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PROCEEDINGS OF THE BOARD OF REVENUE
(REVENUE SETTLEMENT, LAND RECORDS AND AGRICULTURE).

THE HON. MR. H. W. BLISS.

READ—the following papers:—

From the Collector of Nilgiris, dated 10th June 1892, No. 179-B.
" " of Salem, " 16th July " " 2335.
" " of Madura, " 6th " " " 119.
" " of Malabar, " 12th " " " 726 P.-Gl.

RESOLUTION—dated 22nd July 1892, No. 526.

The Board begs to submit, herewith, a statement showing the progress of cinchona cultivation during 1891-92, so far as information has been furnished by the planters.

(A true Extract.)


Secretary.

To the Secretary to the Government of India, Revenue and
Agricultural Department.

Copy to the Secretary to Government, Revenue Department.

" " Collector of Madura.
" " " of Nilgiris.
" " " of Salem.
" " " of Malabar.

APPENDIX.

STATEMENT showing the progress made in the cultivation of Cinchona in private plantations during 1891-92.

Species and varieties.	Nigeria.				Salem.			Madura.			Malabar.			Total.				
	Under cultivation.	Permanently planted.	Estimated outturn.	ACS.	PLANTS.	LB.	ACS.	PLANTS.	LB.	ACS.	PLANTS.	LB.	Under cultivation.	Permanently planted.	Estimated outturn.	Under cultivation.	Permanently planted.	Estimated outturn.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16			
<i>C. Succirubra</i>	544-17	344,750	180,262	5	3,000	..	..	15,989	..	931-50	925,268	488,644	1,480-67	1,289,007	668,806			
<i>C. Officinalis</i>	989-00	1,470,000	153,125	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	989-00	1,470,000	153,125			
<i>C. do. var. condaminea</i> ..	643-49	1,453,130	86,500	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	643-49	1,453,130	86,500			
<i>C. Calisaya</i>	3-00	3,900	350	25	250	..	..	8,960	..	3-75	6,000	2,000	7-00	19,110	2,350			
<i>C. do. var. ledgeriana</i> ..	150-85	194,192	54,701	..	..	..	..	..	..	894-25	1,194,580	258,782	1,045-10	1,388,722	313,483			
<i>C. do. other varieties</i> ..	2-00	2,600	300	..	..	..	0-15	30	..	..	..	..	2-15	2,630	300			
<i>C. Pubescens</i>	25-75	11,325	3,000	..	..	..	..	..	..	40-00	33,200	3,420	65-75	44,525	6,420			
<i>C. Carthagena</i>	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..			
<i>C. Hybrids and others</i> ..	245-00	105,500	4,500	..	..	..	..	..	..	291-62	124,807	1,887	536-62	230,307	6,387			
<i>C. Mixed varieties</i>	913-00	908,000	182,000	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	913-00	908,000	182,000			
Total ..	3,516-26	4,493,397	664,738	5-25	3,250	..	† 0-15	24,979	..	‡ 2,161-12	2,283,805	754,633	5,662-78	6,805,431	1,419,371			
Total according to the village accounts ..	10,373-18	20,746,360	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..			

* There is a decrease of 618-55 acres as compared with the previous year in the total area returned according to the village accounts which is explained to be due to some estates having been abandoned, cinchona not being at present a profitable investment owing to the very low prices realised for the bark. In several cases cinchona plants have been rooted out.

† The cultivation of cinchona has been practically abandoned. The figures furnished are for only one estate, where too the trees are reported to be dying out.

‡ The Collector has been called on to report the extent under "Sucirabra" and "Calisaya." Some 6,000 plants are said to have been removed, as owing to the low price of the bark, the cultivation is not profitable.

§ The Collector reports that these figures were compiled from returns furnished by 16 out of the 29 planters he addressed and that no explanation can be given for the difference between these figures and those furnished last year.

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Submitting to Government, with remark,
statement showing the progress of cinchona
cultivation in certain districts for the year
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