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MEDICAL OFFICERS  
PRIVATE PRACTICE

Trs copy of letter from P.M.O. on subject.

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p<sup>te</sup> sec 3  
This completes the replies  
I assume that the info will now  
be embodied in one of the P.S.'s  
amphlets

Putby  
S.P.E.A.

2/11/15  
I don't see how Miss... possibly done  
I should think it a very doubtful fact  
if it could I should say it had better  
not be used in any summary a fact  
as far as in itself to specific questions  
(I may add that if such a question  
were asked in regard B.W.A. I should  
decline to give any estimate, I think  
P.S. would be) A

Next subsequent Paper.

Mr. B. B. [unclear]  
~~Mr. Piddan,~~  
Mr. [unclear]

I have retained the duplicate of the Governor's despatch.

Some time ago the Private Secretary asked that the various Governors of Crown Colonies and Protectorates should be invited to tell us what private practice was available in the various stations of the Colonies under their control. From time to time despatches have come giving this information. The view which I have held since I have been responsible for Patronage is that when a candidate enquires as to what private practice is available in the Colony to which he seeks appointment I have always told him that private practice so much depends upon the personality of the individual doctor that no estimate whatever can be given. Where of course there is no private practice allowed I have told him the truth. Where private practice is allowed and an estimate has been returned by the Governor, I have generally said that it might be possible that in such and such a place he might be able to earn such and such amount but the sum which would accrue to him would entirely depend upon himself. After all private practice is no concern of the Colonial Office and we are only called upon to give a candidate information with regard to Government salaries and Government allowances.

regards the W.A.M.S. I have always declined to give any estimate. The information could not well be added to our [unclear] pamphlet. As in my opinion the matter is too problematical. J.C.D.

Respectfully,  
[unclear]  
[unclear]  
[unclear]  
[unclear]  
[unclear]

I am sure that the P.S. will be as at A.

It is for the P. S. [unclear], but I have to  
say I have found his statements to be [unclear],  
I should have thought it safer to say  
that [unclear] which would  
seem than to say that such a sum  
might be possible in the future.

E.C.S. 4/1/15

Mr. Gardner

You must realize the [unclear]  
as you think fit.

Part by

J. J. [unclear]

4/21/15

6th [unclear]

of [unclear]  
President

Baroness from Mr. Hunt X

4/20/15

All comes (from 16211 to this paper) available to

TRM's Committee 25 Nov 1915

in [unclear]

The TRM's Committee made no [unclear]  
at these papers at the meeting of 7th Dec 1915

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GOVERNMENT  
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WEST AFRICA PROTECTORATE

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16th September 1915.

Sir,

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With reference to your predecessor's despatch No 236, of April 9th, on the subject of private practice engaged in by Medical Officers of this Protectorate, I have the honour to enclose herewith a copy of a letter from the Principal Medical Officer which will, I trust, contain all the information required.

M.O. 9 Sep.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your humble obedient servant,

*H. Lawry Bayard*

GOVERNOR.

THE RIGHT HONOURABLE

ANDREW BONAR LAW, P.C. M.P.,

SECRETARY OF STATE FOR THE COLONIES,

DOWNING STREET,

LONDON, S.W.

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No. 30/994/3.

P. M. O's Office, 167

Nairobi,

9th. September, 1918.

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Sir,

Private Practice By Government  
Medical Officers.

Ref. Nos. 1004, 3 of 23, 6, 1918.

I have the honour to inform you that the various medical officers have been circularised on the subject of fees derived from private practice and as a result the following amounts may be set down for the stations named:-

HIGHLANDS.

Nairobi - £300 to 400 by the Medical Officer in charge of European Hospital.

The Medical Officer Native Civil Hospital, although not debarred, has not engaged in private practice for the past year. It is difficult to say what could be realised by such appointment were the medical officer so situated but probably a sum of £100 may be assumed.

Fort Hall - About 150 per annum.

Nakuru - About £100.

THE HONOURABLE

THE CHIEF SECRETARY,

N A I R O B I.

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COAST.

Mombasa - Three Medical Officers stationed here.

Salaries vary from £20 to £90.

Kisumu - About £20 per annum.

Isiara - About £15 per annum.

LAKE DISTRICTS.

Kisumu - About £20 per annum.

2. The Principal Medical Officer, Deputy Principal Medical Officer, Principal Sanitation Officer and Medical Officer of Healths are debarred private practice but receive duty allowance in recognition of this.

3. In the Northern Frontier District there is no scope for private practice.

I have the honour to be,  
Sir,  
Your obedient servant,

*A. D. Milne*  
Principal Medical Officer.