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(A true Extract.)

(Signed) THOMAS PEACHEY,
Principal Assistant Secretary to the Government of India.

No. 45. ORDER THEREON, 19th August 1863, No. 525.

Communicated to the Political, Judicial, and Public Departments.

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