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GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.

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(Signed) F. L. O'CALLAGHAN,
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To the Secretary to the Government of Madras.

Examination for admission to the superior service of the Accounts Branch of the Public Works Department.

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Entrance Examination.

Subjects for Examination.

	Marks.
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