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COAL FOR RAILWAYS

Requirements of military for all services to obtain railway about 100 per cent. The world prefer continue present practice of giving Admiralty least month's notice of date on which they will be required. R.R. would not stop normally if coal supply ceased as wood fuel being collected but military **Stoppage**

undesirable while operations continue.

This must wait for the further telegram on the Zanzibar point & for the reply to my letter to Major Leggett.

W.C.S. 18/9/17 above

Mr. Butler

The copies attached to 45260 clears up the point as to our having an elastic option. We have not

yet heard from the Ministry of Shipping in reply to our letter on that subject, & we cannot well

know what the result will be. We are still waiting for the reply usually to

Del to Govt 1 Oct 17

TELEGRAM from the Officer Administering the Government
of the East Africa Protectorate to the Secretary of
State for the Colonies.

(Dated 14th Sept. Received Colonial Office 9.5 p.m.
14th September, 1917.)

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612 14th September My telegram 11th September
601 coal requirements of Military authorities for all
services including railway about 2,100 tons per month
They would prefer continue present practice of giving
Admiral about month's notice of date on which next
shipload required. Railways would not stop work
necessarily if coal supply ceased as wood fuel is
being collected but labour precarious and limited and
military authorities consider stoppage of coal most
undesirable while operations continue.

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TELEGRAM

ISSUED FROM CHIEF CABLE STATION, ELECTRA HOUSE, FINSBURY PAYMENT

REPLIES SHOULD BE ORDERED

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Doubtful words should be OFFICIALLY explained

No inquiry respecting this Telegram will be attended to

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14 Sept 612 *my tel 11 Sept* 601 SAGY UNIONPUMP WHIALLINO COAL

requirements of military authorities for all
SILVERO MISONEISM FLATTENING SERVICES

INCLUDING RAILWOM ABOUT *2,100 tons* SWELLBLIND SWARTBACK

per month MONTICOLA SILVEROOD *They would* TOUCHPIECE PREFER

CONTINUE PRESENT *practice of* PITCHCHAIN GIVING ADMIRAL

month's notice ABOUT NOTICING OF *date on which* SHUFFEET NEXT SHIPLOAD

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REQUIRED SILVERGOD RAILWAYS *would not help* SILVERFULL WORK

necessary NEGROENTS IF COAL SUPPLY CEASED AS

with fuel FRIEDORUM *to be being* AMORTENT COLLECTED BUT LABOUR

PRECARIOUS AND LIMITED AND *military authorities* WISDOMISM CONSIDER

with fuel SILVERING COAL MOST UNDESIRABLE WHILE

OPERATIONS CONTINUE * MONSON *