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DIRECTOR'S OFFICE,
Naduvatam June 18 1891.

From

M. A. LAWSON, ESQ.,

GOVERNMENT BOTANIST AND DIRECTOR OF

GOVERNMENT CINCHONA PLANTATIONS, &c.,

Nilgiris.

To

The Secretary to Government.
Revenue Department
Ootacamund

SIR,

I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of G. O. No 3507. dated the 13th June 1891 — Revenue — enclosing a letter from the Colonial Secretary Colombo, No 38 of 5th June 1891, drawing attention to the fact, that in a consignment of two hundred pounds of Sulphate of Quinine, a tin, containing one pound, was missing. I have the honor to report on the matter as follows:—

The two hundred pounds were despatched to Colombo on the 13th December 1890. on the 27th January the Medical Superintendent (Civil) Medical Stores Colombo wrote me word that there was one tin one pound tin short. I made inquiries at once, and found that the tin had not been sent. the Superintendent's letter did not reach me however till the 3rd February 1891. on the 4th February, I replied advising the

the despatch of a second consignment of 201 pounds of quinine; the extra pound being intended to replace that which had not been sent on the former occasion. On the 14th March, the Superintendent, Civil Medical Stores, Colombo, acknowledged the receipt of the full amount.

It would seem from the date of the Superintendent's letter to the Colonial Secretary, that the Ceylon Government was not, indeed could not have been in possession of the information, which I now furnish.

I hope that the above information satisfactorily discloses the matter.

I may add for the information of Government that all quinine is despatched by the Government Quinologist, and only after he has examined it, and pronounced that it is good.

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

REVENUE {1891} ~~CINCHONA~~ Dept.

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SUBJECT

Sulphate of Quinine supplied to the Medical Stores Department Ceylon. Reports on the case of the one ounce tin brought to notice by the Colonial Secretary, Colombo, as missing in the Papers received from Madras 23/6

P. T. O.

To the Govt: Botanist &c
Des: 6/7.

Des: 11/7.

of 18 June 1891, No. 19.

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2. A copy of ~~this~~ Mr. Lawson's letter will be forwarded for the information of the Ceylon Govt.

24/6/91

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No. 3720

To

The Colonial Secy.
Colombo.

Sir,

With reference to your letter No 38 of 5th June 1891, I am directed to forward for the information of the Ceylon Govt the accompanying copy of a letter ~~from~~ from the Govt. Botanist and Dir: of Govt. Cinchona Plantations, Nilgiris, on

on the subject of the emissi

tin of quinine

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Draft G.O. & Letter

Quinine for the Ceylon Govt

Dp 25/6.

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