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Last previous Paper:

Report of Hides to Italy

Send note for Italian Consul requesting
permission for exportation from Mombasa &
Tiden respectively of 1000 & 7000 raw cow hides
purchased by Giulio Colombo Italiana Imports
Companies a near of Italy, reciprocal action in regard
to export of Heavy Hides from Italy to this country.

Mr. Davis

Kind the desired inst^{ns} by
tel: - & send copy of our tel
to the Z.O. for info?

H. J. R.

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to read

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Italy only"

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H. J. R.

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Next subsequent Paper.

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Tel. 17/II/15



If any further communication
on the subject, please refer

15546/15.

The Under-Secretary of State,
Foreign Office,
London.

February 12 1915.

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Sir:-

I am directed by Secretary Sir Edward Grey to transmit to you herewith translations of two notes from the Italian Ambassador, as marked in the margin, requesting permission for the export of Light Hides from Aden and Mombasa to Italy.

Consideration of this request has been postponed pending the decision of the Italian Government with regard to the export of Heavy Hides from Italy to this country. As this question has now been satisfactorily settled, Sir Edward Grey would be glad, should Mr. Marcourt see no objection, if instructions could be given immediately for the export from Mombasa of the Light Hides mentioned by the Italian Ambassador.

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The Under Secretary of State,
Colonial Office.

(15546/16)

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I am to request that Sir Edward Grey may be informed as soon as the necessary instructions have been given, in order that a reply may be returned to the Italian Ambassador.

I am,

Sir,

Your most obedient,

humble servant,

A. J. A.

TRANSLATION.

The Italian Ambassador presents his compliments to the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs and with reference to his note No. 2042 of the 16th ultimo relative to the purchase by the "Societe Coloniale Italiana" of a certain quantity of raw cow hides at Aden and Portsea, and to their exportation, has the honour to state that the Italian Ministry for Foreign Affairs in a telegram of to-day's date express confidence that, in view of the prohibition of the export of such goods from Italy and in consideration moreover of the exception to this prohibition recently made in favour of the United Kingdom, the Foreign Office will be good enough to use their good offices with the competent authorities so that the permission referred to in the above mentioned note may be granted at an early date.

The Marquess Imperiali will be extremely grateful for any assurance on the subject which Sir A. Grey may be able to give him.

TRANSLATION.

The Italian Ambassador presents his compliments to the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs and - in accordance with his instructions - has the honour to address himself to His Excellency's habitual great courtesy to ask His Excellency to be good enough to use his good offices with the competent Authorities so that permission may be given for the exportation from Bombay and Aden respectively of 10500 and 7000 raw cow hides, purchased by the Societa Coloniale Italiana.

The Marquesse Imperiali will accordingly be grateful if Sir E. Grey will be good enough to put him in a position to communicate an early assurance in the matter to the Ministry for Foreign Affairs.

London.

December 16th 1914.

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17 February
Folkland

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Mr. Harper 17/4/15

Mr. Biddinger 17.2.15f

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Sir G. Fiddes.

Sir H. Just.

Sir J. Anderson.

Lord Islington.

Mr. Harcourt.

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Italy of

Copied to 8 Feb 16

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Societa Coloniale Italiana

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Receipts

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