*Proceedings of the Madras Government, Revenue Department,*
*26th October* 1868.

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In reply to the Memorandum from the Acting Secretary to Government, dated 30th September 1868, the undersigned has the honor to state that the Board

propose to provide funds for the village establishments for the hill villages in the Madura District by means of annual deductions from the Beriz to be carried to the credit of the Village Service Fund, disbursements being made therefrom. It is considered proper that these kinds of payments to the village servants should invariably form a deduction from the Beriz to obviate the necessity of making any provision for it in the Budget of charges.

By Order,

(Signed) A. MACGREGOR,
*Acting Secretary.*

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No. 418. ORDER THEREON, 26th October 1868, No. 2,718.

Miscellaneous.

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(True Extract.)

(Signed) R. A. DALYELL,
*Acting Secretary to Government.*

To the Board of Revenue.
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Dated October, 26th.

Read.

G. O., 28th October 1868, No. 2,718.

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OCTOBER.

Nos. 416-419.

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*Village Establishments on the Pulneys.*—Sanction granted for their entertainment at an annual cost of Rupees 954. Board of Revenue to report regarding the disposal of the fees hitherto received by them.

Revenue Depart.

No. 2718.

Proceedings of the Madras Govt. under date the 26th. Octr. 1868.

Read the following papers:-

Pro:, of the Bd of Revue:-

Requesting sanction to entertainment of estabt for certain Hill villages in the Madura Dt, at annual cost of Rs 954:- (H.L: 21st Septr 1868, No 6702)-

Memo: from the Secy to the Bd of Revue:-

Informing that the Board propose to provide funds for Village Estabt for Hill villages in Madura Dt, by annual deductions from Rents to be carried to the credit of Village Service fund:- (H.L: 8th Octo 1868, No 10,64):-

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# Official Memorandum

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A Lambert
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Revenue Board Office
Madras
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To
The Acting Secretary to Government
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Requesting sanction of Government to entertainment of establishment for certain Hill villages in Madura district, at annual cost of Rupees 954.

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(A true Copy and Extract.)

Acting Secretary.

To the Acting Secretary to Government, R. D.,
with Statement.
,, the Acting Collector of Madura.

Exd. J. Wright.