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Steamer Service to Whitington

Intends to run steamer from S. Wales through
+ Liverpool & request to be offered the shipment
of food cargo from those ports. Offer to quote
freight for rails for Keladine if shipped from
Liverpool, Barrow or S. Wales.

Mr. Fiddes.

Will say that respects
them to be being brought to the
notice of the C.A., who have charge
of the arrangements for shipping food
stores to S. Africa - send the
C.A. copy of 15029 & reply, with copy of
this & our reply, for their inf.
Sincerely etc.

H. J. R.

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Copy of reply
should be
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Gentlemen,

Colonel Seely asks me to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 17th inst., on the subject of your proposed steamship service to British East Africa, and to say that he is bringing it to the notice of the Crown Agents for the Colonies, who have charge of the arrangements for shipping Government stores to East Africa.

Yours faithfully,

Messrs. Trenchard, Carter & Darke.

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Colonel Right Honourable John H. B. Seely M.P. M.C.
Under Secretary of State for the Colonies
Downing Street W.C.

SIR,

We are in receipt of your favor dated the 31st ult
and much regret to learn that you are unable to offer us
the assistance we asked for in regard to a service of
Steamers outwards to East Africa. We intend nevertheless
to send steamers outwards on the berth from South Wales,
Glasgow and Liverpool and since such a line cannot in any
way interfere with the existing Steamship services in this
country, who confine themselves to the East Coast, we trust
you will give us refusal of all the cargo available on
account of the Colonial Office which can be more readily

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shipped at these ports than at Middlesbrough, London
or Southampton.

We understand that you will shortly have a
large quantity of rails to ship to Killindini for which
we are quite prepared to offer you freight should the
business be placed with us delivering the goods at
Liverpool, Barrow, Cardiff or Newport.

We are, Sir,

Your obedient Servants,

Terleys, Carter & Darke