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Land Settlement

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Last previous Paper

Make application for 10,000 acres each in Lower
River for cattle farming. Request
water rights from Lower River.

This land is near the E. C. A.
border south of Trestle Rd.
It was called yesterday and
that it was of importance to
to get the matter settled early
I said that Col. King might
bring up the spot, should apply
locally, that all we could do
would be to talk to the Gov. and
be prepared that Col. King
would do so.

On hearing that we have
Col. St. Hall will talk to
Col. King and then they will
apply, I will prepare to
write to Gen. Northey, whom
I have seen. The land is outside

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Also from paper

Southwest Military Hospital,

East Africa.

February 12th 1917.

at Holt & Co
3 Whitehall Place
London



The Secretary,
Colonial Office.

Dear Sir,

I understand the Government are desirous to award to officers who have served in this war and are desirous of settling in East Africa, I beg to apply for a grant of land on the side of the Jumi River, Col. A. Mchuna, R.A.M.C. and myself on the Jumi River side of the river and on the side farthest from the border. We would ask for 10,000 acres each and the water rights from the Jumi River for water for our farms, as this is an uninhabited region and much of it is covered with bush which would cost to clear infinitely more than the ground is worth and the ground is only good for cattle with some patches that could be cultivated if water was pumped up from the river.

Our service in E. Africa is as under:-

Major A. Myburgh, & Reg. Hussara, Staff Captain
R.A.M.H. 1914 on General Staff B.E.A. Ex-Force
1916.

Lt. Col. Mchuna, O.C. 15 Stationary Hospital,
Mbyuni 1916, also at Morogoro G.E.A. 1917.

The reason we are asking for a grant of land in this district is that we know it is fairly healthy and will do for cattle. It is an uninhabited region and there is no demand for it. Land to be given out is too remote for men who are no longer young.

We would be willing to pay the cost of survey and if the Colonial Office would cable out instructions to the Government Surveyor and point out what we would like to have.

I myself am invalided out of the service from disabilities contracted on active service. Lt. Col. A. Mchuna is leaving the service if he obtains this grant.

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Mr. 24704/19, East

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30th April 1919

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