



Presidency College, Madras,  
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Dear Prof. Krishnan,

When Mr. G.P. Krishnamurti invited me yesterday to preside at the lecture you are delivering to-day, I felt glad that I ~~was~~<sup>could</sup> have an opportunity of listening to you, though, as I was not feeling well, I had a misgiving as I told Mr. Krishnamurti whether I would be able to be present. Unfortunately I am still unwell with slight fever, and I came to College to-day with an idea of just looking into urgent work and going home afterwards, as I badly require rest in bed. I have therefore unfortunately <sup>to</sup> deny myself the pleasure and instruction of hearing you. Will you kindly excuse me for not being able to be present to receive you and to listen to you?

Yours sincerely,

*H. Krishna Rao*

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