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Mr. Vincent Axford,
Brewster, N. Y.

My dear Axford:-

I have received your wire and find difficulty in answering within the terms of a telegram. I have wired you that about the only available book in English is "Notes on the Manufacture of Earthenware" published by Virtue Co. of London. I do not know whether you can obtain it in this country or not.

There is my book, "The Potter's Craft" which is not of print but which will be re-issue this Fall. An there is a German book "Keramisches Rechnen" by Dr. W. Pukall published by Ferdinand Hirt, Breslau; and another [H. illegible] "Einfaches Chemisches Praktikum" by Eduard Berdel published by Verlag von Muller and Schmidt. There is Jackson's English work, "Ceramic Calculations" published by Longmans, Green and Co., of London.

We have never used a text book in this connection because the variations are so frequent and progress so rapid that publications have not kept pace.

I infer from your wire that you have secured the position at New Orleans; let me know.

Yours very truly,

Director.

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