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To copy of a despatch from Mr. [Name] requesting Mr Cooper's salary may be raised to £4000 from date of taking charge of 2nd [Name] District Mr Cooper's app^l as District [Name] may be confirmed

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Commissioner's Office

Mombasa,

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April 5th 1905.

Sir,

I have the honour to transmit herewith a copy of a despatch from the Manager of the Uganda Railway requesting that Mr. S. Couper's salary be raised to seven hundred pounds from the date of his taking over charge of the 2nd Maintenance from Mr. A. F. Church and that the latter's appointment as District Engineer sanctioned in Foreign Office despatch No. 639 of November 22nd last may be formally confirmed.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your most obedient,
humble servant,

C. S. Howard

His Majesty's Principal Secretary of State

for the Colonies,

Downing Street,

London.

Manager's Office,
Nairobi,
3rd April 1905

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SIR,

On Mr. A. V. Church, Acting District Engineer, and
 Management Division, proceeding on six months' leave about
 the middle of this month I propose putting Mr. S. Couper,
 District Assistant Engineer, permanently in charge of the
 district. I have referred my confidential report on his
 services with my letter No. 291 dated 18th November 1904,
 to state that I have every confidence in his ability to
 carry out the duties of the district. I have the honour
 to inform you that Mr. Couper's salary be raised to
 £700 per annum from the date he takes over charge from
 Mr. Church and to request that sanction may be obtained
 to this effect.
 I have provided for this increment in the estimates for
 the current financial year vide my letter No. 280 dated
 23rd November 1904.

I have the honour to request that formal sanction
 may be obtained for Mr. Church being confirmed as District
 Engineer. This was recommended in my letter No. 288 dated
 10th October 1904 and approved in the Colonial Office despatch
 No. 1000 dated 22nd November 1904 but I have not yet received
 a formal intimation that Mr. A. V. Church has been confirmed
 in the post.

I am, Sir,
 Yours faithfully,
 J. C. Sandiford,
 For Manager, Uganda Railway.

Yours faithfully,
 Africa Protectorate,
 Nairobi.