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da railway
Asst Engineer J C Motony

To: Management report and recommend
termination of contract of J. C. Motony
and app of a successor.

(Minute)

Mr. Board

Spec on 20853.
Inform Mr. Motony that
his services will not be required
after the expiration of his term.

W. E. Knight

H. J. R.

W. E.

Dte. to Mr. Motony on
the authority of Board
in des. 20853

Letter from Mrs M. received - at once.

We will get the letter by post H. J. R.
1/12/05 1st. with you the 20th 2/10
noted before the expiration of his term

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Commissioner of the Colonies

Mombasa 432

July 14 1905

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Sir

I have the honour to transmit to you herewith a copy of a despatch with enclosures which I have received from the Manager of the Uganda Railway regarding the invaliding of Mr J. C. Molony, Assistant Engineer.

In view of Mr Currie's recommendations, I have the honour to request that Mr Molony's services be dispensed with at the term-

Principal Secretary of State
for the Colonies

Gen. no. 15
Dept. of Industrial Board
Molony

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UNION OFFICE

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Manager's Office,
Natal, July 12th 1895.

Sir,

I have the honor to enclose herewith a copy of the proceedings of a Medical Board held on Mr. J. C. Mc-
Lough, Assistant Engineer, and to inform you that, in con-
sequence of the recommendation therein contained, I am
sending him home by the French Mail of the 12th inst.

I enclose a confidential report on Mr. McLough
and I beg to request that you will urge the General Man-
ager to give effect to the recommendations therein con-
tained.

There are now three Engineers absent on leave
out of a staff of seven, so until the return of Messrs.
A. S. Church and Hyatt in October next I shall be very
short-handed.

I have the honor to be,
Sir,
Your obedient servant,

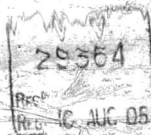
(Sd.) J. A. Currie,
Manager,
Natal Railway.

J. A. Currie,
Secretary,
Natal Railway.

termination of his six months
leave and that another
Assistant Engineer be
engaged on his stead
through the Consulting Engineers,
Messrs Rendel and Robertson
at about £350 per annum.

I have the honor to be
Sir

Your most obedient
humble servant



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Report on Mr J. C. Molony.
Rank - Junior Assistant Engineer.
Salary £375. Maximum salary
of post - £450 per annum.
Joined Uganda Railway on
9th November 1900.

~~has been~~ With my letter no 291 (confidential)
dated 12th November 1904, I
forwarded a confidential
report on Mr J. C. Molony
in which I felt called
upon to say that I did
not think he would ever be
an efficient officer in a
tropical climate. Since
writing that letter eight
months have elapsed and during
that

that since I regret to say
Mr Molony has become even
less efficient. He takes no
real interest in his work, is
very discontented and most
unreliable. His discontent
is perhaps partly due to
my having informed him
that I am unable to
recommend him for an
increase in salary until
he renders more efficient
services and probably his
inefficiency is the result of
bad health which has been
more or less chronic for the
past 18 months. His agreement
with the Railway expires on
the

the 1st April next. I beg to
recommend that Mr Molony's
services be terminated if he
cannot pass a strict medical
board at the termination of
his 6 months leave. To have
a sick man of his temperament
on the Railway is merely a
waste of money.
If he succeeds in passing the
medical board, he should,
before being sent back to
East Africa be clearly informed
that he cannot anticipate
receiving promotion until he
renders more efficient services,
and that he will be given
only temporary employment
subject to 3 months' notice
of termination.
In the event of his not return-
ing to East Africa I shall
require another Assistant
Engineer.

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EAST AFRICA AND UGANDA PROTECTORATES

PROCEEDINGS OF MEDICAL BOARD.

A Medical Board composed as under, assembled at Kisumu on the 11th of July 1905 for the purpose of reporting on state of health of Mr. J. G. Molony, Assistant Engineer, Uganda Railway.

~~President~~
Major J. Hill,
Principal Medical Officer.

~~Members~~
Mr. J. L. Fagan,
Medical Officer,
Mr. J. Bedford,
Medical Officer.

The Board having assembled proceeded to examine Mr. Molony and find that he had good health till his return from leave in 1903, some 4 months after which he was operated on for hepatic abscess. Since then he has been more or less continuously ailing, suffering from malaria and liver attacks, the last attack of malaria at Kisumu being very severe.

There is no perceptible enlargement of the liver or spleen, but he is anaemic and run-down.

The Board recommend that he be granted sick leave to England for a period of six months for change of climate.

(Sd), J. Hill, P.M.O.
(Sd), J. L. Fagan
(Sd), William Bedford

Engineer on about £350 per annum. In this connection please see the remarks made in my letter no 64 (confidential) dated 1st April 1905. The consulting engineers Messrs Rendel and Robertson should be asked to recommend a course of treatment.

H. A. G. ...
Minister

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J. C. Moloney Esq.

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Mr. ~~W. H. R. 2~~ 2 Cite

- Mr. Antrabus.
- Mr. Cox.
- Mr. Lucas.
- Mr. Graham.
- Sir M. O'Mahony.
- The Duke of Marlborough.
- Mr. Eglington.

See page of draft
20253

4 October 05

Sir I am directed by
Mr. P. C. Lyttelton to
inform you that, in
view of the report of
the General Manager
of the Midland Railway
that you are not fitted
for efficient service on
a tropical climate,
your engagement on
the staff of the Railway
will terminate with
the expiration of your
present leave on the
21st of Jan^r next

P. C. Lyttelton

Oct. 5th 1905

Sir, A letter has come from
my son J. C. Motony -
the Uganda Railway, from
the Colonial Office, asking
knowing the contents of
should it be better to write
to say that we intended
but we'll be a secret to

to Canada, advised by
the doctor, and will I hope
be back in England by
the end of November.

Trusting the delay is of
no consequence - I am
forwarding the letter -

Pleasant, Sir,

Faithfully yours
Mary E. Motley.