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24538  
28 APR 1958

In reply to...

by the Officer...

to be made...

with...

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Subsequent Paper  
a  
26/1/58

Fare to Accra 6.15.5  
157.13.0

The fare to a port... of course... added to the return fare of 157.13.0, which

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B. 257

ALL COMMUNICATIONS  
TO BE ADDRESSED TO THE  
CROWN AGENTS FOR THE COLONIES,  
THE ABOVE REFERENCE AND THE  
DATE OF THIS LETTER BEING QUOTED

24538  
MAY 28 1915

TELEGRAMS, "CROWN, LONDON"  
TELEPHONE 7750 VICTORIA (6 LINES)

WHITENALL GARDENS,  
LONDON, S.W.

27th May, 1915

contagious disease which...  
these steamer...  
particular...  
our letter of the...

27th of April... however to inform you

that the Messageries Company have written pointing

at the fact... is not paid on return

perhaps this point was

ear in the recent correspondence

have the honour to be

Sir,

Your obedient Servant,

Crown Agents.

Under Secretary of State,

&c. &c. &c.

Colonial Office.

M<sup>r</sup> Drome

your telephone message

re the expenses of the fare

to Mombasa.

Account as follows:

single fare	£ 12. 4
less 25% of	£ 3. 0
return fare	£ 6. 6
less 20% of	£ 1. 3. 4
	£ 29. 4

£ 29. 4



So they understood from our letter  
that we were making the necessary  
enquiries in the case of the E. A. P.

(2) In the last few months I have made  
several attempts to disentangle the figures  
supplied to us by the Govt. & the C.A. but  
the latter figures are

very much confused  
and the figures  
are not in any order  
of magnitude

The difference between the two  
sets of figures is  
very large and it is  
difficult to see  
how it can be explained

H. J. R. 5/6/15

Mr. G. Fiddes 201

Letter from Sir R. Antrobus, 16 June.

The figure of  $3\frac{3}{4}\%$  for Treasury advances applies to payments from the first War Loan (31% out 95) and the rate is  $3\frac{3}{4}\%$  for the first year, and falls to  $3\frac{1}{2}\%$  for the life of the loan the rate is  $3\frac{1}{2}\%$  different from  $4\%$ .

The question is whether the Government will give us the money we require for the Treasury in form of a grant about the amount of £100 million. It is not clear whether the "Common Charges" are now good by the Government and will be wiped out and if so we may hope the Treasury may be able to give us now the money which they agreed to give us through the Treasury.

We have therefore to try to make a preliminary case for considering that it will be not for the "Common Charges" which should not lead to a new loan and wipe out the overdraft.

In 1890 the Govt. specified three courses of future expenditure:—

- (1) Deficit of revenue for expenditure - £22,000 a month. We have now the estimated balance of revenue at 31 March (1918) and the

Estimate for 1915-16 as wide to balance. This  
therefore as large concern us.

(2) Local military expenditure - £15,000 a month  
later figures for £145,000 to end of March  
+ £150,000 to end of May. There are a number  
- at the worst we may take it at £17  
to end of May

(3) C.A.'s ... £20,000 a month ...  
Part of ...  
changes ...

x Transferred  
to ...  
790/2528

May 295  
Apart, then, from the uncertainty how  
much of (3) represents C.A.'s payments for  
"Protectate from ...",  
and how much of that portion of (3) is  
not included in the £17,000 ...

of £37,000 ... the balance ...  
through ... to represent ...  
relates ... from money which  
has been used to finance operations, actually,  
the cash will be required to meet the  
protectate ...

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Home

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MILITARY OFFICE  
ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE  
WAR OFFICE

WHITEHALL, S. W. ENGL.

ENGLAND

16th. June, 1918.

*Dear Sir,*

*157, The Strand, London W.C.2*

I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 14th inst. in relation to the enquiry, and am glad to hear that the money required for the purpose is being applied to the issue of the official letter of the

Secretary of the Treasury, and of our being able to draw on our funds in our own country.

It is necessary to have a certain amount of money from the Treasury, and I suggested that we might issue Treasury notes.

The same suggestion was made some time ago. But, even if I had the necessary legal powers, I see no reason to think that we could

do so. I am, Sir, very respectfully,  
Your obedient servant,  
that what the Treasury is doing is the

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OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY OF THE TREASURY  
WASHINGTON, D. C.

for loans.

For loans in the ordinary way, the London County and Westminster Bank quote 4½ per cent, and you will have seen that the cost of the short-dated debenture loan just issued by New South Wales worked out at about 4½.

On the other hand, if loans from the Treasury cost the Colonies only about 3½ per cent.

We shall be glad to have an early answer to our letter of the 31st. Because (as we said in it) the sums which we have advanced to the East Africa Protectorate will shortly be required for the purposes of the Governments to which they belong.

Yours sincerely

PUBLIC RECORD OFFICE

A/677 B.

E. A. PRO.

ALL COMMUNICATIONS  
TO BE ADDRESSED TO THE  
AGENTS FOR THE SOLDIERS,  
THE ABOVE REFERRED AND THE  
OF THIS LETTER BEING QUOTE

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of the Protectorate, I have the honour  
understood from paragraph 6 of your  
of the 19th February, No. 7703/1915, that the  
Secretary of State was a course of communication  
with the Government of the Protectorate  
should receive a further letter from you  
frained therefore from telegraphing  
Protectorate.

Under Secretary of State.

&c. &c. &c.

Colonial Office.

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25057  
14/11/15

(2)

To 17th June-General Service 240,000

Bills payable 70,000 110,000

To 31 September-General Service }  
Interest Sinking Fund } 92,000

To 31 December-General Service }  
and for interest & Sinking Fund }  
contingency, and an amount for }  
that } 108,000

the money required for the above purposes will be

provided by the overdrafts of the 31st December 1915

This does not, however, take into account any war or other loan expenditure, which will no doubt have to be provided for by the overdrafts of bills drawn upon us.

to the local banks in the Colonias Office. The bills which we are required to issue for our hands will be required for the purposes of the operations to which they relate and we would be glad to receive, where possible, under place them, in the form of authority upon the Treasury for such sums as we may actually require to issue or in such other form as may be decided by the Secretary of State.

£20,000 to the account of the Uganda Protectorate mentioned in the Budget has been included in the

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your obedient servant,

22/11/15

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Bottoms, 18/4/15

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