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Clutterbuck,  
H.B.

Date.

12th May

as previous Paper.

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## LOSS OF DONKEYS

Complains of action of local authorities. Sends newspaper articles and requests enquiry.

W. Read.

Messrs. Hawn & Alder seem to be having as much difficulty in getting their due out of Mr. Clutterbuck (the initials given vary, but I fancy it is the same man) as Mr. Clutterbuck has in getting his due out of the absconding Somali.

Copy of this letter to the Govt. saying that the correspondence referred to appeared in the East African Standard of the 8th of April, - ask now for a report upon the case; & repeat this to inform Mr. Clutterbuck.

has the S. of B. has called for a  
report & to call his attention to the  
rule respecting the transmission of  
confidence through the C.R. in order  
that communications may reach the  
S. of B. duly referred and reported.

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Mombasa, British East Africa

18 May 1911

The Principal Secretary of State for the Colonies  
Colonial Office

Downing Street

London, S.W.

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Sir,

I beg to enclose a short newspaper clipping which will fully and concisely explain the complaint I have against the authorities in British East Africa, showing all the necessary help that I am sure should be given to a British citizen as against a wrong doer.

Conditions as explained in my letter of the 1<sup>st</sup> April last to the Crown Advocate compel me to employ Somalis in stock trading and several of the latter have recently told me that if the British Resident at Berbera was instructed to tell the absconders tribe that Rs 1700 had to be forthcoming, this sum would be produced at once.

In my letter of the 1<sup>st</sup> April last to the Crown Advocate I mentioned the fact that I intended to bring my complaint to the notice of the Colonial Secretary through a connection of mine who was his solicitor. This was in the belief as I thought at the time of writing that Lord Trevelyan was Colonial Secretary.

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with great deference Sir I would ask you to investigate my complaint against the authorities responsible for my loss. It is a case that affects the whole community and which has elicited many sympathetic expressions on my behalf.

I disliked intensely writing to the "East African Standard" but it was the only method open to me in trying to get something practical done whilst there was a chance of arresting the absconder His Excellency The Governor had failed to see the Crown Advocate as promised and the letter on his own written admission wasted a valuable 10 days before investigating the case.

I also have taken the liberty of enclosing a leading article of the "East African Standard" newspaper, on my case.

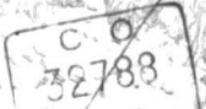
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Sir

Yours most obedient servant

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## National Championships

After the British Commonwealth Games at Nairobi, Kenya, on May 29, the National Championships were held at the same venue on June 2, 3, and 4. The competition was organized by the Kenya Amateur Athletics Association. The Kenyan team won the team competition with 146 points, followed by Uganda with 131, and Tanzania with 113. The top three individuals were: John Ngugi (Kenya) in the 100 m., John Ongoro (Kenya) in the 200 m., and John Kipkemboi (Kenya) in the 400 m. The Kenyan team also won the relay race.

Kenya's best performances were: John Ngugi (100 m., 10.3); John Ongoro (200 m., 21.2); John Kipkemboi (400 m., 47.2); and John Muthoni (800 m., 1:55.2). The Kenyan team also won the relay race.

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## KENIA ILLUSTRATED

### TWO TABLE CO.

#### LUXURIOUS



NAIROBI BOTHINGS

London, May 31.—The Kenyan Bothings, the national team, have arrived in England to compete in the British Commonwealth Games. They are staying at the Whitbread Hotel in London.

The importance of sports in Kenya is clear from the attitude towards the Commonwealth Games. The Kenyan team has been invited to compete in the Commonwealth Games, which will be held in East Africa—Kenya, Uganda, and Tanzania.

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## Nakuru Town Magistrate's Court.

### Exemplary Sentence.

Two Crown witnesses, Mr. Gold and Mr. Maitland, gave evidence against the accused. Mr. Gold, a magistrate, said he had been informed that the accused had been involved in a robbery at Nakuru on May 1, 1947, and that he had been arrested. He said that the accused had been found guilty of the offence and had been sentenced to six months' imprisonment.

The accused, Mr. Gold, denied the charge and said he had been arrested on a charge of breaking and entering. He said he had been released on bail and had been granted a trial date.

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# The Somali that Skipped.

**Donkeys. Value Rs. 1,700.**

**LOST, STOLEN OR STRAYED.**

Indemnity Forme. Demands Justice.

Judicial Administrative Action.

Extraordinary Correspondence.

According to statements made by Mr. H. G. Clutterbuck of Mombasa to the "Standard" he extricated a Somali in the employ with 20 donkeys costing £100 each. He made donkeys and a camel carry the property of leading with the Massai, or across. While awaiting payment for a premium between him and the Massai, a band of Somalis had attacked the Somali and stolen. Not very unexpectedly they gave such information to Mr. Clutterbuck that his followers' stock had been sold below value and that unless he took immediate action he would not be able to recover the Somali and get his money whatever.

On Friday, 2nd, this angry farmer laid an information with the Nairobi police that his donkeys had been stolen and that the Somali to whom he had entrusted them for trading purposes was last heard of in the Ngong district where his followers, the herd boy, had been turned adrift by the suspected thief. Two days later Mr. Clutterbuck received a wire that the Nairobi Magistrate had refused to grant a warrant of arrest, on the ground of insufficient evidence, and was advised to place all the evidence available in the hands of the police at Nairobi.

Although no further evidence was procurable than had been given to the Nairobi authorities, the Nairobi Town Magistrate issued the warrant for the apprehending official (about March 6), some seven days after information had first been given to the Police. Meanwhile the unfortunate servant was idle

and naturally very indignant that he had not received the much-needed information in the first instance which caused the Nairobi Magistrate not to oblige him (Mr. Clutterbuck) until it was over half a month since February 25, the date of the first application for a warrant. The apprehending official must have been aware, as the author of this letter, that there had then had no warrant given before the Somali had escaped. He had also been told that he wanted men required Baffora on March 25 and claimed that 25 days were "utterly wasted by the authorities, leaving me to apply that they never meant to do anything, except kill time till the fugitive was utterly beyond their reach. A white criminal would not have been so leniently considered" Mr. Clutterbuck further writes to the "Standard" as follows:

"There was ample time to effect my arrest while the fugitive was in British ports and British waters before he reached the hinterland of Somaliland, beyond the sphere of British influence. A telegram to the British Resident either at Aden or Berbera would have been sufficient. Delivered to pay for his wire and add for the cost of extradition to the Nairobi Magistrate, although I have been subsequently informed that the costs of extradition could not amount to much more than £10. Government laziness, as this case, will only get a premium on and create an epidemic of crime amongst Somalis and others. A good opportunity of making a warning example has been lost. As no steps have yet been taken to recover my donkeys I am the unfortunate loser of Rs. 1,700, let alone prospective profit when traded for sheep. The last two days of red tape and middleman to no avail, as ever."

The following correspondence has been placed in our hands by Mr. Clutterbuck for publication, and will be the subject of editorial comment in the Weekly Edition of the "Standard," April 8.

Crown Advocate's Office, Nairobi.  
23rd March, 1911.

Sir.—I repeat the story in replying to your letter of the 12th instant, which is due to the fact that I only yesterday received the case file relating to the charge you have laid.

Nairobi, April. 1st, 1911.  
1st April, 1911.

The Crown Advocate, Nairobi.

Sir—I am much obliged for your letter No. 916 of the 13th March last. I beg to thank you for your kind inquiry about my having received the file of the case till the 22nd April. Some days after you gave first communication. It means most valuable time being needlessly lost, if the Government ever thought to restrain theSomali, and I can only conclude from this fact and from the contents of your letter of the 22nd March that Government never meant to place me in a better position to recover from the Somali the value of your animals which he is supposed to have appropriated.

In no case would I advise that the Government should take steps to recover the return of a fugitive offender with a view in assisting a person suspected in his guilt to remove against the law.

Sir.—I beg to mention that the same situation is in the Nairobi Town Magistrate or Police Officer in his letters to which you complain and I can find no mitigation of punishment and there are circumstances in your case which demand lenient treatment.

Sir.—I beg to assure you that you have a grievance against the Government, and I hope that since your intention is ventilate your grievance of course through a connection of your wife who is a Somalian and locally through a sympathetic press. I have the honour to be, sir, your obedient servant,

H. G. CLUTTERBUCK,  
Crown Advocate.

## New East African Liner.

### GERMAN ENTERPRISE.

#### "THE GENERAL."

#### WIRELESS TELEGRAPHY.

#### REVOLUTIONARY INVENTION.

#### NO ROLLING—NO SEASICKNESS.

The "General," the new passenger and mail steamer of the D.G.A.L., is expected to arrive at Mombasa on April 15th under the command of Commodore Rodder. The latest addition to the German East African fleet, one more improvement. She is a steamer in type to the "Empress" but about one-tenth larger.

According to the "African World," in consequence of the greater number of women the "General" has room for a number of passengers in steerage. The first class accommodation contains four berths for about 20 persons, the second for about 40, and the third for about 60 persons.

The cabin of the "General" is very roomy. The cabin is divided into three compartments, the forward and midship compartments being 12x10 ft. long, and the stern compartment 10x10 ft. long. The floor is covered with polished teak wood, and the ceiling is highly polished.

The arrangement of the cabin rooms for the passengers are as follows. The first class dining-room is fitted with comfortable chairs and tables, and a large piano. The hall, about the dining-room, is fitted with comfortable chairs and a sofa. The second-class cabin is divided into two compartments, one for men and one for women. The men's compartment is fitted with comfortable chairs and a sofa.

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#### Dublin Corporation.

#### No Royal Address to the King.

Editor's Special to "The Standard."

London, April 4, 1911.

For the first time in history, a royal visit to Ireland has been received without a royal address or speech from the King's visit.

### THE S.S. GENERAL W.H. TORR.

Lined Allure to the D.O.A.L. Fleet (see text).

how did, in Zanzibar, when the warrant issued two days after he had again shipped, making for Comodoro. Mr. Clutterbuck states positively that the Police were well aware of the wanted man's destination and the boat by which he was reaching his refuge, so he personally applied to the Nairobi Magistrate for the despatch of a telegram to Aden or Zanzibar, hoping to have the Somali arrested on landing. But was informed that before extradition proceedings could be taken he must first deposit £400. Mr. Clutterbuck refused to comply with the unscrupulous demand, considering that the Police were responsible for the position in which inmates then stood, owing to their delay in putting the law in motion against the escapee.

On the same day, he interviewed the Governor, but outcome is unknown that nothing could be done until the latter had seen the Crown Advocate, which His Excellency promised to do the next day (March 13). Mr. Clutterbuck thereupon immediately wrote to that official, in order to put the whole facts of the case before him, so that he might be better able to deal with it. The complainant received the reply, under date March 22, which has been handed to me for publication. This official document proves, Mr. Clutterbuck's statement being correct, that further extraordinary delay took place as the Crown Advocate states therein that he fully realised the gravity of the case but that the Government would not act in the community in such a case as the one under consideration.

I much regret that I am unable to assist you as requested, but I will satisfy that were I to advise otherwise than I have I should be creating a precedent which might be most costly to the Government. I have the honour to be, sir, your obedient servant.

R. M. CONRAD,  
Crown Advocate.

Crown Advocate's Office, Nairobi.

4th April, 1911.

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## DEATH.

BY R.N.—A Namirembo Hospital, Nairobi, on April 4, in the afternoon, after dinner, Edward Marquess, Major W. A. Barron, Captain, Royal Engineers, died.

## Occasional Notes.

Last Friday there was a general memorial service in Nairobi in memory of the late H. H. Gurdjieff.

Applications for the Imperial Commonwealth Certificates of Excellency, the War Service, &c., are now being received.

The Massai Ambush and arrest on April 1st at the Samburu Cross, Kikuya Road

Mr. A. D. Herpe of the Beach Hotel, East Nairobi, was a visitor to B. E. A. His stay was prolonged by the late.

Rainfall at Lamu on Sunday, April 7, was 1.66 inches, and for the week ending April 3 the total rainfall was 2.44 inches.

A special air train arrived at Nairobi on Tuesday afternoon. Amongst the passengers was Mr. Paul Balyer, the American reporter.

A second Rubber Boom has commenced in London. Rubber share price is high in sympathy with the high prices of cedar wood and mahogany shillings a pound.

The High Kikuyu Railway extension has been successfully inaugurated owing to the supply of fuel wood stopped giving out; sleepers are apparently from Europe.

Correspondents were to be seen in April 1st for the Imperial Conference. We hear that a number of residents did not receive census reports and as a consequence do not return to Kenya.

As an addition to the names of the generous helpers at the Young Men's Assembly reported in world meeting, Messrs. J. Ward, J. A. Todd, Akers, Deane and Mr. Ali Khan (imp. transport).

The Government is sending a gift of official stationery to the schools. These gifts are destined for the 1000 registered tops surrendered by officers. This amount is silver for 1st Class Officers and brass for 2nd and 3rd class officers.

The many friends of Major Burn in this country will regret to hear of the death of Mrs. Burn. Mrs. Burn had been ill for many years and latterly she was moved to the Namirembo Hospital in Nairobi where she died in the afternoon of April 4.

We have received from the Madras Office of Health a pamphlet on Malaria which also deals with mosquitoes. The author of the pamphlet is Major Ronald Rose, c.s.i., m.s.s. Professor of Tropical Medicine at Liverpool University. We propose to publish the pamphlet in parts.

The Rev. Dr. Scott of the Church of Scotland Mission, Kikuya, and Minister of St. Andrew's Church, Nairobi, has been very ill. The latest news is that he is slightly improved, although not yet fit for danger. Dr. Milne, P. M. O., and Dr. Lovell, besides the mission doctor, have been in attendance.

A Rugby practice match between Gymkhana and Parklands was played on Thursday afternoon at the Gymkhana grounds, Nairobi. Gymkhana were early winners. The Parklands players were out of form with the exception of Smith of the Standard Bank who was great. It is to be hoped that Rugby will be kept up now a start has been made.

The Hon. Mr. Newland is leaving for Europe under medical advice. We trust Mr. Newland will have a right good time in the mother country and we have little doubt commerce in B. E. A. will not suffer through his visit to the old country for he will be given an opportunity of extending our great possibilities with them. We are still looking hopefully towards Europe.

Mr. Robert, the representative of the world wide firm of Haencke of Hamburg, has written to us that he will arrive about on the 20th of April en route for Mombasa with the samples we have ordered for his firm. Amongst these in his possession at present there are 100 boxes of 20 weights, several books, catalogues and a large collection of dried goods.

The Court of Appeal for Mombasa Africans in session on Saturday, April 20th, 1918, at Nairobi, was adjourned.

Rev. J. B. Thompson of Nairobi has been appointed to Inspector of Missions under the Native Religious Societies Ordinance 1904.

On morning of a cold, wintry setting at the Nairobi Club, C. G. Smith, Superintendent of Schools, was officially addressed by the Rev. A. W. Morris.

The National Bank of India Ltd. will be closed on Friday, Saturday, and Monday the 13th, 14th, and 17th instant on account of Easter Holidays.

The British Guyana Liner "New Zealand" (12,000 gross tons) has recently arrived. The ship has three large, mercantile steamer which will steam direct ports.

Nursery plots within Nairobi Township are available for application. Plot 20 is a business plot for Europeans only and plots 41 for "Greeves" only. Plots 21, 15, 50, 51, 53, 62, 63, and 64 to 67 are for European and Indian.

Owing to the continued illness of the Rev. Dr. Scott no service will be held in St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church, Nairobi, tomorrow, Sunday, April 8. The Church committee met last evening to consider making arrangements for funerals services.

The Hobson Company was represented by the Nairobi Veterinary Corps on Tuesday, 2nd of May. The following are the scores of the first meet at 200, 500, 1000, 1500 yards:—W. H. Long, 200, 250, 500, 51, 91, 13, Hobson, 20, 25, 500, 51, 75, 12, 32, 26, 25, total 50.

In addition to his services for Holy Week at St. Stephen's and St. Mark's Churches, in another column are the following: St. Stephen's, Holy Communion at 7.30 a.m. on Monday and at 8 a.m. Day, Divine Service at 4 p.m.; St. Mark's, Tuesday, Holy Communion at 7.30 a.m.

We much regret that several of our subscribers in the Val District have not received their weekly Standard during the past week of May. It appears that an efficient Post Master in the neighbourhood has been surtaxing our weekly and returning them to the G. P. O. presumably overlooking the fact that the "Standard" is a registered newspaper.

The firm of M. S. Elliott and Co. have opened out three new premises in Government Road. These are large and commodious presenting a pleasing exterior, prepared by a veranda over the pavement. This firm has no imported stock which would be a credit to any city of much larger size than Nairobi. A feature of the business is the spotless cleanliness of their bazaar.

The Import of Famine Mill show a total of Rs. 1,614,905 of which Rs. 1,378,841 were for home consumption. This shows an increase over the imports of February last year of Rs. 569,787. The goods are transit and decreased by Rs. 31,81.

The Imports amount to Rs. 1,142,775 for February 1918, an increase of Rs. 549,019 over the imports of February 1916.

"Favourite Author Night" will be the programme at next Wednesday's meeting of the Nairobi Y. M. C. A. Literary and Debating Society instead of the debate as mentioned in the recently published Calendar. Last Wednesday evening a most interesting and informative address on "Malaria" was given by Mr. D. E. Hatchett, the late Conservator of Forests. A report of the lecture will appear in next week's issue.

### OUR NEW SERIAL.

Fall participation will be published in our next issue of the arrangements we have been able to make with respect to our new Serial. We have the offer of several well-known authors and our readers can depend upon our selecting the best offer.



A. Thimbleby, Secretary, has been elected as Vice-chairman of the Council of the Imperial Government. A representative member of the Executive, he is a prominent businessman and entrepreneur in the world of trade. The B. E. A. case was fully argued by the Prince Wales' Delegation. The Editor expressed satisfaction with the thoroughness of the inspection. The movement is rapidly being put into effect, and we sincerely hope that the effects of its influence will be felt throughout Africa.

Full advantage should be taken by the public of the Education Department's free classes during the time of the Easter Holidays. It will be soon from the schools to another educational centre, the simple classes open to all. The principal object of the movement is to give every child a fair start in life, and to help him to become a good citizen. In the interest of commercial development, the Editor would like to call attention to the following:—

The Immature deer of East Africa was transferred last month to the Nairobi Game Trust, Oxford, by the Government. A number of Nyasaland deer, in the Westlands of Nairobi, had escaped nets and strayed northwards, and were captured by the Game Trust. As a result of this, a number had been captured in the area of the Nairobi Game Reserve, and another in the area where animals were formerly found in Lewa. He has also transplanted the whole tribe that the natives thought Chapman's. One more, however, the antelope was stampeded by natives of all descriptions, and had to journey for 250 miles in search of food, and jungle clad to regain his country.

A rather good example of official over-cautiousness was brought out in the Nairobi Police Court lately. A set of 5 gunners were brought before the Bench. It appeared that the Magistrate had issued a search warrant to a private detective certain European Police constables had been patiently waiting a chance to fall upon the whole batch of gunners, and catch them all red-handed, as was known about twenty insurged natives. The chance, however, was spoil by an overzealous Indian Assistant Inspector who arrested six of the gunners at a moment when they were out of the reach of the law. The Inspector has the doubtful pleasure of knowing that the woman got off scot-free without even having the inconvenience of being arrested. The five gunners were told not to do it again.

We have received from the Hon. Treasurer of the Boy Scouts, Nairobi, an appeal for financial assistance. In the course of the appeal the following phrase appears:—"The main objects of the movement are to teach the lad to fear God and to honour the King." Notwithstanding the setting forth of the main object of the Boy Scouts the appeal also contains the following words:—"In the movement is, however, denominational, or rather inter-denominational, and leads of all Christian beliefs are welcomed. It is perfectly clear from this appeal that as the Nairobi Boy Scouts are at present governed by the British Jews, for one section of the community, are expressly excluded from those to whom this local body will extend the hand of welcome." The Vice-President, who are no doubt responsible for this appeal, are the Rev. Mr. Falcon, the Rev. Dr. Scott and Mr. J. P. Curzon. We trust before any of our readers, who have been appealed to Employers of Kikuya Labour.

### THE GRAMMAR and SELECTED VOCABULARY of the KIKUYU LANGUAGE, with TABLE OF CONCORDS.

Price, Rs. 2 (postage 9 cents extra). On sale at "Standard Office," Nairobi.

Champagne Deutz & Geldermann.

### "Gold Luck"

Per cent quart Rs. 80/- per bottle Rs. 8/-  
Per half pint Rs. 18/- per bottle Rs. 4/-

to for mutual help. Only in the African will find success.

Do these principles apply to Indians and who make pecuniary or the name of His Excellency, the Governor-General submits a proof of the appeal to His Excellency's consideration.

Now, it may be taken for granted that this is not so serious. It is ridiculous to suggest that the Excellency would banish us from the land because the name of His Excellency is not mentioned in any appeal of this nature. I am afraid when His Excellency receives the above statement as a national one will be in full sympathy with the attitude of the Edwardians towards the Manchus in the Boxer Rebellion. Nairobi if they imagined it to be a day when British should rise up against God and honour the King.

By your rights the British Army, Government of the Nairobi Boy Scouts, are the leaders of General British Society, endeavouring to keep British law other than Captain, away from the importance of becoming mainly, if not entirely, pure, Western, courteous and thoughtful, according to British Boy Scout movement standard.

What sort of a policy does Mr. Balloon, one of the Vice Presidents, have in view when funds are required?

Is he going to adopt a similar policy to the one to which with reference to the Nairobi Y. M. C. A.?

Until these questions are properly and honestly answered we shall be at a loss for funds with which to carry on.

## Schlichting's Assassin Shot

Reuter's Special to "E. A. Standard," Nairobi, April 2.

Breiter's at Commandant reports that Colonel Schlichting's assassin was shot this morning in presence of the whole battalion, with the band playing and colours flying, witnessed by the divisional commander and two German officers.

It is reported by Reuter's agent that the funeral of Colonel von Schlichting was of a most imposing character. The bears were proceeded by the increased Battalion with the band. A squadron of lancers dismounted, walked on each side of the bier, and was followed by the superior officer of the garrison, the former officers in the Turkish service, all in the German uniform, and members of the German Colony.

Twenty four suits aggregating \$2,500,000 and thirteen suits aggregating \$1,000,000 are entered against the Louisville, Nashville and Southern Railroads respectively in amount of an alleged forged bill of lading in connection with the Knight Yancy failure.

### TRESPASS NOTICES.

### NOTICE TO SAFARIS.

THE LAND AT MILE 112, known as Mai Maturi, is now occupied and NO SHOOTING is permitted.

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### MASARA HUNT CLUB.

A General Meeting  
of the  
Masara Hunt Club  
will be held at the  
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on  
April 19th, at 7 p.m.

## NOTICE.

ALL ACCOUNTS due to the Mombasa Pharmacy must be paid to Messrs. Byron and Harrison on or before April 15th.

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TENDERS ARE INVITED for clearing, ploughing, etc. of 30 acres of grass and bush land, about 7 miles from Nairobi. Particulars from M. "Standard" Office.

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## African Standard

MOMBASA TIMES & UGANDA ARGUS.

SATURDAY, APRIL 1, 1911

## Consider the Donkeys.

Mr. Clutterbuck's plaint, which appears in another column, is that having lost his donkeys the Crown has demonstrated little anxiety and less energy in the business of bringing a suspected thief to account or recovering the lost donkeys. Being a law-abiding citizen Mr. Clutterbuck

of people in the midst of uncivilized tribes, intermingled with other colored races whom they do not treat, wherefore the Government must recognise that the law should be swift to Justice, otherwise the outlook is wickedly appalling. The early history of all colonising effort proves that a pioneer people have been ever too ready in taking the law into their own hands whenever the legal authorities have shown timeliness of will or lack of executive force in apprehending offenders. Cattle stealing has been especially responsible for much disorder and bloodshed on the frontiers of South Africa. Considering this outlook the Crown Advocate was especially unfortunate to put it mildly, in advancing the poverty of the State as a reasonable excuse for allowing the runaway donkey to escape so easily. In Mr. Combe's late contribution to this remarkable correspondence he managed to convey a covert sneer, almost flippant in its antagonism, against the sympathy of the Press. Now this journal is quite willing to admit that the sympathy of any newspaper counts for little in itself; but it does count for much when it consistently voices the sympathy of the Public for the man who has been wronged. Therefore our advice would be—let the officers of Justice improve their feelings of respect for the injured, even though they may find themselves unable to vindicate Justice, rather than flaunt a sympathetic Public, of which the sympathetic Press is only the first voice, seeking to give utterance to the thought that is being born of the People.

## Nakuru Notes.

A rhinoceros killed in Nakuru Township on Sunday, it seems that the animal passed the night near the police lines early in the morning and was immediately speared by native boys who held the traps.

He came out with a gash and ran in several directions. The traps were run slowly past the back of the Official horses and the carcass turned out and gave a volley which effectively stopped his further progress.

A new bridge over the Town Committee's river was being built in the Township and a crew of native laborers were engaged in beautifying the City.

Farmers were busy sowing and all the farms were covered with green ploughing; it is reckoned this there will be about 25,000 acres under wheat and maize this season around Nakuru.

The Pastoralists Association are holding Committee meetings at Solio every afternoon because events of the Show and the Show Building fund will be published.

## Gazette Notice.

### PROBATE.

W. Pearce, deceased, all persons who have claims against the estate of W. I. Pearce, who died at Malmesbury Jan. 20th, are required to prove the same before the Administrator General before June 1st, 1911. All claims will be paid and the residue distributed.

### Diseases of Animals.

Two publications are issued under the Diseases of Animals Ordinance, one prohibiting the movement of cattle from North of the Northern Transvaal to Kenya, Uganda, Ruanda-Urundi, and the second that will be to be circulated in the term disease as defined in the law.

### Opening up Trade.

For trading sites and regions that are excluded from the Republic in the Limpopo District, the same are: Limpopo, Itumela, Lichtenburg, Lomati and Mafikeng.

### Administrative.

Taipei, Moi (soon), sees that the General Intents to apply for an order to administer the estate of the deceased on April 30th, 1911.

B. J. Batty Pitt, deceased, claims against the estate of the deceased are required to be proved before June 1st, 1911.

## A Post for Kitchener.

Beaute's Special to "E. A. Standard" London, April 6.

The "Standard" announces that a post will shortly be provided for Field Marshal Lord Kitchener, connected with the organisation and preparation of the Army for war.

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P. J. Green

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Mr. V. D. Polkinoian

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Mr. Fanning 4 ft.

Mr. Butcher 4 ft.

Mr. Holden

Mr. Cox

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Lord Lonsdale

Mr. Hercomit

25 p.m.

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was seen to fly  
over spruce 6 ft.

Butcher sparrow in the

Stephen Parker M.D.

8th of April

I am writing you  
~~to thank you~~ to express my thanks

for the kind and  
gentle way

in which you have

given me what are

his commanding and rare

abilities to serve

his Master & the rules

and upholding the

honour and names

of the Order, and other

the same purposes

and I thank you again