

EAST AFR PROT
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Rec
Reg 27 Jan 10.

Governor No.

Gov 72

1910

27 Jan

Last Previous Paper.

70/2037

Mr. Fowler's expedition

Mr. Fowler

The FO writes to us on 26 Jan & expects
something to be done in a moment of
time. As it was need^d to tel. to
S.G.B., it is no fault of ours that
we cannot get the letters sent by
today at latest.

There are 4 points -

(1) Mr F. wishes to have a special
"shooting cap" - This is a matter solely
for the Prot as to licences etc.

(2) He wishes letter of introdⁿ to
"auth^r of R.S.A." I suppose that
we can hardly refuse the ordinary
letter of introdⁿ to Gov. S.G.B.

(3) Cinematograph expⁿ.

Copy comes for Mr. Long 3 Feb

for such dogs are needed.

The Gov. notes that capture of wild animals is absolutely prohibited by law.

§ 35 of Game Ordinance, 1909 runs "It shall be unlawful to hunt with dogs any game on land other than private land" but the defⁿ in § 2 "game" means any animal mentioned in any of the schedules.

Lions & Leopards do not appear in the schedules.

I think the inference is clear (unless there is any other law of which I am not aware) that lions & leopards may be hunted with dogs.

The Ordⁿ referred to, further leads me to infer that there is no obstacle to Mr. Fowler's capturing lions & leopards or animals not mentioned in any schedule.

(a) Quarantine. The Gov. ~~expressly~~ explains what will be required in the case of the dogs.

? (a) to P.S. for letter of

intend to give each

(b) in body of off a 7.0 feet part of Gov's letter to quarantine & send a copy of the same with adding that Mr. Fowler's party must be bound by the ordinary regulations as to quarantine & hunting, & that I do not propose to interfere in any way with such action as the Gov. may think right.

(c) copy of letter from Mr. Fowler together with copy of off a in (b) & say that I understand from the Ordⁿ of 1909 that the hunting of game with dogs is forbidden by law, but inform that lions & leopards for the 'living pictures' are not classed as game & that the objection does not hold.

Feb. 2, 1917 arrives Mombasa
Feb. 7 he is presumably travelling by German boat which can be caught at Napier 31 Jan]

I think that we had better send a short

what tel. to the Gov. respecting the
the animals the hunted in many
lions & leopards.

at once.

H. J. R.

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of Road.

Mr. Curle has discussed this with Sir
F. Hopwood, Mr. Fiddes, & the Foreign
Office with the result shown on the red
slip annexed. The telegram, letters,
and despatch prepared on the previous
minutes have been stopped accordingly.

It is hardly within our power to
refuse to allow this expedition to go
if it is already on the high seas, and
provided that it complies with all the
laws and regulations, it can hardly
be prevented from landing in the
Protectorate and pursuing its purpose
there. But there is no doubt that the
strict application of the laws will cripple
its energies very considerably.

I gather therefore that we should

inform the F.O. that the B of B
does not consider that the expedition is
one which he would be justified in
assisting in any way, & that he here-
fore requests that he cannot request the
Govt to waive any of the ~~requirements~~
prescribed requirements or formalities
in its favour, made or furnish Mr. Fowler
with an introduction to the Govt of
the S. A. P. or telegraph to the Govt
that the expedition is one with to which
on further consideration he considers that
no special facilities or assistance should
be given, and that the ordinary laws and
regulations should be strictly applied to
it; & confirm this telegram by despatch.
Sending a copy of the correspondence with
the F.O.

H. J. R.

Jan 29

H. J. R.

S. J. R.

Jan 31 1891

This file

short of the matter in the
red ship has I think to
effecting as possible must be
d. of S. with .. of paper
to come

Dear Sir

J.H.

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Yes. I fear we can do no
more; but giving no official
support quite safeguards
the Dept

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J.H.

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Copy of a telegram received from
the Governor of the East Africa
Protectorate at 3.2 p.m.
27th January 1910

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10 With reference to your telegram
of the 25th of January, if dogs are
accompanied by certificate from
African veterinary authorities
that they come from district in
which rabies does not exist,
they can be landed without
restriction, otherwise after landing
they must undergo 48 days
quarantine at Nairobi to complete
100 days required. I should
like to point out that use of
dogs in capture of wild
animals absolutely prohibited
by law. I am not prepared
to remove prohibition in favour
of any one.

Girouard

Gov 12757 Cab

DRAFT. Conf. Cab
Gov. to R. G. ...

3 Feb 1910.

MINUTE.

- Mr. Parkin 1 1/2
- Mr. Butler 2
- Mr. Fiddes 2
- Mr. Just. (insert date of here with)
- Mr. Cox.
- Sir C. Lucas.
- Sir F. Hopwood.
- Col. Seely
- Lord Crewe.

Sir,
 (Check the receipt of your caption telegram
 No. 10 of the 27/1/10)
 I have the honor to acknowledge
 your letter of the 27th inst. in relation
 to the question of American
 party to the C.A.P. and to inform
 my tel. of the 29th February
 which reads as follows:-
 "With ref. to my telegram of
 27th telegram of 29th Jan
 the 25th of January I after
 further consideration am of
 opinion that special
 facilities or assistance
 should not be given
 to parties ordinary laws
 and regulations should
 be

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 to F.O. 3 Feb
 17/11/10
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be strictly enforced."

2. letters

to transmit 5

you a copy of
correspondence with

the Foreign Office
in the subject
I have

Empire Club.

5/11

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27 Feb 1910

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W. Butler =

W. Reed 2

W. Zeller 2

S. J. Howard 2

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3/11

transmitted by the bank
of New York the receipt
of your letter 27/1/10
of the 24th of January
transmitting a copy of
a note from the U.S.
Embassy requesting
certain facilities for
W. A. Foster's expedition
to British East Africa
I am to request you to
~~to take~~ for the purpose
S. G.
Albin S. Grey that

Copy for Camp 8 Feb

Govt 2/5/01

one which he would be justified in objecting in any way, & that

he therefore regrets that he cannot request the Governor to waive any of the prescribed requirements or formalities in its favour, & and cannot

perish M. Fowler with letter of introduction to the Gov. of the East

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DRAFT Telegram
General
Nairobi

sent 70/10 Feb 2
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2 February
unability

MINUTE

- Mr. Parkin 1/2
- Mr. Foster 2/6
- Mr. Fiddes 2/2
- Mr. Justice
- Mr. Cor.
- Sir G. Lucas.
- Mr. F. Hopwood. 1/2
- Col. Seely 2/2
- Lord Crew.

with reference to my telegram of 25 January

after further consideration an opinion

that special facilities or assistance should

not be given to ~~any~~ party

~~any~~ ordinary recreative laws and regulations

should be strictly enforced.

Crew

Mr. Justice not yet seen

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