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Meat Industry

To copy communication from Veterinary Adviser and of memo thereon by Chief Veterinary Officer regarding proposed establishment of a meat industry in T.T.; and submits comments on the scheme.

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C.C.B.)Mr. Machling Mr. Green.

It has been decided in 39519/26 that the activities of a company would have to be confined to the buying of cattle and possibly to acquiring such land as is possible under the existing law.

Mr. Montgomery now puts forward further proposals in the form of a memo which if approved he will communicate to persons competent to take up the enterprise. He also submits a draft Ord for the improvement and Utilisation of live stock in Native areas.

Subsequent Paper
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The Tanganjika fort showed guarantees to
firm Belgian interest on the capital outlay
involved. I cannot imagine the Treasury
~~concerned~~ concerning to any such proposal, and,
indeed, as everything must turn upon the
regular supply of stock required, and as
such regular supply seems very doubtful, it
looks as though the fort might have to
do on taring indefinitely on account of
the guarantee if the scheme came into
operation.

The cattle position in Southern Rhodesia,
where the local fort have entered into
an arrangement with the Imperial
Cold Storage Co on these lines, seems to be
quite different from that in Tanganjika
& it seems impossible to argue from one
to the other.

propositions connected with agricultural development, & I should much prefer to hold his matter ^{in the case of} ~~for~~ ^{for} Tanganyika until the question of the development of a meat industry in Kenya is more advanced. In any case, Mr. Montgomery who is the prime mover in this matter has now vacated the position of ^{Em 27/12/15} ~~Secretary~~ ~~Adviser~~ to the Tanganyika ~~and~~ ~~has retired~~ ~~in the service~~.

This will better wait till the government buys the miller up again. He may do so in the Estimates put by ~~at one~~

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to Bottomley

Subject to anything that
transpired at your interview with
General Reynolds

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made ready to inform him that the
Supt ^{has no reason} ~~of his~~ to reconsider
his decisions communicated to him
in the letter from the C.O. of the
14 Oct.

To & C " as proposed

J. W. Lee

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