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Governor  
Malfield 823

COLLECTIVE FINE  
ON MORAN OF THE PURKO MASAI

1914

States that the fine of 1000 head has been collected. Reports as to disposal of proceeds.

12th Sept

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Dr. G. Fisher

The two roads referred to  
in para. 4 would open up the  
extension of the Masai Southern  
Reserve & the "Garden of Eden".  
Approval of the Gov<sup>r</sup> proposed.

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BRITISH EAST AFRICA.

EAST AFRICA PROTECTORATE.

No. 823.

September 11th, 1914.

Sir,

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I have the honour to refer to my despatch No. 91 of January 27th last and in accordance with Section 8 of the Collective Punishments Ordinance 1909 to inform you that the communal fine of 1,000 head inflicted on the Moran of the Il Merisho Clan of the Purko Masai has been collected in full without difficulty.

2. The total number of casualties amount to 204 being mainly deaths from East Coast Fever. Forty bullocks have been taken over by the Director of Agriculture for the Kabete Government Farm and the remainder have been commandeered by the Military Authorities for

THE RIGHT HONOURABLE  
LEWIS HARCOURT, P.C., M.P.,  
SECRETARY OF STATE FOR THE COLONIES,  
DOWNING STREET, LONDON, S.W.

for transport purposes and for food for the Troops.

3. It is expected that on a valuation the herd will realize approximately Rs.30,000 of which amount it is proposed to award the following as compensation for stolen stock:-

Messrs. Murray Brothers	Rs.2,860
Mr. W.E. Aggett	150
Various Donkeys	7,350
	<u>Rs.10,360</u>

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Payment of these amounts will be made as soon as possible.

4. As regards the disposal of the balance of the fine I am of opinion that it would be best applied for the purpose of constructing a wagon road from Kijabe to the Mara Eridge thus connecting with the new road now in course of construction between that place and Kisii Station. In this connection I consider that it is desirable to make another road from the Uaso Nyiro to the Sotik Border to join with that which at present leads to Lumbwa Railway Station and that both these roads would afford a great impetus to trade.

5. I trust that these proposals may meet with your approval.

I have the honour to be,  
Sir,  
Your humble, obedient servant,

*A. Carson Bejsted*

GOVERNOR.

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23 October 1914

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Sir,

I have the honour  
to acknowledge the receipt  
of your despatch,  
No. 823, of the 11<sup>th</sup> of  
Sept. and to inform  
you that I approve of  
the arrangements which you  
to devote the balance  
proposed for the disposal of the amount  
of the fine imposed  
on the Moran of the  
M. Merisho clan of  
the Purko Marai to  
the construction of a wagon  
road from Kijabe to the  
Mara bridge, and also

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E.A.P.  
No 957  
Mr. Sir W. Belfield

MINUTE.

Mr. Hanson 22/10/14

Mr. Bottomley 22/10/14

Mr.

Mr.

Mr G. Fiddes.

Mr H. Just.

Mr J. Anderson.

Lord Islington.

Mr. Harcourt.

(Signed) L. B. ...

your proposal  
to construct another  
road from the  
Daso Nyiro to  
the Sikh Border?

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11 Sept

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