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LEAVE OF OFFICIALS

arriving at Liverpool on the 18th Sept by s.s. "Aeneas"
Enquires what date should be taken as first day of
leave in this country.

Mr. 22 Sep 14

W. G. Atkinson
Clearly from date of arrival
at first British port - i.e.
Liverpool : in fact I have
told our engineer that this
will be the case.

? inf. C.A. accordingly

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ALL COMMUNICATIONS
TO BE ADDRESSED TO THE
CROWN AGENTS FOR THE COLONIES,
THE ABOVE REFERENCE AND THE
DATE OF THIS LETTER BEING QUOTED.

WHITEHALL GARDENS,
LONDON, S. W.

TELEGRAMS "CROWN, LONDON"
TELEPHONE 7750 VICTORIA (9 LINES)

PRES. ING.

31st September 1914

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SIR,

In continuation of our letter of the 18th September I have the honour to inform you that several East African officials have reported to us that they arrived at Liverpool on the 18th September by the s.s. "Funnel" on leave of absence, having, owing to the War, transferred at Burton from the s.s. "Oriskany" to the s.s. "Edmond Castle" and again at Cape Town to the s.s. "Funnel" (Blue Funnel Line).

2. I have therefore to enquire what dis-
count should be taken as the first day of leave in this
country of the officials who travelled to England by
the above steamer.

I have the honour to be,

SIR,

Your Obedient Servant,

J. G. G. G.
for Crown Agents

The Under Secretary of State

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Colonial Office.

21st September 1914

AFRIC. HQ.

sir,

In continuation of our letter of the 18th September I have the honour to inform you that several East African officials have reported to us that they arrived at Liverpool on the 18th September by the s.s. "Aeneas" on leave of absence, having, owing to the War, transhipped at Durban from the s.s. "Osika" to the s.s. "Balmoral Castle" and again at Cape Town to the s.s. "Aeneas" (Blue Funnel Line).

2. I have therefore to enquire what date should be taken as the first day of leave in this country of the officers who travelled to England by the above steamers.

I have the honour to be,

Yours obedient servant,

(Sd) J. E. ...

For Crown Agents

The Under Secretary of State

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Colonial Office.



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22 Sept. 1914

Gentlemen,

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The Brown Agents

MINUTE.

Mr. ~~Harper~~ 22/9/14
 Mr. Bottomley 22/9/14
 Mr.
 Mr.
 Sir G. Fiddes.
 Sir H. Just
 Sir J. Anderson.
 Lord Islington.
 Mr. Harcourt.

I am directed by the Secretary
 Harcourt to acknowledge the receipt
 of your letter of the 21st of Sept.
 (P/M. no. 867)
 and to inform you that the
 issue of ~~the~~ absence in
 this country of officials
 who returned from East
 Africa by the ss "Aeneas"
 should be regarded as
 having commenced on
 the date of the arrival of
 that steamer at its first
 British port of call i.e. Liverpool