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Proceedings of the Madras Government, Financial Department,
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(A true Copy and Extract.)

(Signed) J. GROSE,
Secretary.

No. 185. ORDER THEREON, 21st April 1874, No. 653.

Sanctioned.

(True Extract.)

Acting Chief Secretary.

To the Board of Revenue.
,, Public Works Department, with enclosures.
,, Accountant-General.

Exd. A. S. Rodgers.

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To

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,, the Inspecting Engineer for Buildings.
,, the Officiating Controllor of Public Works Accounts.
,, the Collector of Salem.
,, the District Engineer of Salem.

Exd. F. R. Bantleman.

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