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Educational (1904) Department.

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G.O., No 307

DATED 19—5—04

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[Despatch Abstract.]

Communicating to the D.P.I. letter from the Dir-general of
Stores about the delay in the receipt of stores required
for the College of Agriculture, Laidapets.

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Educational (1904) Department.

CURRENT No. 887

From

[Name] _____

[Designation] The Director General of Stores

[Station] _____

No. S. 5424

Received 17-5-1904

Dated 29-4-1904

Enclosures 1

Registered 18-5-1904

SUBJECT.

Regarding the delay and inconvenience caused by the non-arrival of the stores required for the College of Agriculture at an earlier date.

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FURTHER PAPERS.

It is requested that in any further communication on this subject the under-mentioned letter and number may be quoted, and the reply addressed to—

The Director-General of Stores,
India Office,
Whitehall,
London, S.W.

S. 5424.

India Office,

Whitehall,

London, S.W.

29th April 1904.



Sir,

With reference to your letter No: 152 A, of 5th March 1904, I regret that inconvenience was caused by the non-arrival of the stores at an earlier date. Had the indents mentioned that the stores were required by any specified date every endeavour would have been made to ensure their supply accordingly.

The contractors are re-supplying, free of charge, the articles broken and I enclose for your consideration a copy of a letter from them upon the subject.

The paper slips &c., to which you refer are only sent when stores are packed at the India Store Depot. When, as in the present instance, the stores are packed by the contractors details of the contents of the packages are sent with the packing account.

I have the honour to be, Sir,

Your obedient Servant,

Grant

Director General of Stores.

The Secretary to Government,
Educational Department,
Madras.

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From TOWNSON & MERCER,
suggest that a reasonable amount be allowed for
89, Bishopsgate Street, Within, E.C.

breakages by the Authorities on the other side on such

To fragile kinds of glassware, as some breakages are
The Director General of Stores,
unavoidable as far as the contractors are concerned.
India Office,

The items to replace S.W. be delivered 26th April 1904.

Stores Depot at an early date.

We are S. 5424.

Sir,

TOWNSON & MERCER.

We beg to acknowledge receipt of your letter
dated 22nd instant re Contract C.4790 dated 28.3.1903.
On looking through the order and the list of breakages
we do not consider more care could have been taken
in the packing of an order of this kind containing
as it does such a quantity of fragile glass articles
viz:- beakers, flasks, bottles and cks and we note
that the breakages were all in one case which seems
to prove to us that the case was not properly
handled by the Shipping Authorities either this end, or
in India, but under the terms of the Contract we will
replace as requested. We beg most respectfully to

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We are, &c.,

TOWNSON & MERCER.

have been made to ensure their supply accordingly. The contractors are re-supplying, free of charge, the articles broken and I enclose for your consideration a copy of a letter from them upon the subject.

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Your obedient Servant,

E. GRAY

Director General of Stores,
The Secretary to Government,
Educational Department,
Madras.

From TOWNSON & MERCER,
89, Bishopsgate Street, Within, E.C.

To The Director General of Stores,
India Office,

25th April 1904. S.W.

S. 5424.

Sir,

We beg to acknowledge receipt of your letter dated 22nd instant re Contract C.4750 dated 28.8.1903. On looking through the order and the list of packages we do not consider more care could have been taken in the packing of an order of this kind containing as it does such a quantity of fragile glass articles viz:- beakers, flasks, bottles and etc and we note that the packages were all in one case which seems to prove to us that the case was not properly handled by the Shipping Authorities either this end, or in India, but under the terms of the Contract we will replace as requested. We beg most respectfully to suggest

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TOWNSON & MERCER.

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From S. 5424. S. & L. & DEPT. S. & L.

Please find the list of articles to be replaced by the Authorities on the other side on such fragile kinds of glassware, as some packages are unavoidable as far as the contractors are concerned. The items to replace will be delivered to the India Stores Depot at an early date.

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Your obedient Servant,

E. GRANT

The Secretary to Government,
Educational Department,
Madras.

Director General of Stores,



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20th April 1904

Sir,

With reference to your letter No: 155 A of 25th

March 1904, I regret that inconvenience was caused

by the non-arrival of the stores at an earlier date.

Had the indents mentioned that the stores were

required by any specified date, and you would

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Your obedient servant,

E. GRANT, RLS.

Director General of Stores.

The Secretary to Government,
Bombay Department,
Bombay.

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TOWNSON & MERCER.

ORDER

No. 307, dated 17-5-1904

Communicated to the
with reference to the letter no. 216 dated 17-5-1904
in reply to the letter no. 216 dated 17-5-1904
17-5-1904
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From TOWNSON & MERCER,
89, Bishopsgate Street, Within, E.C.

To
The Director General of Stores,
India Office.

20th April 1904.

S. 5424.

Sir,

We beg to acknowledge receipt of your letter dated 22nd instant re Contract C.4730 dated 28.8.1903. On looking through the order and the list of breakages we do not consider more care could have been taken in the packing of an order of this kind containing as it does such a quantity of fragile glass articles viz:- beakers, flasks, bottles and etc. and we note that the breakages were all in one case which seems to prove to us that the case was not properly handled by the Shipping Authorities either this end, or in India, but under the terms of the Contract we will replace as requested. We beg most respectfully to suggest

Yours faithfully

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Communicated to the D.P.I.

with reference to his letter no. 516 dated
the 23rd of February 1904.

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To the D P J. (Lto) post-23/5

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