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From

THE HONOURABLE MR. D. DUNCAN, M.A., D.Sc. LL.D.,
DIRECTOR OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION,
Madras,

To

The Secretary to Government,
Educational Department.

SIR,

I have the honour to bring to the notice of Government that the test tubes, flasks and retorts supplied to the College of Agriculture, Saidapet, vide G.O.No 710 Educational dated 14th November 1896, appear to be of an inferior quality and to request the favour of the home authorities being informed of this fact. The Principal says that the articles on arrival appear-ed to be as good as those usually supplied, but that subsequent experience has shown that they are not able to stand ordinary usage. They are reported to be so brittle that the breakages up to date have been altogether unprecedented. Mr. Keess reports that Mr. Collins concurs with him in considering the articles very inferior. Samples of used and unused test tubes and a flask are herewith forwarded as ordered in G.O.No 559 financial dated 26th April 1897. A retort cannot be sent as out of the six supplied five have already been broken. The price charged for the articles is reported to be such as to ensure good articles being supplied.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient servant,

D Duncan

Director of Public Instruction.

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To
The D.G.I Stores.
India Office.

Sir,

With ref. to your letter no. S. 11830 dt 22nd Dec. 1896, I am directed to bring to your notice that the test tubes, flasks and retorts supplied to the College of Agriculture, Saidapet, are reported to be of inferior quality. The Principal states that the articles on arrival

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Ask the Principal to send the samples referred to in the letter.
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2 in good condition
& 1 flask.

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