### LIST OF PLATES

1. Iron Plough (Kalappai)
2. Ploughing (Er)
3. Bullock Cart (Mattuvandy)
4. Agricultural tools - Pudukkottai Museum
5. Granary (Kuthir)
6. Field prepared for wet cultivation (Nanchai Nilam)
7. Paddy transplantation - Women Folk (Nadavu)
8. Garden Crops (Thottappayir)
9. Vellar basin
10. Kavinad Tank
11. Kavinad Tank - Inner view
12. Kavinad Tank - Outer view
13. Kavinad Tank - Shutters (Mathaku)
14. Kavinad Tank - Distributory channel (Vaykkal)
15. Holdsworth Dam - Inner view
16. Holdsworth Dam - Outer view
17. Pudukulam
18. Pallavankulam
19. Adappankulam Tank
20. Thirukogarnam Tank
21. Roman coins discovered at Karukkakurichi hoard
22. Old abode of Thondaimans at Adappanvayal
23. Western gateway to old palace
24. Old Palace Complex - Aerial view
25. Ruins of Old Palace
26. New Palace opened in 1928
27. Avur Church an early Roman Catholic settlement
28. Thirumayam fortress
29. Thirukogarnam Temple
30. Public Office Building