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To
The Editor,

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Sir,

I request that the following matter may kindly be published in your esteemed daily:

Demonstration of Turmeric Processing Equipments

A value chain of Turmeric in Tamilnadu was arranged at Thamaraipalayam village, Kodumudi block of Erode district on 23-4-2015 under All India Co-ordinated Research Programme – Post Harvest Technology Scheme functioning at Tamil Nadu Agricultural University, Coimbatore.

Post harvest machineries of turmeric developed by various centers Post Harvest Technology Scheme were united at one place for demonstration. Demonstration of turmeric boiler from Bapatla, Andra Pradesh, turmeric washer from Bhubaneswar, Orissa, waste fired dryer from Akola, Maharashtra and turmeric polisher from Coimbatore were conducted.

About 60 progressive farmers in and around Erode district participated in the occasion. Dr. K. Alagusundram, Deputy Director General (Agrl. Engg.), Indian Council of Agricultural Research, New Delhi initiated this type of event so that all the equipments developed throughout our country will be kept under one umbrella for the benefit of farming community. Dr. V. Thirupathi, Research Engineer, and his team of All India Co-ordinated Research Programme – Post Harvest Technology Scheme, Coimbatore centre organized the demonstration.

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