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From

Director's Office

Peradeniya 17th September 1886.

M. A. Lawson Esq.

Govt. Botanist & Director of

Cinchona Plantations

Neligiri

The Secretary to Government

Revenue Department

Sir,

Messrs Wilkie & Co. Madras having written to me as follows:—

"We have the honor to inform you that
"two of the houses here, who are buyers
"of Cinchona bark have informed us
"that they cannot possibly get their
"limits in time for the sale of the 4th
"October. We write to ask your permission
"to postpone the sale for a week or
"a fortnight"

I have the honor to request that you will be good enough to sanction the change of the date on which the bark is to

to be sold to the 18th of next month.

2 It is probable that it will be necessary to postpone the November Sale to a later date also.

3 The Causes operating to render these Changes necessary are that much of the bark to be sold has been harvested during the present Season and could not be put down in sufficiently early to admit of the intending buyers selecting their own Samples and getting analyses made of them in England by the days advertized for the Sales to take place.

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

G-0-3-8-86, no 654.

Revenue Dept.
No 7624-8.
Revenue (1886) Cinchona

Order.

The postponement of the sale is sanctioned.

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To The Under Secy of State for India.

Sir,

I am directed to forward for the information of the Rt. Hon. the S. of S. the accompanying copy of the Proc. of this Govt. sanctioning the postponement to the 18th Oct. of the sale of cinchona bark fixed for the 4th idem. I am brequest that due notice may be given of the change of date.

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Might not a telegram go to the Secy of State?

G-24-9-86.
R 27-9-86.

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From

The Govt Botanist and Reader of Cinchona Plantations Nilgiris

&

The Secretary to Government Revenue Department Fort St George

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September 1886.

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Subject

Auction Sale of October 1886

Requests sanction to the postponement of the — to the 15th of that month for the reasons mentioned

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In the Govt Botanist & Cinchona Gdns Dept 27/9/86

Telegram 27/9/86

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Hon the Postmaster
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