

Mr Bostonley

Dr R. C. Macpherson would do very well, but he had
blackwater twice in W. Africa & is doubtful as to
going to E. Africa.

Hf. 22.6.

I don't wonder. As we shall have Capt D. E. E. E.
up to go through any one contract, it will be
a hell to have into P.S.'s own front.

U.C. 23.6.23

Mr. Macpherson

Mr Bostonley
I have no doctors waiting at present.
Several are coming up for the meeting &
the new app^r Cies on July 10th

Wca 25/6/23.

Mr Wood.

This was discussed with Dr. Bell
this morning. He is unwilling that
Dr. Macpherson should be offered
app^r, in view of his age & health,
particularly as he sees some prospect
of getting hold of some young
candidates for us.

J. J. 27.6.23

all right: remit to P.S.

Hf. 28/6

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FROM GOV'S DEPUTY NORTHCOTE	1033	DATE 30TH JUNE 1923	REC'D RE 23 JUL 23
FOR CIRCULATION - Mr. Macpherson Mr. Mr. Asst. U.S. of S. <i>W. H. Wood</i> 13/9/23		SUBJECT FIRST SUPPLEMENTARY ESTIMATES 1923 Comments on details and requests telegraphic sanction.	
Perm. U.S. of S. Part. U.S. of S. Secretary of State.		MINUTES This was discussed with Mr. Bostonley yesterday & it was decided that beyond asking for further info. more or two points on the Supplementary Estimates shd. be approved. ? submit Dft. Feb. for consideration, after which the paper should be recirculated for use for a draft despatch concerning the tel. requiring further on 15 certain items.	
Previous Paper S.O. 36303			
Subsequent Paper S.O. 40103 3194/23		S.O. 10.8.23 10.8.23	

Wood told me 13 Aug 23
F. 11.6 am 20.8.23

There is very little to take hold of

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MINUTES NOT TO BE WRITTEN
ON THIS SIDE.

in the detail, but
you should see the
final boxes of the
Gronow's statement
in 36305.

There can be no error
that King is balance
is on the wrong side,
but we cannot say
exactly what the
deficiency is until
we have got further
into the unaccounting
of the month as follows

to Col

10/8/23

at time

J. R.

13/8/23

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GOVERNMENT HOUSE,
NAIROBI,
KENYA
30th June, 1923.

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My Lord Duke,

In continuation of my despatch No. 1076 of the 28th instant transmitting 10 copies of the First Supplementary Estimates 1923 I have the honour to make the following observations.

2. Your Grace will observe that provision has been necessary for Personal Emoluments under many heads of Estimates, the excesses being due to the fact that the Estimates were framed on the assumption that there would be a decrease in Asiatic Salaries. It has not yet been possible to estimate the expenditure that will be incurred by payment of Asiatic Leave Salaries and pensions in accordance with the instructions conveyed in Your Grace's Confidential despatch dated 29th December, 1922, and reference to this unascertained liability is to be found in paragraphs 9 and 16 of the Treasurer's Statement.

3. The details of excesses are dealt with in the Treasurer's memorandum and need no further explanation. I would mention only the provision of £7000 made for Repairs and Renewals of Roads and Bridges under Head XXIX Public Works Extraordinary; the abnormal rains during April and May have damaged the roads throughout the Colony to such an extent that it is now realized that the provision made will be insufficient and that further amounts will be required in subsequent Supplementary

Estimates

YR GRACE
THE DUKE OF DEVONSHIRE, K.G., P.C., G.C.M.G., G.C.V.O.,
SECRETARY OF STATE FOR THE COLONIES,
DOWNING STREET, LONDON, S.W.

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Estimates

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Estimates. In this connection I have to refer to my telegram No.189 of even date. #

4. The following references to previous correspondence concerning certain items under Head XXV Miscellaneous Services are given for Your Grace's information:-

SOS
32119
Grant to Kenya Land Settlement Advisory Committee.

vide Your Grace's despatch No.163 of January 26th. 3

Grant of Road Work Plant to Nairobi Municipality.

A separate despatch is being drafted on this subject.

SOS
120312
Government Maize Subsidy. See Sir Edward Northey's despatch No.151 of 10th July, 1922. #

Expenses in connection with deputation on Indian question.

SOS
12618
Expenditure was approved in Your Grace's telegram of 15th March. #

Expenses - Pan African Veterinary Conference. Expenditure was originally approved for Uganda in Mr. Churchill's despatch No.477 of 5th May, 1922. * * * and the venue of the Conference was subsequently changed to Nairobi.

5. I would add, in reference to Head XXV Miscellaneous of the Memorandum accompanying Your Grace's Confidential despatch dated 18th February, 1923, that it is proposed to include provision in subsequent Supplementary Estimates for expenses in connection with the British Empire Exhibition.

I would be grateful if telegraphic notification of Your Grace's approval of these Estimates could be sent.

etc.
I have the honour to be,
My Lord Duke,
Your Grace's most devoted
and most obedient servant,

E. S. Northey
GOVERNOR'S DEPUTY.

No 32938 # No 12678
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3 No 3879 + + No 1779
11 No 40272

financial position
Since the matter very
careful consideration and
report-fully ~~on situation~~
at an early date

Devonshire

In Act 36662/23 Kenya

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20 August 1923.

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Sir,

DRAFT.

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MINUTE.

- Mr. See 15-8-23
- Mr. Parkins ops
- Mr.
- Mr. Davis.
- Sir G. Grindle.
- Sir H. Road.
- Sir J. Masterton Smith.
- Mr. Ormsby-Gore.
- Duke of Devonshire.

I have ^{the papers} etc. to acknowledge the receipt of your letter No 1033 1/2 of the 30th of June, on the subject of the ~~the~~ First Supplementary Estimates for 1923, and to confirm my tel. of the 13th of August, conveying my general ~~approval~~ ~~of these~~ ~~supplementary~~ ~~estimates~~ approval ^{for} of these supplementary estimates generally.

2. As indicated

in my telegram, I consider that the financial position of the Colony ~~requires it~~

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Given cause
~~to~~ for serious anxiety,

and I shall ~~omit~~ hope

to receive as soon as possible

the ~~the~~ considered view of the

Governor on the position as

soon as possible after his arrival in the Colony

3. There are ~~several~~ certain

points in the Supplementary

Estimates as to which I would ^{draw} ~~draw~~ attention

Should be glad ^{to receive} ~~to receive~~ further

information as under:-

Head XVII Education:

(i) I shall be glad to be
more fully as to the arrangements ⁱⁿ
informed / ~~of the reasons for the~~
enclosed £250 which it is
anticipated will be
required for contributions
to Dutch schools.

(ii) I note that the grant-in-
aid of £200 which was
^{Private}
granted for the Sixth / School

has been withdrawn. In view
 of the interest which has been
 aroused in this Country ^(as far as)
 Indian affairs in the Colony,
 I shall be glad to be furnished
 with an explanation of the
 withdrawal of this grant.

(iii) I note further that
~~the~~ savings of £77 is
 anticipated on the provision
 of £200 which ^{under this head} was made for
 the Improvement of Village
 Schools. The effect of this
 large saving is practically
 to cancel the whole of the ~~amount~~
 to ~~be~~ ~~paid~~ ~~for~~ ~~the~~ ~~grant~~, and
 I have to request that
~~I shall be glad to be furnished with~~
 an explanation on this
 alteration in the provision originally made
 and also may be furnished.

Head XXV. Miscellaneous

(i) Note that provision is now made under this head for the sum of £100 for compensation for the loss of ^{officers'} private effects, and that in the explanatory memorandum it is stated to be the practice to compensate officials who cannot effect insurance, for losses of private property which are sustained ~~and~~ due to their own negligence.

~~would however include your~~
It is true that it was stated in para 2 of Mr Churchill's despatch No 1408 of the 29th of September 1921, that the Govt should make it clearly known that it would accept

C446047/22 (Ah in circular but please advise the same to the Secy of State)
(J.P.M.)

≠ No-46047

no liability for loss which could have been covered by insurance, ^{but} that para. ~~thereby~~ appears to have been read as implying that in cases where it was not possible to effect insurance, compensation would be paid by the Govt. This construction ~~was~~ was by no means intended, and the payment by ^{the} Govt of compensation for loss of private property, even where no insurance could have been effected, is not a matter of practice but one for submission to the Secretary of State, for the consideration of each case upon its merits. It should be clearly understood that the payment

of compensation in any case
is not to be approved without
^{prior} reference to me.

(ii) I note that a sum
of £3,500 has been provided
for the expenses of the delegations
to their country in connection
with the Indian Question. I
fear that a further supplementary
provision will be required
for their service.

(iii) The sum of £500 which
has been inserted for the
preparation of the Revised
Edition of the Laws of Kenya
is presumably a first
instalment of the sum of
£1,000 which was sanctioned

for this purpose in my despatch
No. 700 of the 17th of May.

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I would invite your attention,
however, to the remarks in
para 2 of that despatch.

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