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Nairobi Drainage Works

To 18 copies of original intended as  
well as two sets of working drawings. Total  
cost £ 65,449 against original estimate of £ 74,900.  
Notes cost may finally be found to be somewhat  
less.

(Minutes.)

Mr. M. N.  
Secretary to Engineers  
Send the drawings & 12 copies  
of Specification to Govt. of  
Kenya as soon as possible

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I am sending under separate cover 15 copies of the Specification and Detailed Estimate for the Main Drainage Works. I am also sending 2 extra copies of each of the 3 working drawings. Two sets of these drawings have already been sent to East Africa.

The total of the estimate works out lower than the figures given in the report. The cost of the Main Drainage Scheme comes now to just over £50,000 as against £65,800 and the drainage of the Western Valley to £13,384, as compared with £20,400. The total estimated cost of the scheme is £60,486, as against the original estimate of £73,900. Part of the saving is due to the adoption of more economical types of sewer and drains, and part to the reduction in the length of some of the drains. It is proposed that the remaining portion of the cost of the new scheme will be met by the local authority, the money being used for the carrying out of the scheme to be easily worked out separately.

It is of course understood that the above is an estimate estimate for work of this kind in the country of East Africa, where no similar work has ever been previously

executed, but I have allowed in the prices of the various works,  
sum which I consider amply sufficient to cover all contingencies  
and I hope that you will find the sum ample for your  
current expenses, the amount I have given.

I am,  
Yours,

Your obedient servant.

S. Smith