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NOTE FOR THE UNDER SECRETARY.

All despatches from the Secretary of State are opened in the first instance by H.E. the Govr. He has therefore seen this also. But it perhaps well to send it now, as he will see the full significance of the despatch.

The Fin. issued the Order "Exist."

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Statement showing the quantity of products manufactured from certain Cargoes of bark & the quantity shipped therefrom—

	Quinine Sulphate				Cinchonine Sulphate				Quinidine Sulphate				Quinetum alkaloid				Cinchonine alkaloid				Mixed Tartrates				Cinchona Febrifuge			
	Quantity	Value Rs	a	p	Quantity	Value Rs	a	p	Quantity	Value Rs	a	p	Quantity	Value Rs	a	p	Quantity	Value Rs	a	p	Quantity	Value Rs	a	p	Quantity	Value at Rs 16 1/2 Rs	a	p
Bengal	2241-6 3/8	94,713	6	6	284-14 1/4	2183	8	7 1/4	65 1/4	1686	7	4	2035 11/16				71	603	15	2	214-15				2892	46272	"	"
Bombay	2465-	1,46,456	9	10	150-	1275	15	2	"	"	"	"	200				"	"	"	"	"				2571 9/16	41145	"	"
Total shipped	4706-6 3/8	241,170	"	3	434-14 1/4	3459	7	9 1/4	65 1/4	1686	7	4	2235 11/16				71	603	15	2	214-15				5463 9/16	90048	12	6
Quantity as per Gc No 730/84	4691-10	290027	11	8	403-11 1/4	2202	"	"	57-5	2084	1	5	"				208	1134	8	9	218-4				7820-8	132948	8	"

Province	Products	Date of Despatch	Quantity shipped	Rate per lb English money £. S. D.	Rate per lb Indian money R. A. P.	Total R. A. P.	
Bombay	Quinine sulphate	15 April 83	56 lb	7 0 8	84	6 4⅘	4726 6 4⅘ ✓ Exchange at 1s 8d per Rupee.
	Do.	10 May 83	574 lb	7 0 8	84	6 4⅘	48,445 9 7⅕ ✓ Do.
	Do.	4 April 83	522 lb	5 12 8	68	7 3	35,733 14 — ✓ Exchange at 1s 7¾ per Rupee
	Cinchonine sulphate	Do.	150 lb	— 14 —	8	8 1	1275 15 2 ✓ Do.
	Quinidium alkaloid	Do.	200 lb	— 14 —	8	8 1	1701 — 4 — 3 — Do.
	Quinine sulphate	28 Febr 84	191 lb	4 7 4	53	0 11	10,135 1 5 Do.
	Do.	28 Sept 84	1122 lb 12 oz	3 8 8	42	4 1	47,415 10 5 Exchange at 1s 7½ d. per Rupee
	Cinchona febrifuga	Do.	2571 2/16 lb				
			Total	1,29,433 13 3			
Bengal	Cinchonine Al-Kaloid	4 Augt 83	71 lb	— 14 —	8	8 1	603 15 2 ✓ Exchange at 1s 7¾ per Rupee
	Cinchonine sulphate	Do.	213 lb 14 oz	— 14 —	8	8 1	1,819 6 11½ ✓ Do.
	Quinidia Sulphate	30 May 84	65¼ lb	2 2 —	25	13 6	1686 7 4 ✓ Exchange at 1s 7½ d per Rupee
	Cinchonine do.	Do.	71 lb	— 8 4	5	2 —	364 1 8 ✓ Do
	Quinine Sulphate	22 Sept 84	2241 lb 6 3/8 oz	3 8 8	42	4 1	94,713 6 5 ✓ Do.
	Mixed Tartrates	Do.	214 lb 15 oz				99187-5-6¼
	Cinchona Febrifuga	Do.	2892 lb				
	Quinidium alkaloid	Do.	2035 4/16 lb				
			Total	99187 5 6¼			

GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.

FINANCIAL DEPARTMENT.

Read—the following paper :—

Despatch from the Right Honorable the EARL OF KIMBERLEY, Her Majesty's Secretary of State for India, to His Excellency the Right Honorable the Governor in Council, Fort St. George, dated India Office, London, 19th February 1885, No. 5 (Revenue).

With reference to the letter of your Excellency's Government in the Financial department, No. 10, dated 26th July last, I forward herewith, for your information, copy of a despatch which I have addressed to the Viceroy in Council relative to the value of the alkaloids manufactured from the cinchona bark sent by your Government to this country.

No. 19, dated 19th of February 1885.

Enclosure.

Despatch from the Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India, to His Excellency the Right Honorable the Governor-General of India in Council, dated India Office, London, 19th February 1885, No. 19 (Revenue).

With reference to the letter of your Excellency's Government in the department of Finance and Commerce, No. 308, dated 13th October last, I forward herewith a statement showing the various shipments of alkaloids sent from this country to Calcutta and Bombay as medical stores which were manufactured from the cargoes of bark, referred to in the enclosure to that letter.

2. Inasmuch as the cost price of each product could not be ascertained in this country, I forwarded to you with my despatch in this department, No. 98, dated 6th November last, the quotations then current of the two principal products as some guide upon the subject.

3. But as those values differ considerably from the estimated values adopted by the Government of Madras in their letter, No. 10 (Financial), dated 26th July last, I have referred to Messrs. Jenkin and Phillips to ascertain the current values of each of the products shipped to India at the time of their shipment, and the values given by them have been embodied in the statement enclosed.

4. I desire that these values may be taken as the basis of the adjustments, which will have to be made in your books between the cinchona plantations and the medical store depôts of each presidency, and that the current market price be adopted on all future occasions.

5. As regards the cinchona febrifuge, quinetum alkaloids and mixed tartrates, for which there is little or no market in Europe, and for which accordingly no satisfactory quotation can be given, I must leave it to your Government to determine the value which shall be adopted for them.

R. S. & C. 110-85.

Statement showing (1) the quantities of the Quinine manufactured from Indian bark, which have been shipped to the Bengal and Bombay Medical departments, and (2) the prices current at the time of shipment.

Date of despatch and name of ship.	Presidency.	Quantities.	Price per oz. nett.
			s. d.
15th April 1882.			
Clan McLean ..	Bombay ..	56 lb. Quinine sulphate	8 9½
10th May 1882.			
Lady Dalhousie ..	Do. ..	574 lb. do. do.	8 9½
4th April 1883.			
Rohilla	Do. ..	522 lb. do. do.	7 0½
		150 lb. Cinchonine sulphate	0 10½
		200 lb. Quinetum alkaloid	
4th August 1883.			
Navarino	Bengal ..	71 lb. Cinchonine do.	0 10½
28th February 1884.		213 lb. 14¼ oz. Cinchonine sulphate ..	0 10½
Ancona	Bombay ..	191 lb. Quinine sulphate	5 5½
30th May 1884.			
Mirzapore	Bengal ..	65½ lb. Quinidine do.	2 7½
22nd Sept. 1884.		71 lb. Cinchonine do.	0 6½
Chusan	Do. ..	2,241 lb. 6⅝ oz. Quinine sulphate	4 3½
		214 lb. 15 oz. mixed tartrates	
		2,892 lb. Cinchona febrifuge	
		2,035⅛ lb. Quinetum alkaloids	
24th Sept. 1884.			
Assam	Bombay ..	1,122 lb. 1½ oz. Quinine sulphate	4 3½
		2,571⅞ lb. Cinchona febrifuge	

Order—dated 21st March 1885, No. 630, Financial.

Communicated to the Revenue department and to the Accountant-General.

(True Extract.)

Ag. Under Secy. to Govt.

To the Revenue department.
„ Accountant-General.

Exd. J. Henricus.

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To the Govt. Botanical Division C.I. Office
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G.O., 21st March 1885, No. 630.

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Alkaloids.

Communicating to the Revenue department and to the Accountant-General despatch from the Secretary of State forwarding one addressed to the Viceroy in Council relative to the value of the — manufactured from the cinchona bark sent by this Government.

With an order

Mis. G.O. No. 2336

Comd to the Director of the Govt Cinchona Plantations.

W.H. 20-11-85 S.N. 2014.

W.H. 6-5-85

No further action seems called for until we hear from India in reference to this despatch. Two statements are put up, which may be useful later on. Statement A shows the rupee value of the shipments to Bengal & Bombay & the Secretary of State's rate. The total amounts to Rs. 246,920. This is exclusive of

Cinchona febrifuge	5463 9/16	lbs.
quinetum alkaloid	2235 11/16	lbs
mixed tartrates.	214 15/16	lbs

which the S of S. says he is unable to value. The Bengal plantations charge our medical stores Rs 1-8-0 per lb. for febrifuge. At this rate the above quantity would be worth Rs 87,417. Quinetum alkaloid is mentioned for the first time. It is, perhaps, the same as the "Cinchonidine sulphate" of last Despatch statement, which was valued at Rs 19 per lb, but the quantities differ greatly. Mixed tartrates we were unable to value & they are probably not worth much.

Statement B shows that most of certain alkaloids has been shipped than we claimed payment for. This is probably due to the fact that we claimed nothing on shipments prior to April 1st 1882 when the provincial cultivation began.

W.H. 20-11-85 S.N.

20-8-85