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Office or Individual
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of previous Paper.
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(Subject.)

Railway
Temporary Fuel Sidings

No sign to surplus of 5000, but undesirable
to hypothecate future revenue in respect of such works.
Proposed to sanction immediate construction on understanding
that necessary funds can be provided from unallocated surplus.

(Minutes.)

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In the margin of this letter the following
passages are quoted.

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TREASURY CHAMBERS

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Sir,

I have laid before the Lords Commissioners of His Majesty's Treasury Mr. Anthonis's letter (24922/1908) of the 20th ultimo and the enclosed correspondence with reference to the proposal to expend a sum of £5,000 on the same side view to facilitate the provision of a bridge over the Nile Railway. I have also for the information of the Secretary of State raised no objection to the proposal and I have no objection to the proposal being carried out. It is desirable to have the works approved in respect of railway works of this nature.

If however these works cannot, in the opinion of the Secretary of State be postponed till provision has been made for them in the Estimates of the Protectorate, we are prepared to sanction their immediate inception on the understanding that the necessary funds, so far as they cannot be met by savings on the Railway estimates for the year, can be provided out of the unallocated surplus of the East Africa Protectorate at 31st March last.

I am,

Sir,

Your obedient servant,

J. H. Murray

Under Secretary of State
Colonial Office