

being, but it is probably ~~the~~ ~~most~~ ~~likely~~
a possible ~~to~~ ~~be~~ ~~made~~ ~~to~~ ~~go~~ ~~so~~ ~~far~~
in the field of the Commission for ~~the~~ ~~study~~
it will be necessary to ~~be~~ ~~aware~~ ~~of~~ ~~the~~ ~~fact~~
that ~~the~~ ~~staff~~ ~~is~~ ~~not~~ ~~yet~~ ~~formed~~
the ~~fact~~ ~~is~~ ~~there~~ ~~just~~ ~~ified~~.

4. ~~to~~ ~~be~~ ~~in~~ ~~the~~ ~~employment~~ ~~of~~ ~~the~~ ~~Commission~~
have in mind Form # 4 of 42624/25 which
and under given much force to their arguments
in their opinion the memo of 5216/25 (which)

also lends colour to the opinion. Hence we
shall have to quote these 16/17 things ~~and~~
show the position as it is understood here.
But we to consider the possibility
of ~~the~~ ~~staff~~ ~~with~~ ~~the~~ ~~fact~~ ~~of~~ ~~the~~ ~~subordinate~~
staff ~~at~~ ~~any~~ ~~rate~~ ~~between~~ ~~July~~ ~~2~~ ~~November~~
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to ~~be~~ ~~settled~~ ~~by~~ ~~the~~ ~~Commission~~
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MINUTE SHEET

Approved in the Act to the Treasury for the Commission to be set up for
Cablegrams & the Paper of Financial Instructions provided to that Office

W. Eggett
16.12.25 801

Mr. Green

I don't see how we can deal
with this without your views on
short-issuing the Supplemental Grant,
the 1925-6 Supplemental Grant in the Treasury
Commission cannot be bound and by
more than a few hundred pounds of actual
and if we have to pass the Treasury
to agree to a Supplemental Expenditure
we cannot do so

1. Oct. 17. 11. 25.

Dear Mr. Green

I have explained to you that in the paper referred
to at X in Mr. Eggett's minutes we are writing
to Treasury with ref. to his letter (55624) to say
that if we wish to have present basis in Supplemental
Grant which is in Treasury for the first time
we may wish to take the same Supplemental
Grant of £10000 we will have no
objection provided that there is a clear understanding
that an equivalent addition is made to the Treasury
of the same amount which we can count on for next year

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T.O.

17/12/25

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Any copy to the Secretary of State is to be sent to the
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TREASURY
WHITEHALL, LONDON, E.C. 4
and the following number given

TREASURY SECRETARY

S. 2103

11 November, 1926

I have laid before the Lords Commissioners
His Majesty's Treasury Mr. Bellin's letter of the
instant (50187/26) and enclosures relating to the
estimates of expenditure in connection with the British
Section of the Anglo-Italian (Jubaland) ^{Marital} ^{Govt. Pen} Commission.

My Lords regret to learn that ^{estimates} ^{are} ^{expected} to be incurred to a total of ^{£212,000} ^{as} compared with the preliminary estimate of £12,000 to £15,000, and that the work of the Commission will be prolonged until the early summer of 1927. They have already agreed in principle to the employment of a political officer with the Survey Commission, and in the absence of a suitable officer available from the Home Civil Service, I am to request you to convey to the Secretary Amery their approving authority for the employment of Captain Evans at the rate of £700 per annum as from the 1st November last, and for the payment to him of an out-of-pocket allowance of £50. But upon present

Under Secretary of State,
Colonial Office

information

for the additional expenditure involved above the amount voted, and they suggest that the position of the Vote for Colonial Services should be safeguarded by a short-issue of £10,000 of the grant in aid to Somaliland which is not anticipated to be required in full for expenditure in the current year.

I am,

Sir,

Your obedient Servant,

John B. Buxton

- Peckham
- Eggett
- Bottomley
- Sturges
- Shuckburgh
- G. Yerrall
- S. Wilson
- Darby-Gore
- Earl of Clarendon
- Amery

Treas 58624/25 Kenya
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for Carson
DRAFT.

Kenya
 No. 1307
 Confidential
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I have turned the air
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 Draft from 1st 1925/1926
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 1. 11. 26

I have all to act. The receipt
 of your ~~Confidential~~ despatch
 dated of the 26 of October, and
 also to you, for your information,
 the accompanying copies of
 correspondence ~~is~~ recorded in
 the margin on the subject
 of the estimates of the British
 Section of the Federal and
 Boundary Commission for
 the years 1925/26 and 1926/27

In paragraph 3 of your

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meas = 55624/25 Kenya

- Mr. J. Gardner
- Mr. Strachan
- Mr. G. Arnold
- Mr. G. Davis
- Mr. S. Wilson
- Mr. Stansby-Gore
- Mr. of Clarendon
- Mr. Amery

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3/0 December 1926

for Cowson

DRAFT.

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Kenya No. 1307
~~Confidential~~
Governor Gregg

I have etc back the receipt
 of your ~~carefully checked~~ ~~despatch~~
~~dated 26/10/26~~ of the 26 of October, and
 to be to you, for your information,
 the accompanying copies of
 correspondence referred in
 the margin on the subject
 of the estimates of the British
 Section of the Federal and
 Boundary Commission for
 the years 1925/26 and 1926/27.

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to (11. 11. 25) of increments
31. 11. 1926

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2. In paragraph 3 of your

under section 6 of the
you are ~~not~~ ^{not} concerned with
the matter already put forward

The Director's de Katch No 1129 of
14th of October that

45558

The ~~Director~~ ^{Director} and
the ~~Director~~ ^{Director} during the period of
their employment with the

Boundary Commission should
be charged to Imperial funds

You will observe however from

para 6 of the letter to the

Treasurer of 1st December that

have not felt able to put
that over to the D.C. of the Treasury

It has been agreed,

these ~~conditions~~ ^{conditions} have accepted

in full of the principle

(15/25)

Mr. Seel 28.11.25
Mr. Eggert 28.12.25

Treasury 55624 / 25 Kenya
Somaliland

Mr. Bottomley 29/12
Mr. E. J. Harding

Mr. Strachey 29/12
Sir J. Shuckburgh

Sir C. Grindle

Sir C. Davis

Sir S. Wilson

Mr. Ormsby-Gore

Earl of Clarendon

Mr. Amery

31 December 1925

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DRAFT. for Cowson

Colonel L.F.N. King, O.B.E., R.E.

Senior British Commissioner,
Anglo-Italian (Jubaland)
Boundary Commission

I am etc to ack. the receipt of your letter of the 16th of October, transmittng estimates of the cost of the British Section of the Jubaland Boundary Commission for the years 1925/26 and 1926/27, and to transmit to you, for your

Treasury 1711.25 50671/5
Draft to Mr. etc. 2025.1926
and send to the
Treasury, 11/12/25

Cd. 2464 (23374/25)

31 Dec 1925
2 NUMBER 2660/26

Copy to Sir 1304
copies

Cowson, the accompanying copies of cover for despatch, the Treasury on this subject, was noted in the margin.

2. It will be observed that in their letter of the 11th inst. the British Section of the Treasury etc. the total amount of the cost of the Commission for the

20/12

financial year 1925/1926,
submitted to the Treasury
after amendment by their
Department, is £12,000; and
that the Local Commissioners
of the Treasury have deferred
their approval of this estimate
pending further information
upon certain matters mentioned
in their letter of the 11th of
December, the following:-

(a) The appointment of
Captain G. H. McKinnon P.O. as
Political Officer, with salary at
the rate of £700 a year, is approved
with effect from the 1st of November,
1925. Further information
is needed for the 1926-27 financial
year, especially the dates during
the period of his salary.
Change of 1926, when the P.O.
was still C.P.O. was still
employed with the Commission.
The appointment of Captain
McKinnon is agreed to in
reply to your letter under

(Nos. 17 and 14 of 1925)
do not help much in
connection. (p. 10)

in their normal duties.

It was also understood from a despatch telegram from the Governor of Kenya dated the 2nd of February, ⁽¹⁹²⁵⁾ that the water holes would be generally empty by the end of July, and that survey work would be recommenced, say, in November, when the second season rains permitted. The Agency will be glad if you will consider the possibility of dispensing with ^{any} part of the staff ~~which~~ ^{during which} for any period when field work is impossible owing to local conditions, and also, if

5247/25

the case of staff sent out from the Colony, it should be possible to arrange for the staff to depart during the winter, which is a temporary period without receiving the wages of return to England. As the work of the Commission is expected to be finished in the early summer of 1925, any proposals which you may have to make in this regard should be submitted to the Director before the next day session commencing on 11. 1925.

Your attention is directed to paragraph 8 of the letter to the Treasurer of the 11th of December, and paragraph 10 of the reply from the Treasurer of the 16th of December, and the change made therein to the employment of Mr. Hill and Mr. Kane with the

When we have finished our copies to be sent over before
the other contractors are we can advise the
Government's concerns what they are for.
I enclose a copy of the report.

W. J. ...

30.12.25

We have carefully considered the

proposal in your letter of Dec 9th

that the £100,000 for the payment

of the balances due to deceased

creditors should be paid by the

State of Kenya I am afraid, however,

that this is not possible, as the

Kenya Government has no necessary

£100,000 available and, if they

from their present financial

position are not likely to ~~increase~~

the Govt. have felt it very difficult

to put the proposal to the

Kenya Govt. in view of the

definite undertaking, in connection

with the 3 1/2 million loan fund

Kenya was not to be asked

to make any contribution to

the cost of the P.O.A. Campaign

until 1934, and that any

contribution to be made was £100,000

would be such as Ministers

might decide to be payable in



Let me have your views

19/12/25



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TREASURY CHAMBERS,
WHITEHALL.

18th December, 1925.

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Dear Wilson,

We have been considering your letter of the 12th ult., about the unclaimed balances of pay in West Africa.

Though, clearly, there is much to be said for paying something to the natives (as well as much to be paid against it!), the proposal comes before us at an extremely difficult time, when we are working desperately hard every day to strike every possible item out of every estimate, in order to avoid an increase of taxation next year. But it has occurred to us that there is a way by which the object you have in view could

be met without burdening our estimates at this juncture, you could arrange that a sum of £100,000, in four instalments as you thought fit, be paid, dividing the money among the various territories whose natives have claims (the natives would get about £40,000 apparently).

Sir Samuel Wilson
Colonial Office

and

able to manage something on these lines. If you would like to discuss the matter with me, I will gladly come over.

Yours sincerely,

CLP to ch

Mr Bottomley 30.12.25.

Mr. [unclear]
Mr. [unclear]

Mr. [unclear]

Mr. [unclear]

Mr. [unclear]

Mr. [unclear]

Mr. [unclear]

Mr. [unclear]

Mr. [unclear]

Mr. [unclear]

Mr. [unclear]

*Quarto for Sir
Wilson's
signature*

*2nd
April
1926*

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Downing Street,

~~December 1925~~

- 5 JAN 1926

DRAFT. forward

1926

Quarto for
your letter of the
8th December regarding the unclaimed
territories in East Africa.
I have considered very
carefully your proposal that the
territories should be found by the Government
of Kenya. I am afraid, however, that
this is impossible, as Kenya has not
the necessary funds available, and
owing to the present financial
position, is not likely to be able to
raise the money.

The circumstances are...

interest

different from those in which the Uganda
contribution of £115,000 was made. Uganda
paid the money and was anxious to retain the
possession of the issued instalments of the
Development Loan. There was much
discussion as to whether the £115,000 could
readily be spared in view of Uganda's
requirements, but the ^{first} importance then
attached to the Development Loan ~~facilities~~

~~the question and Uganda was made to pay the~~

since then a definite pledge
has been given to Kenya and Uganda, in
connection with the £2,500,000 assisted
loan, that their shares of the
interest ~~will~~ be deferred for
some time in 1963.

to the effect

*Therefore that it would not be advisable
to think of returning this*

for we now agree that undertaking has been

See Uganda

~~ever~~, to call upon Kenya, which has not got the money, to make this

payment, especially as it prejudges

the decision of Ministers in 1934 as

to that contribution to the war

expenditure shall be payable by

Kenya in the light of the Colony's

capacity to pay.

Please do not think that we do

not fully appreciate your ~~position~~

difficulties in connection with the

general financial ~~position~~

at the moment ~~we are doing~~

but I think it would be ~~wise to~~

who has succeeded in revising his

estimates so as to convert a large

deficit into a very small surplus

of £5,000, to go to his Council for

new taxation to produce £100,000.

Perhaps

Increase
such action
might be
interpreted as

we
are only
ready to
pay the
bill.

present

our

and

sent to us officially for our record and for communication to the governments concerned. They

may not be invited to criticize

the actions of the Committee, but

it is necessary that they should

be aware at which their

actions are assessed, and the

amounts have been

It is not possible

and tell the

Legislatures of the three

Dependencies in 1934 that they have

to pay a certain sum without

any explanation.

Yours sincerely,

W. H. Wilson

the year.

The Reports were published later

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Feb. 26

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Mr Bottanley

Your proposal in 18624 that
manuscripts go through the "ants" before
before printing

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first & main one or two in ants
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further proof of the photographs
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in the text of the book
alliteration will be necessary
tent "another" the word below
(two places) part of another
reference to [unclear]

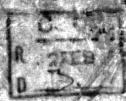
The copy prepared in my
minute in 18624 can now
wait till we send out copies of
the paper. (I must not forget
to Stone's sources)

W. M. Allen
11/1/24

Mr. Allen 1/2
Mr. Polk 2/6

Mr. ...
Mr. ...
Mr. ...
Mr. ...
Mr. ...
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Mr. ...

30th 1925



Drawings 26/9/25
February, 1926.

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1925 September
court of the kikuyu
I read Mr. Danby's ...
with much interest and satisfaction
and a note has been made of his
remarks ... 20 ...
Mr. E. G. Store
3. I have also to acknowledge
the receipt of ...
No. 1153 of the 15th of September, 1925
regarding the proposed publication

of the account of his tour in the
Nyanza Province, given in his despatch
No. 682 of the 6th of June 1925. I

enclose ~~three~~ copies of the published
white paper, which includes the reports
of his visits to Kikuyu Province and
the District of Kitui as well as to
the Nyanza Province. Five of the

photographs embodied in Mr. Denham's
despatch No. 1154 of the 15th of
September, have been reproduced in
the white paper, and I now return
you the negatives which
accompanied his despatch No. 124
the 1st of October.

I have etc

The Secretary

Illustrations in a

very large to be necessary

Downing Street,

February, 1906.

SECRET

501 133

Sir,

I have the honour to acknowledge the receipt of Mr. Denham's despatch No. 1154 of the 15th of September, reporting on his tour of the Kivu Province.

I read Mr. Denham's despatch with much interest and satisfaction, and a note has been made of his remarks in paragraph 20 regarding Mr. H. G. Stone.

I have also to acknowledge the receipt of Mr. Denham's despatch No. 1155 of the 15th of September, 1905, regarding the proposed publication of the account of his tour in Nyasa Province, given in his despatch No. 680 of the 6th of September, 1905.

The account of his tour in Nyasa Province, which is contained in the reports of his visits to the districts of Kivu as well as to the Kivu Province.

Five of the photographs reproduced in Mr. Denham's despatch No. 1154 of the 15th of September have been reproduced in the white paper, and I now return to you as requested the negatives which accompanied

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LIEUTENANT COLONEL,

SEA R.N.S. GALAQ, I.C.V.O., C.M.7., D.F.O.,

etc., etc., etc.

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DRAFT

March 1925

SIR,

With ref. to the Duke of Devonshire's

inform you that I understood that

Gen. V.V. Verel, late East Africa

has to ap. Ind, and at present a

ap. is desirous of

obtaining naturalization as a

British subject.

2. This information is contained

in a private letter from ^{the gov.} ~~the~~

Days Finch-Hatton to Mr. Ormsby

Gore, in the course of which he

finch

