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Mr. George
Bottomey

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Secretary of State.

Previous Paper

Govt. 31810
(Enclosed Report, 1915)

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Copy to Dr. Kya Mar
Uganda 52
Dr. Hill
S.P.C.T.

Subsequent Paper

M.D. 3005/25

EXPLORATION OF FLORA IN E.A.

Indicates proposals for examination and collection on systematic lines of grasses and pasture plants in areas likely to be inhabited by stock.

MINUTES

We should first get Dr. Hill's views on the scheme generally & also the probable cost of such a handbook as that proposed by Colonel Montgomery. We might also ask Dr. Hill whether, assuming that the local Govt. agree to the resolution, a special botanist should be appointed to coordinate this work, or whether he considers Col. Montgomery's alternative proposal is likely to produce satisfactory results.

? Send copy of letter to Director R. Botanic Soc., Kew asking as above for views.

S.C.W. 6.1.25.

Mr. Montgomeray has told you that Dr. Hill is in sympathy with this

this, but we may as well
have something in
writing which we can
send to Gov.

I think it will be
sufficient to ask for
opinions generally.

(ff 9.1.25.

Ps - I gathered from
Mr. Montgomery that
he will be glad to
cooperate in the way
of classification of
specimens.

625. qd 10.1.25

(I-true one
at the next stage) alone

DRAFT.

F.C. 16 Jan 1925.

rector,
Botanic Gardens,
Kew.
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Mr. Brett Jan 13

Mr. Jeffries 14/1

Mr.

Sir J. Shuckburgh.

Sir C. Davis

Sir G. Griffiths.

Sir J. Maitland Smith

Lord Donald.

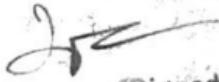
Mr. Thomas.

To give a copy of a letter
from Mr. R. E. Montgomery,
M.R.C.V.S., Veterinary Adviser
to the Posts of Kenya, Mombasa
& the S. S., containing
proposals for the exam.
& collection, on systematic
lines, of the grasses and

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pasture plants of the
areas in those Dependencies
now inhabited, or likely
to be inhabited, by stock.

2. Mr. Amery will be
glad to receive any observations
whi. you may wish to
offer on these proposals.



(Signed) W. O. BOTTOMLEY.