

cents per pound - the contract price - reported short delivered by Inspector M. Gibbon.

Referring to Mr. M. Gibbon's suggestions as to the advisability of securing uniformity of quality in the tea to be purchased under contract by this Department in future, it appears to be evident that, in order to obtain say 15,000 or 20,000 pounds of tea of the same number, brand and chop, it will be necessary, in future, to award the contract for tea to one firm and not to divide the contract as has previously been the custom. On this subject, and on that of a similar method of awarding future contracts for tobacco to one firm, the Department will be pleased

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