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The Director of Public Instruction.

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Sir,

I have the honour to address you on the subject of transfer of Babu Surendranath Majumdar, Professor of History in the Presidency College. He has been officiating as Professor for a long time and has also been nominated by the Principal to act as the Treasurer of the College Union for a number of years. I am of opinion that his influence over the boys in connexion with the work of the College Union has not always been conducive to good discipline. I have strong grounds for believing that indirectly he has been largely responsible for certain unfortunate incidents in February 1936 in connexion with the annual Sports of the College when all the competitors stayed away from the Heats and the Sports had to be abandoned. He is strongly partisan in spirit, and during the two short periods when I acted as the Principal of the College I have been in some ways hampered by him in maintaining College discipline. His presence in the College for any further period is not desirable. I recommend therefore that he may be transferred elsewhere.

I have the honour to be

Sir,

Your most obedient servant

(Offg.) Principal,

Presidency College, Calctta.