga	...	Moka. C.	...	
Cheek	Kodanji. T.	...	Kenni. T. C.	...	Davude. C. T.	...	
Eye	Kann. T.	...	Kann. T.	...	Kanq. T.	...	
Nose	Múk. T.	...	Múgha. C. (corrupt)	...	Múka. T.	...	Can., Mágua.
Mouth	Báyi. T. C.	...	Báyi. T. C.	...	Báyi. T. C.	...	

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English.	Equivalents of Koragara dialect reported from the Taluks of		Equivalents of the Bellera dialect reported by the Tahsildar of Udipi.	Remarks.
	Udipi.	Mangalore.		
Ear	Kebi. T.	Kebi. T.	Kebi. T.	
Right hand	Balata kai. T.	Balatá kai. T.	Balatta kai. T.	
Left hand	Datta kai. T.	Datta kai. T.	Datta kai. C. (corrupt)*	* Can., Yeda kai.
Tooth	Kúli. T.	Kálí. T.	Kúli. T.	
Back	Beri. T.	Beri. T.	Bergi.	
Belly	Banji. T.	Bayyar	Hodal. C. (corrupt)†	† Can., Vodalu.
Bosom	Tigale. T.	Yade. C.	Yede. C.	
Leg	Kár. T.	Kár. T.	Jang.	
Foot	Kár padavu	Pádo. T.	Jangi hasta or Jangi angál.	
Fingers	Birel. T.	Birelulu. T.	Birel. T.	
Toes	Kárada birel. T.	Néle birelulu. T.	Jangi birel. T.	
Bone	Yelu. T.	Yelu. T.	Mule.	
Tongue	Nálai. T.	Nálái. T.	Nálake. C. (corrupt)‡	‡ Can., Nálige.
Knee	Maramp. T.	Marampu. T.	Tinkin.	
Thigh	Kár tude. T.	Tude. T.	Molpu.	
Ankle	Kárda binté. T.	.....	Tude. T.	
Nails	Ugur. T.	.....	.....
Blood	Nettara. T.	Netter. T.	Ugir. T.	
Rice	Ari. T.	Ari. T.	Vodil.	
Cooked rice	Avur	Aru	Argi.	
Food	Tinnada	Hárá. T. C.	Kúl. C.	
Water	Nír. T.	Nír. T.	Tinkin.	
Salt	Uppu. C. T.	Uppu. C. T. or Pulapindá	Nír. T.	
Light	Bolpu. T.	Bolpu. T.	Uppu. C. T.	
Fire	Tá. T.	Tá. T.	Bulka.	
Firewood	Bijji	Bijji	Tú. T.	
			Taile.	

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English.	Equivalents of Koragara dialect reported from the Taluks of			Remarks.
	Udipi.	Mangalore.	Equivalents of the Bellera dialect reported by the Tahsildar of Udipi.	
Head cloth ...	Mandedakunṭu. T.	Múde	Mandetarve. T.	
Man's cloth ...	Kunṭu. T.	Naramánikunṭu. T.	Suttkina.	
Woman's cloth ...	Shíre. T. C.	Kodedenákunṭu. T.	Shíre. T. C.	
Bangle ...	Murgi	Káji. T.	Káji. T.	
Necklace ...	Ganteldamáni	Sárā. T. C.	Kariyamani. C. T.	
Knife ...	Bísatte. T.	Katti. C. T. or Bísatti. T.	Chfri. C.	
Sword ...	Kaḍsala. T.		Mallakattige. T. (corrupt)*	* Tuu, Mallakatti.
Staff ...	Tandel. T.	Kólu. T. C.	Donne. C. T.	
Bow ...	Chif beru		Billu. C.	
Arrow ...	Pagar. T.		Ambu. C.	
Thatch ...	Muli. C. T.	Muli. C. T.	Udaikina.	
Roof ...	Mád. T.	Máda. T.	Mád. T.	
Door ...	Bákil. T.	Bákil. T.	Bákil. T.	
Village ...	Giráma. T.	Úru. C. T.	Giram. T.	
Fowl ...	Kóri. T.	Kóri. T.	Kóli. C.	
Egg ...	Tetti. T.	Kóri Tetti. T.	Tetti. T.	
Cow ...	Petta. T.	Pettá. T. or Chamái	Gante or Dena. C. (corrupt)†	† Can., Dana.
Bullock ...	Bóri. T.	Bóri. T.	Hóri. C.	
Bull ...	Mundu	Karbás	Guḍde.	
Calf ...	Kanji. T.	Kanji. T. or Nák	Karu. C.	
Buffalo, male ...	Yerda‡	Yerd‡	Kone. C. (corrupt) §... ...	‡ Tulu, Yeru. § Can., Kópa.
Buffalo, female ...	Yerme. T.	Yerme. T.	Yemme. C.	
Horn ...	Kombu. T.	Kombu. T.	Kódu. C.	
Dog ...	Nái. T.	Kombudái or Náyar	Náyi. T. C.	
Cat ...	Puchche. T.	Puchche. T.	Bek. C. (corrupt) || ... ...	|| Can., Bekku.

Vocabularies of the Koragara and Bellera dialects—cont.

English.	Equivalents of Koragara dialect reported from the Taluks of			Remarks.
	Udipi.	Mangalore.	Equivalents of the Bellera dialect reported by the Tahsildar of Udipi.	
Horse ...	Kudre. T. C.	Kudre. T. C. or Kudila	Kudre. T. C.	
Ass ...	Katte. T. C.	Katte. T. C.	Katte. T. C.	
Pig ...	Mukodde	Káñchá	Handi. C.	
Goat ...	Yéd. T.	Yéd. T.	Áda. C. (corrupt) *	* Can., Ádu.
Sheep ...	Kuri. C. T.	Kuri. C. T.	Kuri. C. T.	
Bird ...	Pakki. T.	Pakki. T.	Hakki. C.	
Crow ...	Kakke. T.	Kakke. T. or Kodol	Káke. C. (corrupt) †	† Can., Káge.
Tiger ...	Kodtái	Tókrakodtái	Huli. C.	
Elephant ...	Áne. C. T.	Áne. C. T.	Áne. C. T.	
Jackal ...	Kudke. T.	Kudke. T. or Arachu	Nari. C.	
Snake ...	Yéqendinava or Kempu kaṇ-ninai, Uddadái.	Parapunávu. T.	Mari. T.	
Ant ...	Hoiper	Pijin. T. or Koipire	Yeru ‡	‡ Can., Iruve.
Frog ...	Kappe. T. C.	Kappe. T. C.	Kappe. T. C.	
Monkey ...	Kodang §	Mange. T.	Manga. C.	§ Can., Kódaga.
Forest ...	Kád. T.	Tókrá	Hula.	
Tree ...	Mara. C. T.	Mara. C. T.	Mara. C. T.	
Flower ...	Pd. T.	Pá. T.	Húvnu. C.	
Leaf ...	Ire. T.	Ire. T.	Yele. C.	
Grass ...	Pajir. T.	Pajir. T.	Hullu. C.	
Straw ...	Bai. T.	Bai. T.	Undígehullu. C.	
Rain ...	Mare ...	Mare	Male. C.	
Dew ...	Maint. T.	Ad	Hima. C.	
River ...	Tude. T.	Tude. T.	Hude.	
Sea ...	Kadal. T.	Kadal. T.	Samudra. C. T.	
Path ...	Tádi. T.	Tádi. T.	Teru.	

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English.	Equivalents of Koragara dialect reported from the Taluks of			Equivalents of the Bellera dialect reported by the Tahsildar of Udipi.	Remarks.
	Udipi.	Mangalore.			
Thunder	Shedil. T.	Tidil. C. (corrupt) *	Gudgu. C.	* Can., Shiḍilu.	
Lightning	Minch. T.	Minchi. T. (corrupt) ...	Minchu. C.		
Sun	Port. T.	Déver. T. or Portadéver. T.	Sírya déver. T.		
Moon	Tingal déver. T.	Tingol. T. or Tingolu déver. T.	Chandra déver. T.		
Star	Dáre. T.	Dáraye. T. (corrupt)	Tarke. C. (corrupt) †	+ Can., Tárake.	
Cloud	Máḍa. C. (corrupt) ‡	Mogal. T. (corrupt) §	Mugil. C.	+ Can., Móḍa. || Tulu, Mugal.	
Sky	Bán. C. T.	Akkasá. C. (corrupt) ||	Bána. C. T.	|| Can., Ákasha.	
God	Déver. T.	Déver. T.	Déver. T.		
Devil	Búta. T. C.	Maratámudeldái	Búta. T. C.		
Heaven	Sorga. T.	Svargo. T.	Sorga. T.		
Hell	Narakka. C. T.	Narko. T.	Narka. T.		
Temple	Déndár	Déndá	Deyastána. C. (corrupt) ¶	¶ Can., Dévastána.	
Day	Pagel. T.	Dina. C. T.	Hagel. C.		
Night	Irl. T.	Kattale. C. T.	Dátre.		
Pain	Béne. T.	Béne. T.	Nóvu. C.		
Death	Sainada	Cháke or Saináda	Marna. T. C.		
Birth	Putṇad	Gántri or Putṭanád	Huttíker.		
Childbirth	Bátiputṇad	Páyaná or Páyapundu	Jédi Huttíker.		
Weariness	Sálák	Kattá ...	Dani. C. (corrupt) **	** Can., Daṇu.	
Hunger	Bádav. T.	Puttaga	Hasu. C.		
Thirst	Bájel. T.	Bájel. T.	Bayér. C. (corrupt) ††	†† Can., Báyárike.	
Darkness	Kattale. T. C.	Kattale. T. C.	Kájtale.		
Sunday	Aitara. T.	Áyitara. T.	Aiter. T.		
Monday	Sómara. T.	Sómara. T.	Somara. T.		
Tuesday	Angare. T.	Angare. T.	Mangalára. C.		

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Wednesday	Budára. T.	Budará. T.	Budára. T.	
Thursday	Guruvára. T. C.	Guruvárá. T. C.	Gurvárá. T. C.	
Friday	Shukrára. T.	Shukrára. T.	...	...	Shukravrás. T. C.	
Saturday	Shanivára. T. C.	Shanivárá. T.	...	...	Shanivára. T. C.	
To-day	Chór ...	Chór ...	...	...	Ini. T.	
To-morrow	Yelle. T.	Yele. T.	...	...	Yelle. T.	
Yesterday	Yedru ...	Yeru ...	...	...	Kóde. T.	
Good	Yedde. T.	Yedde. T.	...	...	Valléd. C.	
Bad	Dámeddedi	Padke. T.	...	...	Har.	
Beautiful	Porla. T.	Porlu. T.	...	...	Valléd. C.	
Clear	Tellid. T.	Nirmalá. T. C.	...	...	Gant.	
Thick	Dappa. T. C.	Dappo. T.	...	...	Tór. C.	
Thin	Telpu. T.	Telpu. T.	...	...	Sapúr. T. C.	
Wide	Agéi. T.	Agelo. T.	...	...	Hara. T. C.	
Far	Dúra. T. C.	Dáro. T.	...	...	Dúra. T. C.	
Black	Kappu. T. C.	Kappu. T. C.	...	...	Karídu. C.	
White	Boldu. T.	Boldu. T.	...	...	Béjdu. C. (corrupt) *	* Can., Biledu.
Blue	Pachhe. T. C.	Nila. T. C.	...	...	Pachcha. T. C.	
Green	Kappu. T. C.	Pajji. T.	...	...	Hasíru. C.	
Yellow	Manjol. T.	Manjolu. T.	...	...	Manjoļvarna. T.	
Red	Kempu. T. C.	Kempu. T. C.	...	...	Kempu. T. C.	
Great	Malávu. T.	Nélyáv. T.	...	...	Mallad.	
Small	Kinnevú. T.	Kinnyáv. T.	...	...	Hopidud.	
Hot	Bechcha. T.	Utþo. T. (corrupt) †	Bishi. C. † Tulu, Ushpo.
Cold	Chali. T. C.	Tampu. T. C.	Chappe. T.	
Ripe	Parnd. T.	Parnd. T.	Harnd. T. (corrupt).	

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	Udipi.	Mangalore.			Equivalents of the Bellera dialect reported by the Tahsildar of Udipi.	
Round ...	Urántu. T. C.	Uruntu. T. C.	Uruntu. T. C.	Uruntu. T. C.	Uruntu. T. C.	
Short (of a man) ...	Kuddé. T.	Kudye. T.	Kudye. T. C.	Kunte. T. C.	Kunte. T. C.	
Tall (of a man) ...	Udda. T. C.	Uddo. T.	Uddo. T. C.	Udda. T. C.	Udda. T. C.	
Sour ...	Puli. T.	Puli. T.	Puli. T.	Huli. C.	Huli. C.	
Sweet ...	Típe. T.	Típe. T.	Típe. T.	Shigéd *	Shigéd *	* Can., Shi.
Bitter ...	Kaipe. T.	Kaipe. T.	Kaipe. T.	Kahiye. C. (corrupt) †	Kahiye. C. (corrupt) †	† Can., Kahi.
Straight ...	Sárítá. C. T.	Sarto. T.	Sarto. T.	Sarta. T.	Sarta. T.	
Ugly ...	Sápudi	Yeshige. T.	Yeshige. T.	Sáp iddi.	Sáp iddi.	
Fat ...	Dinde. T.	Madyod. T.	Madyod. T.	Tóra. T. C.	Tóra. T. C.	
Anybody ...	Yérná‡	Yernáagád or Yerkunná	Yernáagád or Yerkunná	Yérabba §	Yérabba §	‡ Tulu, Yérlá. § Can., Yároorra.
Anything ...	Vodná	Hinte távna agát	Hinte távna agát	Yávadondu. C.	Yávadondu. C.	
Above ...	Mitta. T.	Mitta. T.	Mitta. T.	Mit. T.	Mit. T.	
And ...	Mite	Mide	Mide	Máda.	Máda.	
As ...	Andde	Vonkené	Vonkené	Nát.	Nát.	
Below ...	Tírta. T.	Tírta. T.	Tírta. T.	Húshiy.	Húshiy.	
Between ...	Nadut. T.	Madyod. T.	Madyod. T.	Nádasari.	Nádasari.	
By ...	D	D	D	D	D	
Far ...	Dúra. T. C.	Dúro. T.	Dúro. T.	Dúra. T. C.	Dúra. T. C.	
From ...	Dant	Phál	Phál	Hé1.	Hé1.	
Here ...	Polpa	Intáv	Intáv	Héng ¶	Héng ¶	|| Tulu, Yencha. ¶ Can., Hyáge.
How ...	Yech ||	Yech ||	Yech ||	Yéték.	Yéték.	
How much ...	Yét. T.	Yét. T.	Yét. T.	Vulai. T.	Vulai. T.	
In ...	Volamai**	Volái. T.	Volái. T.	Volái. T.	Volái. T.	** Tulu for the 'inside' of a thing.

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Little ...	Vonte. T.	Kinnyáv. T.	Shingani.	
Much ...	Dinje. T.	Dinja. T.	Hechchi. C. (corrupt)*	* Can., Heochchu.
Near ...	Mutta. T.	Kaitelágá. T. (corrupt)†	Sahípa ‡	† Tulu, Kaitala. ‡ Can., Samipa.
No ...	Iddi. T.; At. T.	Dí	Illa. C.	
Not ...	At. T.	Atte. T.	At. T.	
Now ...	Ikkal	Ikkal	Ite. T.	
Of ...	Ta. T.; Da	Mitta. T.	Gi.	
On ...	Molda. T.	Dikde	Mit. T.	
Or ...	Díde	Pidái. T.	Hudai ...	§ Tulu, for the 'outside' of a thing.
Outside ...	Pidamai §	Achchene	Híngé ¶	|| Tulu, Ancha or Anchane. ¶ Can., Hágé.
So ...	Achche ||	Achchene	Hángent.	
Then ...	Akalaga	Vónkne	Híngé. C. (corrupt) ††	** Tulu, Incha or Inchané.
Thus ...	Ichche **	Ichchene **		†† Can., Híge.
To ...	D. T.	Aíntá	G. T. C.	
With ...	Dánta. T.		T.	
Without ...	And ‡‡	And ‡‡	Iddandi. T.	
Yes ...	Ichchirák	Meniye §§ or Yechcharke-mátle. T.	Houdu. C.	‡‡ Tulu, Anda.
Awake ...	Kalabá	Kalyád or Kalabá	Yechcherike. C.	§§ Tulu, Menipu.
Bring ...			Tá. C.	

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	Udipi.	Mangalore.				
Come ...	Bá. C.	Bádá ...	Balla. T.	
Drink ...	Parn. T.	Parád ...	Hargla.	
Eat ...	Tinla. T.	Par or Parnáda ...	Tinla. T.	
Give ...	Koru. T. ...	... ..	... ..	Kórád or Talle ...	Kodla *	* Can., Kodn.
Go ...	Po. T. ...	... ..	... ..	Pó. T. or Pukko ...	Hóla † ...	† Tulu, Póla.
Hear ...	Kél. C. (corrupt) ‡ ...	... ..	... ..	Chéł ...	Kelglä ...	‡ Can., Kélü.
Kill ...	Koru § ...	... ..	... ..	Kaepád or Koru ...	Kerla. T. ...	§ Tulu, Keru or Ker-la.
Laugh ...	Telli || ...	... ..	... ..	Telne || ...	Telila || ...	|| Tulu, N. Telike, V. Telipu.
Lift up ...	Gerpá ¶ ...	... ..	... ..	Derpada ¶ or Jerpu ...	Nekkolla ...	¶ Tulu, Derpu.
Move or walk ...	Nádavu ** ...	... ..	... ..	Nírekálád or Náda ...	Náda †† ...	** Tulu, Nadapu.
Run ...	Pár. T.; Vód. C. ...	... ..	... ..	Phár. T. ...	Vódla.	
Be silent ...	Maṇiyántkul. T. ‡‡ ...	... ..	... ..	Maṇiyántekullád ‡‡ or Maṇi-yantekullu. T. ...	Summaneakkolla. C. ...	‡‡ Tulu, Maṇipande kúllu.
Sit down ...	Kul. T. ...	... ..	... ..	Kullád ...	Kullu. T. ...	
Sleep ...	Búr §§ ...	... ..	... ..	Burád or Nidremát. C. ...	Malekollu. C. (corrupt) ¶|| ...	¶¶ Tulu, for 'fall down.'
Speak ...	Páter. T. ...	... ..	... ..	Pátrád ...	Nudilá ¶¶ ...	¶¶ Can., Malegi kollu.
Stand up ...	Dat ...	... ..	... ..	Dattalád or Dat ...	Nindlá.	¶¶ Can., Nuṇi.
Strike ...	Kut. T. ...	... ..	... ..	Kunpád or Melpu ...	Hoila.	
Take ...	Kalekál ...	... ..	... ..	Kaleyád or Kalekál ...	Kalekolla or Kaledá.	
Take away ...	Kalapo	Kalapo or Kálapukki ...	Kondálá.	
Tell ...	Choll	Chéł or Chellu ...	Haṇ *** ...	*** Tulu, Phana.

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	Udupi.		Mangalore.				
Understand	Pinakal	Pindened or Terku	Telakol. C. (corrupt) *	* Can., Tilakollu,
Weep	Ar. T.	... ... ...	Ar. T.	... ...	Adle.		
Be	Rád	... ... ...	Kullád or Ránđ	... ...	Akolle.		
I am	Yánrañne. T.	... ... ...	Airáñe or Yenaránd. T.	... ...	Yénulle. T.		
Thou art	Ijji ránpa	... ... ...	Ijji vód or Ijji ránđ	... ...	Vuyi ipla.		
He is	Áyi ránni	... ... ...	Ái rápye or Aya rán	... ...	Áyi vokvolki.		
She is	Ad ránd	... ... ...	Ad ránd	... ...	Ál. T. or Ad vokkalkad.		
It is	Ad ránd. C.	... ... ...	Adéná ránd or Adáránd	... ...	Ad undu. C. T.		
We are	Yenkul ránpa	... ... ...	Amber rányá	... ...	Yenklo ulla.		
You are	Níkuļ ránpa	... ... ...	Níkalná rápiyár or Níkkulu rápár.	... ...	Vuyi ulle.		
They are	Ákil ráppner	... ... ...	Akálná rápiyér or Ákuļu rápára.	... ...	Ákal uller.		
They (neuter) are	Ákuļa ráppner	... ... ...	Adná ránd	... ...	Ayu ullo. T.		
I was	Yán úke	... ... ...	Anna rániye or Yána úke	... ...	Yén atki. T.		
Thou wast	Ijji úka	... ... ...	Ijjiná rápiye or Ijji úká	... ...	Vuyi irkat.		
He, she, or it was	Áyi úki, Ad úku, Ad úku	... ...	Áiná, Adéná or (Díkde) Adná ránd.	... ...	Áyi itki, Ad atđá, Adu atđ.		
We were	Yenkul úk.	... ... ...	Amber rápiyá or Amber úko.	... ...	Yenklo atko.		
You were	Níkuļ úkar	... ... ...	Nimberná rápiyár or Nim- bera úkar.	... ...	Vuyi atk.		
They were	Ákil úker	Akálná rápiyér or Ákuļu úkera.	Ákla atker.		
I shall or will be	Yán rápne	Án rápe or Yána úke	Yen uppune.		

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	Udipi.	Mangalore.					
Thou shalt or will be ...	Iiji ranqi	Ijjiná ráni
He shall or will be ...	Áyi ranqi	Áina ráne
She shall or will be ...	Ad rand	...	...	...	Adena vód	...	...
It shall or will be ...	Ad rand	...	...	...	Ad ránd	...	...
We shall or will be ...	Yenkul ranqa	...	...	...	Amberná rányé	...	...
You shall or will be ...	Nínkul ranper	...	...	...	Nimberná rányýár	...	...
They shall or will be ...	Ákil ranper	...	...	...	Ákalná rápiyér	...	...
They shall or will be (neuter)	Ákul ranq	...	...	...	Ákalná rápiyér	...	...
Come ...	Bá	...	...	...	Pilebá	...	...
I come ...	Yán banqe	...	...	...	Án bapne or Yána bakkó	...	...
Thou comest ...	Iiji bá	...	...	...	Ijjiná barád or Iiji bakká	...	...
He, she, or it comes ...	Ái banne, Ad band, Ad band	...	...	...	Ái bapna, Ad band, Ad band	...	...
We come ...	Yenkuł banqa	...	...	...	Amber barká or Yenkułu banná	...	...
You come ...	Níkül bannar	...	...	...	Nimberná barká or Nikulu bannár	...	...
They come ...	Áklí banner	...	...	...	Ad band	...	...
They (neuter) come ...	Ákul band	...	...	...	Ákalná bapner	...	...
I came ...	Yán banqe	...	...	...	Anganá barad or Yána bakke	...	...
Thou camest ...	Iiji batka	...	...	...	Iiji bareke	...	...
He, she, or it came ...	Ayi batki, Ad bak, Ad bak	Áina bareke, Adná band, Adná band
We came ...	Yenkuł bak	Amberná barakyá or Amberbakká

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	Udipi.	Mangalore.			
You came	Nikuḷ bakkar	Nimberná barakyár or Nikuṇju bakkára.	Vuyi batko.	
They came	Akil bakker	... ...	Ákalná baṇyér or Ákuļu bákkér.	Ákaḷ batker.	
They (neuter) came	Ákuļ bak	... ...	Adná band or Ayu bakká ...	Ayu batko.	
I will or shall come	Yán banne	... ...	Án baṇe or Yána banne. T.	Yén barme.	
Thou wilt or shalt come	Ijji banna	... ...	Ijina baráká or Ijji bará ...	Vuyi barva.	
He will or shall come	Áyi banni	... ...	Áina baṇṇá or Áye bari ...	Áyi barvi.	
She will or shall come	Ad bard	... ...	Adená band or Ada barda ...	Al barval.	
It will or shall come	Ad bard	... ...	Ad baru ...	Adu barvedu.	
We will or shall come	Yenkul baṇṇ	... ...	Amberná baráká or Yembara banna.	Yenkul barvo.	
You will or shall come	Nikuḷ banner	... ...	Nimberna baráká ...	Vuyi baryi.	
They will or shall come	Akil banner	... ...	Ákalná baráká or Ákuļu banner.	Ákaḷ barved.	
I will get up and go now	Yán ikkel lak pone	... ...	Án datal ikkal pónē or Yena lakál pónē. T.	Yén itte iṭat hokke.	
When I came, the house was shut up.	Yán baṇṇága illag bákil péger.	... ...	Án barká kóṭṭa muchchige or Yána bannága kóṭṭega bákila pádagor.	Yén barkinak illa báki hár-dunḍu.	
I will kill him	Yán áyan korne	... ...	Án áiná kúpē or Yána áyána korne.	Yén áyan kerke.	
I took my food and went to the forest.	Yán avur parta kádag pukke.	Án aná aaru puḍdatna kádgá pónē or Yána avara parátina kádagá pukke.	Yén tindad hulak hoike.	

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	Udipi.	Mangalore.		
I am hungry ; I must eat ...	Nang badānd̄ avur parād̄ ...	Angā bađav agak angā parād̄ or Anga bađā vānd̄ yana parāt̄.	Yen̄k hashu akkad̄ kūl̄ tinke.	
The man who killed my goat is dead.	Yena yēđ koriye chaiti ...	Anā yēđan kunpe kođtāyi chāyāpāki or Yenna yēđa koriyen̄ chāyipukki.	Yena áđa kerinai shaitakki.	
The boy who brought my food is my son.	Avur talake kúje yena mage.	Anā auru kala bareke kúje ana mage agād̄ or Avuru kolake kúje yennā mage.	Yena kálū tatkki yena mage.	
The man who came with me has gone home.	Ana sangatabarre illag pukker.	Anan̄t̄ barre kođtāyi kođtāga pákiye or Yenna vaſtuga bare kođtāga pukki.	Yena sangatta batinai illag hoiki.	
The man who lives here is in his field.	Mūl̄ illad̄ ittinár kandād̄ ran̄ner.	Phūlu auru paratnaranāne kođtāyi áimā kanda dantā rāniye or Phulu ávaye kanđoda ran̄e.	Hūl̄ attinai gadded ule.	
What is your name ...	Ninna podár yettauu ...	Nimbere podár intāv or Ninna pudára yechchi.	Nina hudara jaind.	
Put your stick on the ground.	Nina dan̄te tirt̄ péđ ...	Nimbare dante nelañtā jād̄ or Kōlu neloku péđ.	Nina kōl̄ nelka hādi.	
You must not come near me.	Ana kaitad̄ barabada ...	Nimbet anan̄t̄ barere anād̄ or Yé yennā kaitālu bara badanjī.	Vuyi yena hodđi barkina bōda.	
You must go to the village immediately.	Nina girāmag ikkel̄ pōđ ...	Nimber ikkāl̄ úrugā phād̄ or Ijji ikkale nina úraga pō.	Vuyi girāma kúdā hokkin.	

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Be careful to go by the straight road.	Sart pód	Sarto tédidá póná lekká jágrate jad or Chádi char-utta pochappadanji.	Shida terdu hokkina.	
What is the price of rice now in your village.	Nina girámad arik kiraya yechchi.	Ikkal nimá úradá arikka hintáv bile ránd or Nina úrada akki kiraya inta ránd.	Nina girámat arigi kraya hyágundu.	
His wife has been delivered of a child.	Áyá korti páyág ...	Áyá korattigá vanji kúji énd or Áyá koratti kúje páyaki.	Áya henjattik jéd huṭṭudund.	
His wife is pregnant ...	Áyá korti bányád ...	Áyá koratti gántra múnḍ or Áyá koratti potte dād.	Áya henjatti himmansi.	
We will all of us go there ...	Yenkuł máta adepón ...	Ambér matérná abe phád or Ambere máta adegū pón.	Yenkuł yeiyid adeg hokko.	
I told my father and came here.	Yán ammág chollađ ideg bakke.	Án ána ammágá chéltan pile bareke or Yána ammágá chollátina pula bakke.	Yén appa kaita hanat batke.	
I will go to the tank and draw water.	Yán keduk pád nír kalene ...	Án kerekká phátnír valne or Yána keduku pukke níra kalake.	Yén kerek hód nír yettake.	
He fell into the well, but his father pulled him out.	Áyi uggleg butarge áya amme kaletti.	Ái uggle dantá burne ákde áiná amme áiná mittu kalabarake or Áye keduku burtage áye amme mittu kallike.	Áyi bávik bálke' áya appa kale ikki.	