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Map. 1:250,000 Series.

Arrangements have been made with Ordnance Survey Dept. to undertake the reproduction of the field sheet & referred to.

Mr Bottomley

? general staff to see (vid. Mr. Rockett's minute
H.F.D. p. m 38649)

Col. Stedley

I fight this for an opportunity of discussing with you - I take it that you would prefer to send all the sheets through us & S.O. rather than, as Mr. Rockett proposed, or 38649, have them sent direct from W.O. to Southampton. Will you please let me know what you think about this?

I attach your reminder of 6 Jan. - I did not know that you were waiting for a reply.

W.S. 8/1

Mr Bottomley.

I would much prefer to send sheets

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which are to be reproduced in this
way through you and not direct
to Southampton - I am sending
you one more sheet for despatch
to Southampton through the S.O.
This completes the 4 sheets as
mentioned at the meeting of the C.C.

4.1.12.

W. Hedley

Mr. Bottomley

I have written the above I have received
a note from the D.G.O. pointing out an
unforeseen difficulty - It is all maps produced
by the O.S. for the W.O. must be paid for by
the latter, and in the case of maps asked
for by departments other than the W.O.
Treasury sanction is necessary for work
which costs any considerable sum -
In the present case the three maps
are estimated to cost £256 - Now in
the application which went to Southampton
the maps were stated to be for the War Office,
and it is therefore impossible to go to the
Treasury for the W.O. are bound to pay
for all their maps - As a matter of fact
the maps are not for the W.O. but for the
C.O. The only possible method of procedure
now is for the present application to be
withdrawn, and for you to send in
a fresh application for these maps to
be done for the Colonial Office - This application

will be forwarded by the O.S. to the Board
of Agriculture and thence to the Treasury -
It is for you to consider whether the
application is likely to meet with a
favourable reception - The point I
wish to emphasize is that the W.O. must
not appear in the transaction - The
W.O. is of course interested in getting
these sheets published but our amount
of work are so large that it will be
some considerable time before the urgency
of these maps, from the W.O. point of
view, would justify our taking them
up -

I am of course delaying the 4th sheet
which I intended to send to-day,
but if you decide to go on with the
matter, it would be as well to try
and get all four sheets through - I
could send it over at any time.

10.1.12

W. Hedley

Mr. Read

I have under thought that there would be no necessity
for anything more than a "book" payment, but if we
proceed as at A, the arrangement will apparently fall
to the ground, as the Treasury will see in it an attempt
to evade the $\frac{1}{2}$ & $\frac{1}{2}$ principle. We had better
P.T. Over.

put the point direct to them, and ask whether
he may utilize the S.O. & this way, pointing out
that the maps have hitherto been produced without
Cost to Post^{al} funds, and that it is probable that
they will be so produced in future when the present
press of work in the G. Section is cleared off. [I
understand from Capt Cox that this is the real point.
There is no idea of forming a precedent.]

W. G. 10/1/12

at once.

H. J. R.

10/1

Telephone Nos. :
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H. M. STATIONERY OFFICE,
LONDON, S.W.

Any further communication on this
subject should be addressed to—
THE CONTROLLER,
and the following Number quoted:

L. 4021/12.

2 copies

30th December, 1912.

Sir,

With reference to Mr. Read's letter of the
24th instant, I beg leave to acquaint you, for the
information of Mr. Secretary Harcourt that, as
desired, arrangements have been made with the Ordnance
Survey Department to undertake the reproduction of the
field sheets etc. to which reference is made.

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PAR

I have the honor to be,

Sir,

Your obedient servant,

W. H. Miller

W. H. Miller.

The Under Secretary of State,
COLONIAL OFFICE,
S.W.

In reply, please quote -

M.O.4/Africa/552.



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7 JAN 1913
COL. OFFICE

The Director of Military Operations presents his compliments to the Under Secretary of State for the Colonies and would be glad to be favoured with a reply to his note No. M.O.4/Africa/552 of the 8th December 1912, on the subject of the reproduction of these sheets of the East Africa Protectorate 1/250,000 series.

W.O.
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Mr Bottomley

War Office, S.W.

6th January 1913.

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~~9 others~~

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The Secretary to the
Treasury

MINUTE.

- Mr. Doxton 11/1
- Col. Hasting for gen
- Mr. Reid 15/1
- Sir G. Fiddes.
- Sir H. Just
- Sir J. Anderson.
- Lord Emmott.
- Mr. Harcourt.

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Col. Doxton

Will you please review
to decide necessary?

See over O.A.
4/1

Insd 23337

Sir,

I am directed by Mr. Secy. Harcourt to request you to inform the Board Comm^{rs} of the Treasury that a question has arisen with regard to the reproduction of maps executed by the Topographical Branch of the E. A. P. Survey Dept.

Up to the present it has been possible to arrange for the sheets to be reproduced, without charge to the Post^o, by the Geographical Section, General Staff, War Office, but the pressure of work is now so great that the Geographical Section will be precluded of being able to deal for some time with the four sheets now on hand

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and point out that, even
if the sheets are to be
taken up, subsequent sheets
will have to be delayed
in a number of cases. ~~It is~~
~~to be expected~~ that
if the arrangements can be
made in the present instance
the geographical section
will ~~not~~ be able, as in the
past, to deal with later
sheets as they are received
from the Protectorate.

3. The Hon'ble Secy. has accord-
-ingly endeavored to arrange
for the work to be done, through
the Stationery Office, by the
Ordinance Survey, but he
finds that the service has
been represented to the
D.S. as one to be undertaken
on behalf of the War Office
and that, in accordance
with established practice,
the cost of the work would have
to be charged to Army funds.
~~It is clear that the~~

It is hoped however

In - Botolph Claydon

I do not think it would
be well to commit too
much on this being an
isolated case. I hope
it may be so, but we
do not want to bar
the way to another appeal
to the Treasury - I have
accordingly suggested
alterations in the
I think we might put
a paragraph stating that
the cost of doing the first
work of these sheets will
be £21,500 including the
triangulation, and that
till the sheets are published
this money must be
regarded as wasted.
14.1.13. W.H. Miller
The cost of reproducing the
sheet may be taken as
It is clear, and of the greatest
importance for the work to be done, that

Printed for by H. K. & Co. and
with H. K. & Co. that
the conditions!

Sanction is necessary for
the execution by the D.S. of
work of any magnitude for
a Dept. other than the War
Office, and, in view of
the question for the ^{cost} ~~work~~ to
Office, he trusts that they
will be prepared as a special
case to approve of the sheets
being reproduced by the
D.S. as a C.O. service for
which no charge will be made.

~~I have understood that
the arrangements will not be
regarded as precedent and
will be limited to the four
sheets now in hand, of which
three have already been sent
to Southampton.~~

He is informed that there
would be no difficulty in
carrying out the work at
Southampton and that
the cost of the four copies
three of which ^{have} ~~are~~ already
sent to the D.S. is
no addition to the D.S. vote
which would be required. The cost of

Cost of the three maps already
sent to Southampton is £100,
to which must be added some
£25 in respect of the fourth
map on hand.

4. ^{(6th Nov 1941) P.A.D.}
See the point out that
the cost of the survey field
work for these sheets, including
the transportation, has been about
£20,000, and that the information
will have been as practical as possible,
with the maps as reproduced by
photolithography.

Mr. Reed

I find this is about
Hedley's suggestion, but
doubt about it. We are
then to the extent that if £200,000
are to be paid for field work
part of it will be for £200,000
for reproduction (2) the
transportation to the base
of the material is with
the maps. - survey.

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