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1920

5th March

CHECKING OF SMALL ITEMS IN CUSTOMS DEPT.

Last previous Paper

Consider letter "C" heavily overprinted will best meet case of form for exchange. Cancellation by rubber stamp will be sufficient till all pp prepared for final check when they will be punched.

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Director of Colonial Audit

Have you any, please?

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This seems all right. I approve

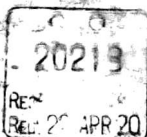
They will advise our point as they will to exchange locally

do proposed (with 1000) (with 1000)

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27th March, 1920.

My Lord,

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I have the honour to acknowledge the receipt of Your Lordship's despatch No. 1268 of the 25th November 1919, relating to the use of stamps for checking petty items of Customs Revenues, and to submit the following observations.

2. Various suggestions have been put forward as to the form of the surcharge, and after due consideration I have decided that the letter "C" heavily overprinted will best meet the case.

3. As regards cancellation, the defacement of Stamps or Bonds and similar documents used in the Customs Department is at present effected by means of an official rubber stamp. As all documents coming under the present scheme would be retained in that Department I am of opinion that this means of cancellation would meet the case until all papers are prepared for a final check when they are perforated by means of a punch.

THE RIGHT HONOURABLE

VISCOUNT MILNER, P.C., G.C.B., G.C.M.G., &c. &c.

SECRETARY OF STATE FOR THE COLONIES,

DOWNING STREET,

LONDON, S.W.

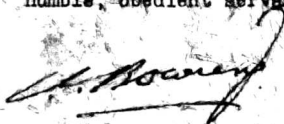
4. Periodical inspection by the Audit Department, would, I consider, provide all extra-departmental verification that might be necessary.

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I have the honour to be,

Your Lordship's

humble, obedient servant,



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- Mr. Grindle
- Mr. H. [unclear]
- Mr. H. [unclear]
- Mr. G. Fisher
- Col. [unclear]
- Lord Milner

Please to honour to check the
receipt of your dep. no. 238 of the 2nd place.

I bring you that I approve your
arrangements which for all
purpose to run with the [unclear]
making for [unclear] I
imposed on [unclear] and for the purpose
of checking petty [unclear] [unclear]
of the [unclear] of [unclear] of [unclear]
in [unclear] of your [unclear].

(SIGNED) MILNER