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L. Magadi Scheme  
Railway materials

For notes regarding shipment of materials for railway construction to be undertaken by port under the Contract will be complied with. But enquired as to shipment of the materials for railway construction to be carried out by the C.

W. Read.

The point raised in par 3. is the point I took in my minute on Gov 13013.

We had better send a copy of Gov 13013 to ~~inform~~ Mr. S. S. S. S. S., the Magadi Soda Company, say that the C.A. have been instructed to comply carefully with the Governor's wishes in the despatch of any railway materials for the shipment of which they may be responsible. That W. Harcourt proposed that the Company will arrange for similar compliance with Sir P. Girouard's

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ALL COMMUNICATIONS  
TO BE ADDRESSED TO THE  
COMMISSIONERS FOR THE COLONIES,  
THE ABOVE REFERENCE AND THE  
TEXT OF THIS LETTER BEING QUOTED.

TELEGRAMS, "CROWN, LONDON."  
TELEPHONE 1482 VICTORIA.

WHITEHALL GARDENS,

LONDON. S W.

18th May 1911.

Uganda Railway - Lake Nagadi Railway.

Sir,

I have the honour to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 3rd May, No. 13013 enclosing a copy of a despatch from the Governor of the East Africa Protectorate laying down certain stipulations as to the shipment of materials for the construction of the Nagadi Railway, and requesting that we will observe these in respect of materials for which we are responsible.

2. We notice that by paragraph 37 of the contract lately signed the Administration is required to spend £205,500 for certain rolling stock and works for the efficient working of the railway in connection with the contract. These appear to be the only materials for the shipment of which we shall be responsible. Indents for them will no doubt reach us in due course, and we will see that when shipping these materials the wishes of the Governor are complied with.

3. I may however point out that the Governor's letter probably applies to materials to be sent by the firm that will construct the railway. We would therefore ask to be informed whether the Governor's wishes have been brought to the Company's notice by the Secretary of

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Secretary of State  
& etc. etc.  
Colonial Office.

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State, or whether it is desired that we should do so.  
We do not observe any provision in the contract for such  
regulation of shipments.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your Obedient Servant,

*J. Macleod*

for Crown Agents.

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The Secretary  
The Magadi Soda Co. Ltd

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- Mr. Parkin 23/5
- Mr. Bute 23/5
- Mr. Fiddes.
- Mr. Just.
- Mr. Cox.
- Mr. C. Lucas.
- Lord Lucas.
- Mr. Sady.
- Mr. Harcourt.

Sir

25 May 1911

I am etc. to transmit to you  
~~for your consideration~~  
a copy of a Rtp. which

~~has been received from~~

the Gov. of the Col relating

to the shipment of materials  
in connection with  
~~the construction of~~  
the Magadi Railway.

2. The Cd. for the Col

have been instructed to  
comply carefully with  
the Governor's wishes

Copy to Cd. for  
M. J. B.  
Copy of Cd.  
to Mr. J. B. 10 May 1911  
of this Rtp. to  
Mr. J. B. 10 May 1911

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copy of Rtp. 290

From Gov. 15075

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has it presumed  
that the Magadi  
Soda Co. will arrange  
for similar compliance  
with Mr. P. G. Leonard's  
wishes by the contractors  
to whom they have  
entrusted the construction  
of the branch line