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Employment on Abyssinian Frontier

Understands from Dr that he is required to return to Addis Ababa to count the minutes to settle the A. S. Office & Abyssinian Frontier. Requests substance value of 100/- while at Addis Ababa. Encloses statement of his expenses from 1st Feb to 1st July.

In Porter

I submit draft for leave after speaking to you.

The statement of expenses is attached herewith  
MS 21/7

W. Reed.

If he says C. is hard up, we might let him have £50 as an advance against his claim for travelling expenses.

WAB

Answers to Day 1910/6  
Copy sent for Comp

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to Walter

The least trouble in his letter comes  
to who should be able to take  
as given

Submit draft accordingly 10/18/27

2/23  
July 25

2, Carlton Mansions,

Bedford Place,

London, W.C.

20th July, 1910.

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Frc 20-11-10

Sir,

With reference to your letter of July 19th, and the question of my employment under the East Africa Protectorate, I have been given to understand at the Foreign Office that, I am required to return to Adis Ababa for the purpose of assisting the British Minister there to finally settle the British East Africa and Abyssinia Frontier.

Under these circumstances, I venture to put forward for the favourable consideration of the Secretary of State for the Colonies, my request that during my sojourn in Abyssinia on the above business I may be allowed, as a special case, the subsistence allowance of Ten shillings a day, as the cost of living at Adis Ababa is very considerably more than on the Frontier

Herewith I enclose a Statement of expenses incurred by me from 1st July to 15th July.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your most obedient

Humble Servant,

The Under Secretary  
for the Colonies,  
Colonial Office.

Downing Street,  
London, S.W.

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Price  
Per 20 JUL 10

DIFFERENT EXPENSES FROM ADIS ABABA, ABYSSINIA to DJIBOUTI.

2 Riding Mules @ \$20 each.....	\$ 40.00.
12 Transport mules @ \$18 each.....	\$216.00.
10 Loading Men from Adis Ababa to Dire Dawa \$10 each.....	\$100.00.
1 Head man.....	\$ 14.00.
11 Water bottles @ \$1 each.....	\$ 11.00.
10 Men's rations @ \$3 each.....	\$ 30.00.
Ration to Head Man.....	\$ 5.00.
Frying pans & Cooking Utensils.....	\$ 15.00.
3 Abyssinian Tents @ \$6 each.....	\$ 18.00.
Presents en route, sheep, &c.....	\$ 45.00

\$494.00 @ \$10 = 2 - \$49. 8. 0.

EXPENSES IN DIRE DAWA.

Hotel Dire Dawa.....	Fcs. 25.00.
Porterage.....	5.00
Ticket to Djibouti.....	186.00
Baggage expenses on railway.....	46.50.
Lunch en route.....	10.00.
Baggage to Hotel, cab &c.....	7.00.
Hotel Bill, Djibouti.....	25.00.
Presents.....	20.00.
Baggage to Boat.....	12.00.

Fcs. 356.00 @ 25fcs = 2 £13. 8. 2.

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*J. B. Darius*

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San Juan 26 July 1900

DRAFT

to USH  
to

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letter received to the  
letter from the ass't  
the 30<sup>th</sup> of June; I am  
at the moment to you,  
for the care of the  
the accompanying copy of

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men in the ...

letter from his Mr. C. ...  
I do regard his  
Lester's report to the

... of a ...  
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allowance at the ...  
... in his ...  
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more than a few weeks,  
I am to say that had  
Crown has to do as  
to the act of being in  
Allegiance, as to <sup>would</sup> ~~was~~  
to pass to the farmers  
with the views of the King  
as to whether the request  
is reasonable, and if so,  
what rate of subsistence  
allowance should be granted  
3. said Crown has  
no means of checking the  
pretensions of nobles, & other  
rich persons, & especially  
which he has been obliged  
to do, and he  
will be glad to be informed

allowed in the case  
of officers in the  
employment of  
the F.O. to be allowed  
making the same  
journey.

whether in the opinion  
of the King his <sup>126</sup> ~~views~~  
views of the class are  
reasonable, and  
such as could be  
made.

to I am to request the  
favour of an early reply,  
in order that an answer  
may be returned to the  
Lords before the  
the county

signed M. V. FIDLER

*Suspended*  
*To office 20*  
*11222*

DRAFT

C. G. Shapiro, Esq.,

Downing Street,  
July 1910.

MINUTE

- Mr. H.V.B. 22/7
- Mr. Butler. 23
- and Lord.*
- Mr. Fiddes.
- Mr. Just.
- Mr. Cox.
- Sir C. Lucas.
- Sir F. Hopwood.
- Col. Seely.
- Lord Crom.

*In Carson*

Sir,

I am directed by the Earl of  
 Cromwell to acknowledge the receipt of your  
 letter of the 20th of July and in reply  
 to inform you that, having regard to  
 the fact that your salary has been  
 raised to £2000 per annum, his Lordship  
 regrets that he cannot accede to your  
 request that during your sojourn in  
 Abyssinia you may be allowed to con-  
 tinue to draw the subsistence allowance  
 of 10/- a day which you have previously

received

*2. Butler*

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Governor with the request that, if he  
sees no objection to the various items,  
he will cause the amount claimed to be  
remitted to you.

*J. W. C.*



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TOTAL EXPOSURES → 489