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Proceedings of the Madras Government, Revenue Department, 5th March 1874.

No. 87. Proceedings of the Board of Revenue, dated 17th February 1874, No. 349.

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(True Extract.)

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To the Board of Revenue.

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