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The copy of desps for Rome + Cairo
stating that no quarantant could be imposed
on S. S. [unclear] for having a case of Schrooy on board

W. Butler

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In any further communication
on the subject, please quote
No. 33076+
to the Under-Secretary of State,
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The Under-Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs presents
his compliments to the Under-Secretary of State for the
Colonies and, by direction of the Secretary of State,
transmits herewith copy of the under-mentioned paper

Foreign Office

Sept 13 1910

Reference to previous letter

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to as Cairo

Saxton to England

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Rome,
September 4th, 1910

Commercial.

I have the honour to report that on the receipt of your despatch Commercial No. of the 16th ultimo, I lost no time in consulting the Italian Government as to whether, in the event of the S.S. "Gualph" carrying a patient suffering from leprosy to England from British East Africa, there would be no danger that quarantine measures would be enforced against the vessel on her arrival at Naples.

I have just received the following telegraphic reply from the Under Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs: "The Director General of the Sanitary Department informs me that no sanitary measures can under existing regulations be enforced against the S.S. "Gualph" merely on a report of her having a case of leprosy on board. With the exception of an inspection - and that not obligatory (which is not obligatory) - of passengers disembarking the ship, will not be subjected to any sanitary measures for having a leprosy patient on board."

I have the honour to be, Sir,
your most obedient, humble servant

Right Hon:
Sir E. Grey Bart, M.P.
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No 61 Commercial

English.

September 3, 1910.

Sir,

On the receipt of your despatch No 38 Commercial Immediate (30900) of August 26, I at once consulted the British Technical Delegate on the Quarantine Board with regard to the conveyance to England of Dr Saxton, who is thought to be suffering from leprosy.

With reference to paragraph 3. of the Colonial Office letter of August 24, Dr Morrison observed that there are absolutely no restrictions against leprosy in Egyptian ports; that Egypt is full of leprosy which is hardly regarded by the Quarantine Board as a contagious disease.

I have the honour to be with the highest respect,

Sir,

Your most obedient, humble servant,

W. H. Mackinnon

The Right Honourable,

Sir Edward Grey, Bart., M.P.