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Government Central Museum
Madras 21st March 1882.

From

Surgeon Major George Bidio M.B.
Superintendent Government Central
Museum.

To

The Secretary to Government
Revenue Department
Fort Saint George.

Sir,

I have the honour to bring to the notice of
the Right Honorable the Governor in Council,
the desirability of having in the Museum character-
istic and well authenticated specimens of the various
kinds of South American Cinchona bark sold
in the London market, for comparison with Indian
grown barks.

2 / About one pound of each of the following
kinds and of each of their commercial varieties would
suffice:—

A. Crown or Pale

Bark the typical varieties,

B. Red Bark,

C. Yellow Barks,

D. Grey Barks,

E. Pitayo Bark,

F. Carthagena Bark,

G. Soft Columbian or Santa Fe,

I have asked Leew for assistance in the matter
but they express their inability to supply specimens,
and suggest that application should be made
to Her Majesty's Secretary of State for India,
with the view of their being selected and purchased
by some expert in the London market. I have
therefore to request that His Excellency in
Council will be good enough to sanction an
application being made accordingly.

I have the honor to be,

Sir,

Your Most Obedient Servant

Edie M^d

Surgeon Major

Superintendent Govt. Lunatic C

Revenue (1882) Department

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The Superintendent
Govt. Central Museum

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Application with
accordingly he made
to the Secretary of
State.

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Subject.

Noting that an application
was made to Her Majesty's Secretary
of State for India to purchase in
the London Market characteristic
& well authenticated specimens
of the various kinds of South
American Leuchina bark, for the
Museum.

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With an order.