No. 118. Read the following lette the Secretary to the Government of India, Department of Agric enue, and Commerce, (Forests,) to the Secretary to the Governt Iadras, dated Simla, 31st August 1872, No. 17-1,061 :—

I AM directed to forward, for ation and for distribution to all Forest Officers, copies of a Report by tain Campbell-Walker, Deputy-Conservator of Forests, Madras, on the Engl ad Scotch forests visited by him ; and to request attention to the remarks relative to the use of the cross-cut saw in felling trees (page 19), on the sub of grazing (page 23), and the use of saw-machinery in the forests (page 33).

2. I am also to invite especial atte ion to the remarks made at pages 14, 15, and 31, on the subject of the treat of tap-roots, and to request that experiments may be tried on a small scale in accordance with those remarks. In the Panjab there are especial facilities for so, and it is requested that the Conservator's attention may be directed t matter and a report furnished a year hence to the Government of India or xperiments.

No. 119. ORDER THEREON, 16th Oc 1872, No. 1,425.

Forests, No. 5.

ORDERED that copy of the Officiat- nspector's Note on Mr. Walker's rt be furnished to the Government dia.

(True)

gned) W. HUDLESTON,
Secretary to Government.

Exd. F. R. Bantleman.

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DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE,
REVENUE, AND COMMERCE.

[Forests.]

To

The Local Governments and Administrations.

No. 17 / 1061

Dated 31st August 1872.

Rect. 5th Octr.

No. 118-119

SUBJECT.

REPORT by Captain Walker, Deputy Conservator of Forests, Madras, on the English and Scotch Forests visited by him.

No. 1425.

Forwd. that copy of the Rpt. Engr. here on. Mr. Walker Rpt. be furnished to the