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* The Mercara and Agoomby Ghaut Roads.

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(A true Copy and Extract.)

H Stokes

Acting Secretary.

To the Officiating Chief Secretary to Government, Financial Department,
with two original enclosures, to be returned, and copy of Board's
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Copy to the President of Local Fund Board, Canara Circle.

Exd. W. J. Lewis.

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Tolls—levied on through traffic in South Canara District.—Submitting to Government letter from President forwarding copies of Resolutions of Local Fund and Municipal Boards on subject of division of — between them.

Orders

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The Government have the honor to request arrangements may be made

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