

EAST AFRICA PROTECTORATE
NYASALAND PROT.
K. A. R
15870

C. O.
15870
REC?
RECE 23 MAY 12

Appals
Date.
1912
3 May
Previous Paper.
15859
dupd

Marchant Patrol

Sends letter from Kisoro Castle Co. resp. arrangements for transport of 2 officers & 110 men from Chinde to Kismayu. Enquires what answer the Gov. to send to C.

~~Colonel Thesiger~~
~~at hand.~~ Sir G. Fiddes

See also Gov. 15194 E.A.P. & Gov. 15859 Nyasaland

In writing to C.A. as proposed on Gov. 15859, ackn. receipt of this, & say that as soon as the precise date on which the "Goth" will reach Chinde is known, an intimation should be sent by telegraph direct to the Gov. ^{by the Co's agents at Zanzibar,} Zomba & the date should also be notified to this office. Tele.

graph to Sir W. Manning that the troops will be taken by the Goth, which may be

Announced 25 May
For tel. No. 34 Gov. Nyasaland 14 June

Subsequent Paper
15892
W. 25, 846-17. 40,000. 11/11. A.&E.W.

expected to reach Chinde about the 16th or
17th of June; that the precise date will be
reported to him by telegraph from Zanzibar
as soon as it is known; but that, in the
meantime, the troops should be ready for
embarkation on the 16th of June to avoid
delay. And inform the O.A.G. of the
E.A.P. by telegraph of the exact number,
the name of the steamer, & the probable
date of leaving Chinde.

WAB

May 23.

~~4117~~ May 24th

~~at once~~

H. J. L.

24/5

at once P.D. 24

W. Butler.

C.A. telephoned today to say that U.C.C.
inf. them that the 2nd left Z'bar at
8 a.m. this morning & is due at Chinde
on or about 18 June.

? inf. Gov. Nyasa. & sending by
by telegram.

Alfred

14/6
(to make quite sure)

WAB

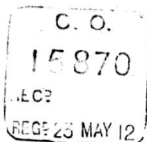
June 14

at once.

Message.1561/10.

ALL COMMUNICATIONS
TO BE ADDRESSED TO THE
CROWN AGENTS FOR THE COLONIES,
THE ABOVE REFERENCE AND THE
DATE OF THIS LETTER BEING QUOTED.

TELEGRAMS, "CROWN, LONDON."
TELEPHONE 1622 VICTORIA.



WHITEHALL GARDENS,
LONDON, S. W.

RESSING.

23rd May 1912.

Sir,

With reference to your letter ^{ca} 14965/1912
of the 16th May and to previous correspondence
respecting the transport of officers and men
of the King's African Rifles from Chinde to
Kismayu in June next, I have the honour to
enclose a copy of a letter which we have
received from the Union Castle Company, and
to enquire what reply should be sent to the
last paragraph.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your obedient servant,

Richard
for Crown Agents.

The Under Secretary of State,
&c., &c., &c.,
Colonial Office.

CO.

THE UNION CASTLE MAIL STEAMSHIP COMPANY LIMITED TO CROWN AGENTS.

3 and 4, Fenchurch Street, C. O.
London. E.C.

22nd May 1912.

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REC'D
RECEIVED 23 MAY 12

Gentlemen,

We thank you for your letter of the 17th instant (Ref. Passage L/1561/10) and note that you accept our offer for the transport of two officers and 110 men of the King's African Rifles from Chinde to Kismayu on the terms mentioned in our letter of the 13th May.

As already advised you, owing to an accident to our S.S. "Gascon" it has been found necessary to make other arrangements, and we are therefore sending our S.S. "Goth" down from Zanzibar to Chinde to pick up these passengers.

As far as we can tell at the present moment the "Goth" may be expected to arrive at Chinde about the 16th or 17th June. This date is, of course, more or less approximate, but we hope you will be able to arrange for the Troops to be ready for embarkation in order that there may not be any un-necessary delay. We propose to instruct our agents at Zanzibar to telegraph when the "Goth" may be expected to reach Chinde and we shall be glad if you will kindly let us know by return to whom such telegram should be addressed.

We are, etc., etc.,

THE UNION CASTLE MAIL STEAMSHIP COMPANY LTD.

C. A. 15870

East
Nyasaland
K. A. R.

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~~to~~

DRAFT.

Telegram (code)

Governor

Zomba Nyasaland

1 m

Sent in code
10. pm
May 24
3 PM

MINUTE.

- Mr. Alls 24/5
- Mr. Read 24/ (1859)
- Sir G. Fiddes.
- Sir H. Just.
- Sir J. Anderson.
- Lord Emmott.
- Mr. Harcourt.

Your telegram of 23 May No.

36 troops will be
taken by U. C. I. S.

forth which is expected

Chinde about 16th June

or 17th June precise

date will be reported

to you by telegraph

from Zanzibar

BA/15

as soon as it is
known in the
meantime troops
should be ready for
embarkation 16 June
to avoid delay.

Harcourt

C. of 15870 } East
Nyaland
KAR

Substance sent in
supp. Telegram (copy) 10 pm May 24
Lynceus 7 PM
Nairobi with ref to my copy

22/5

Read 24

8

1/6

(14183) telegram of 13 May
Nyaland company
consisting of two European
Officers & 130 native soldiers
including camp followers
will leave Chinde about
16 ~~pm~~ June by S.S.
Goth.

Harcourt

C. D.
R. 95
D. 25

C. a. / 1st 70.

East
Nyasaland
K.A.R.

~~CD~~ Please also make
mention of the below
part
S.E.

DRAFT.

C. a.

Nov 1884

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25th May 1912.

MINUTE.

Gentlemen -

- Mr. A. C. B. 24/5
- Mr. Reid 24/5
- Sir G. Fiddes.
- Sir H. Just.
- Sir J. Anderson.
- Lord Emmott.
- Mr. Harcourt.

I am etc. to ask: the receipt
of your letter re / Passage
15/10 of the 23rd of May,
& to ~~inform you~~ ^{say} that,
~~you had requested~~
~~us~~ as soon as the
precise date in which the
P.S. "Goth" will reach
Chinde is known, an
intimation should be
sent by telegraph direct
to the Governor of Nyasaland
at Zomba by the U. C.
S. P.

Mr. Gov. Nyasa. Tel: 23 May
15839

3/1/12

Company's agents
at Zanzibar. The
date should also be
notified to this office.

2. I am now to
enclose for your in-
spection a copy of
a telegram from the
Gov. of Nyasaland as to
the troops which are
to be carried from

Chinde to Kisumu
& to request that you
will arrange for the
transport of the
numbers given in the
telegram & for the
provision by the shipping
Co. of food supplies for
the troops during the voyage.

(Signed) H. J. READ,
for the Under Secretary of State

G. D.
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C.A. / 15870
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3.50
Sent 14/6
14/6

Rep
Nyas.
WAK

DRAFT. Telegram No. 34

Governor
Zomba Nyasaland

MINUTE.

- Mr. Ales 14/6
- Mr. Buxton 14/6
- Mr. Fiddes.
- Sir H. Just.
- Sir J. Anderson.
- Lord Emmott.
- Mr. Harcourt.

With ref. to my telegram of
undecided

22 May Both left

Zanzibar this morning
Kisumu

one at Chinde on or
Drossinss arbasamo

about 18 June
Jibbura

Harcourt

inquire to see
once after despatch.

seen 11/11/1874