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MADRAS RECORD OFFICE.

Government of Madras.

Revenue **DEPARTMENT.**

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Proceedings of the Madras Government, Revenue Department,
30th June 1868.

No. 669. Read the following Proceedings of the Board of Revenue, dated 18th June 1868, No. 4,530 :—

Read the following letter from the Collector of Salem, to the Acting Secretary to the Board of Revenue, dated 9th June 1868, No. 144.

1. In compliance with the Proceedings of the Board of Revenue, No. 3,917, dated 27th May 1868, I have the honor to inform you that I have looked into the titles to the Estates, Nos. 43 and 75, on the Shervaroy Hills.

2. No. 43 was originally owned by Reverend Blenkinsop, and by him transferred to his son Lewis, who parted with the same to Mr. Beattie. The names of all three are in our accounts as well as that of Major Hunter, who purchased this land together with the houses and godowns from Mr. Beattie. An acknowledgment of the payment of the value by Major Hunter I have seen. Government have granted to Major Hunter a title of permanent settlement for this land, which deed Major Hunter has placed in my possession.

3. As to Estate No. 75, it was purchased by Messrs. Gravier & Co. from a Mr. Crowe, whose name appears in our accounts as the owner. Messrs. Gravier sold the same to Major Hunter, and I have seen the document acknowledging the receipt of the money in full. Since this purchase, the Government have granted a title of permanent settlement, which deed I have also had handed to me by Major Hunter. There can be no mistake about the titles of Major Hunter being good, and I request, therefore, to know whether I am to pay the purchase money to Major Hunter. He has signified his willingness (which, however, is only customary with the sellers of property in these parts) to pay the value of the stamp for conveyance, and also the costs of registering.

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1. The Board learn that Major Hunter has placed in the Collector's hands title deeds of undoubted validity.

2. The Collector is, therefore, authorized to disburse the sum sanctioned by Government, and complete the purchase.

No. 670. ORDER THEREON, 30th June 1868, No. 1,825.

Miscellaneous.

Ordered to be recorded.

(True Extract.)

(Signed) W. HUDLESTON,
Secretary to Government.

To the Board of Revenue.
,, the Accountant General.

Exd. F. R. Bantleman.

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PROCEEDINGS OF THE BOARD OF REVENUE,

Dated 18th June 1868.

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Authorizing Collector of Salem to disburse to Major Hunter sum sanctioned by Government for purchase of his house, at Yercaud, for a Deputy Tahsildar's Cutcherry.

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