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## Government of Madras.

*Public Works* DEPARTMENT.

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*Proceedings of the Madras Government, Public Works Department,  
17th February 1864.*

No. 365. Read the following Telegram from Stalathars, Inhabitants and Rock Fort Pagoda, Trichinopoly, to the Right Honorable the Governor in Council, Madras, dated 12th February 1864, No. 792:—

The granite stones of citadel wall annexed to the Rock Fort Pagoda being church property is being removed under direction of District Engineer. Already about 2 thousand stones have been taken away. Beg your Lordship will prevent such proceedings by Telegram until our Petition reaches. Two have been already addressed to Engineer's and Collector's Departments, no notice have been taken of them.

Transferred to Chief Secretary.  
(By Order.)

*Guindy Park,  
13th February 1864.*

(Signed) J. W. BREEKS,  
*Private Secretary.*

No. 366. ORDER THEREON, 17th February 1864, No. 488.

1. Referred to the Superintending Engineer, 6th Division, with a request that after communicating with the Collector he will submit his opinion upon the objections raised to the removal of the granite stones of the citadel wall said to be annexed to the Trichinopoly Rock Fort Pagoda.

2. Captain Bean will also report upon what Estimate the stones are being removed, and whether any and what funds are available for the work.

(True Extract.)

(Signed) CHARLES A. ORR, Colonel, R. E.,  
*Secretary to Government.*

To the Superintending Engineer, 6th Division.

Exd. S. T. Augustin.

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 Dated 12th Dec 1884

GOVERNMENT TELEGRAPH DEPARTMENT.

OFFICE MONTHLY NO \_\_\_\_\_

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FROM Trichinopoly TO Madras

FROM Attala thes Inhabitant TO The Right Honorable

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Words Pagoda The Governor in

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STATION Trichinopoly date \_\_\_\_\_ STATION TO \_\_\_\_\_ date \_\_\_\_\_

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 Proceedings of the Madras Government  
 Under date the 17th Feb/66  
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Telegram  
 From Malathars  
 Inhabitants & Rock  
 Fort, Trichinopoly

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P. B. Deane  
 Dec 14<sup>th</sup> 1894

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My Dear Brother,  
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communication with the  
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