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THE KING'S ILLNESS AT THE BALANCING POINT.

Set-Back Proves to be Only Temporary.

SLIGHT IMPROVEMENT RECORDED.

His Majesty Passes Uncomfortable Night but Recovers During the Day.

The latest bulletins state that His Majesty did not pass a comfortable night, but at the same time a slight improvement is noted in his general condition.

It is pointed out that the illness is now at the balancing point, and His Majesty's medical advisers are recording the ebb and flow of the trouble.

SAISFACTION IN PALACE CIRCLES.

The improvement in the King's condition continues. A bullet dated at 8.10 p.m. states that the King passed a quiet day. The progress noted this morning has been continued.

Further progress. An authoritative announcement states that the King today made further slight progress and is now in a somewhat better position than three days ago.

It is understood that the more favourable medical indications that recently slight, outside, was, as hoped, merely temporary. The doctors were anxious to see if last night's less satisfactory conditions merely represented the expected "ebb and flow" and the morning's slight improvement has confirmed the view.

The King has now, apparently, recovered part of the ground lost yesterday.

At 3 p.m. it was reported that

"H. A. Standard" Special Cable Service.

Obituary.

IMAGE OF WELL-KNOWN GLEN OUYE BREWERY.

DEPARTING ARRIVAL.

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DAILY EDITION.

THE EAST 16 PAGES African Standard

UGANDA ARGUS THE LEADER. THE OLDEST ESTABLISHED NEWSPAPER PUBLISHED IN KENYA AND UGANDA.

NAIROBI, THURSDAY, DECEMBER 30, 1929.

THE REVOLUTION IN AFGHANISTAN.

Another Version of the Affair.

RENELS REFUSED.

(THE HON. MEMBER'S ASSISTANT.) New Delhi, December 19. Wireless communication with Kabul has been completely interrupted, and there is grave anxiety.

DISASTERS IN THE MINING AREAS.

Price of Wales Issues Personal Appeal.

THE SPIRIT OF THE WAR.

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GOVERNMENT TO BORROW A SUM OF £1,528,000.

To Meet Port and Railway and Colonial Schemes.

TREASURY BILLS IN ADVANCE OF LOAN.

£102,750 to be Spent from the Surplus Balances on Services and Buildings.

A big programme is forthcoming for the last days of the present sitting of Legislative Council.

Government proposes to borrow in London—against the next loan—the sum of £1,528,000. This money will be used to meet the cost of schemes already approved by the Legislature.

In addition, Government proposes to spend £102,750 from the surplus on further Colonial needs such as Post Office services, Road Plant, buildings and water supply.

THE RAILWAY BUDGET.

The Kenya Legislative Council meets tomorrow at 10 o'clock in the Memorial Hall. The order of the day is as follows:

By the Hon. the Acting Attorney-General, to report on the Report of the Subordinate Courts (Prosecution and Maintenance) Bill adopted.

By the Hon. the Treasurer, to report on the Report of the Public Accounts for the year ended 31st December, 1929.

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The LOUNGE FOR Morning AND Afternoon TEAS The New Stanley Hotel. Open on Sundays to Non-Residents. PRICE 30 CENTS.

ONLY A FEW DAYS LEFT TO XMAS

Show are a few suggestions which will be of help to those who have left their Xmas shopping until now. WHITEWAYS have still a large selection of novelty gifts for each sex.

Gifts for Her. Gifts for Him. Handkerchiefs. Shawls. Novelty Garters. Watermark Fountain Pens. Swan Fountain Pens. Ladies Gold Wristlets. Hand Bags. Perfumery. Dressing Gowns. Handkerchiefs. Toilet Sets. Atomizers. Powder Puffs. Slippers. Panty Liners. Gloves. White ways NAIROBI.

Peace in Industry.

EMPLOYERS AND WORKERS REPORT.

TYPICAL INSTANCE OF ITS REALITY.

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Labour Returns.

AN EMPLOYER'S VIEW OPINION.

A number of people appeared in the Legislative Council on December 19, 1929, to discuss the question of labour returns.

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RECOVERS STOLEN SHIRTS 100 YARDS.

BRITAIN'S UNEMPLOYED.

WEEK'S FIGURES SHOW A DECREASE.

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GOOD HARVEST IN THE TRANS-JOJA.

Kisumu Favours Local Government.

GETTING READY FOR XMAS.

'CHRISTMAS CHALLENGERS'.

School Sports.

Footballists.

Local Government.

Motor Taxation.

Christmas Festivities.

Mrs. After Sir Edmund Gurney's comment about the high cost of living...

The Christmas holidays are fast for local growers...

The 'Christmas Challengers' are dry out, mainly because...

The school sports are getting ready for Xmas...

The footballists are getting ready for Xmas...

The Local Government is getting ready for Xmas...

Motor Taxation is getting ready for Xmas...

Christmas Festivities are getting ready for Xmas...

Kenya Festival.

B.R.A.C. PROGRAMME FOR THE YEAR.

Monday, December 21.

Tuesday, December 22.

Wednesday, December 23.

Thursday, December 24.

Friday, December 25.

Saturday, December 26.

Sunday, December 27.

Monday, December 28.

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Waterproof Watch advertisement featuring an image of a watch and text: 'We invite your inspection of our beautiful and exclusive presentation articles...'

S. DIAMANT Trust Chambers, Gov. Road, NAIROBI. Advertisement for diamonds and jewelry.

NAIROBI GENERAL CASH STORES LTD. GOVERNMENT ROAD. Advertisement for cash stores.

PROVISION DEALERS and GROCERS. TOBACCO, CIGARETTES and CONFECTIONERY. Advertisement for grocery stores.

SEEDS, FARMS and LOCAL PRODUCE. BOUQUETS and WREATHS. TO LET. Advertisement for seeds and local produce.

P. STEWART. C.A.S. S.E.D. PAINTER & DECORATOR. Advertisement for painting and decoration services.

DOBBIES, Limited. WATCHMAKERS, MANUFACTURING JEWELLERS & OPTICIANS. NAIROBI. Advertisement for watchmaking and jewelry services.

Fair Prices. The following are considered fair retail prices for our Superfine Flour. Advertisement for flour prices.



UNION CASTLE LINE.

FORWARD VIA SUVA. From Mombasa. 28th December. "Hulland Castle" 2nd March, 1925. "Hulland Castle" 21st April. "Hulland Castle" 11th August.

FORWARD VIA SOUTH AFRICA. From Mombasa. 28th December. "Hulland Castle" 1st March. "Hulland Castle" 7th May. "Hulland Castle" 20th July.

THE UNION-CASTLE MAIL, SHIPBROKER CO. LTD. ZIMBABWE.

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LONDON AND EAST AFRICA LINE. LONDON TO PEERIA, via Mombasa, Port Said, Port Sudan and Aden, Ombayeh and Tientsin. Arrive Kilindi from London about...

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Monthly Passenger Service to NAPLES and GENOA by comfortable Italian-built turbine steamers. THE BEST ROUTE TO LONDON VIA ITALY. SAILLINGS FROM KILINDI TO GENOA on the 1st of Every Month.

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DEPARTURES

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UPLANDS NEWS

HAMS FOR CHRISTMAS: A very large stock is in course of preparation, all cut from finest quality Kenya Pigs, but to avoid disappointment consumers are urged to place orders with their Grocers as early as possible.



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The Care of the Car. Just how many motorists realize the importance of correct lubrication...

When first introduced they were intended as a safeguard for the public rather than as a means of preventing damage to the car itself.

In their later history bumpers were fitted with pneumatic cushions to minimise the force of the blow when the car hits the posts.

The attitude of the early automobile builders regarding the introduction of bumpers on their cars is...

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Passenger List.

- R. S. 'DRAMARA. The following is the passenger list of the motor launch 'DRAMARA' on a trip to Kikuyu on December 15th. From District: Mr. F. Brodbeck, Mr. C. G. Taylor, Mr. D. P. ...

Most cars are equipped with an oil pressure gauge and being so arranged are better protected against engine damage...

The remarks contained in my reference to inadequate supply of oil to various parts of the engine...

In the case of the car the question of lubrication is more important than in the case with the motor cycle...

Recently the most important part of the motor-driven car is the steering gear...

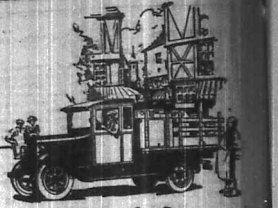
DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE.

Table with 3 columns: Date, Name, Amount. Lists names and amounts in Kenya currency.

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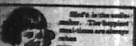
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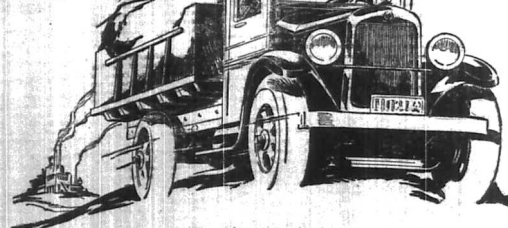
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A Most Successful Year.

### PROMISING FUTURE.

"STANDARD" GOVERNMENT. Kialale, December 15. The large district school of Kialale held on Friday, December 14, its annual Prize Day and Sports Day. The annual Prize Day is held in the school building and is a most successful year. The school was opened by Mr. McKelvey, the Education Officer, who said that the school was a most successful year. The school was opened by Mr. McKelvey, the Education Officer, who said that the school was a most successful year.

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Directors who are too old to be Competent.

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## CLAIRMONT Christmas Dance

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### WEATHER REPORT.

Following are the results of observations made at stations of the East African Meteorological Department.

Pressure.	Direction & Force.	Temp.	Humidity.
Monrovia 29.80	N.W. 10	82	75
Nairobi 30.25	N.W. 10	77	55
Malindi 30.15	N.W. 10	82	55

Weather—Fine. Nairobi—Cloudy, slight rain in the early morning, but no rain till 10 a.m. N. B.—Humidity recorded, but no rain till 10 a.m. and reduced to 55 and 50 in Nairobi and Malindi respectively. Temperature in Nairobi is given in the nearest 1/2 in the 1st and 2nd columns.

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**MARRIAGE.**  
HUBBARD—ALLEN. At 10 o'clock, Nairobi, on Wed. 19th Dec. Mary Estelle Allen, of Nairobi, to Ernest Hub. of Nairobi.

**DEATH.**  
ERINGTON—Ernest H. at European Hospital on 19th inst. (aged 20).

**THE EAST AFRICAN STANDARD**

UGANDA ARGUE.  
THURSDAY, DEC. 23, 1926.

**Members' List.**  
There is still room for improvement in the Members' List. It is suggested that those who wish to keep themselves up to date should send their names to the Secretary of the Legislative Council.

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**Government Issue.**  
In the current issue of the Official Gazette, it has been noted that the names of the members of the Executive Council have been inserted in the Register of Voters.

**Reliable Service.**  
When you choose your new Motor Cycle choose the machine that will give you the longest and most reliable service.

**Parting Gift.**  
Miss Maltby, who has been a member of the Nairobi Club for many years, has just returned to her home in London.

**Under the Standard Clock.**  
The Standard Clock Company has just received a consignment of the latest models of pocket watches.

**Hope Memorial Fund.**  
The Hope Memorial Fund has just received a donation of £100 from the Nairobi Club.

**Prize of Wales.**  
The prize of Wales has just been awarded to the Nairobi Club for their services during the year.

**The Parliaments.**  
The Parliaments of the British Empire have just been opened in London.

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The Nairobi Club has just adapted its services to meet the needs of its members.

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COST OF LIVING STATISTICS.

Slight Fall in November Compared with October.

CHEESE AND JAM UP: BACON AND BUTTER DOWN.

Total Decrease in Cost of Food Produce During 1923 now Recorded as 6.2 per cent.

Table with columns for various food items (Wheat, Flour, Rice, etc.) and their prices in different units.

The following are some English prices—Sugar, Cheese, Flour, Milk and Butter. Most to show English prices for the month of November.

No Zealand prices are below Nairobi with the exception of Coffee.

English prices taken from the "Ministry of Labour Statistics" October 1923 for other prices.

New Zealand prices taken from the "Monthly Abstract of Statistics" July 1923.

South African prices taken from the "Bulletin of Statistics" October 1923.

Index Prices table with columns for various goods and their index values for different years.

There is a slight fall of 0.3 in the index number for November compared with October.

The Appeal Court.

The following is the list of Appeals for hearing at 9.30 a.m. on Wednesday, Dec. 19, 1923.

Mr. J. H. M. ... vs. ... (List of legal cases and their details)

TO-DAY'S GAZETTE LIST.

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Mr. J. H. M. ... vs. ... (Continuation of legal cases)

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COUNTRY OPPOSITION TO NEW MOTOR TAX.

Support for Alternative Proposal.

R.R.A.A. REPLY.

The support of the country in the demand for reconsideration of the new Motor Taxation measure to give and extend.

Motor Kenya Association. Association strongly protests against increased taxation in new Ordinances and the Committee supports your proposal to reduce the registration and licence fees.

Kakua Farmers Association. The Kakua Farmers Association indignantly oppose any increased Motor Taxation, and advocate the present rate being retained.

Thomson's Falls Farmers Association. "Association and District favours your proposal Registration Fee of 2/6 per car and 10/- per motor cycle."

Lumbara Farmers Association. Public representative meeting. Lumbara Farmers Association has been convened to discuss the proposed new Motor Taxation.

Uthi Farmers Association. This Association does not propose any action to be taken with a view to preventing the new Motor Ordinance.

Question in Kismayu. "STANDARD" CORRESPONDENT: Kismayu, Dec. 18. The recent Traffic Bill is being discussed in a purely official form.

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SERIOUS ALLEGATIONS AGAINST POLICE.

Settler's Stand for Condemned Natives.

MYSTERY MEMORANDUM.

Mr. Magistrate's Statements in Nairobi Murder Appeal.

Serious allegations against the police and attacks on the general public are being made in a memorandum of appeal submitted to the Hon. Mr. Justice G. J. G. in which it is stated that the police in Nairobi are not only inefficient but also corrupt.

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LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.

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The Kampala Agricultural Show opened on Friday last in very unsettled weather. Heavy rain during the morning a terrific downpour had washed the showground very thoroughly, but when the Government arrived at 10 a.m. promptly, the sun was shining brightly, though dense clouds of clouds.

His Excellency was met at the entrance by Mr. J. B. P. Postlethwaite, M.B.E., the Provincial Commissioner, Buganda and The Hon. Mr. A. H. Morgan, Acting Director of Agriculture, and walked to the small stand that had been erected in the central bazaar. Mr. Postlethwaite welcomed His Excellency and asked him to declare the Show open. After a short speech the Governor formally declared the Show to be open and toured the whole of the ground, examining the exhibits and the stands erected by a number of commercial firms.

**Native Industries.**

There were a large number of entries for the several classes of exhibits. One of the most interesting exhibits contained samples of, we should think, every kind of native-grown product from huge bunches of bananas to varieties of beans and grains that we had never seen before.

In this section were two wonderful samples of seed cotton which had come from the Bugera District. Both these were prize ones of them; the Special prize awarded by the Chief Secretary. It is understood that this is the result of the comparatively new "D. II" seed which has been such a success in Bugera and which is under experiment now with the idea, if it proves successful, to plant up the whole of the Province later on.

The bands entering the exhibits of the Agricultural and Forestry Departments was very

well arranged and contained small pieces of cotton lint in the shape of balls showing in proportion the amount of cotton exported from UGANDA to UGANDA. The Entomologist had provided a number of boxes containing a number of insects most prevalent in the country and most damaging to the crops of the Protectorate. The Forestry people showed different kinds of wood, both tropical and temperate, and said Christmas trees at a killing time.

**Around the Exhibits.**

The English Sugar Factory had a large stall, including guns, sheep, dogs, etc., etc., comprising, in addition to their own, sundries by native girls, chickens, geese, jills and calves by European ladies, tiles and bricks from Dhaka, furniture from Kamer and a hundred and more other things.

**Trade Stands.**

The trade stalls were mostly occupied by motor-firms who exhibited samples of all the cars for which they sold agencies, tractors, electric lighting and agricultural implements of all kinds.

Other demonstrations were held in a large number of enclosures were provided by the exhibitors.

On the following day parties of students from the schools of the Protectorate (there are over 200 schools in Uganda) were conducted over the Show by the staff of the Agricultural Department, and there were more tractor demonstrations. At 4 p.m. the prizes were distributed by Mrs. Postlethwaite and the Show closed after a very successful two days' run.

At intervals during the period of the Show the staff of the K.A.R. which was accommodated in a most handsome in the centre of the ground gave selections of music which, in view of the very threatening weather, were very welcome to those who had to stand under the cover of the stalls and wait for violent storms to pass.

**Bribery on the Railway.**

**APPEAL AGAINST BREVET OFFICER.**

Two Indian employees of the Kenya and Uganda Railway, who had been given brevet appointments, have gone to court, and another has been charged. They have never been made in the past were the appointments in the Kenya and Uganda Railway on Monday from a commission of inquiry.

The allegations were that one of the applicants had taken bribes from a Somali cattle dealer at Nyeri Station and that the other applicant had sold and stolen his.

The Somali, it was admitted, had owned 200 sheep transported by rail from Nyeri to Kisumu and one of the applicants had been taking his sheep—April 28, 1927. Afterwards, when the sheep were being taken into the railway trucks, the Somali was given a bill for Sh. 221, and some cents. The Somali said he would pay the balance on the following day. One of the Indians then said to him: "No, this is Government money. The Sh. 201 is my balance."

**Bomb Atrocities.**

In the course of his address to the Court, Mr. Daly referred to a statement that the Somali had been known that in the first place the Sh. 201 was given in the form of a bribe and on that point Mr. Daly commented—"Of all the murders in the country, I think there is none so equal the Somali cattle dealer."

Comment also pointed out that the necessary fact that the men were not guilty but the learned judge did not seem that view. Mr. Daly examined the evidence as considerable length and concluded that the only evidence against the Somali was that of two Somalis—had to be criticised with the greatest care so it was full of discrepancies.

Mr. Plache, in supporting the appeal, dealt primarily with the case of the applicant who was convicted of aiding and abetting.

Mr. Haves, in support of the conviction, and the case was heard six months after the alleged offence and there naturally would be discrepancies in the evidence though the prosecution witnesses' evidence

did not differ in the main. Not one of the discrepancies disproved the story of the prosecution. He asked their Honours to uphold the conviction against both men.

Replying to Mr. Justice Plache, Mr. Haves said the grounds for the conviction of one of the applicants for aiding and abetting were the mitigation to ask for a lighter and more assistance in committing the offence by not stopping the other man, who was his inferior, knowing well what he was doing.

Judgment was reserved.

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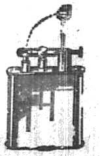
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Theatricals at Nakuru.

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LOCAL SOCIETY'S FIRST PRODUCE.

THE NAKURU Dramatic Society, which was organized at Nakuru, has given a definite proof that it is a definite force for the life of the district.

Mr. H. H. O'Brien, the Honorary Librarian, spoke some time ago of a proposed drama which plays upon the life of the late Mr. Jones.

The Society is anxious to put the whole-hearted support of Nakuru and district, and it is hoped that many will join as an assisting member.

ST. MARK'S PARLORIS. SUNDAY, DECEMBER 12, 1921.

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Plans of assembly for the Kenya Airways Ltd.

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Topics for the Motorist.

Uses of Brushing Cellulose. A Pleasant Pastime for the Evenings.

Many motorists are householders. As motorists they are familiar with cellulose painting which has provided a far more durable and better looking finish than ordinary oil painting for the two or three coats and one coat of varnish type. At householders, however, they should appreciate the value of cellulose painting in their own homes. The ordinary decorator still regards it with suspicion because his painters would use millions more of their methods with ordinary oil paint. Brushing cellulose paints are now obtainable in a great variety of colours and are made by a number of concerns, so that the motorist who is a handy man in the house can do it to good success himself and provide some interesting jobs for the family. It can be made a start with his own coat and also paint his usual household objects as bedsteads, tool chests and lockers, benches and so forth.

Ready Size Tin. The cellulose paint is put in tins at about 4 lb. for the 1/2 gal. size, (English prices) and 1 lb. for the 1/4 gal. size. On the other hand, the tin may contain as much as 10 lb. as cheap in the tin. Walk-in-Lace. They are sold in a variety of colours and "also" "white" and "translucent" and "gold" and "brass" and "aliver". It is not a good thing to mix colours of the past together. He who has acquired a certain amount of knowledge in the particular of cellulose painting, which may be passed on for the benefit of others.

In the first place one must get the brushes used specially for cellulose painting. These are like brush and brushes and in the best quality brushes, which must be very soft, will not come out, and that is important, for if a bristle sticks on the work it is not easy to extricate it, and the removal of the marks made in getting it out.

Next, one must see that the surface to be painted is thoroughly clean, sand a household article and can be very useful in this respect.

Here is a description of some jobs and how they were done. One of the easiest was to paint a number of hanging chairs for the living and dining rooms. The chairs were washed and cleaned with Varnish and the floor, for cellulose is not easy on linoleum is not easy of

remove, and the amateur is apt to scratch it about. A tin was run up where the articles were to be painted. The brush was then dipped in the paint and the brush was then run up and down the length of thin wire with which to support them. The chairs were then on a sheet of paper and the cellulose paint was then run over the chairs with a brush. The silver paint was then run over the chairs with a brush. The motorist requires vigorous stirring before use. The gold tin is similar to the other in form of a powder which is stirred into a tin of "white". The chairs were then turned over two or three times and rubbed with the brush. The brush was then run up and down the length of thin wire with which to support them. The chairs were then on a sheet of paper and the cellulose paint was then run over the chairs with a brush. The silver paint was then run over the chairs with a brush.

For the best and sturdy articles of the house, several sizes of brushes down to small enamel children's paint brushes. When used and required again they will be found in the tin. The brush was then run up and down the length of thin wire with which to support them. The chairs were then on a sheet of paper and the cellulose paint was then run over the chairs with a brush. The silver paint was then run over the chairs with a brush.

Travelling a Flat Surface. First, the inner edge along the wall paper was marked, the brush being not too fully charged and held so that it was almost horizontal to the work, the paint being laid on with rapid strokes, all in one direction only (most important) and not brushed back and forwards as when using oil paints. Immediately the wall was reached, a fresh tin of paint, this time with the brush held on with rapid strokes, was used. This was done so that the whole mantelpiece was covered in the first fifteen minutes, the brush marks disappearing as they were smoothed, glossy surface, free from marks or "lines".

When finished the work was perfectly satisfactory and never wash-thing again. For the cold cement and the wall surface will resist water for a very long time. It was very easily cleaned however, with a wet cloth.

John Duffin, Esq., in "The Motorist".

paint-spraying plant installed at all our engine and electrical works. The object of this plant is to provide the need for a special air compressor. The results are very good indeed. The plant actually compresses air under pressure and the pressure is then used for the spraying of the two cylinders and the cylinder of the engine. The pressure is then used for the spraying of the two cylinders and the cylinder of the engine. The pressure is then used for the spraying of the two cylinders and the cylinder of the engine.

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(Continued from page 1.)

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Director of Agriculture, Services on these matters. In my opinion, we should have available in this country the means of an organization capable of handling the problem in the most efficient manner, given a few hands if necessary, but only if we can reduce the incidence and the cost of the disease. It will not, however, increase the production of the native crops, but only in those reserves, but only if we can reduce the incidence and the cost of the disease.

Deficient Estimates. The Hon. Lord Delamater (Sir Philip) was asked to open the debate on the railway estimates, and he had been obliging in his mind whether it should be an adjournment of the debate until the following day since we are in the official opposition—whether they tried to call it as a disadvantage to answer by a statement which had been quite rightly prepared before.

that, for the time being, an early rate provided care was taken, the position was one of comparative safety. The contemplated railway on having started a large fund to meet the cost of the traffic was understood, referring to the railway and the Government. Lord Delamater said that he would do his utmost to reduce the incidence and the cost of the disease.

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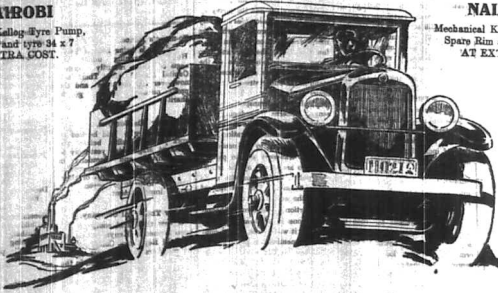
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Traffic Bill to Remain Without Alteration.

47,000 DECREASE IN REVENUE.

Sequel in Legislative Council Yesterday to Petrol Abolition Against New Tax.

Government introduced into the Legislative Council yesterday the Finance Bill, which contains a proposal to reduce the tax on petrol by 10 per cent. The bill also contains a proposal to reduce the tax on motor spirit by 10 per cent.

This means a loss in revenue of £10,000, as the Traffic Bill, which is now before the House, will reduce the tax on petrol by 10 per cent.

Lord Delamere expressed the view that it was a good idea to reduce the tax on petrol by 10 per cent.

The only critic was the Hon. T. A. Wood who pointed out that the bill would reduce the revenue by £10,000.

ASSURANCE BY PETROL IMPORTERS.

The Attorney-General proposed the introduction of a Bill to amend the Petroleum Act, 1928, to provide for the insurance of petrol by importers.

The Bill was introduced by the Attorney-General and was supported by the Government.

The Bill was passed by the House of Representatives and will now go to the Legislative Council.

The Bill will provide for the insurance of petrol by importers and will be of great benefit to the public.

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The Kenya Railway Bill was passed by the Kenya Legislative Council yesterday.

The Bill provides for the construction of a railway line from Nairobi to Mombasa.

The Bill also provides for the construction of a railway line from Nairobi to Kisumu.

The Bill also provides for the construction of a railway line from Nairobi to Malindi.

The Bill also provides for the construction of a railway line from Nairobi to Lamu.

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The Bill also provides for the construction of a railway line from Nairobi to Alexandria.

LOCAL GOVERNMENT AND MOTOR TAXATION.

Explanations of Items Meeting Yesterday.

MOTIONS OF ACCEPTANCE.

STANDARD CONDITIONS.

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del that the extra work would be ready in time for the increases which were expected in the two or three years.

The Railway Council had considered the question of the reduction of rates very closely and would not authorize any reduction until they were satisfied that it was to do so. He thought this matter might be left solely to the Railway Council to deal with.

There had been no intimation of the matter of general rates. Colleagues with Tanganyika had been asked to meet in October and it had been agreed that that matter should be brought up in Council during the next session. This had not been found possible and a substitute impression had grown up in the railway that a change in fiscal policy was involved, and thought that six months should be given for the full ventilation of the matter. He referred to the difficulty of administration when trying to serve Kenya and Uganda especially and pointed out that questions which could not be fully agreed upon should be reserved for the next year's session. If the British Government considered the situation of territories railways connected with Kenya, the position would be simpler so far as they were concerned.

Regarding the acquisition of a railway of section they had intended being the two systems into one shipment, but complete satisfaction had not been brought about completely.

There seemed to be a misapprehension regarding the reduction of the renewal fund and the interest on the sinking fund. He wished to make it quite clear that there was absolute distinction kept in the books as regards the funds, which were quite separate.

He thought he had nothing more to add on the subject of materials and he was not convinced that the spread was greater than that of other forms of transport. Before a decision would be made to make Railway more efficient and thereby tend to maintain that condition.

**Foreigners.**  
With regard to the number of European employees employed on the railway he was satisfied at the moment, but they could be reduced if necessary. But he wished to state that no difficulty whatever had been kept out of a post on that subject. He mentioned that many of these foreign people did not work and that some were entitled to be employed.

Referring to the number of the Kenyan Member for Kisumu, regarding the amendment of the constitution, he hoped there would be some time when Government had

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## DANGEROUS SPOTS.

To the Editor, "E.A. Standard."—I was pleased to read in your issue of the 24th inst. regarding a dangerous spot in the course of a road which is a dangerous spot where the Beaka Road meets River Road.

Yours, etc. JIMI KHAN, December 19, 1926.

## THE LATE MISS MA DAVIES.

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Yours, etc. J. THOMAS, Nairobi, Dec. 30, 1926.

## THE PRINCE AND MALAYA.

To the Editor, "E.A. Standard."—I have with dismay from such a high authority as Mr. J. P. ...

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I am glad to see that the Government is taking steps to deal with the disease. It is a pity that the world did not seem to be so full of people who were so ready to help.

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NOTICE.

A Meeting of the KYAMBU DISTRICT will be held at the Club House at 10 a.m. on SATURDAY, DECEMBER 28th

to discuss the question of Local Self Government prior to meeting the Hon. Commissioner of Lands and Local Self Government at a later date. Anyone residing within the new Local Self Government area will be welcome.

Nairobi Corporation.

NOTICE is hereby given in accordance with Section 71 of The Local Government (Municipalities) Ordinance, 1926 that the Nairobi Municipal Council intend to pass a Resolution at the Municipal Council Meeting to be held on 4th January, 1927, which will give effect to the application of the present existing Municipal By-laws to that area and forth in the First Schedule (Boundaries of Nairobi Municipality) of The Local Government (Municipalities) Ordinance, 1926. This application of By-laws is to be subject to proper safeguards in respect of the various districts where By-laws have been in existence and also subject to the decision of the Town Clerk as to committees which have been made or work already in hand.

The present Municipal By-laws can be inspected at the Municipal Office at all reasonable times. L. OLBERT, Town Clerk. Nairobi, 29th December, 1926.

MUNICIPALITY OF MOMBASA.

Applications are invited for the following appointments which it is proposed to fill by the 1st January, 1927.

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Wireless Topics.

Reaction and Oscillation.

The Use of Amplifiers.

The following is the fifth of a series of articles contributed by 'Q.R.M.' on the maintenance and care of wireless sets.

Reaction, retro-action, regeneration, and feedback, all mean the same thing. It is probably the most exciting feature of a radio set in order that the valve circuit amplifies, reproduces and retransmits the original signal. Yet on the other hand the reaction of re-transmission may be so great that it distorts them and makes the valve oscillate, causing the receiver into quite a powerful transmitter and capable of causing interference for some miles round.

With an oscillating U.S. valve which is quite an ordinary power valve with 120 volts on the plate which is about the normal voltage in England is being transmitted in England to America. I state this to show what interference can be caused by an oscillating valve and I am not suggesting that anyone in America should connect their set to oscillate and attempt to transmit to England because they want to able to.

It will be remembered when last week I explained what the grid did I pointed out that the action of the grid controlled the anode current. Now in the plate circuit we get a self-excited valve which the anode or plate current passes and this, which is called the reaction coil, is placed near or "coupled" to the anode coil, which is connected, as we have seen, to the anode of the detector valve. Now some minute current reaching the grid causes it to change the plate current and as the reaction coil is coupled to the anode coil, that change of plate current is passed back to the grid of the valve, or rather, I should say, "fed" back. This illustrates the term "feed back" which will word I opened this talk on reaction. This again applies to the anode circuit, and amplified once more, goes through the reaction coil and is fed back again to the grid, through the anode coil, so this goes on building up energy in the anode-circuit.

Now this cannot go on indefinitely as we have just seen a negative voltage upon the grid and as we have just seen the anode current ceases to flow. As soon as the anode current ceases to flow, the negative on the grid, and thus the anode current starts again, but this same thing again happens, the grid becoming negative after a while and so on. With the anode current continually starting and stopping there is no oscillating current, or alternating current flowing in the anode circuit. When the rectifier oscillates it means that the coupling between the reaction coil and the anode coil is adjusted in order that the valve circuit amplifies, reproduces sufficiently, that the anode current is fed back into the anode circuit, and increases the anode current flowing in the anode coil. Now let us look at reaction from a practical point of view. There are two methods of action in common use. These are known as magnetic reaction and capacity reaction. Magnetic reaction is termed by the fact that the degree of coupling between the reaction coil and the anode coil is varied magnetically and it is operated by moving the Reaction Coil nearer to or further from the anode coil as required. This type of reaction has practically died out for it was rather difficult to operate and few coil holders gave sufficiently fine adjustment for a set to work as so to give the last ounce of energy from the set. Capacity reaction is for a set to be adjusted and practically unnecessary, instead of having a moving reaction coil, this coil is stationary but the distance to the anode coil is varied by means of a variable condenser. As to handling a set using this type of reaction, I am assuming a typical set. In the ordinary construction of a detector valve followed by two low frequency valves. I will describe such a set in more detail in future articles. For the moment I assume that my reader knows how the set is connected up. Usually in such a set the left hand condenser is the tuning condenser and the right hand condenser is the reaction coil. When set switched on, set the left hand condenser at about 90 degrees and the right hand condenser at resonance. Now provided that the correct size coils are in the right place, on increasing the degree of the reaction condenser it will be noticed that a slight hum is coming gradually louder and louder and it becomes very loud indeed. If the set is badly adjusted by having the wrong value high position voltage, grid bias or value of grid leak, you will come to a position where a loud ping is heard in the phone or even a loud siren or wail. When this happens the valve is oscillating

and it is impossible to receive anything. The reaction control should not be done with a knob or a plug. Those who refer from time to time will find it very difficult to tune in a distant station, and will not be able to work such a set as I am visualizing the tuning is very critical and sharp. When I refer to the set at the moment, I would recommend that those items I have just mentioned should be looked at first and the correct values obtained.

Now for each movement of the reaction condenser, the tuning condenser has to be slightly adjusted to have the station in tune and it will be found that when the reaction condenser is increased the tuning condenser has to be decreased and vice versa.

The proper use of the reaction condenser and using the tuning condenser at the same time will be found that when the reaction condenser is increased the tuning condenser has to be decreased and vice versa.

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