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MEDICAL OFFICERS
PRIVATE PRACTICE

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

~~Mr. J. R. Belfield~~
P.T. for 9
This completes the affair.
I assume that the info will now
be embodied in one of the P.S.'s
from plateau.

J. R. Belfield
Sept 15
I don't see how this could be done
I should think it a very difficult procedure
if I could. I should say I had better
not send it in now as many a
question is left to start a question
(I may add that if such a question
were asked in regard to U.W.A. I should
decline to give any estimate, & I would
ask you all, too.)

Next subsequent Paper.

Mr. Bottsberry
Mr. Piddon,
Mr. Read

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 a sum 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 candid estimate with regard to Government salaries and Government allowances.

With regards the W.A.M.S. I have always declined any estimate. The information could not well be given for it would add to our perplexity as in my opinion the matter is too problematical.

I enclose plan that we can follow
for 1st of P.S. will forward as at A.

Rigby, 11.
I have had
F.G. McLa
figure he
and name
good. H.

H.

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High St. S. bridge, but however
no otherwise find the distance to consider,
I should have thought it safer to say
that for ~~expedition~~ ~~adventure~~ under
such circumstances to say that such a man
would be found in the future.

Ernest 6/7/15

N. Gander
You must judge the info
as you think fit.

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6/7/15

(Borrowed from Mr Hunter X
H.F. 25/4)

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H. F. Hunter

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a other paper at the meeting of 7 Dec 1915

by H. F. Hunter

Part 3

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Sir,

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.

I have the honour to be,

SIR,

Your humble obedient servant,

Haway Beyad.

GOVERNOR.

RIGHT HONOURABLE

ANDREW DONALDSON, P.C. M.P.,

SECRETARY OF STATE FOR THE COLONIES,

DOWNGE STREET,

LONDON, S.W.

* No. 81 w/Officer No. 1031.

No. 33/1915/3.

(In Despatch No. 72d)

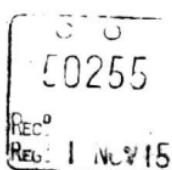
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R. M. O. F. OFFICE,
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Nairobi,

9th. September, 1915.

SIR,



Private Practice by Government
Medical Officers.
Ref. Despatch 1084-A of 15/6/1915.

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 realized by this appointment were the
medical officer at Nairobi to practice, but a sum of
£100 might be secured.

Port Bell - About £50 per annum.

Salisbury - About £100.

THE HONOURABLE

THE CHIEF SECRETARY,

BAGGAGE.

COAST.

Mombasa - Three Medical Officers stationed here.

Salaries vary from £20 to £90.

Kisumu - About £20 per annum.

Lamu - About £15 per annum.

LAKE DISTRICT.

Kisumu - About £20 per annum.

2. The Principal Medical Officer, Deputy Principal Medical Officer, Principal Sanitation Officer and Medical Officer of Health are disbarred private practice but receive duty allowances in recognition of this.

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

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I have the honour to be,

BDP.

Yours obedient servant,

a. D. Milne.

Principal Medical Officer.