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Foreign Office

Fugitive Offender Deebmann

1914

16 Nov.

Sends note from Russian Ambdr. requesting that amount found on Deebmann at time of arrest may be paid over by Cheque.

at previous Paper.

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Mr. Bickering

3 Copy of letter to FO on 39821 and send his reply to Gov. E.A.P. asking that a cheque may be sent for transmission to Russian Govt. as requested.

Exec 10/11/14

Mr. Tennison }
Mr. Reed }

I.e. for the coin, the notes being sent home a original as we proposed on 70/39821. We had better make this clear to Gov. & to FO & telling them what we have done. E.A.P. cannot afford to pay the cheque for the £936 worth of German notes.

also can be made to

at subsequent Paper.

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Mr. Thompson

In accordance with your suggestion I spoke with the 70 as to whether it w^d not be possible (in order to save trouble) to deduct the amount which the Russian Govt. owes E.A.P. from the money found in Dischmann. We do, have no objection but they w^d have to get the consent of the Russians, and if we decide to make the proposal they w^d like a formal letter which they c^d pass on.

I suggest, then, that we should write to 70, telling them that we propose to instruct the E.A.P. to send home (a) all the notes, foreign and English, found on Dischmann in original for transmission (b) a cheque for the coin found on Dischmann minus (1) £34.13.0 (cost of Dischmann's passage (2) £1 (Dr Herrin's bill) (3) any other claims there may be,

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and we should ask to ^{to} 615
get the consent of the Russian
Government to a course in
the first instance.

(Please pass on to Mr. Bottomley)
W. Bottomley Equ 21/11/19

I doubt whether we can
ask the Russian Govt to
accept (3) above:

we could easily ascertain
by tel: the amount &
nature of any additional
claims.

This however would cost money
& we might

proceed as Mr.
Machtig proposes
in the first
instance.

CB

Mr. Read

21. 11. 1919.

I would ^{detail} ~~prefer~~ the unconditioned claims,

(1) & (2) observing to (1) that he don't know of
any others but that if there are any a separate
request for their involvement will be for made. We

We ought not to appear over eager to recover
our expenditure or to leave it to the Govt to
deduct what he likes from the cash without
any previous agreement in this matter

Wes 23/11/14

as proposed by Mr Bottomley

at once

H. J. R.

23/11/14

Room 3

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In any further communication on this subject, please quote No. 70215/14
address—
The Under-Secretary of State,
Foreign Office

The Under-Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs presents his compliments to the Under-Secretary of State for the Colonies and, by direction of the Secretary of State, transmits herewith copy of the under-mentioned paper, for such steps

Foreign Office,
November 16, 1914.

Reference to previous correspondence:

Letter to ~~from~~ Foreign Office: November 5 42124/1914

Description of Inclosure.

Name and Date	Subject.
Russian Ambassador, Nov-11	Liechmann case

(Similar letter sent to

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L'Ambassadeur de Russie présente ses compliments
à Monsieur le Principal Secrétaire d'Etat pour les
Affaires Etrangères et en remerciant Son Excellence
pour Sa note en date du 31 Octobre dernier, s'empresse
de L'informer qu'en vue des difficultés de transport
des métaux de Mombassa un chèque pour le montant
trouvé sur la personne de l'accusé Diechmann, payable
au Gouvernement Impérial, serait à préférer.

CHESHAM HOUSE,

le 11 Novembre, 1914.

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24 November 1914

David W. G. G.

Sir

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U.S. & S.
Foreign Office

MINUTE.

- Mr. ~~Vogel~~, 24/11/14
- Mr. ~~Bottomley~~, 24/11/14
- Mr.
- Mr.
- Sir G. Fiddes.
- Sir H. Just.
- Sir J. Anderson.
- Lord Islington.
- Mr. Harcourt.

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to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 16th of Nov, no. 70215/14, and to inform you that forwarding a copy of a note from the Russian Ambassador on the subject of the money found in the possession of fugitive offender Dieckmann, and to state that, subject to Secy Sir Edward Grey's

P.D.

concurrency, he proposes
to instruct the Governor of the
E.A.P. to send home for
transmission to the Russian
Gov. all the notes, foreign &
English, found on Dieckmann
together with a cheque
for the value of the coins,
less the sums of £ 34-13-0
and £ 1-0-0 ~~less~~ the cost of
Dieckmann's passage to Port Said
and ~~of~~ the amount of Dr. Merrin's
account for medical attendance on
the voyage, respectively.

(referred to the
C.A. for this acct.
of the 5th of Nov, viz)

2. Mr. Hancock is not aware whether there are
any further ~~connections~~ ^{claimant's connections}
with the matter, but, if so, a separate
request for reimbursement will be
submitted.