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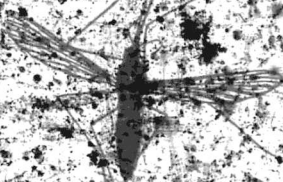
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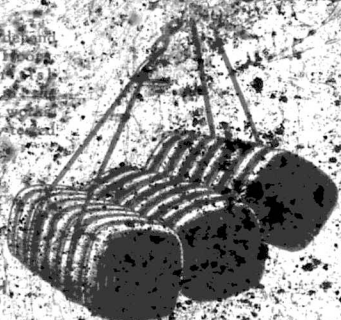
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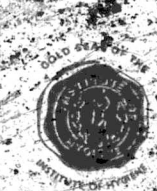
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## MATTERS OF MOMENT

THAT inspirational leadership is the great need of the British Empire was emphasised by Mrs. Tawse Johns when she addressed the East African Group in London a few days ago. Though she avoided mention of the East African territories, they would unquestionably benefit enormously from better leadership in administration, agriculture, trade, education, and in public life and affairs generally. The lack of inspired leadership is particularly acute during these last years of depression, and by no means only on the side of the settler, as is sometimes complacently suggested by officials, which has little enough on which to pride itself. The Imperial Government for example might have given a wonderful lead by the annexation of Kenya, Uganda, and Tanganyika Territory since Mr. Hoover, the Colonial Office that urgent need was "each ignored" at least by the political class. If this national union was taboo, as another British declaration to the League of Nations last week suggests, inter-territorial co-ordination and co-operation in economic matters and in common public services could certainly have been our goal with benefit to all and without disadvantage to any. There has of course been some advance in these matters, but for the bread of Bacon has been substituted the stone of a Governors' Conference which inspires nobody, perhaps least of all its participants.

Nor can it be said that the East African Governments, taken as a whole, have inspired action or progress worth anything. Of only one of the Tanganyika middle class African territories, the Fire Brakes, The East African Group said that the Government had done some things. The Government had

inspired the Douglas family, the Stewart Symes, Sir Thomas M. Maclean and Sir Charles Mitchell, have been the administrators of the government for long times and all of them seem to have a capability to achieve something and to put their hands to real and efficient labour. It is not that the private profits have become impossible to be obtained. For example when the agricultural schemes have been carried out slowly to the end by others, they have lacked inspired leadership and continuity for purposes.

The same can be said of the other territories so many other ways. The Government has not been able to examine the results of its policy. Such a general reorganisation that might be done by the Government and that certain organisations of the character have been most successful but co-operation like all other human enterprises, requires leadership. The time will come in the future when there will be the one authority to speak for the growing industrial Eastern Africa, the one for coffee production of the territories, one for sugar planting, and so on. It can not come too soon, for the absence of such a plan and agreement is detrimental to the industries themselves and to the territories. In the administration, politics, farming, trade, and many other ways, we cannot here is immense scope for leadership of the right kind, and the provision of the leadership in the other parts of the territories.

MONEY RAISED HERE. The South African Government has announced that it may be possible to purchase in London a large quantity of the goods which have been shown to the public at the exhibition. It is also reported that the South African Government has decided to purchase a large quantity of the goods which have been shown to the public at the exhibition. It is also reported that the South African Government has decided to purchase a large quantity of the goods which have been shown to the public at the exhibition.

From my East African friends we have received a description of what would be the scope of East African representation in this display of AN EAST AFRICAN EMPIRE'S products. He says that a pavilion built and furnished especially of East African materials and materials from Kenya, Uganda and Tanganyika would be built on the attractive grounds of those territories in a place of considerable size and would be a home atmosphere to a display in which East African goods could be shown by uniformed staffs. There would be a display of sisal, coffee and tea estates, and a dairy farm, with its own herd of cattle, and many other activities, while there would also be a display of the products of the Territories and of the many healthy spots throughout the participating Dependencies. It would be a display of the products of the Territories and of the many healthy spots throughout the participating Dependencies.

Even those few notes offer at least a basis for the organisation of East Africa's representation in what will be a great show. We have no objection for putting the TERRITORIAL IDEAS cart before the horse which, in this case, is only a territorial agreement on a suitable co-operative effort—for we believe that only East Africa realises the nature of the opportunity offered in such publicity there will be ready agreement on the part of officials and unofficials alike, and that generous participation in the scheme will follow. South Africa's present prosperity, built on the gold problem, is a guarantee that the exhibition will be an outstanding success and that Africa cannot afford to miss so excellent a chance of sending her goods especially from the "travel staffs" to her friends in the north. A matter to remember is that thousands of South Africans who saw Kenya and Tanganyika during the War under the best possible conditions have described them as far from hazy territories and that there is considerable widespread interest in them. It is only a matter of time when the massed goods on the continent can be sold in large numbers of tourists from the Union.

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The problem which Mr. Matielke has recommended Tanganyika to attack in advance is clearly one for localizing in the first instance, but the most elements of knowledge and industry adjustment tendencies and the Territory is enough to show that it cannot afford to let them take their own course. The sisal plantations along the Tanganyika Central Railway have, for instance, hitherto drawn labour from the tribes inhabiting the areas around the head of Lake Nyasa and those to the south and east of Lake Victoria. Now it is precisely in those localities—in the Lupata gold fields in the one case, and in the Sarungu, Mbanga, Muzoma, and Mara goldfields in the other—that mining is advancing so swiftly, and with the practical certainty of immensely increased activity in the immediate future. Thus there will arise in proximity to their own tribal areas, constant demand for the labour of the men who have been accustomed to travel many hundreds of miles to the great sisal estates which represent Tanganyika's greatest industry. Frantic, unadvised competition will arise in Kenya, and some of those best acquainted with Uganda and Mozambique predict the same course of events in those territories, though there gold mining is so far in its earliest infancy.

Two things have to be noted: that without a full investigation of the facts no sound policy can be evolved; and that the case must be carefully considered before one unhappy complication after another will arise in more than one Dependency. Though inquiry must be territorial in the first instance, knowledge, deductions and ideas should be freely exchanged between them for the underlying issues are the same. It is only a matter of time when the massed goods on the continent can be sold in large numbers of tourists from the Union. It is only a matter of time when the massed goods on the continent can be sold in large numbers of tourists from the Union.



# Italy Rejects but Ethiopia Accepts Committee Report

By the Associated Press

ROME, Sept. 15.—Italy today rejected the report of the Italian-Italian committee on the East African colonies, which was published in the "Giornale" newspaper.

The committee, which was set up in 1941, was charged with the task of studying the Italian-Italian development of the colonies and the possibility of their sale to various nations. The committee's report, which was published in the "Giornale" newspaper, stated that the committee had found that the Italian-Italian development of the colonies was not in the best interests of Italy and that the sale of the colonies to various nations would be in the best interests of Italy.

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LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

### East Africa's Seven Wonders

Mr. Cherry Kearton's List.

To the Editor of "East Africa."

SIR.—The wonders of East Africa seem to be less and less: in my list—

- (1) Mount Kenya.
- (2) Kilimanjaro.
- (3) The Great Rift Valley.
- (4) Lake Natasha.
- (5) The Ngoringoro Gorge.
- (6) The Serengeti Plains.
- (7) The herd of wild animals.

Yours faithfully,  
CHERRY KEARTON

### Seven Different Suggestions

To the Editor of "East Africa."

SIR.—Here are seven others to add to your list of the wonders of East Africa—

- (1) Seeing a steamer on Lake Victoria with words on the side: "Clemens Hill, London, 800 miles from the nearest sea and 6000 miles from the place of registration."
- (2) Standing on the edge of the Victoria Escarpment with a sheer drop of 2,500 ft., then a step and another drop of 1,500 ft., and passing out over a wide valley 50 miles across.
- (3) The miriads of fighting on Lake Nakuru.
- (4) The Murchison Falls.
- (5) The remarkable similarity between the country around Mau Summit and the Sussex Downs.
- (6) That we should have had the rich gold deposits at Kakamega for 30 years without discovering them.
- (7) The hooping snakes and growing forested coasts vouched for by your correspondents.

Yours faithfully,  
W. R. BALEY

### Witchcraft and the War

Differences in Tribal Attitudes.

To the Editor of "East Africa."

SIR.—In Mrs. Fraser's life of her husband, Dr. Donald Fraser, there is a paragraph which is of particular interest to me. She writes of 1910, the War, and influenza, and says—

"The people had seen the effects of the War in the terrible mortality of transport service. Then came a new enemy, influenza. Depression and fear were the soil out of which the witch-doctors could reap their harvest."

With the last sentence I am in entire agreement, but my experience among one of the most superstitious tribes is that part of Africa at the same period may be of interest. I refer to the Kikuyu.

No debts of transport men were attributed by Kikuyu witchcraft. The usual feeling, however, was one of a quota system by headmen. It was of course compulsory and was on for four years. Men were allotted to it, and I am glad to quote which they had to furnish, and they named the men who were to work them. If a man refused, they were held responsible for the man's actions, and had to pay for them. If a man refused to work, they were held responsible for his actions, and had to pay for them. If a man refused to work, they were held responsible for his actions, and had to pay for them. If a man refused to work, they were held responsible for his actions, and had to pay for them.

Influenza came just in time, and the death toll was almost entirely among discharges, paid off, and on their returning home, that the terrible mortality occurred. It was not, however, as what you say, but it was a chief, a man of authority, and a man of authority, who hunted about, but on the return he was assured that such wholesale slaughter was not an act of God. The difference compared with the Congo, I think, worthy of respect.

### The Death of Kasanza

Tribute to Mr. Beke's Memory

To the Editor of "East Africa."

SIR.—I have to thank Mr. Melland for the correction of my account of the death of Kasanza, published in my letter of your issue of August 15, although it appears to me immaterial whether Kasanza died on the day of his arrival or the next day.

I had thought to see why had I lived, it would have been useless, as Mr. Melland writes, to put Kasanza on trial for his misdeeds.

Mr. Melland writes: "There were no witnesses at all," but I feel sure that some of the natives who accompanied Mr. Beke to Kasanza's village were still available. In any case, I was still in the country and could have been in attendance at the funeral, and could have seen the body when it was brought in. The Northern Rhodesia Police received a message in the shoulder, also my best friend, who undoubtedly saw my friend's one last message, which was near the Hill.

I certainly never meant to suggest that Mr. Beke died from the wounds he received at Kasanza's village, as I saw him at 22nd only a few days before his death. Most of his services were spent in other of his districts, and he was in the field and it was in the course of his work as a man that he was first severely wounded, and later terminated the disease from which he died. He was one of the most efficient and hard working officials I have ever had in Northern Rhodesia, and his name will live in the minds of the most intelligent.

Yours faithfully,  
A. C. GARDNER

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## Some Statements Worth Noting

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In 1952 Britain held not a state of affairs but a community of interests.

Against everyone in Southern Rhodesia, the Government has been a "strong arm".

With nine million children we have a million for the children of 100,000 years ago.

The decolonisation of Central Africa is the real thing, said a man, because questions of later effects of the childhood of Africa in the advanced industrial world of America.

Uganda is a country, largely by which to remember Sir Robert Boddington, Sir Bernard have a unique collection of photographs by which to remember Uganda.

The recent malaria epidemic in Beaton has reminded the world that a royal road exists to the prevention of malaria has set by Louis Pasteur and Robert Koch.

Tanzania shows great possibility of becoming a really important gold producer and another African territory seems only to Southern Rhodesia.

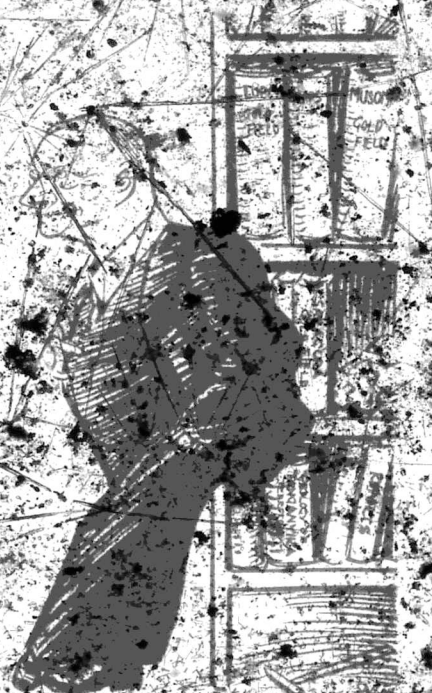
The people of East Africa are always a million on top. Ethnologists are beginning to see that all the black and white are against each other, they will not do much harm. The Ethiopians have started.

East Africa has been a valuable opportunity since for Kenya. It has given England a definite role in the world, which varies from Indian to the highest mountain scenery and can be seen in other countries in the world, and the blossoms.

It is a question now for the officials, can successful administration be given by Government which is not really African life without the supervision of a large number of Europeans than it is possible to provide.

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### Major Robertson-Eustace

Dear Sir, Well, I am in Kenya.

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# Locus Danger Permanent Conclusions of Control Committee

The mystery of why locusts has continued to multiply for ten years, Professor G. H. Gahan concludes is that the usual loss of locusts is a serious but transient problem in Africa. The locusts do not die because of a disease, but because of a shortage of food. The locusts are not permanent, but they are a permanent danger. The locusts are not a permanent pest, but they are a permanent danger. The locusts are not a permanent pest, but they are a permanent danger.

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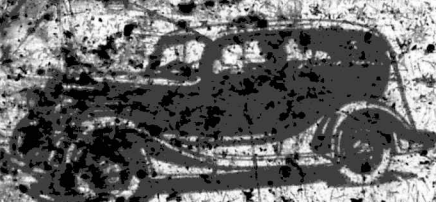
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## Mr. Campbell Black's Escape

**Aeroplane Crashes in Flames in the Sudan**

Mr. C. Campbell Black was saved by his parachute when, in a second attempt to land, the airplane of the "Lionel" crashed fully 100 miles from Kertissah, 100 miles north of Khartoum.

He had left Hatfield just after a week's vacation, and being on an average speed of 220 miles, reached Cairo on Saturday at 12:25 a.m. On Sunday, after a continued flight of 1,000 miles, passing over Wadi Halfa, he arrived at Kertissah, a small air base, so late after having passed over the desert between Wadi Halfa and Wadi Hamud and over the Nile valley. The Comet, piloted by Mr. Arthur, was supposed to leave from the machine with their parachutes, the aeroplane afterwards crashing in flames. They landed unharmed on the west bank of the Nile near the village of Gez Dura, where there were given food and camels, on which they rode to Kertissah, where they boarded a goods train to Atbara.

The machine was a Comet aeroplane, owned by Mr. Cyril Nicholson. It had two engines of 220 h.p. each, with variable pitch air screws, to enable a heavy load to be taken off and a high cruising speed maintained in level flight.

The many friends in East Africa who sympathize with Mr. Black in his bad luck, but congratulate him on his escape.

### New Flying Route for Imperial Airways

A fleet of new flying boats to be used when the Imperial Airways are accelerated in 1932 has been ordered by the Imperial Airways. These machines will be high-wing monoplanes with the engines set at the leading edge of the wing, which will be nearly 50 ft. above the deck. The machines will have a top speed of almost 200 m.p.h., the loaded weight will be over 10 tons, and, by adjusting the propellers, the boat may be given a range of 1,500 miles. A large accommodation for passengers, luggage and mails will be provided in the hull, the lower part of which will be divided into two decks, the upper one for the crew, mails and luggage, and the lower for passengers.

## Electricity in Blankets

**Mining Engineer's Observation in E. A.**

Mr. J. H. Dawson, who has been examining various prospects in Tanganyika, and who is expected to bring back at London to-day, says in a letter to The Times:

During the hot and very windy season of last August in Tanganyika I happened to have observed an electrical phenomenon in my box-trung and my white woollen blanket on a tree between two trees and removes them about 100 ft. in the hottest part of the day, to prepare my camp bed. While he has been doing so I have frequently heard a crackling sound, very much like the sharp crack of a long hose, ignited, during the discharging of the laboratory apparatus of a miniature scale. This has been followed at night by real electrical discharges, the small sparks, and miniature, soaked lightning bolts, of a few inches long, accompanied by flashes of mid-air sheet lightning when the blanket has been thrown back in the dark after raining.

I have shown this remarkable phenomenon to several persons. I expect the explanation is that the air between the blanket hanging blankly, while on its line, acts as a dielectric, while the friction of the hot wind against good wool induces a charge of static (frictional) electricity, sufficient to cause the electrical effects observed. I do not for a moment suppose it indicates ground mineralization due to a sulphide ore body at depth, or of any appreciable extent, that is beyond my means of observation.

### In Brava, Moa

A relic of prehistoric times in the British East Africa Protectorate, the Southern Rhodesias, Natal and Zululand, is the bark of a tree of which James Stevenson carved a memorial cross and the words "FOR BRAVA MOA" when he had collected the remains of Ajan-Wahon, a heroic patriot, after the massacre at Shauramoyo in 1890.

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# Kenya Reefs, Ltd.

## Chairman's Encouraging Speech

Captain F. Lewis Whip, addressing the shareholders at the annual meeting of Kenya Reefs, Ltd. said that during the period covered by the accounts (May, 1934, to June 30, 1935) prospecting and development work had been carried out on the properties assigned under the direction of Mr. H. E. Wall, A.B.M.M., and later by Mr. H. E. Cope, Morgan, & Co., Consulting Engineer, to the National Mining Corporation, Ltd.

Mr. Wall was anxious of opinion that the company's properties were of the same formation as the Kimungu-Kiny area, and on his recommendation an audit which has now reached its end was drafted into a report. Several reefs of varying values have been discovered, and two further adits—one reaching 357 ft. and the other 210 ft., have been driven. In addition, four shafts have been sunk. Early this year an option was granted to the National Mining Corporation. The consulting engineer, Mr. H. E. Cope, has now submitted by the possibilities of the company's title, and has also an application made for a larger area, has been accepted, and is now being drilled by Banka drills. The results are satisfactory, and the board had great confidence in the value of these potential reefs. The chairman said his personal belief in the properties owned by the company was unshaken, and he hoped to have further results forthcoming by the end of this year, when it was proposed to issue the next progress report. Work in the field had been carried out under the direction of Mr. H. E. Cope, consulting engineer, who had with him a staff of seven Europeans, whose health, as well as that of the native employees, had for the whole been very good.

### Shareholders' Profits

The directors of Messrs. F. W. Taylor & Co., the principal members of the mining area in the Rhodesias, announced to shareholders for the year ended March 31 that the company had a profit for the preceding year of £25,000.

### News Supply and Transport Co.

Mr. A. H. Edwards, transport and general commissioning business in East Africa, has been listed in the Standard's Directory for 1935-36. The directors of which are Mr. C. H. Edwards and Mr. J. C. Wilson, manager.

### Share Sale

The sale of the shares of the Kenya Reefs, Ltd. has been received by the company, and the proceeds of the sale have been placed in a special account for the purpose of carrying out the work of the company. The shares were sold at a price of £100 per share, and the proceeds of the sale were £100,000.

### Mining Personnel

Mr. A. S. Jones has been appointed Government Mining Engineer for Southern Rhodesia. Mr. W. D. Harverson, Assistant Director in charge of the mining activities in Kenya, has been promoted Mining Engineer in the Mining and Geological Department.

Mr. W. C. Rife of Kitale, and Mr. G. W. Stockley of Eldoret, have applied for membership of the Institution of Mining and Metallurgy.

### Rushmore Annual Report

The annual report of Rushmore Mining, Ltd., states that the company acquired from the Rushmore Mining Co., Ltd., 47,500 shares in Southern Rhodesia. The shareholders acquired the shares at a price of £100 per share, and the proceeds of the sale were £4,750,000. The company has a total of 1,000,000 shares, and the proceeds of the sale were £4,750,000. The company has a total of 1,000,000 shares, and the proceeds of the sale were £4,750,000.

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EAST AFRICA

East African Share Prices

London Market Slightly More Hopeful

Share prices better news from home over the week-end and in the London stock exchange, but the latter in a pessimistic view of the East African share market since last week. In the East African share market, Khatia recovered after a fall last Friday. Kenya Consolidated and Eldorado remain firm at auctions, and East Africa Consolidated are 30 lower at 10s. 3d. East Africa Consolidated and Eldorado Mining Syndicate have eased to 2s. 6d. and 7 1/2d. respectively, and Kruingimo stand at 12s. 6d. against 16s. 6d. last week. Rhodesian gold mining shares are firm, but those of copper producing companies are slightly lower.

	Last week	This week
Adams Syndicate (5s)	2s. 0d.	2s. 0d.
Black Mipes (10s)	6s. 3d.	10s. 0d.
Cann & Motor (5s 6d)	77s. 0d.	73s. 0d.
Consolidated African Selection (5s)	57s. 0d.	53s. 0d.
East African Consolidated (5s)	7s. 9d.	7s. 0d.
Eldorado Mining Syndicate (5s)	10s. 3d.	5s. 7 1/2d.
Farji Consolidated (8s)	11s. 9d.	11s. 0d.
Gabon Goldfields (2s)	5s. 1 1/2d.	5s. 0d.
Globe and Phoenix (5s)	30s. 0d.	30s. 0d.
Gold Fields Rhodesian (10s)	12s. 0d.	11s. 3d.
Kapri Urandu Tinfields (5s)	2s. 0d.	2s. 0d.
Khatia (Suffan Gold (2s))	14s. 9d.	14s. 0d.
Khatia (10s)	9s. 0d.	8s. 9d.
Kenya Consolidated (5s)	3s. 0d.	3s. 0d.
Kruingimo (10s)	12s. 6d.	12s. 6d.
Lombora Corporation (1s)	1s. 0d.	1s. 0d.
Lombora Concessions (5s)	1s. 0d.	1s. 0d.
Lombora Gold (5s)	1s. 0d.	1s. 0d.
Lombora (Australia & Genl) (2s 6d)	2s. 1 1/2d.	2s. 0d.
London and Rhodesia (5s)	5s. 0d.	5s. 0d.
Martha Gold Areas (5s)	5s. 0d.	5s. 0d.
Martha Rhodesia (5s)	5s. 1 1/2d.	5s. 1 1/2d.
Martha (11s)	11s. 3d.	11s. 3d.
Martha Broken Hill (11s)	11s. 0d.	11s. 1 1/2d.
Rhodesia Katanga (10s)	7s. 9d.	7s. 0d.
Rhodesia Mining Concessions (2s 6d)	2s. 6d.	2s. 6d.

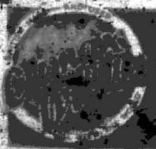
Rhodesian South American (10s)	10s. 0d.	10s. 0d.
Rhodesian Cape (10s)	10s. 0d.	10s. 0d.
Rhodesian Selection Trust (5s)	5s. 0d.	5s. 0d.
Rhodesia (11s)	11s. 0d.	11s. 0d.
Rose Antelope (5s)	5s. 0d.	5s. 0d.
Rose (10s)	10s. 0d.	10s. 0d.
Soleo (10s)	10s. 0d.	10s. 0d.
Sherwood (5s)	5s. 0d.	5s. 0d.
Tanami Gold (1s)	1s. 0d.	1s. 0d.
Tanganyika Central Gold (5s)	5s. 0d.	5s. 0d.
Tanganyika Concessions (5s)	5s. 0d.	5s. 0d.
Tanganyika Diamonds (5s)	5s. 0d.	5s. 0d.
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Union and Rhodesia (5s)	5s. 0d.	5s. 0d.
Union de Haut Katanga (10s)	10s. 0d.	10s. 0d.
Wankie Colliery (10s)	10s. 0d.	10s. 0d.
Watende (5s)	5s. 0d.	5s. 0d.
Zambesia Exploring (5s)	5s. 0d.	5s. 0d.

We have received the following prices in air mail from Major Charles Kruisinger, the Nairobi stockbroker:

Eldorado Ridge (5s)	10s. 0d.	10s. 0d.
Eldorado Mining Synd (10s)	10s. 0d.	10s. 0d.
Kenya Consolidated (10s)	10s. 0d.	10s. 0d.
Kenya Goldmining (5s)	5s. 0d.	5s. 0d.
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**BUSINESS POINTERS**

The object of assisting the development of trade throughout East and Central Africa, East Africa is always glad to give information regarding the territories for manufacturers and exporters, and to put merchants and others in East Africa in touch with supplies of suitable goods. The co-operation of readers in this service is cordially welcomed.

Permit applications are in progress for the opening of a milk canning factory for Southern Rhodesian meat.

Customs receipts for the port of Dewa during July are amounted to £26,000 compared with £24,334 for July, 1934.

Radio telephonic experiments are being carried out by London C.P.O. officials with Kenya with the object of opening a service next year.

A factory is to be erected in Bulawayo to begin work on imported raw sugar and to produce the necessary grades for the local market.

The ordinary general meeting of the Mozambique Company is to be held in Lisbon on October 10, when the accounts and directors' reports for the year will be presented.

Immigrants and anganyika during June included 25 British and 6 German nationals. During the same month 86 British visitors entered the Territory out of a total of 170.

Exports from Tanganyika during the first seven months of this year amounted to £1,611,053 compared with £1,321,103 for the corresponding period of 1934, a mean increase of 22.7%. Imports during the same period amounted to £5,677,611 compared with £4,275,000, or an increase of 35.6%.

The South African authorities stipulate as one of the conditions of the import or transit of hides and skins from Northern Rhodesia that all hides and skins must be stored in a locked storage place for four months under Government control and that no alterations must be made to the skins' contents during that period.

Kenya is giving serious attention to the Colony's representation at the Empire Exhibition to be held in Johannesburg next year. An Exhibition Committee will probably be set up to prepare a scheme for the Colony's participation and the name of Mr. C. K. Archer has been mentioned in connexion with the secretaryship.

Nearly 1,600 Native boys attended a highly successful Boy Scouts jamboree at Nyeru, Uganda.

Portraits of past Members of Nairobi have been placed on the walls of the Municipal Council Chamber.

A play entitled "Conquering" dealing with an air race from London to Cape Town, is to be broadcast in the African programme at 7 p.m. on 11.10.35 on Wednesday, October 23.

The Southern Rhodesian Publicity Department in Salisbury has invited artists to submit designs for the representation of the Empire Exhibition, 1935, on posters and brochure covers. The competition, which closes on October 31, is restricted to Rhodesians. Six four prizes will be awarded for the best designs.

**Bank's Trade Report**

The Monthly Review issued by the Bank of East Africa (D.C. & G.) contains the following items concerning East Africa:

**Kenya.**—The weather has been generally good and the rains have favoured the coming of the season but prices continue to be low. The new season's crops are satisfactory, but prices are disappointing.

**Uganda.**—The arrival of the rains has been delayed throughout the month. Cattle fattening and cotton planting, and some rice growing, are in progress. Good rains have since been reported. The area fully planted with cotton is approximately 622,632 acres. Cotton seed planted compared with 684,917 acres in the same date of the previous year. The prospects for early sowings are good, but the season is inactive.

**Tanganyika.**—Weather has been mainly cool and dry with showers in most districts. Outlook for cotton continues to be promising. The revised estimate for Mwanza cotton crop is 35,000 bales of which 10,000 bales of first quality have been sold. Tanganyika's total cotton crop is 45,000 bales.

**Nyasaland.**—Trade generally has been a slight improvement over August, 1934. Exports of tobacco are estimated at 11,000,000 lb. The Government has announced that it is prepared to grant advance to African tobacco growers on the security of the 1935-36 crop, subject to favourable conditions.

**Northern Rhodesia.**—Business conditions are reported steady during August, and most dealers report a fair demand for new and used cars. The new season's crop is reported to be promising in most areas. The maize crop has been delivered but the market has not yet opened. Instead, prices ranging from 1s. to 2s. 6d. per bush. The market has been steady.

**Southern Rhodesia.**—The hot and windless season is now well in hand, and a further drought has occurred. Little improvement has been noted in the situation, however, owing to the continuation of the fine restrictions, but local demand has fallen slightly with little variation in prices. Practically the whole of the tobacco crop has been delivered to the Government.

**Sudan.**—Demand for gum arabic has been steady and prices have remained firm with a slight upward movement. Durra prices have declined owing to the heavy crop demanded from Egypt, but the Sudan crop is reported to be going well. The Harar market has been somewhat quiet but prices have been maintained.

**Rhodesian/Castle Trade Statistics**

Rhodesian cattle ranches are to be exempted from the decision of the South African Government that cattle must be guaranteed for 50 days before they can be moved to the border. It is reported that the Government is considering that there is practical objection to the exemption and that in making this exemption the Government is favouring the interests of the Rhodesian cattle ranches in Rhodesia to build up their stock in the South African market.

**Sentinel Council in Tanganyika**

The Sentinel Council of the Tanganyika Territory has met with marked success during 1934 according to the report of G. A. E. Maxwell, general manager of the Tanganyika Railways, to the Council. The Council has been active during the year and a substantial amount of work has been done. The section were arranged for the first time in the year.

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"The statistics furnished convincingly (to a general and to some in the positions of the country). The volume of imports for the year ended 31.3.35, 1936, compared with 1935, was 100 per cent. above the previous year.

The goods imported and gold bullion are eliminated for the year 1935 and 1934, the latter year shows a total value of £2,63,618, or 75.5 per cent. of the value of the goods imported in the previous year.

The persistent fall in commodity values during the last few years, the policy of granting special low tariffs by rail and river continued. That the export of so many commodities has expanded during 1934 is in itself a measure of the success of this policy.

A marked improvement in the economic condition of the people has been noted. For the first time since 1930 wheat was imported, consumption being 1,663 tons against 1,147 tons in October, the maximum retail price was reduced by one mastré per ras (1/2 kilo), and the effect of this reduction was almost immediately reflected in a large consumption. Grain was plentiful, and it can be said that the people, having borne the last years with considerable fortitude, are now looking forward to more favourable conditions.

Following the disappointing cotton crop in the Gezira during the year 1933-4, which produced an overall yield of only 1,000 bales compared with an average of 1,700 bales in the previous year, the Government in 1934-5, from the start and has continued to fulfil its duty towards the farmers. The latest estimate gives a yield of approximately 1,000 bales of the high grade cotton associated with the Gezira.

Improvements were continued in the Government's programme of the irrigations and breeding grounds of the Gezira. Owing to good winter rains on the Ray, the cotton yield per acre (in *Heliothrips perennis*, Forsk.) was able to be bred and in places produced two generations. Successful tests were carried out, and only a few days' work was required in the breeding grounds in the winter months.

#### Kenya's Crop Forecasts

The new crop report from Kenya gives the following estimated acreages as at the end of July: *Maise*, 1,20,000 acres, compared with 1,20,100 acres harvested last season; *Wheat*, 1,20,000 acres, compared with 1,20,000 acres harvested last season; *Maize*, 1,20,000 acres, compared with 1,20,000 acres harvested last season.

#### Kenya's Timber Resources

There is a certain anxiety in Kenya as to the adequacy of the forest area and a feeling that the area is being seriously diminished by constant encroachments. The annual report of the Kenya Forest Department points out, however, that in 1934 the total reserved forest area was 3,200 square miles and at the end of 1934 the area was 3,200 square miles.

#### East African Jurisdiction in England

Mr. J. E. Vaughan, acting Attorney General of England, is the author of "The Dual Jurisdiction in Southern Government Printer, Zanzibar, or Ceylon Agents for the Colonies, Re 2/6 for 50/-". The book is a valuable reference work, and it is the only one of its kind in the world. It is published by the Government Printer, Zanzibar, and is available in English and Swahili. The book is a valuable reference work, and it is the only one of its kind in the world. It is published by the Government Printer, Zanzibar, and is available in English and Swahili.

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## MAJESTIES OF MOMENT.

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Frank disagreement has been expressed by East African writers with some of the proposals made from the Colonial Office side, and with certain of the characteristics of their present policy. It is interesting to note that the proposals were met with a certain amount of criticism. It was pointed out that the proposals were in many respects a departure from the policy of the Government in regard to the East African territories.





## Tropical Irritability

### Eye Color Not a Factor

To the Editor of The Lancet

I think the probability of a person's eye color depending on many more important factors than the color of his eyes is too individual. No one could minimize the importance of a certain theory which is contrary to the views which the potent cause of irritation is of the contrary to the theory of the elements of an equal temperament and a resonance of the highly molecular and continuous on the part of the solar rays. A doubtful fatal history should exclude from the tropics. Alcoholism, late hours and the want of a hobby, all additional factors.

As consultant physician to the two European hospitals here I see some of these cases invalided on the ground of tropical conditions and the color of the eyes not of the nature of the disease. Another point which must be considered is the great prevalence of right eye disease in the tropics. In the tropics and cup the patient is between the tropics and the tropics there are no detectors of the tropics and the tropics are very numerous. In the tropics and the tropics there are many cases of the tropics and the tropics are very numerous. In the tropics and the tropics there are many cases of the tropics and the tropics are very numerous.

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## East Africa's Seven Wonders

### In A Week's Mission's Cause

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# Mr Maugham Looks Back

## Nyasaland's Naughty Nineties

MEMORIES of old steamboaters, of old inland and old stories are stirred by Mr. Maugham's racy new book, *Nyasaland in the Nineties* (Lincoln, Williams, 1935), an anecdotal effort which may be described as the lighter side of history, although at times the author indulges in serious theories which force themselves to the fore despite the mainly racy tone.

To retrace his own progress of the office session, at least, and of the life on the river steamers that one can almost smell them. The detail which Maugham brings so vividly—tracing with a sure pen the almost unpeppable domination of Sir Harry Johnston (though he does not conjure up his name as vividly as "Tanganyika" would do in a single paragraph), in pays the following tribute to his success:

"The only man who appeared to exercise any influence over Johnston, and to whose advice he owed in great measure his success in B.C.A. associated with his name, was the New York Alford W. Johnson, whose legal knowledge and cool far-seeing judgment were instrumental in enabling the young and struggling Protectorate to push its judicial and fiscal measures which it required for the... to Johnson indeed, might have proved impossible."

John Buchanan, Paolucci and many others live again in these pages, while the descriptions of the birth of Blantyre municipality and of the Chambers Association are real history.

### Bundle in Blantyre

As the story comes to the quiet close, it is of Sir Alfred Sharpe and the cooler which is excellent, but readers must seek it for themselves, while between pages 80 and 97 appears the story of the never-discovered practical joke which must have cost the father of Bundle.

First, the episode of the meat order. The weekly order was entered in the usual way, and the joker rubbed out all the names, leaving each name substituting what was the case mess and a sheep for a barrel of... the babies were mixed up in... This was followed by the... to the climax of the supposed... of the mess on board the... which upset the whole... This is very well done, and is typical of the style in which so essential bit of fun was obtained in those early pioneer days.

But I venture to suggest that Mr. Maugham has been inclined to overstress the heavy drinking and... If he is right, then Sir Harry Johnston was all wrong, for many of the characters survived for several years, and some are still with us. Occasions, I do not think he has exaggerated, but the impression of normal habits seems to me too heavily coloured, and he might have said just a bit about the planters' real good work. Likewise, the very very heavy of missionaries, I think he might have been a trifle unfortunate in his account of... Mr. Maugham supplies. He refers rather to the... to the inclusion of... as the... the new... and one North-Eastern... was nominally ruled from... The first sentence in this context appears on p. 112.

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The basis are that... only was collected... and that nominally... that date (1895) it was in... "of" at all, there was administration of any kind... the £10,000... Nyasaland... Government posts opened in all cases... were... were... the same... and later to... on... Lake Mweru, Rebinet being... Denis... the... Estiguan and others... established... Tanganyika... Mweru route, and the... at Kasama... Administration... have been... to have... until 1898, and taxation... only... 1901.

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Space remains only for one more reference to show how rarely Mr. Maugham has lost his act, and how good, generally speaking, are the results. Writing of witchcraft (including his valuable first-hand experience of the story of Matandu's heists):

"Whenever we make up or do, or do as we may at what we regard as his ignorant superstitions, we shall never succeed in shaking the Natives until we amend our law in such a way that persons accused of witchcraft may be summoned before a competent authority... if only out of deference to a universal and, at present, ineradicable belief."

"Instead of regarding his... as a malignant and... influence against... from the... of every... thinking European should be... he should be... and... and... policy, and his... knowledge... useful account."

There I must leave this... provoking book Old Nyasalanders and Zambian men will enjoy... though... will agree with me that it would have been... had Mr. Maugham and... vetted before it was set... The younger generation should get a... out of it and some... of how very different things are 40 years later... due to those who... out so... these pages. They were a... lot, and... did their work exceedingly well."

### Scriptures in African Languages

The annual report of the British and Foreign Bible Society states that during the year 1934, new languages have been added to the... of these are translations of parts of the Bible three are in East Africa, one being the... of St. Mark's Gospel in the... language... the Belgian Congo... of St. John's Gospel by... it is... of Galla... and... about 20,000... the... the... H.S. Nixon of the African... of... into... spoken in the... district of Kenya... of the... which will interest all East Africans... make a special study of African... obtained from the Society at... 140 Queen Victoria Street, London, E.C.4.

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By **William L. Little**

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# Flows Of Manufacture

## Conditions of a Prosperous Future

The main object of the Government is to secure a steady and growing output of goods in the domestic market. This is essential for the prosperity of the country. The Government is therefore taking steps to improve the conditions of manufacture. These steps include the provision of better facilities for the production of goods, the improvement of the methods of production, and the improvement of the quality of the goods produced. The Government is also taking steps to improve the conditions of the workers in the manufacturing industry. These steps include the provision of better wages, better hours of work, and better conditions of work. The Government is also taking steps to improve the conditions of the general public. These steps include the provision of better roads, better schools, and better hospitals. The Government is confident that these steps will lead to a prosperous future for the country.

# Kenya Settler Grievances

## Repetition of a Current Exaggeration

A concise summary of Kenya settler grievances has been sent by Mr. J. Mosinger, the well-known Nairobi settler, to The Manchester Guardian and, except for the mis-statement that none of the colony's primary products is now produced as a profit, it is a much truer description of its position than most of those recently made. It is regrettable, however, to note the repetition of a now common exaggeration of the plight of the producers in the colony. It is so common indeed, that the last three Kenya settlers on Kenya who have discussed economic matters with us have been interested in clarifying pyrethrum growing and seed planting, respectively, and each in a happy mood, the first and last particularly. None of them would endorse the claim that no crops can be profitably grown in Kenya at a profit.

### Safety Razor Blades

A new use for used safety razor blades has been found by the natives near Mbulungu, according to the Sheffield Independent, which says:—  
At this remote corner of the Empire in Africa, used safety razor blades are eagerly sought and make good currency. For one blade a native will barter a basket of mangoes, or a few baskets of pawpaws; but for a few blades a native will barter a cow. A fine Lake Tanganyika fish can be had for about a dozen blades, and a native will barter a cow for a few blades. The natives are now averse from using them.

# Malaria in Nyasaland

Mr. J. Gordon, the Public Health Officer, has reported to the Government of Nyasaland that the incidence of malaria in the islands on which he has been reported in the past few years is still high. The Government is therefore taking steps to improve the conditions of the islands. These steps include the provision of better facilities for the production of goods, the improvement of the methods of production, and the improvement of the quality of the goods produced. The Government is also taking steps to improve the conditions of the workers in the manufacturing industry. These steps include the provision of better wages, better hours of work, and better conditions of work. The Government is also taking steps to improve the conditions of the general public. These steps include the provision of better roads, better schools, and better hospitals. The Government is confident that these steps will lead to a prosperous future for the country.

### Migration Advocated

The Conference on Empire Migration, meeting in Newcastle on the initiative of the Lord Mayor of that city, concluded unanimously last week that this Conference calls on the Government to take immediate action to facilitate, with the assistance of Dominion representatives, the putting into operation of plans that will ensure the steady building of a great migration movement. The Conference represented Southern Rhodesia.

### Share of Future

The African Railway Finance Company's issue of £1,000,000 of £100 shares, debenture stock, is today being offered for subscription early this month. The issue will be a key to the success of the project, with over 50% of the issue. The failure of the same is attributed to the 'stab-Ethiopian' crisis. The issue was sold at 2% discount.

### Morganatic Co. Increased Profits

Greatly improved results were shown by the Morganatic Railway Co. whose profits for 1933 amounted to £1,000,000 compared with £200,000 in 1932. The increase in this case will be found in the statement of account.



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Some Statements Worth Noting

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172—Major E. Napier Clark.

...Louis are becoming more tame than ever they were. — *Captain Moore, P. O. The Strength Game*

...Omdurman, with its population of 100,000, had been the only town of its size without a cinema. — *The Sudan Herald*

...The lions were struck in Italy with the... of the King wearing the crown of Ethiopia. — *Ernest Barker, in a letter to The Times*

...The constitution Kenya has been given has now been turned into an efficient obstruction machine. — *Major E. Napier Clark speaking in the Kenya Legislative Council*

...There is no steamship or railway line, so even as Imperial Airways which has lost less than one life for every million miles of flight. — *Admiral Mark Kerr, addressing the Women's Engineering Society*

...If British people would buy what the... grow Southern Rhodesia could take thousands of people from the Mother Country. — *Mr. S. M. Langman O. L. L. in the Committee for Southern Rhodesia*

...The use of coal within the Territory will signalise an important stage in its development and may lead to further utilisation of its immense gas reserves. — *Dr. E. C. Teale, Tanganyika Mining Commission*

...The preference of these flies for different species of animals is being tested. Of many flies we were fed on a special diet rather than feed again. — *Mr. C. E. M. Robinson, Director of the Tanganyika Department of Tanganyika*

...That was grand coffee. The best coffee in all parts of the Empire but I have never had anything better than this. — *There are two flavors of Kenya coffee in the "In Harm's Way" book by David Erskine. (He was assured that the coffee served was in fact Kenya coffee.)*

...The mosquitoes so effective against the malarial (forms of malarial parasite which infect mosquitoes) of malarial to the malarial that does even as small as a centigrade are sufficient to prevent malarial infections. — *Liverpool Gazette, S. P. James, addressing the British Association*

...Natives of Tanganyika have no reason for any love of German administrative methods of which they had many forgettable examples in the past. They would strongly resist any effort to return to them from their present happy condition under British rule. — *The Financial Times*

...We shall never end these unfortunate controversies on the subject of taxation till we adopt a sound and equitable system of direct taxation under which both producers and officials will be assessed according to their means and their family commitments, under which companies will adequately contribute to the revenue, and under which runaway owners of the empire's property and others will be made subject to a Kenya tax. — *Lord Curzon, Governor of Kenya, in a letter addressed to the Secretary of the Legislative Association of the Colony*



Portrait of Major E. Napier Clark

After graduation at Edinburgh University... Major Clark went to India to join a railway... and served there for a number of years... as assistant traffic manager... and then as traffic manager. He joined the Indian Army in the Great War, being promoted to Colonel and assigned his commission after the Armistice... to go to Tanganyika to join... E. Napier Clark, the oldest established firm of advocates in the Territory. In 1914 he became a member of Gray's Inn. He is a director of... in Tanganyika... including... Cottoa Co., Ltd., Tanganyika Hotels, Ltd., German's Africa, Ltd. and Cassia Gold Areas, Ltd., and he has extensive gold mining interests, particularly in the Morogoro and the Masoch districts, and in the Uvungu area. East African Selection Syndicate which is operating in the Mwanza and Ndanda areas. He often stays from 1000... Major Clark was President of the Tanganyika Golf Society, and he has been President of the... of the... Society, and a member of many other clubs. He is an avid golfer and cricketer and has a first-class cricketing record.

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# Quick Consention Results. Where Not to Grow Cotton

## Special Commissioner to Visit Kenya.

There have been two prompt results to the demands of the recent session of the Convention of Associated Kenya. The promise of the Secretary of State for the Colonies, the commendation of the Government to appoint a Special Commissioner to examine the case of the Government and advise in regard to the 1935 Budget, and the appointment by the Governor of a Royal Committee to explore the possibility of relieving the burden of agricultural and industrial work is under the chairmanship of Mr. Harrigan, the Attorney General, and has a non-official majority, with strong agricultural representation.

Lord Francis Scott has become Chairman of the Colonists' Vigilance Committee, Major Cavendish-Rendell has been appointed Deputy Chairman, and the provisional Executive, which has power to co-opt other members, consists in addition to Mr. W. H. Evans, Major Ewart Grogan, and Sir J. Pyers, Messrs. B. M. A. L. Gladwell, Mr. A. C. Tannahill, Mr. G. H. Hamilton, and Captain E. Hamilton.

## Withdrawal from the Legislature

At a recent four meeting of the farmers' associations of the Masai, Gishu, Mbeu, a vote of confidence in Lord Francis Scott and Mr. A. C. Lloyd, the local M. C., was passed unanimously, as was a resolution congratulating the recent withdrawal from the Legislative Council of four of the European elected members.

## Kaifu Maize Control

Kaifu coffee planters, while sympathizing with the maize growers of Kenya, are strongly opposed to any scheme for the control calculated to raise the price to the local consumer, thereby increasing the cost of production of maize and sisal at a time when these industries are struggling for their very existence.

## Uganda Cotton

Cotton tax collections in Uganda from January to the end of July amounted to over 40,000,000 shillings bales bought from Uganda ports and stations up to August a number 22,778. Demand for seed have been heavier than usual, and the acreage prepared for planting has been greater than normal. The approximate acreage planted at the end of July was 622,632, compared with 622,616 in 1934.

## Mandates

The report of the Permanent Mandates Commission was considered last week by the Assembly of the League of Nations, which, in adopting the report, referred to apprehensions that mandated territories might be united with adjacent possessions, and noted that the delegates of the United Kingdom and France had given assurances that the individuality of the territories mandated to them was in no way threatened.

## Kenya Under Mandate

Professor J. H. Tate, Administrator of National Labour meeting in Nelson (Lancashire), said of Sir Samuel Hoare's recent statement on the distribution of Colonial territories: "Let the Government go to Geneva and offer to put Kenya and Zanzibar and the East Coast of Africa under the control of the League of Nations for the benefit of the whole world, instead of for the benefit of the British capitalist, and then you will believe in the word *Word* of the Government."

## Rhodesia Paper Scheme

Application has been made to the Water Board of Southern Rhodesia for permission to utilize waterfalls in an eastern district in the Colony for the generation of electricity to be used in the manufacture of paper and wood pulp. The project involves expenditure of about £1,000,000 on plant, light, railways and other installations. The application has been granted subject to the obligation to plant 2,000 acres of trees within four years, 16,000 acres within eight years, or 40,000 acres at the end of 12 years, an acceptance was made for the project.

## Valuable Guidance from N. Rhodesia

Mr. W. J. Allen, of Northern Rhodesia, gave a scientific explanation of the cause of the cotton crop failure of cotton crops in that territory when he addressed the Imperial Entomological Conference in London last week.

With Mr. Fackelme he has studied the life and habits of the 'L' stage borer, the 'L' insect, which causes so much damage to cotton, and he has established an apparent relation between the numbers of insects found at certain times and the flowering of certain trees and plants, such as acacias. The insects do not fly to the leaf the hordes of insects and are killed there, and when the plants of the insects invaded the cotton plants as they came to flower and fed on the new cotton.

The importance of this discovery lies in the fact that areas in which this particular tree or plants do not grow would be better suited for the growing of cotton than the areas in which they do grow, in which settlers were attempting to grow cotton and in which these plants flourish.

Mr. Fackelme, Agricultural adviser in the Colonial Office, who presided over the conference, said this work had opened a new field of entomological research, the results of the future might need to institute an entomological survey before purchasing land or attempting to grow specific crops.

## Record Puku in Tanganyika

Wesley M. Rajah of Burguja, who is an able bird hunting expedition in Tanganyika, is reported to have bagged a puku with a record spread of 211 inches. The previous record of 170 inches was held by John Bothchild, who obtained his in Northern Rhodesia. Mr. S. P. Leary, Game Warden of Tanganyika, in his last annual report refers to the puku in the Lake Rukwa Reserve, and states that this rare animal is found elsewhere in the territory only in the vicinity of the Kilombo River, but such a puku have been seen near Mtwara on the Tanganyika coast.

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Mining in Tanganyika

Mining Progress in Kenya

Economics of the Industry

That Europeans employed in mining in Kenya in 1934 were paid £20,000 and 14th Europeans £7,914 is shown in the annual report of the African Geological Department which has just been received and which indicates how the mining industry has been to the point of meeting new fields of investment opportunities for the farmer.

The average number of Europeans employed in gold workings was 463 and 406 respectively in 1933 and 1934, with rates of pay being £25,700 and £22,000 respectively. There was a decrease of 10% in the average pay of non-Europeans during the same period, 1934 year compared with the year ending 1933, but they received a 10% increase during the latter part of the year.

The 48 Europeans and 1,500 non-Europeans engaged on alluvial workings in the district of the district of 1934, and of the latter 75% spent the whole of the year as non-European manual workers while earning considerably higher wages. A few cases were paid to European alluvial workers, possibly obtained by their receiving commissions on the sale of the mineral. The number of Europeans employed in the district, of course, include the numerous persons employed in their own claims.

The value of the mineral produced was £12,000,000, the 1934th mineral value of the district being £10,000,000. Since 1926 Kenya has produced 177,000 tons of gold worth a total of £1,000,000,000, a 10% increase over the total value of alluvial workings in the district. The smaller companies which produced gold during the 1934 and 1935 years, the foremost success in the district being produced by the claims being acquired by prominent companies.

Records as having been spent on mining and on becoming the rest of the year. Through some prospectors have now come to be known as New Claims, the market is still a hot one, and practically without exception their behaviour in the field has been unimpeachable. Closest cooperation has been maintained with the health authorities and mining and alluvial activities have been turned to beneficial use in opening up communities, clearing and infested areas, and cutting down the attacks of malaria.

Many distinguished people have visited the district, and a statement by the Bishop of Grayson may perhaps give an up-to-date opinion of reasonable men, states the report: "If I might say all that I can, I would say that it is to get gold out of the country, though the surface is Native owned, it would be a very worthwhile thing that can be done if being done with justice to the original African owners and to see that Native interests in the whole area are not suffered."

Publication of Official Brochure

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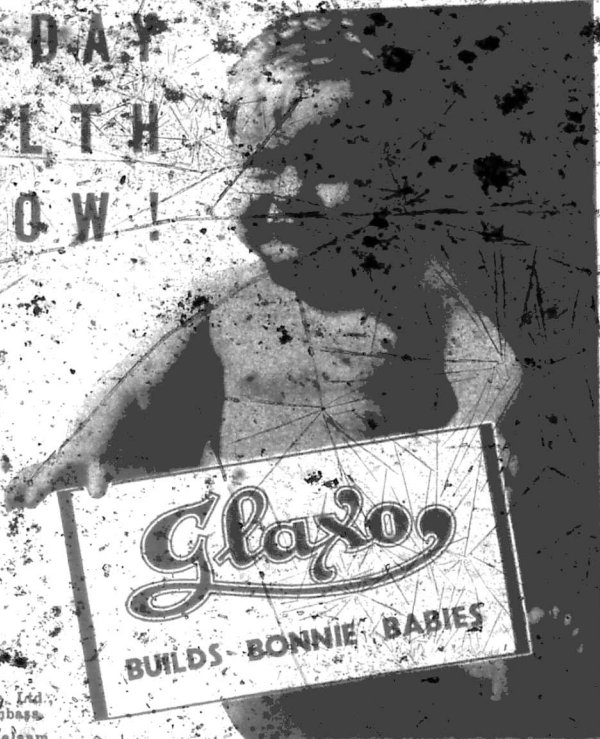
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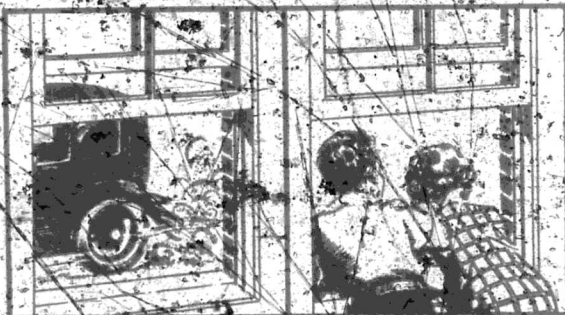
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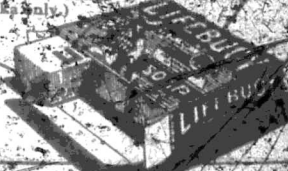
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## Provision of New Capital

We recently reported that arrangements had been concluded by East African Goldfields, Ltd. for the provision of new capital. A circular note issued to the shareholders states:

The extraordinary general meeting of members held in Dar es Salaam on August 20 passed a resolution increasing the authorized capital to £600,000, divided into 24,000,000 shares of 5s. each.

British group of association with Messrs. M. Philippon & Company, the well-known Brussels bankers, has subscribed for 300,000 new shares at 75s. net per share and undertaken that none of these shares shall be sold at a price of less than 95s. 6d. per share before December 31, 1935. This group has been granted options over 10,000,000 shares at 95s. net per share exercisable up to August 1, 1936, and over a similar number as 12s. net per share up to August 1, 1937.

Mr. Henri Helmsing, a partner in the firm of F. M. Philippon & Company, has been elected to the board of directors of this company as their representative, and Brigadier-General T. E. Speers, C.B., C.E., M.C., has been elected to the London Committee.

Four directors simultaneously entered into an agreement with Kenya Development Limited, Ltd. Messrs. M. Philippon & Company were appointed and invited for the purchase of certain of the mining interests. The interests concerned were examined and reported on in April of this year by a well-known London consulting engineers, and were carefully considered by the board after consultation with Sir Allan Watson and Mr. Albert Deane, your consulting engineers.

Your assistant general manager, Mr. Bennett Smith, B.Sc., A.I.M.M.E., M.M.S.E., has proceeded to Kenya and has taken over the management in realisation of the two promising prospects which are being developed, known as the B. and M. Mason property, and the Rhodesia & Mashonaland property.

## Acquisition of K. D. Interests

The Burton & Mason property is situated in the Kibunga Goldfield between the Kibungu and Kibungu rivers. Messrs. Deane, after studying the reports made by the London firm of consulting engineers, stated that the Burton & Mason property offers the prospect of developing interesting auriferous surface soil deposits of the order of 100,000 tons of more or less, based on the gradient of 100 ft. per ton, and a recoverable gold content of 100 oz. per ton. On a reasonable scale of operations, say 100,000 tons per year, this content may be treated at 2s. per ton, leaving a margin of about 7s. per ton or a dividend of 10s. per ton on a 2s. cost. The occurrence is an unusual one, and appears to be derived from the heavy auriferous drift, which is, unfortunately, too small to be profitable.

The Burton & Mason property in the N. W. Area, Kenya Colony, some 30 miles west of the Kibungu Goldfield, contains a number of small reefs. The most important of these is situated on the Kibungu Reef, has been reported by the Kibungu Goldfield Survey to contain 100,000 tons of more or less of auriferous drift, and has the surface area of 100,000 sq. ft. The drift is of the order of 100 ft. deep, and is of the order of 100 ft. wide. The drift is of the order of 100 ft. deep, and is of the order of 100 ft. wide. The drift is of the order of 100 ft. deep, and is of the order of 100 ft. wide.

The purchase price for these interests, which also included mining plant and machinery, was £20,000. The balance of the £20,000 was paid by the company, and the balance of the £20,000 was paid by the company, and the balance of the £20,000 was paid by the company.

The annual report of the company, which was published in the form of a prospectus, is available from the company. The prospectus contains a full and complete statement of the company's affairs, and is of great interest to all shareholders. The prospectus is available from the company, and is of great interest to all shareholders.

## Operating Profit of £114,000

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## Latest Progress Reports

Kenya Gold Mining Syndicate—August return 10 tons crushed, yielding 118 1/2 oz. of gold, 450 tons acid cyanided, yielding 0.5 oz. of gold.

Rhodina—Aug. output from Flowing River mine was 25,000 lbs. crushed, 113 tons (100,165 lbs.) from mill, and 302 tons cyanide, value £721, compared with 20,000 lbs. of ore.

During August 20 tons of ore were milled for recovery of 1 1/2 oz. of fine gold. The amount of ore crushed was 25,000 lbs. The amount of ore crushed was 25,000 lbs. The amount of ore crushed was 25,000 lbs. The amount of ore crushed was 25,000 lbs. The amount of ore crushed was 25,000 lbs.

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P. P. LINDSEY - You may be disappointed in counting upon a sub-forecast of 1935. At the moment of writing the odds are against it.

A. B. R. ERETH - The Pakanebo report for the calendar year of 1934 was presented to shareholders at a meeting held in Nairobi on July 16 last.

R. D. DROWITCH - Apart from its opinion over the prospect of Kenya Reefs, the National Mining Corporation has other East African interests, some being in the Iringa province of Tanganyika.

D. A. O'N. BLEAST - There is strong evidence that it is an excellent property and if the financial and management of the company are arranged on sound lines, its shares should appreciate greatly in the next two or three years.

A. N. O. LONDON - London Australian fund General have been very disappointing, but an early improvement would not be surprising. As is, on the whole, look cheap. A year ago there was strong and well informed buying, and over.

S. E. B. GOSMER - You want four shares over which to spread your money. Suggest East African Goldfields, Kenya Gold Mining Syndicate, London Australian and General and Rosterman. Early rises are quite possible in each case.

A. T. BRIDGEMAN - Taking the long view, Bushick, obtainable as we write, is a par, should do well. The first annual report shows ore reserves considerably above previous estimates, a progressive policy of development is being adopted, and the company is under good auspices.

B. A. S. CHICHESTER - Sorry you are doing nothing to our recent note on this subject. Our information is that developments are proceeding normally. The shares are worth holding if you are prepared to disregard idiosyncratic fluctuations caused by fears of international trouble. But as you have a recent profit even at present prices you might sell part of your holding.

G. C. MALVERN - Can you safely take the advice of your broker. If brokers were infallible they would speedily make so much money that few of them would remain in business. The extent to which the guidance of a particular broker can be accepted depends upon the individual and the trouble he is prepared to take when advising his clients. Yours has certainly good grounds for suggesting that East African Goldfields at 65s. 3d. and Rosterman at 60s. offer the real scope for capital appreciation.

CONTINUED uncertainty of the international market has resulted in lessened activity of the London Stock Exchange, where most of the East African mining shares show little change above last week's prices. East African Goldfields and Waterle have fallen 50s. and Kenya Consolidated 60s. While the Rhodesian mining shares Luiri have been active and are now 14s. 3d. higher at 7s. 3d.

Table with columns 'Last week' and 'This week' listing various mining companies and their share prices. Includes entries like Andara Syndicate, Bushick Mines, East African Goldfields, etc.

GENERAL

Table listing general share prices for companies like British South Africa, East African Sugar Plantations, E. A. Power and Lighting, etc.

Nairobi Quotations

Table listing Nairobi stock market quotations for various companies such as Elzawa, Eldred, Kenya Consolidated Goldfields, etc.

POWER for INDUSTRY!

Advertisement for Kenya Electric Light and Power Co. Ltd. featuring a large illustration of a power transmission tower and associated infrastructure.

Kenya Electric Light and Power Co. Ltd. will pay a dividend of 20% of 1s. per share on Nov. 1st and 2nd. Eldred Mining will pay a second interim dividend of 6d. per 5s. share, tax free, on Nov.

# Trans-Zambesia Railway. The Development of Nyasaland.

## MR. LIBERT DURY'S SURVEY.

THE fifteenth annual general meeting of the Trans-Zambesia Railway Company, Ltd., was held last week at the registered office of the company, 3 Thames House, Old Broad Street, London, E.C.

Mr. Libert Dury, the Chairman, having dealt with the report and accounts for the year ended December 31, 1934, said:

Gentlemen.—The disappointing result of the year's working was due mainly to the decrease in the tonnage earned from 89,507 tons in 1933 to 62,384 tons in 1934. Of the decrease of 27,123 tons no less than 10,113 tons is accounted for by the fact that, whilst in 1933 we carried 28,203 tons of construction material for the Zambesi Bridge and the extension of the Nyasaland Railway, we had in 1934 only 5,182 tons of construction material for transport.

### Analysis of Tonnage Figures.

Further analysis of the tonnage figures, disappointing though they undoubtedly are, discloses, however, some comfort for the future, for whilst there was an aggregate decrease of 2,620 tons in public traffic, several increases were shown in the tonnages carried by tobacco, tin, and cotton. The significance of this result is again established as the main cross-Nyasaland tea is expanding, and a very large development may be looked for in the production for export of cotton, both in the areas of Nyasaland now made available by the construction of the Northern Extension of Nyasaland Railway and in the districts along the Zambesi in the territory of the Mozambique Company.

During the last few years all our energies have been directed in filling the gaps in the transport system between the port area between Lake Nyasa and the Port of Beira. The extension of the railway from Beira to Lake Nyasa has been completed by Nyasaland Railway, the bridge over the Zambesi by Central Africa Railway, and by our efforts in connecting our former terminus on the Zambesi with Sena, the bridgehead on the south bank, while, as we all know, the Port Company at Beira has rebuilt, deep water wharves and completely modernised the equipment of the port.

Thus, at last, facilities have been provided for efficient and rapid transport from or to any point situated between Lake Nyasa and Beira. The road is now, therefore, open for the development of production on a scale that would have been impossible before the construction of the bridge and the extension of Nyasaland Railway to Lake Nyasa.

### Areas Suitable for Production.

The Nyasaland Government has recently completed an agricultural survey of Central Nyasaland which shows that there are now within reach of the railway extensive areas suitable for the production of a largely increased cotton crop and of other crops, such as groundnuts and soy beans, which have hitherto not been grown in quantities sufficient for export, and it is to be hoped that the Government will now take active steps to ensure that the Native obtains good seeds and receives careful instruction and guidance in the production of crops suitable for export.

Increased exports would mean, of course, increased purchasing power, and this in turn would create a demand for these imports and would generally broaden the basis of trade. Better market prices recently ruling give hope that the production of wool may be revived, and experiments, export commitments have been made of maize, millet, grapefruit, and cassava.

It seems, therefore, that realisation of the opportunities for the development of Nyasaland opened up by the construction of the Zambesi Bridge and the extension of the railway to Lake Nyasa has not kept pace with the progress of these works. This, I think, is the explanation of the gap between the conclusion of the construction of these works and the starting-up of expansion of production

which they have hitherto been unable to do. It is, therefore, not now that the opportunity has been opened up, Nyasaland's transport facilities are limited and unimproved, the steps necessary to take advantage of it will be carried out, with results progressively beneficial to Nyasaland and to the railways serving it.

I have dealt very fully with questions concerning Nyasaland traffic, because as you are aware, the greater part of the tonnage passing over your line consists of traffic coming to or coming from Nyasaland.

### Improved Conditions in Mozambique.

There are, however, some clear indications of trading conditions in the territory of the Mozambique Company becoming more favourable. As I have already said, it is anticipated that the production for export of cotton in the districts along the Zambesi will increase.

The Inhamitanga Petroleum Company has received such favourable reports from its geologists that it has arranged to embark on large scale trials, including the importation of the latest drilling equipment and an oil-well personnel from America. In June of this year 50,000 worth of this drilling equipment arrived for use at Inhambane, and the results of the drilling which is now being carried out are being watched with the greatest interest.

Another important development is the beginning of construction at Beira by the Shell Company of their bulk oil installation which will supply Rhodesia and the territories served by your line.

I think it of interest also to note that there has been inaugurated a regular air mail service between Salisbury and Beira via Blantyre, operated by the Rhodesia and Nyasaland Airways in conjunction with Imperial Airways.

### Further Railway Project.

Another aspect of the great potential importance of the proposed construction of the railway between Sena with the existing line north of the Zambesi, which will further the contacts in direct railway communication with the Port of Beira, and will further the development of progress has been made in the survey of this line now being made by the Portuguese Government.

In conclusion, should like, on behalf of my colleagues and myself, to put on record our appreciation of the valuable and friendly assistance which the Company in Mozambique continues to give us, and to trust also that we should be recognised of the very great services rendered by our general manager, Mr. Duccani, and our officials in Africa, and by Mr. Carey and his staff in London.

The report and accounts were adopted unanimously. Mr. T. L. Gilmore, the retiring director, was re-elected, and Messrs. Harwood, Banner and Son were reappointed auditors of the company.

The proceedings terminated with a vote of thanks to the Chairman.

The total export traffic handled by the Kenya and Uganda Railways during the first seven months of this year amounted to 244,414 tons, compared with 173,030 tons during the corresponding period of last year, or an increase of 40.68%. Import traffic handled at Kisumu during the same period amounted to 53,681 tons, compared with 40,653 tons.

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GENERAL BALANCE SHEET at the 31st DECEMBER, 1934

Assets	Liabilities
Cash Deposits Bonds Stocks Loans Advances Prepaid Expenses Accounts Receivable Other Assets	Capital Reserves Provisions Accounts Payable Other Liabilities
Total	Total

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The Chief of Administration, The President  
 General AGUIAR COELHO FRANCISCO DE SIQUEIRA

The Chief of the Accounts Department,  
 LISBOA, 30th Jan. 1935. (Signed) PAULO JOAQUIM DOS SANTOS

PROFIT AND LOSS at the 31st DECEMBER, 1934

Expenses	Income
Salaries and Wages Depreciation Interest Taxes Other Expenses	Revenue Dividends Interest Other Income
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Bank's Trade Report

News Items in Brief

Summary of Congo Basin Trade Revision

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Recruiting Labour in Nyasaland

Labour recruiting stations and offices are now open in East Africa.

The Brussels International Exhibition is to remain open until November 1st. It is expected that the exhibition will be a success.

East African wireless listeners are to hear a special Empire variety programme at 8.30 p.m. on Monday, November 8. Four of the artists are South Africans.

Revenue of the Tanganyika Railways and Port Trusts for the first seven months of this year reached 3,742,224 or 222,780 over the estimated revenue for that period.

Mr. Maxwell for this year gave a foundation stone for the Livingstone national monument as the birthplace of the missionary in Blantyre, Scotland, after there last week.

Stamp dealers in the country are doing a brisk trade in African and Italian colonial stamps. Since 1908 the first issued stamps early in 1909 some 20 standard varieties have been produced.

The glass breeze van in Nairobi acted on last week. A number of machines were on the programme and were fixed to safety by members of the R.A.F. contingent which had arrived there a few days previously.

Receipts of the Beira and Uganda Railways for August were £106,064 an increase of 20.55% compared with August last year. From January 1 the total is £1,022,334 against £854,502 during the corresponding period of 1931.

According to the preliminary results of the census taken last May in the Beira and the Company's territory in Portuguese East Africa the European population totals 3,000 of whom 2,000 are Portuguese and 1,000 British. The European population of Beira is 2,000.

With the agreement of the Government concerned about 2,000 natives of Bechuanaland and the Rhodesias were recruited for work on the railways about 8 months ago. The experiment has proved so successful that a large batch of labour will shortly be recruited in Nyasaland for the Transvaal.

Mozambique Company

REPORT OF THE LOCAL COUNCIL

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Advertisement for GAYNER'S CRUET. The advertisement features the brand name 'GAYNER'S CRUET' in large, bold letters. Below the name, it states 'THE SAFEST DRINK TO TAKE WITH MEALS' and 'THE BEST TASTING AND STIMULATING APPEALING'. The ad also mentions 'GAYNER'S CRUET IS THE SAFEST DRINK TO TAKE WITH MEALS' and 'THE BEST TASTING AND STIMULATING APPEALING'. The advertisement is framed by a decorative border.

# East African Market Reports.

## COFFEE

There was small demand at this week's auctions, at which prices showed little change. They were as follows:

Kenya	
A sizes	45s. 0d.
B "	43s. 0d.
C "	40s. 0d.
Peaberry	40s. 0d.
Other Crops	
A sizes	41s. 0d. to 50s. 0d.
Peaberry	41s. 0d.
London stocks	4,289 tons (1934: 4,013 tons.)

We are indebted to the London representative of the Coffee Board of Kenya for the following statistics of coffee auctions in London during September—

Grade	Sales	Average price
Bag	Bag	per cwt.
A	1,922	46s. 0d.
B	160	38s. 0d.
C	30	32s. 0d.
TT	2	34s. 0d.
RB	3	37s. 0d.
FB	109	48s. 0d.

## OTHER MARKETS

**Burley**— Californian is easier at 40s. to 45s. per cwt. ex ship.

**Caster Seed**— Nominally £1 10s. per ton.

**Coconuts**— Steady, with Zanzibar spot quoted at 7s. 6d. and Sent. Oct. at 6d. per lb. (1934: 1033: 6s. 6d.)

**Copra**— Eimer's, with standard for 1934, higher at £24 10s. 6d. per ton. (1934: 22s. 1033: 22s. 10s.)

**Copra**— Sellers of East African at £24 3s. per ton. (1934: £2 17s. 1033: £2 4s.)

**Cotton**— Moderate business in East African at 5s. to 7s. 6d. per lb. according to quality. (1934: 4s. 1033: 4s.)

**Alton Seed**— Steady to higher at £4 7s. 6d. per ton. (1934: £3 7s. 6d. 1933: £4.)

**Gold**— Steady at 14s. 6d. per oz. (1934: 14s. 7d. 1933: 14s. 7d.)

**Groundnuts**— Steady at 11s. 6d. sellers. (1934: 11s. 1033: 10s. 17s. 6d.)

**Maize**— Quiet, with East African No. 2 at 17s. 6d. per cwt. (1934: 21s. 6d.)

**Sisal**— Quiet at 11s. 10s. per ton, sellers. (1934: 10s. 1933: £1 5s.)

**Steel**— East African is higher and firm at over 25s. with general expectation of further rise. For Oct. 25s. and Nov.-Jan. quoted 25s. 10s. per ton, value Dec. Rev. £25 10s., value Jan.-Mar. sold at 25s. 10s. and at 26s. (in total monthly quantities). For Mar. at 26s. 6d. Oct.-Dec. sold from 25s. to 26s. and buyers Nov. Jan. from 24s. to 25s. and buyers Dec. Rev. quoted £24 10s. 6d. Jan. sold at 24s. 10s. and buyers Nov. 13d. Dec. and Jan. quoted 24s. 10s. Jan.-Mar. sold at 24s. and buyers c. 13s. 6d. 1934: £1 7s. 6d. 1933: £1 2s. 6d.)

**Tanganyika** shipped 6,600 tons of coal during August, of which 1,750 tons were exported to Great Britain, 1,000 to Belgium, 2,000 to America, and 850 to Germany.

**Tea**— Higher and firm, some East African prices having 20d. at 14s. 10d. per lb. while the lower grades have averaged 14d. per lb. (1934: 1034: 1033: 10s.)

**Wool**— Fallings stocks have sent the price to 24s. 10s. 6d. on for standard for 1934. (1934: 15s. 1933: £22 12s. 6d.)

## Malawi Trade Monthly

Considerable activity in the bazaars in Nyasaland is reported, and according to a semi-official statement, importers of Native trade goods view optimistically the outlook for the remaining months of the year. As an indication of this feeling of continuing prosperity, indexes which normally would be considerably curtailed at this period of the year are being repeated almost to the extent which obtained in earlier months. By the production of tobacco and cotton it is estimated that the Native spending capacity this year should increase by some £20,000.

## GENERAL IN EAST AFRICA

R.M. Eastern African Dependencies Trade and Information Office in London has received the following details of rainfall in the territories during the period indicated:

**Kenya (Week ended September 15)**— Cherangani, 0.34 inch; Eldoret, 0.14; Fort Hall, 0.20; Fort Kenia, 0.08; Gilgil, 0.17; Kabete, 0.36; Kakamega, 0.30; Kericho, 1.35; Kisumu, 0.52; Kilifi, 0.26; Kiropkrop, 0.20; Kisumu, 0.30; Kitale, 0.27; Kori, 0.21; Lamu, 0.07; Limuru, 0.04; Lumby, 0.27; Machakos, 0.20; Mackinnon, 0.20; Makuyu, 2.14; Malindi, 0.09; Mathari, 0.17; Meru, 0.59; Mombasa, 0.14; Mtwani, 0.22; Ndily, 0.21; Njombe, 0.66; Nairobi, 0.14; Naisasha, 0.18; Ndarivya, 0.17; Nandi, 0.20; Nanyuki, 1.05; Njoro, 0.46; Nyeri, 0.25; Nairobi, 0.13; Simba, 0.14; Songhor, 0.21; Taita, 0.14; Thomson's Falls, 0.40; and Voi, 0.44 inch.

**Uganda (Week ended September 16)**— Butiaba, 0.21 inch; Entebbe, 0.46; Fort Portal, 1.50; Hoima, 0.61; Iganga, 0.80; Kabale, 0.74; Kato, 0.20; Lira, 0.61; Masaka, 0.64; Mbale, 1.50; Mpigi, 0.56; Mubende, 2.00; Namuganyu, 1.85; Soroti, 0.70; and Tororo, 1.20 inches.

**Tanganyika (Week ended September 10)**— Amani, 0.10 inch; Arusha, 1.25; Baka, 0.09; Boma, 0.10; Bukoba, 0.08; Dar es Salaam, 0.11; Kilimanjaro, 0.85; Lushoto, 0.17; Morogoro, 0.17; Moshi, 0.20; Mwanza, 0.41; and Tanga, 0.70 inch.

## Mining Personalities

Among mining engineers outward-bound for Kenya are Mr. R. H. Skelton, M.Inst.M.M., and Mr. S. Griffith, Assoc. Inst.M.M.

Mr. S. W. Bruce Henderson, Stud. Inst.M.M., has left England to take up his appointment as Assistant Inspector of Mines in Tanganyika Territory.

Dr. E. O. Yake, D.Sc., F.C.S., M.Inst.M.M., mining consultant to the Government of Tanganyika, will address the East African Group in London on Thursday, October 17, on the subject of mining developments and personalities in that Territory.


Gronel C. E. Ponsbury, F.D., M.P., Vice-Chairman of the Joint East African Board and Chairman of the Uganda Company, presided last week at the first annual general meeting of the Cluffa River Gold Dredging Co. Ltd., which operates in New Zealand, and of which he is Chairman.

Mr. Hugh Sanders, general manager in Kenya for Messrs. Bewick, Moore & Co., and especially well known as having secured the concession over the Moserman prospect, the development of which has been entrusted to him, leaves England next week to join the "Llanquoy Castle" in Marseilles on his way back to Kakamega.

## Khartoum Commemoration

Veterans of the 100th Sudanese Infantry, which was disbanded in 1930, were entertained in Khartoum by Lieutenant-Colonel Gambell, D.S.O., and the officers of the 1st Battalion of the Cameron Highlanders in commemoration of 50 years of comradeship in arms. Each guest received a souvenir programme in Arabic and a regimental swaggy cane.

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# Passengers of East Africa Late Steamship Movements

Ship "East Africa" which left London last week for South and East Africa carries the following passengers:

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## Passengers from East Africa

Ship "Mantola" which arrived in London on September 26th, brought the following passengers from East Africa:

- First Class:** Mr. J. M. Wilson, Mrs. J. M. Wilson, Mrs. J. M. Wilson, Mrs. J. M. Wilson, Mrs. J. M. Wilson, Mrs. J. M. Wilson, Mrs. J. M. Wilson, Mrs. J. M. Wilson, Mrs. J. M. Wilson, Mrs. J. M. Wilson.
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## Air Mail Passengers

OUTWARD passengers by the East African air mail which left London on September 20 included Miss Harwood and Mrs. G. M. Wilson, Mr. J. M. Wilson, Mr. J. M. Wilson, Mr. J. M. Wilson, Mr. J. M. Wilson, Mr. J. M. Wilson, Mr. J. M. Wilson, Mr. J. M. Wilson, Mr. J. M. Wilson, Mr. J. M. Wilson.

INWARD passengers on September 26 included Mr. J. M. Wilson, Mr. J. M. Wilson, Mr. J. M. Wilson, Mr. J. M. Wilson, Mr. J. M. Wilson, Mr. J. M. Wilson, Mr. J. M. Wilson, Mr. J. M. Wilson, Mr. J. M. Wilson, Mr. J. M. Wilson.

## East African Mails

Mails for Kenya, Uganda, Tanganyika and Zanzibar are sent by the East African steamship on September 26th. The East African steamship will leave London on September 26th at 10 a.m. and will arrive in Mombasa on September 27th at 10 a.m. and will arrive in Zanzibar on September 28th at 10 a.m.

An Economic Study of Dairy Farming in Kenya by Mr. W. Livings, Agricultural Department, has been issued by the Kenya Department of Agriculture.

## BRITISH INDIA

Ship "Aden" left London for Aden, Sept. 25. Ship "Zanzibar" left London for Zanzibar, Sept. 25. Ship "Mombasa" left London for Mombasa, Sept. 25. Ship "Dar es Salaam" left London for Dar es Salaam, Sept. 25. Ship "Bombay" left London for Bombay, Sept. 25.

## HOLLAND AFRICA

Ship "Amsterdam" left London for Amsterdam, Sept. 25. Ship "Rotterdam" left London for Rotterdam, Sept. 25. Ship "Sunderland" left London for Sunderland, Sept. 25. Ship "Liverpool" left London for Liverpool, Sept. 25. Ship "Hankow" left London for Hankow, Sept. 25.

## INDIA AFRICA

Ship "Durban" left London for Durban, Sept. 25. Ship "Cape Town" left London for Cape Town, Sept. 25. Ship "Colombo" left London for Colombo, Sept. 25. Ship "Calcutta" left London for Calcutta, Sept. 25.

## MESSAGERIES MARITIMES

Ship "Marseilles" left London for Marseilles, Sept. 25. Ship "Bordeaux" left London for Bordeaux, Sept. 25. Ship "Nantes" left London for Nantes, Sept. 25. Ship "Lorient" left London for Lorient, Sept. 25. Ship "Rennes" left London for Rennes, Sept. 25.

## UNION CASTLE

Ship "Dunfermline" left London for Dunfermline, Sept. 25. Ship "Dumfries" left London for Dumfries, Sept. 25. Ship "Dumfries" left London for Dumfries, Sept. 25. Ship "Dumfries" left London for Dumfries, Sept. 25. Ship "Dumfries" left London for Dumfries, Sept. 25.

## Beside an African River

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