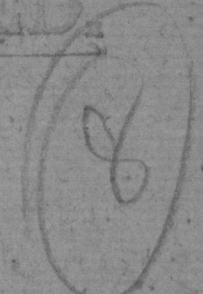


Educational (1904) Department.

ORDINARY MS.

G.O., No.	152-152A
DATED	5-3-04

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[Despatch Abstract.]

College of Agriculture : —
bringing notice of the delay in
State the delay in the supply of stores,
compliance with indent for stores required
for the —

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Stock Form No. 127
2,000-12-2-03.

Educational (190⁴) Department.

CURRENT No. 323

From

[Name] The Hon'ble Mr. A.G. Bourne, D.Sc., F.R.S.,

[Designation] Director of Public Instruction,

[Station] Madras

Ref. No. Cur 516 of 04.

Dated 23rd February 190⁴.

Enclosures

Received 190.

Registered 190.

SUBJECT.

Bringing to the notice of Government that certain glass articles included in the indent sanctioned for the College of Agriculture were received in a damaged condition and the Principal further complained that there was a considerably long delay on the part of the Store Department in complying with the indent.

BACK PAPERS.

Encl. 683 d/ 8-12-03 + paper
Encl. 7 d/ 5-1-04
Sd/- 274-5 d/ 1-6-03

FURTHER PAPERS.

To

The Secretary to Government,
Educational Department.

Sir,

I have the honour to bring to the notice of Government, with reference to endorsement No. 683 Educational dated 8th December last, that the undermentioned glass articles which were included in the indent sanctioned for the College of Agriculture in the Secretary of State's Despatch R. No. 349 d/18th December 1903, communicated with endorsement No. 7 Educational, dated 5th January 1904 were found broken on receipt. The usual paper slips were not found in the cases. The Principal further complains of the great delay on the ^{part of the} store Department in complying with the indent. It was submitted in May 1903 and the articles did not reach him till the end of December i.e. seven months after they have been indented for. Owing to the delay in the receipt of the stores the College was put to much inconvenience, for, the apparatus in the laboratory began to run short in October and during the diploma examinations in December.

	No. ordered.	No. broken.
Beakers, Bohemian glass. ..	80	5 (largest ones).
Bottles, 4 oz, stoppered narrow mouth for reagents. 1	72	2
do. 4 oz. -----wide mouth. 1	72	10
Weighing tubes. ..	24	5
Flasks, ordinary, Best hard Bohemian, 20	24	5
" Carbonic acid, 3 oz. ..	24	3
Will and Varrentrapp's bulbs for N. 12	12	3

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your most obedient servant,

E. M. M. M. M. M.

For Director of Public Instruction.

TELEPHONIC MESSAGE.

Date, _____ 190 .
Hours _____ Minutes. _____

From

Manager
S.P.S. office

To

H.C.
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Reply

"Paper Slip" contains a statement of the contents & weight of the articles in the case with packer's number. If a sample is wanted, it will be forwarded by a messenger.

16/15
11/3/04

Telephoned for a sample copy.

16/15
11/3/04

TELEPHONIC MESSAGE.

Date, _____ 190 .
 _____ Hours _____ Minutes.

From

The Managers
 of the D.P. & Co.
 Office

To

H. C.
 252

Reply to your telephonic message of
 yesterday. A sample copy of the
 "paper slip" will be forwarded
 this morning.

W.H.H.
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 2/3/04

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1,590-7-10-03.

EDUCATIONAL DEPARTMENT.

C. No. 323 From the *X. P. J.* R. C. No 516, dated 23.2.1904.

SUBJECT.

Stores supplied to the College of Agriculture.

U letters no. $\frac{275}{1-6-03}$

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In May 1903, the Director submitted two indentos for Europe stores urgently required for the College of Agriculture and on the 1st of June the Govt. forwarded them to the Secretary of State for early sanction. The Secretary of State did not however sanction compliance with them before the 20th November 1903 and the articles did not arrive before the end of December. The Director now states that owing to the delay (of more than six months) in receipt of the stores, the College was put to much inconvenience as the apparatus in the laboratory began to run short in October & during the diploma examinations in December last. The Director also brings to notice that certain glass articles included in the indent were found broken on receipt, but the breakage, it is submitted, was not heavy.

2. The question now is whether with reference to G.O. No. 783 Financial of 24th November 1903, the delay should be reported to the Secretary of State. Between the receipt of the indent and their sanction by the Secretary of State there was an interval of six months which is no doubt long enough. But it would seem to be not so serious as to be made the subject of a complaint to the India Office. Orders are solicited.

PH 1cc3: I don't see why the case should not be reported. It was in consequence of the G.O. of India's complaints that Mr. Grant Rusk was sent out here from the India Office, and the more complaints the G.O. of India receives, the better it will be pleased. 26/2/4

There was "avoidable delay" & it is our "duty" to bring it to notice. The meaning of the "paper slips" mentioned by the D.P.D. should be ascertained, if unknown. They should prob^{ly} have shown the name of the packer.

28.2.04

Telepld to the P.S. office. X/KM 16/15 25.2.04

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A sample copy of the "paper slip" has been obtained from the Director's office. This contains a statement of contents and weight of ^{particular} ~~each~~ Case (Case No 643) & seems to be intended to serve as a check list of the contents of the Cases. There is also a column for the Packers number but in the sample obtained this column has not been filled up. The Complaint is that similar slips were not found in the cases received for the College of Agriculture.

A draft letter to the Under Secretary of State, is submitted for approval.

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28/5.3.04

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C. No. 323, From the G. P. O. Re. No. 516, dated 28th Feb 1904.

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ORDER No. 152, dated 5-3-1904

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Done

The following letter will be despatched to the Under Secretary of State for India.

8/11
 14.34
 15.30

Letter n^o. 159 A d. s. p. 17

To the Under Secretary of State

for India.

W. P. ...

of States' despatch to the Govt. of

India, no. 114 Revenue dated the 4th

February 1892, I am directed to

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bring to your notice that the stores required for the College of Agriculture at Saidapet and entered in the indents forwarded with my letter no. 275 of 1st June 1903, did not reach the college ^{until} before the end of December 1903 and that this delay in ~~the supply of the stores~~ ^{cannot} resulted in considerable inconvenience to the work of the college. ^{Further} the glass articles included in the indent and specified in the appended list were also found broken on receipt and the usual paper slips containing the packer's number and the statement of the contents and weights of cases were missing.

24/1/4 M. u. n. u. Syl 5.304

Appendix -

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READ AGAIN G.O., No. _____
190 _____, DATED _____

CURRENT No. _____

ENCLOSURES to G. No. _____

ORDER OF GOVERNMENT

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LETTER OF GOVERNMENT.

STATEMENT WITH DITTO.

PAPERS NOT FILED UP, BEING MEANT FOR DESPATCH IN ORIGINAL.

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P = Copy abstract only.
Q = Copy heading only.

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