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FROM CHAIRMAN OF NATIVE AFFAIRS  
ASSEMBLY MEETING

DATE

18 JULY

CIRCULATION:

SUBJECT

NATIVE GRIEVANCES.

Mr.

Mr.

Mr.

Mr. G. G. G.

Sir H. Lambert

Send resolutions passed at meeting held on  
10th July.

Sir H. Read

Sir G. P. Foster

Mr. Ward

Previous Paper

MINUTES

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20/67

Ordered

Received 20/67

Approved 20/67

This was violated with  
Sir Wedwood's question  
about the native depictions  
See now on 10/36645.

Recd. 23/7/21

Subsequent Paper

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TELEGRAM from Mr. Harry Thuku, Chairman of the  
Native Mass Meeting held at Nairobi,

C. O.

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Dated 18th July 1921.

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(Received Colonial Office 5.40 P.M. 18th July 1921.)

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Natives Mass Meeting held Sunday tenth over  
two thousand natives present declared Indians presence  
not prejudicial natives advancement as alleged by  
Convention Associations. Next to Missionaries Indians  
our best friends demanded repeal natives registration  
Ordinance compulsory taking of girls married women for  
plantation work culminating into immoral practice also  
increase hut poll tax. Humble request apply native  
revenue for solely native benefits specially education  
open schools important centres. Condemned European  
settlers movement cutting down our already low wages.  
Give franchise all educated British subjects submit this  
Kenya's only solution. Authorised Indian Delegation  
consisting Jagannath Narine also Colonel Wedgwood represent  
our cause above like to authorities concerned.

HARRY THUKU,

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TELEGRAM from Mr. Harry Thuku, Chairman of the  
Native Mass Meeting held at Nairobi. C. O.

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Dated 15th July 1921. 35520

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HARRY THUKU,



SIGNALS, SWANSEA, LONDON WALL

# TELEGRAM

ISSUED FROM CHIEF CABLE STATION - ELECTRIC HOST, HUNTERST PAVEMENT  
REPLIES SHOULD BE ORDERED

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*via Eastern*

Doubtful words should be OFFICIALLY repeated. See via book.

No one is expecting this Telegram with regard to the present position of this Colony.

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NATIVES MADE MEETING HELD SUNDAY TENTH OVER

THOUSAND NATIVES PRESENT DECLARED INDIANS

PRESENCE NOT PREJUDICIAL NATIVES ADVANCEMENT

AS ALLEGED BY CONVENTION ASSOCIATIONS STOP

NEXT TO MISSIONARIES INDIANS OUR BEST

FRIENDS DEMANDED REPEAT NATIVES REGISTRATION

CHAPTERIES

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ORDINANCE COMPULSORY TAKING OF GIRLS MARRIED  
 WOMEN FOR PLANTATION WORK CULMINATING INTO  
 IMMORAL PRACTICE ALSO INCREASE HUT FOLE TAX  
 STOP HUMBLE REQUEST APLY NATIVE REVENUE FOR  
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 SCHOOLS IMPORTANT CENTRES STOP CONDEMNED  
 EUROPEAN SETTLERS MOVEMENT CUTTING DOWN OUR  
 ALREADY LOW WAGES STOP GIVE FRANCHISE ALL  
 EDUCATED BRITISH SUBJECTS SUBMIT THIS ENYAS  
 ONLY SOLUTION STOP AUTHORISED INDIA  
 DELEGATION CONSISTING JEVANJEE VARMA ALSO  
 COLONEL WEDGWOOD REPRESENT OUR CAUSE ABOVE

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LINE TO AUTHORITIES CONCERNED

HARRY THUKU CHAIRMAN

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