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No. 180. Read the following letter from J. C. LOCH, Esq., President of the Municipal Commission, Madras, to the Hon. D. F. CARMICHAEL, Acting Chief Secretary to Government, Fort St. George, dated Madras, 4th November 1874, E. No. 343-2170 :—

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2. I would, however, take this opportunity of stating that, except for this reason, which the Commissioners admit renders them liable to keep up the roadway, they would have been unable to allow the justice of their being called on to do so. The toll is at one end of the bridge it is true, but the amount collected at it is for the purpose of assisting in repairing the roads of the town of Madras.

No. 181. ORDER THEREON, 27th November 1874, No. 1984.

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(True Extract.)

D. F. CARMICHAEL,
Acting Chief Secretary.

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Madras Municipality.
Executive Engineers' Office,
Madras 4th November 1874

From
J. C. Loch Esqre
President Munpl. Commissioner
Madras

To
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Thos. Clark.

President Munp.l Comm.rs

Harnd. 1874 Depr.

From (Municipal)

The President & Co.

Madras

To

The As Chief Secy.

to Govt. Madras

Dated 4th Novr. 1874

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Enclosure none

States that under a misapprehension the Secy. to the Bd. of Rev: was written to that the Elphinstone Bridge was not amongst those made over by Govt. to the Municipality

with an order

27 Novr. 24th 1874

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