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Sir,

With reference to your letter of the 17<sup>th</sup> September last, relative to the Cedar timber carried off from the Sauguen Peninsula while under seizure, I have to inform you that this Department is advised that the Master of the vessel, and any other concerned in the removal of the timber including the owner or claimant of, or the person who cut the timber if he was accessory to the removal, may be prosecuted for the felony constituted by Section 66 of the Indian Act 1880; and that the value of the timber may be recovered by action against the same persons

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