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NATIVE LABOUR

18th June

previous Paper.

Comments on policy and circular  
Requests may be supplied with copies  
issued and of the Masters and Servants  
ANXIOUS as to the policy of obtaining  
Mandatory territories

W.B. Stanley

As we ought to get off we can't  
reply, suggest that we should  
now merely acknowledge receipt -  
say that when Gov. issues  
the further instructions we will  
communicate with them and  
said that a copy of the - enclosed  
Part I. of the manual, herewith  
for perusal & return - say  
generally that other views are  
completely understood

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Cancelled  
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The Council of the Indian National Liberal Fede-  
 ration, the central organization of the "Moderate" party in India, at  
 a meeting held on June 18th in Calcutta, under the presidency of the Hon  
 Mr. Surendranath Banerjee, adopted a resolution strongly protesting  
 the treatment of India in East Africa which is under the control  
 and strongly demanding free allotment of land and extension of  
 to Indians. The Council urged that German East Africa should be  
 under the control of the Government of India. The Council further  
 the repatriation of South African Indians which might be a  
 operation, and would produce bitter resentment in India  
 the full rights of British citizens for Indians, and urged  
 the cause of recent Indian riots in Fiji and the  
 employed to suppress them. With special reference to the  
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ment of 30%

That is to say, in East Africa you are maintaining the  
relation between debtor and creditor constant in terms of the  
of value; but in East Africa you are distorting the relation  
to the extent of 30% in favour of the creditor.

This must be wrong and is in fact the exact opposite of  
policy which our Government has adopted in the United Kingdom  
and every civilized country has adopted in the areas studied

of your decision as to terms  
of equity, consistent  
which demand requires preferential  
and entirely incon-

satisfies the whole monetary procedure  
East Africa agreement and of the Colonial Office during  
two years and as a curbing of absurdity since not one  
of the Gold Reserve against the Treasury Note Issue.

If you do not believe the decision is irrevocable, let  
it be irrevocable only in East Africa.

replace the Indian rupee which will  
concentrate exclusively on the production of  
base metal of the existing B.E.A. half rupee  
in practice sterling currency. The half rupee  
will become the unit of payment. The currency will  
elasticity, and it will be much easier to reach the  
paying capability of the industry.

yours sincerely

*[Handwritten signature]*