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DIRECTOR'S OFFICE,
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From

M. A. LAWSON, ESQ.,

GOVERNMENT BOTANIST AND DIRECTOR OF

GOVERNMENT CINCHONA PLANTATIONS, &c.,

Nilgiris.

To

The Secretary to Government
Revenue Department
Fort St George

SIR,

With reference to para 5 of G.O. dated the 9th September 1891, No. 857, Revenue, I have the honor to report that all the machinery sent out from England was, with a few trifling breakages, received in good order. The vats and stills, to which I referred in part IX of my report, were made at Coonoor, and were not of English manufacture. The machinery at present in work is sufficient, if nothing goes wrong, for turning out the amount of quinine and febrifuge for which I originally estimated; but the demand for quinine and febrifuge is, in consequence of the lower price at which they are now sold, increasing; and if this demand is

to

be met, a slight extension of the Steam
Cans, Stills, and Vats will be required.
The aggregate cost of this extention I
estimate roughly at Rs 2,300 inclusive
of transport charges, and fixing.

2 With reference to para 6 of
the above quoted G. O. the subject matter
of my letter, No 18 dated 17th June 1891, so
referred to, is thus further explained:—

1600 lbs of quinine at Rs 14-11-3 — Rs 23525
1300 lbs of febrifuge at Rs 10-0-0
per lb —— " 13,000
36525

again, with respect to the Rs 60,000 referred
to, in my report, this figure was arrived at
as follows:—

Quinine indented for
3,000 lbs at Rs 14-11-3 per lb — Rs 44,109
Febrifuge indented for
1,600 lbs at Rs 10 per lb —— " 16,000
60 109

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your Most obedient Servant
N. L. Lawson
Govt Botanist and Director

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2. In the event of an extension of the existing apparatus being considered necessary, the Director should submit definite proposals therefor accompanied by plans & estimates.

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