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No. 19. Read the following letter from the Officiating Conservator of Forests, to the Secretary to Government, Revenue Department, Fort Saint George, dated Camp, Ootacamund, 13th August 1866, No. 1,919 :—

1. With reference to paragraph 1 of the Government Order, No. 1,972 of the 7th of August, I have the honor to inform you that I have handed over to the Secretary of the Paris Exhibition Committee at Madras (amongst other timbers from South Canara) a slab of the Dipterocarpus Indicus, this will, I suppose, be eventually forwarded to the Reporter on Indian Products.

2. With reference to the tract of Sandal-wood at the northern part of the Nallay Mallays (*Annamallays* in printed copy of the Despatch) I am sorry to inform you that the Sandal-wood turns out to be almost without scent, and comparatively of little value, it is the species described by Dr. Roxburgh as "Santalum Myrtifolium."

3. A report will be forwarded shortly regarding the value of the Sâl Forests of Goomsur.

No. 20. ORDER THEREON, 3rd September 1866, No. 2,324.

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Government will await the report promised in paragraph 3.

(True Extract.)

(Signed) J. D. SIM,
Secretary to Government.

To the Conservator of Forests.

Exd. S. T. Augustin.

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From

The Conservator of Forests,

To The Secretary to Govt
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Fort St George

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Enclosure No.

Informing that a slab of the Dipterocarpus Indicus has been forwarded to the Secretary Paris Exhibition Committee Madras Office
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