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REVENUE DEPARTMENT.

C No. 5388 & 5332

From The Govt Botanist & Dir of Cinchona Plants

Dated 5th & 10th July 1886.

FOR ORDERS.

Clearly the Govt must ask Mr Lawson to make up the deficiency from his stocks of 'natural' & 'mossed' bark

H.C.J. 15/7

* to S. of S.

C. No. 5388

O.M. on above 8/8-7-86 No. 209.

C. No. 5394 (now under disposal)

In a notification issued under G.O., dated 14th July 1885, No. 816, Rev. the Govt. guaranteed to sell in each of the months of Sept., Oct, Nov., and Dec. in 1885 and 1886, not less than 17,500 lbs of "crown" bark. This guarantee was made with the approval of the Secy. of State (vide Desp.* of 27th May 1885, No 10, Rev. and the G.O. quoted above).

Mr Lawson now reports that he has only 14,600 lbs of "renewed crown" available for sale in Sept. next. It was pointed out to him that he had already reported# to Govt. that he had 37,174 lbs of "crown" varieties and he was asked to explain why he could not make up the guaranteed quantity by offering other 29 bales of other than the "Renewed" variety of "Crown."

Govt Bo[illegible] & Cinchona

He replies (C. No. 5552) that it is a great saving of expense if one kind of bark only is sold at a time. He does not explain this statement, and prima facie it does not appear in what "the great saving will consist. Different kinds of barks have hitherto been sold at the same sale, and the extra expense of so doing can be very little more than the cost of analysis. As the Govt. employ a spl. analyst this cost must be infinitesimal.

In these circumstances it is submitted that the sale of the guaranteed qty. of 17,500 lbs shd. be ordered or that Mr Lawson shd. be ~~again~~ called upon for further explanation.

H.A.S
13.7.86

H.C.

C 14-7-86
R 15-7-86.

FOR ORDERS.

Cinchona Sales

No. 28

Director's Office
Peradeniya 5th July 1886

From
The Government Botanist
and Director of Cinchona
Plantations

To
The Secretary to Government
Revenue Department
Peradeniya

Sir,

I have the honor to inform you that not having a sufficient quantity of Renewed Crown Bark for the purpose, I shall not be able to offer 175 Bales for September's Sale, as directed by the Secretary of State (vide C.O No. 816 of 14th July 1885) but shall be able to sell only 146 Bales.

2. The difference of 29 Bales will be made up in the next months sale

3. The Cause of the deficiency is due to a miscalculation, having been made of the quantity of bark while unpacked.

I have the honor to be
Sir
your most Obt. Servant
M. A. Lawson.
Govt. Botanist & Director

Revenue 1886 Deptt.
№ 5388.

Revenue (1886) Cinchona

Ofm № 209 d/ 8 July 1886

With reference to his letter of 5th instant No 28 the Dir. of Govt. Cinchona Plantations is requested to inform the undersigned (make up the guaranteed qty. by) why he cannot, offering 29 bales of other than the Renewed variety of Crown Bark at the sale to be held in Sept. next. In their Not. published on 16th July, 1885, ~~to 86~~ the Govt. merely guaranteed that they wd. offer (for sale) 17,500 lbs of bark of the various varieties of "crown": they did not bind themselves to offer only the "renewed" variety. It appears from the Director's letter d/ 5th inst. No 26 that there are now in stock 37,174 lbs of crown barks. There shd. ∴ be no difficulty in putting 17,500 lbs of this on the market in Sept. next. HAS 8-7-86

Entd. 8th July 1886 ✓

From,
The Government Botanist and Director of Cinchona Plantations
To,
The Secretary to Govt.
Revenue Department
Ootacamund.

№ 28
Dated 5th July 1886.
Rec'd 6th July 1886.

Encl.

Subject
September Sales.

Reporting that only 146 Bales instead of 175 will be offered for — and that the difference of 29 Bales will be made up in the next Months Sale.

Entd. 14-7-86
& 15-7-86.

To the Govt. Botanist
Dr. 7/7

P.T.O

Office of the Government Botanist & Director of Government Cinchona Plantations
(Camp) Sadevatam
Dated 10th July 1886.

№ 34.

From
The Goverment Botanist &
Director, Government Cinchona Plantations
Ootacamund

To
The Secretary to Government
Revenue Department
Ootacamund

Sir,

With reference to your Official Memo No 209 dated the 8th July 1886 I have the honor to inform you that my reasons for not wishing to sell any but the Renewed Cerown Barks at the September's Sale are as follows:-

1. It is a great saving of expense if one kind of bark only is sold at a time and I have in hand only the amount of Renewed bark specified in my letter No 28 dated the 5th July 86. viz 146 bales.

2. I had calculated upon making up the full quantity from bark harvested during the present season. But owing to the irregularity of the Monsoon, all barking operations have been so seriously interfered with that this has been impossible.

3. Under these circumstances I have the honor to request that my former proposition to sell 14600 lbs in September next may be allowed to stand.

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your most obedient Servant
M. A. Lawson
Govt. Botanist & Director

Revenue Depts.

Revenue (1886) Cinchona

No 5312

From

The Govt Botanist and Director
Cinchona Plantations
Sikkim

To

The Secretary to Government
Revenue Department
Calcutta

Dated 10
Recd 12 July 1886.

Enclosure Memo-
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Subject

Auction Sale of Cinchona
bark.

Gives reasons for
wishing to offer only Renewed
Crown bark Calisaya in
September 1886.

DISPOSED OF
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GOVT ORDER

Dis 8-9 Dr 4188 5/16-7-86

The Govt are of opinion that
it is essential that the
quantity notified should be
offered for sale, & that the
deficiency in "renewed crown"
should be made up in "natural
drained" bark

Dy. 16/7

To the Govt Botanist.
Darjeeling.

C14-7-86.
R15-7-86.