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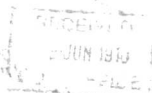
Notes forwarded re regards water supply from
Kase Ngira. Dept. follows re to requisition
of land at Kelendani

M^r Fiddle
Mess^{rs} Summitt will not be expecting
an answer at present with regard to the
water supply, as they will have learnt
from our tel. of 27 May (copy of
which was sent to them) that we
told the gov^t to report by despatch
on the point.

Submitted JFR with regard
to the point

H. J. R
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Shell House,

104/5 Bishopsgate Street Within,

LONDON, June 8th, 1910.

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The Under Secretary of State,

Colonial Office,

S. W.

SIR,

We are much obliged by your favor of the 7th June, and note that the Governor of the East Africa Protectorate has sent by last mail a letter dealing with one of the questions which we put before you in our letter of the 4th May.

We want to thank you again for having taken up the matter so promptly.

We have the honour to be, Sir,

Your obedient servants,

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Sent 3/4 W.B. 1/6/71

Jewelstone
6 June

DRAFT Telegram to
Inland
Hawaii.

Anderson
In reply to your telegram

MINUTE

of 2nd June ^{amalgam} you are

Mr. Reed for June

Mr.

sent ^{Antonia} in evening that

Mr. Fildes, H.S. to return

Mr. Fust

Samuel's require land

Mr. Cox

in mainland. See my

Sir G. Lucas

Sir P. Hopwood

Col. Seche

Lord Cross

conf: transd of 3 rd of June

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War Office,
Whitehall,

S.W.

28. 6. 10

Dear Mr. Read.

The enclosed note has been received from Mr. Coates, who was asked if he could give us any information concerning the water supply near Lake Masabi.

I hope it may be of use to you.

Yours sincerely,

G. F. Evans.

Re Water-Supply near Lake Magadi, E. Africa.

The only permanent water-supply near Lake Magadi is to be found in the Gussa Nyiro river which approaches within six miles of the South end of the lake.

This stream in December, during the season of small rains, was over 12 yards wide, 2 feet deep and had a swift current. Its volume at that time would have been amply sufficient for all domestic and technical purposes. As its source is in the forest-covered hills on the plateau west of the Rift Valley, its volume is probably fairly constant.

A pipe-line about 6 miles long, rising at its summit to about 300 feet above the river-level would be required. There appears to be a good supply of fuel suitable for a pumping-engine, along the river.

There is no permanent stream between Lake Magadi and Miu Station. The water-courses shown on the map are only ephemeral.

The 'Fresh Spring' marked on the map 3 miles East of the South end of the lake, is, as far as I could see, only a rock-reservoir, filled by occasional

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rain-storms. It holds from 1,000 to 2,000 gallons or possibly more, but has no overflow.

The water of the Quaso Nyiro is perfectly fresh and only slightly turbid.

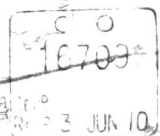
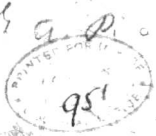
(Sgd.) J.S.Coates,
formerly Geologist to E. A. Protectorate,
c/o Director,

Imperial Institute,

S.W.

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Telegram

The Governor of the East Africa Protectorate to the Secretary of State for the Colonies.

(Received Colonial Office 5.32 p.m. 2nd June, 1910.)

No. 90. if Masai move approved river in question will be wholly in reserve and as they are not agriculturists in water supply will be in this event secure. No precautions can be taken to day but law gives Government right over all water. If settlers remain on Uaso Nyiro they would consider it breach of faith and case for compensation if we say farms are not to be irrigated. Land at port. I have sent through you last mail reply to private enquiry Samuel on that point. From your telegram gather land is wanted at Kilindini; this is not in accordance with Samuel's private query which speaks of mainland for their depot; please advise which is correct. Matter lengthy for cabling, despatch explain(s) more fully.

GIROUARD.

f. No. 15863

messing - 455 P. - 20

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In E.A.P.
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[Handwritten signature]

DRAFT

Messrs Samuel & Co

7/11/18

gentlemen

MINUTE.

- Mr. Read. 4 June.
- Mr. [unclear]
- X Mr. Pidd. 1736 6/11
- Mr. Just.
- Mr. Cox.
- Sir E. Lucas.
- Sir F. Hopwood.
- Col. Saely.
- Lord Crewe.

Both references to
the letter from the
Supt of the 27th of
May. I am directed
by the Earl of Home
to inform you that he
has received a letter
from the Pres of the

to E.A.P. stating that
he has sent through
the Colonial Office
by the last mail a
reply to your private
inquiry

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inquire which you
addressed to him
on the subject of the
land for your part
on the mainland

Dear Kikindine. He adds that the matter
2. A further communication
will be sent to you as
soon as possible after
the receipt of the
reply for ^{is} deep

lengthy for cabling
& that he despairs
explains more for the

I am
Yours

(1894) G. M. FIDDEE