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Name of Individual

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Mail Service to and from Aden.

Date of March

at previous Paper.

Question of alteration of dates of departure from Aden so as to afford a service alternating with that maintained by the German Steamships was not brought forward to B.I.S.N.C. - copy reply enclosed. It would be hard to alter their arrangements, except in matter of ports of call.

(Minutes.)

Mr. Hoas

The G.P.O. and the B.I.S.N.C. are both unable to afford any improvement in the service at Aden. Pending a decision as to further representations being made on the general question of sending mails by foreign & English lines. ? Aden Comis sent in 400/6 and his copy of our 5/11 & G.P.O. (40276) & of their reply & under herewith & ask for his observations on the advantages of Larina & Kismayu being made regular ports of call on a weekly & bi-monthly voyage.

Agreement to 14 Aug 27
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Mr. Arthur

The contract runs for year to year, although it may not be possible to make any alteration the year, there is no reason why we should not reconsider the position next year. The point now to be whether the continuation of a cargo service from Aden to Zanzibar by

at previous Paper

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Board's communication
 it would appear that
 the Board's authorities
 were not informed
 of the conditions on
 which the office was
 appointed as President
 of the Customs Staff

in 1905. These
 conditions are stated
 in the 20 letter
 enclosed ^{herewith} and from
 as Mr. Thomson has stated
 in his letter to the
 Customs House, for
 free passage out and
 home and for two
 months leave on full
 salary from the date
 of leaving home
 in the event of
 resignation after
 completing 12 months
 of the appoint-

of Mr. Thomson's term
 entitled to that term
 on vacating his post,
 and Mr. Whittier
 to be informed of
 rules with regard to
 the appointment of
 his successor

Thomson

Mr. D. Thomson and
Mr. O. Mitchell,
and that he has
been inf^d that
Lord Elgin approves
of it.

(Signed) R. ANTHOBS.

Customs ~~24~~
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Ld Hayer Sester CB

6 March 1906
to

MINUTE.

- Mr. Lab^s
- Mr. T^{ras}
- Mr. Anthobus
- Mr. Cox.
- Mr. Luoch.
- Mr. Graham.
- Sir M. Ommalley.
- The Duke of Marlborough.
- Mr. Lyttelton.

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15 Oct 1904
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to transmit to you, for
your info, the accompanying
copy of a letter from the
Board of Customs, which
has been referred to
this Dept by the Foreign
Office, together with
a copy of a letter from
the F. O. to the Board
on the subject of
Customs Assistants in
the E. A. T.

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2. In the statement
contained in the enclosed
para. of Mr. D. Thomson's
letter enclosed in the

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DRAFT

6 March 1906

Secretary
House of Commons

Sir,

MINUTES

- Mr. Low
- Mr. Pease
- Mr. Antrobus
- Mr. Cor.
- Mr. Lucas
- Mr. Graham
- Sr M. O'Malley
- The Duke of Marlborough
- Mr. Lyttelton

In reply to your letter n: $\frac{2882}{1906}$ of the 24th of February on the subject of the conditions of service - the case of assistants of Customs in the E.A.P., I am directed by the Earl of Lygon to state, for the info of the Board of Customs, that the attention of the Comms. of the E.A.P. has been drawn to the terms of the contract which was offered by the F.O.

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The communication herewith inclosed, which has been received at the Foreign Office, but which appears to be destined for the Colonial Office is transmitted with the compliments of the Under-Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs.

Foreign Office

February 26th 1906

The Officers selected for service in the East Africa Protectorate will not be required to resign their positions in the Home Service definitely on selection, but will receive leave of absence for the necessary period, and be appointed on probation for 12 months' residential service in the Protectorate. During this period the selected Officers would be seconded in the Home Customs Department and no increment would accrue; but they would retain their right of seniority and, at the termination of the period they would be called upon to decide whether they elect to resign the Home Customs definitely on transfer to the Protectorate or to revert to their former employment - in which case the passage home would be defrayed and leave of absence granted for two months commencing from the date of departure from Mombasa, at the expiration of which they would be re-employed in the Home Customs.

(Signed)

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6 March 1906

~~House of Commons~~ House

Sir,

MINUTE

- Mr. Labouchere
- Mr. Pease
- Mr. Antrobus
- Mr. Cox
- Mr. Lucas
- Mr. Graham
- Sir M. O'Malley
- The Duke of Marlborough
- Mr. Lyttelton

W.C./S.

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6 March 1906

W. H. Hager & Son CB

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MINUTE.

- Mr. Lamb
- Mr. Brad
- Mr. Antrobus.
- Mr. Cox.
- Mr. Lucas.
- Mr. Graham.
- Sir M. Ommamney.
- The Duke of Marlborough.
- Mr. Lyttelton.

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Mr. Thomson is therefore
entitled by these terms
on vacating his post
and will be glad
to be informed of your
views with regard to
the appointment of
his successor.

Yours
[redacted]