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## PROPOSED AMENDMENTS TO NATIVE LANDS TRUST BILL.

**Recommendations of the Select Committee.**

**CONSULTING NATIVE COUNCILS.**

**Deletion of Clause Relating to Leasing of Land in Occupation of Africans.**

A feature of the recommendations of the Select Committee on the Native Lands Trust Bill is the proposal of amendments the effect of which will be to afford greater recognition to the native councils in connection with the administration of the Ordinance.

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The recommendations of the Select Committee are set out in the form of amendments, additions and the deletion of certain sections of the Bill. They recommend that the Bill be laid before the House for their approval, together with explanatory notes to be prepared by the Minister in charge of the Bill, and that the Bill be referred to the Native Councils for their consideration in the manner provided in the Bill.

The original Bill laid down that the proposed amendments should be referred to the Native Councils for their consideration, but that the amendments should not be made until the approval of the Native Councils had been obtained. The Select Committee recommends that the amendments should be referred to the Native Councils for their consideration in the manner provided in the Bill, and that the amendments should be made as soon as possible thereafter.

**DELETION OF CLAUSE RELATING TO LEASING OF LAND IN OCCUPATION OF AFRICANS.**

The Select Committee recommends that clause 14 of the Bill, which relates to the leasing of land in occupation of Africans, should be deleted. The Committee considers that this clause is unnecessary and that it is better to rely on the provisions of the Ordinance relating to the leasing of land in general.

**AMENDMENTS TO THE BILL.**

The Select Committee recommends that the following amendments be made to the Bill:—

- Section 13:—To insert after clause 13, the following clause:—
- Section 14:—To delete clause 14.
- Section 15:—To insert after clause 15, the following clause:—
- Section 16:—To insert after clause 16, the following clause:—
- Section 17:—To insert after clause 17, the following clause:—
- Section 18:—To insert after clause 18, the following clause:—

**INDIVIDUAL PLOTS.**

Whereas the original Bill dealt with the leasing of land to individuals, the Select Committee recommends that the Bill should be amended to provide for the leasing of land to individuals on the basis of the following principles:—

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## TOWARDS PEACE IN BRITISH INDUSTRY.

**Proposed National Industrial Council.**

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(TOWARDS PEACE AGENCY.) London, June 28.

The General Council of the Trades Union Congress has adopted the report of the Industrial Committee which has been meeting a sub-committee of the employers' group.

The report provides for the establishment of a National Industrial Council in which employers' representatives who would be nominated by the National Federation of Employers' Organisations and the Federation of British Industries, while the General Council would represent the trade unions.

One of the functions of this Industrial Council will be to establish Conciliation Boards to investigate any trade disputes referred to them by parties before a lockout or strike is declared, the machinery being entirely voluntary.

**["S. S. Standaed"] Special Correspondent.**

**Native Lands Trust.**

**CORRESPONDENCE BETWEEN KENYA AND LONDON.**

IN THE HOUSE OF COMMONS TO-DAY Mr. Astor, speaking on the Native Lands Trust Bill, announced that the Government was proceeding to amend the Bill so as to ensure that the Native Councils should be consulted before any proposals for the leasing of land in occupation of Africans were made.

**["S. S. Standaed"] Special Correspondent.**

**Land Settlement.**

**PROPOSAL FOR WESTERN AUSTRALIA SCHEME.**

MR. STANDEAD'S CORRESPONDENT. The Colonial Secretary, Mr. Philip McBride, has announced that the Government is considering the possibility of a land settlement scheme for Western Australia. The scheme would involve the leasing of land to settlers from Kenya and other Commonwealth territories.

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## THE "JERVIS BAY" AT SEA AGAIN.

**FORMER COMMUNIST DICTATOR SENTENCED.**

**Crime of Belonging to Secret Society.**

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**TORONTO (WESTERN AGENCY.)** Toronto, June 28.

The "Jervis Bay" at sea again. The former Communist dictator, Bela Kun, was sentenced to a term of imprisonment for belonging to a secret society. The court found that Kun had been a member of the "Kommunistische Partei" and had acted in the interests of the party.

**["S. S. Standaed"] Special Correspondent.**

**The Peace Pact.**

**STRONGLY FAVORED IN ENGLAND.**

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**Obituary.**

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#### WASTEFUL METHODS.

#### How Natives Could Obtain a Much Bigger Income.

#### Legislation Urged to Ensure Proper Treatment.

A memorandum which should be found of considerable value by those engaged in the trade has been prepared by the Maldives Chamber of Commerce and Agriculture on the hide and skin trade in East Africa. The memorandum which stresses and simplifies the necessities contained in a former pamphlet sets out the value and extent of the exports of hides and skins, makes observations on the quality, and in giving the reasons for the present inferior quality refers to the proper method of preparation and gives a proposed method of ensuring the improvement in preparation by the natives of hides and skins.

By improving the preparation of hides we can expect to increase their value by at least 74 per cent, and it will mean an additional \$20,000 to the natives' share of the memorandum.

Hides and skins suitable for export are available throughout East Africa, and it is estimated that when they were shipped from Mombasa during 1923 about 900,000 hides. The average market price in Mombasa for that period was \$8.274 a fraction, or 84. per lb., which means that approximately \$280,000 was distributed in the purchase of hides. Of the above total shipped, about 60 per cent. originated in Kenya, 20 per cent. in Uganda and 20 per cent. in Tanganyika.

Approximately 1,200,000 pound skins were shipped from Mombasa in 1925, for which the average Mombasa market price was Sh. 29. A more, or in total \$75,000. About 60 per cent. of these goatskins came from Kenya, 20 per cent. from Uganda and 20 per cent. from Tanganyika.

East African goatskins when good are of almost equal quality to Viegna skins, which at present are quoted in the American market at about 10 dollars per dozen. Mombasa skins are about 5 dollars per dozen. Should our memorandum be carried out it is not unreasonable to expect an increase of 2 dollars a dozen, which would bring in approximately \$20,000.

In all we may anticipate at least \$20,000 a year additional

preparation power for the natives, who inasmuch as the benefits of this increased return by the farmer consist of the skins, the value of the following a farm demand in the export market for a more reliable article.

East African skins are utilized for both animal leather, and goat skins for the manufacture of goods. The use of a liberatory of good quality, in that they are easy to clean and of good price, and make a nice leather, but it is thought that a more serious loss owing to the present inferior method of disposing altogether during the tanning process, in addition to the damage normally associated with the process.

The intrinsic value of East African goatskins is generally greater than the value of hides. The grain is generally even and close, the two most important points in making good skins, and though they are never approached the perfection of the finest China, the skins, if properly prepared, can compare very favourably with good Indian and Brazilian skins and would always be in demand for making good quality goods. In the past, however, owing to the inferior method used the East African skins have generally proved only a source of trouble and loss to most tanners.

#### Causes of Loss.

After explaining the method of preparing skins for the tannery, it should be discouraged in every way the unsuitable methods with the effects of this inferior method of preparation. It is estimated that the East African hides range generally from 5 to 15 per cent. short from damage which runs up to 50 per cent. Comparison is made with the losses in the hides value of other countries, including Chinese, Indian, South American, Nigerian and Abyssinian whose losses range from 1 to 5 per cent.

In explaining the proper method of preparation, the memorandum states that for taking off the pelt from the carcass, of sheep or goat, the use of knives should be prohibited. Wooden knives or hammers will be just as effective in removing the pelt, and will cause much damage. Iron weapons may be used occasionally, but many parts of the world the pelt is saved from the carcass with the above and the former. Immediately the hide or skin is taken off it should be cleaned of any fat, flesh or blood. The first method of drying is shade drying; that is, to stretch the hide or skin over a pole in a shed, and to let it be heated by the action of the air.

However, the shade of a tree, or any of the hide or skin is suspended over a pole, and away from the ground, if possible. The necessity for keeping the hide or skin clean, dry, and free from moisture, at all times, while the tanning process, will be contrasted

the preparation, and will remove an even and steady drying of the whole pelt. The hide or skin should be stretched for drying as soon as the cleaning is finished.

#### Branding.

Although not included in preparation, the question of branding may be dealt with here. The process of branding is very important, if branding is necessary, the marks should be made immediately. The most logical method is to brand the hide or skin immediately to be on the neck, and not on the leg, as in the case of the horns. In the Argentine branding is the subject of an ordinance, which provides that there is a law controlling it in certain States in America.

Several firms have endeavoured to prepare a time to spread the doctrine of improved preparation, but any success attained has been local only, and never permanent. Any action to be effective must be taken by Government. The main heads of any such action should be educational; the preaching of progress by a department such as the Veterinary department, must be able, unless it is backed up by some definite form of government interference. The proposal of the hide and skin merchants of Mombasa is that—

Each headman, or chief of each village, or district, be informed by the local government officer, of the present detrimental method of preparing hides and skins, and be instructed that it is to the benefit of his people that they take off the skins and dry the hides and skins in the shade, stretched in their districts (property), in accordance with the instructions issued by the government, and that legislation prohibiting the export of all hides and skins and prepared in accordance with the rules laid down by the government, be introduced, as soon as possible, and be enforceable, year after the passing of the legislation in countries.

### Naire Reserves.

#### OUTLITTERS OF THE DECLARATION.

"STANDARD" CORRESPONDENT.]  
London, May 31.

The following letter appeared in "The Times," this week, relating to the native reserves in Kenya—  
Sir,—The proclamation of Sir Edward Grey, Governor of Kenya, on the policy to be adopted by the Government as to the native reserves, which was reported in your issue of last Monday, may have been read with interest and satisfaction by all those who are concerned for the development of

our East African Empire. There is, however, one passage which is liable to cause misapprehension—

Much of the reserve were part of the richest lands of Kenya, and could not be adequately developed by the native races. Therefore the Bill provided for good government and development under proper administration.

It is added that the Bill provides for leases for actual European enterprise with the full consent of the natives. In other words the fertile areas so far developed and the trusts so handed over to be settled from the reserve. This policy has no doubt been fully discussed by the Governor with the Kenya Executive Council and the Secretary of State, but on the face of it, it needs further explanation. Those of us who cherish the conviction that who cherish the conviction that the Colonial Government responsible for the development of our great tropical Africa, possessions are animated by principles worthy of the traditions of the Mother Country must surely desire that the further explanation should be given.

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It is frequently overlooked that the top of the battery should be kept dry and clean, as if this is not done a surface leakage may take place. In this connection it is advisable, when the battery is being topped up, to see that the cell stoppers are in order and that the gasses generated can readily escape, otherwise there is a possibility of damage being done to the cells.

Failure of a battery to deliver its full voltage across the starter or lamp may be found to be due to corroded terminals or cable ends. This is a trouble which is likely to develop if the terminals are not screwed down tightly, and it is, moreover, at these points that sparking may occur. If this trouble is discovered the cable ends should be removed, and the terminals cleaned with emery paper or dipped in a solution of caustic soda if the corrosion is very bad. dried and replaced.

The terminals should be screwed down tightly and vasoline smeared over them. This will prevent further corrosion of the terminals and cable ends, but the vasoline should not be smeared on the actual contact surfaces, or it will set up resistance. (Exchange)

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**OFTEN AVOIDED BY NOVICES**

It is admitted that the ordinary change-gear gear is a thing of delight to the expert. Yet those who are not expert drivers would be delighted if changing gear were as easy as, say, moving an ordinary lever across its quadrant.

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In low gear there is less strain on the engine and the car can more easily be controlled without unnecessary use of the clutch or brakes.

It is true that many present-day cars can be started in second gear, and are capable of climbing most hills in top gear, but this form of driving is not to be encouraged, however powerful the engine may be.

**The Proper Method**  
 The car should be started in the lowest gear of all, and full use made of the gears on hills and on traffic. For the information of those who would like authoritative advice on gear changing, we will detail the correct procedure to follow. When the engine is running the clutch pedal should be depressed sufficiently to permit full entry into a gear position without grinding the gears. If the teeth do not engage readily, the gear lever should be left a moment and the clutch pedal re-

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**JET CLEANING.**  
 When a car's exterior jet becomes clogged it is usually considered sufficient to blow it out with the nozzle of a jet pump to remove the obstruction. It is always advisable, however, when the symptoms of a clogged jet are noticed, to clear the orifice with a cleaner, such as a piece of brass wire. This will remove small particles which, by simply blowing with a jet pump, might not be removed out of the jet, but which might stick in the fuel passage and possibly cause subsequent trouble.

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## PROPOSED AMENDMENTS TO NATIVE LANDS TRUST BILL.

(Continued from page 3).

Provided that the Chief Native Commissioner or such person as may be authorized by him for that purpose shall certify after special enquiry that the lands proposed to convey such land and their area for which the consent and the lease is required.

(5) Any doubts that may arise as to whether any land is or is not included in any lease or is or is not included in any lease allocated for that purpose, shall be decided by the Central Board whose decision shall be final.

Commenting on this decision, the report of the Select Committee states:—"After full consideration of this case we decided in view of the difficulty of ascertaining the exact amount of land in actual occupation of natives on the date of the lease, or the amount likely to be required by the natives during the currency of the lease to recommend that the whole recommendation we are influenced by the consideration that the application and to give natives the reasonable opportunity that Government contemplates, leaving over lands held which is in their actual occupation.

To the clause prohibiting leases to alienate land without the consent of the Central Board, we recommended an amendment, strengthening the original stipulation by the following:—"The granting or withholding of such consent (or a lease to alienate land) shall be in the absolute and unadvised discretion of the Central Board and may be, mortgage, lease or any other situation, or without the consent of the Central Board, shall be null and void."

That the proposed stipulation of land shall be brought to the notice of the Local Native Council is recommended in the clause referring to the power of the Government to exclude from native reserves land required for public purposes.

In the clause providing that from a native reserve for public service areas may be taken, it is recommended to add to the native reserve from contiguous unalienated and unreserved Crown Land an area equivalent to the area excluded from the reserve. This amendment that the word "contiguous" should be deleted and replaced by the word "adjacent" in the original Bill.

Whereas in the original Bill, it was laid down that it should be lawful for materials required for

public works to be taken from a native reserve before compensation is paid, the Select Committee recommended that the words "first and before" be deleted. With regard to the making of Rules for the purpose of carrying the Ordinance into effect, and particularly with regard to all or any of the following matters stated in the Ordinance:—(a) The management and control of land in native reserves, sub-division of land in native reserves, sub-division of forest and timber in native reserves, sub-division of the individual natives or families; (b) The individual, family or communal rights of user and the settlement of all disputes arising therefrom between the members of the tribe or tribal unit for whose benefit a native reserve has been set aside. Another rule, sub-clause (d) in the original Bill, provided for the reservation of areas of land in native reserves for the purpose of establishing schools, churches, hospitals and other institutions of a similar character; and the management and control of such areas and institutions. The Select Committee recommended the insertion of the following in this section:—"The reservation of areas for education or for other services to be provided for or carried out by the tribe concerned whether it be a native or not."

A further recommendation is made regarding the payment of costs of land held under existing titles, the proposed amendment making these costs payable in the same manner as stipulated in connection with land held under the Ordinance.

## K.A.R. Reserve of Officers.

### QUESTION ON THE AGE LIMIT.

A statement on the conditions under the King's African Rifles Reserve of Officers (Ordinance 1928) was made by the Acting Chief Secretary in reply to a number of questions by Major W. C. Lancaster. The proposed amendment of the age limit governing the appointment of officers to this reserve had been discussed by the King's African Rifles Reserve of Officers (i.e. British Officers) and may be employed otherwise than in defence of the Tanganyika Territory.

The Acting Chief Secretary replied:—"When the Reserve is established on a sound basis the opportunities governing appointments and retirements will be determined by the Chiefs of Major 45, and Lieutenant-Colonels 50 years of age. Training in the Reserve is so established, considerable latitude will probably be necessary. In the case of first appointments the period of service will be extended under Section 4 (2) of the Ordinance unless it is proposed to promote the officer concerned in the Reserve; but if it is desired to retain an officer beyond the age limit a special recommendation approved by a majority report may be submitted by the Government."

Government is advised that there is nothing in the terms of the Ordinance as to the age of the King's African Rifles Reserve being employed otherwise than in defence of the Tanganyika Territory.

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LEGISLATIVE GO NO CL. SPEECH.

The matter arose when the Chief Secretary moved that the Supplementary Estimates be approved.

His Excellency then spoke at length on certain charges which were made in the Tanga Times.

Two Questions.

His Excellency stated that in dealing with two questions he would refer to the Tanga Times.

CONSTERNATION IN THE MARKET.

Visit of Inspector of Weights and Measures.

STALL HOLDERS FLEE.

In the Resident Magistrate's Court in London, June 26, the Royal Colonial Institute's diamond...

REVISION OF THE SUGAR DUTIES.

Labour Alleged against Refiners.

(THROUGH BUREAU'S AGENCY.)

The House of Commons today passed the Finance Bill dealing with the sugar duties.

Sheep Stealing.

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CARELESS PAYMENT OF RAILWAY AFRICANS.

Magistrate's Strictures in Forgery Case.

A TRUMP PRINT.

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LOCUST POSITION IN THE KERIO PROVINCE.

Area Heavily Infested with Swarms.

DAMAGE TO CROPS.

The Department of Agriculture yesterday issued a report on the locust infestation in Kerio Province.

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It is some time since I have been able to contribute notes from this area as the mill and pressing plants have for some time been a little out of order. It is now possible to bring the plant up-to-date and the standard of efficiency has been raised. This year Mwani crushing plant will crush about 100,000 tons of cane. The mill should yield a better result than last year.

To deal with this anticipated increase the factory has long been treated and two new centrifuges have been added to the recent batteries to deal with sugarcane. This with an enlarged space for clarification of the juice should tend to improve the quality and maintain the quality of the Mwani product.

At present it is anticipated completion will come on the 24th when it is hoped Mr. George H. Mayers will proceed to Mwani. Mr. Mayers left Mwani just over a week ago for England where he has a series of serious illnesses that has not recovered from. His wife has been to New Zealand and Australia where his recuperation has been completed. He is now in normal health and on his way back to Kenya.

Zoo Residents.

KENTA LIONS RETAIN THEIR NAMES.

The pair of young lions from Africa, which the King has presented to the Zoo, and which were a gift from His Majesty, have been given the names of 'Pat' and 'Tad'. Tradition has it that a pair of lions was presented to a King of Persia, but that is quite new. Of course, a lion is a lion, and from Africa, has kept his name. 'Jeph' and 'Zoo'. Sir Edward North's lions, have retained their Malindi names, and Abubakar and Fatima, two other lions, are still called by the pet names which Sir Geoffrey Archer gave them when they were presented to the King in North Africa. Similarly, the two young lions from Africa, which the King has presented to the Zoo, and which were a gift from His Majesty, have been given the names of 'Pat' and 'Tad'.

An Indian was fined 5/- in the Resident Magistrate's Court yesterday for having double-packed a mail in contravention of the provisions of the Government Code on June 26.

TANGANYIKA NATIVES AND THE GAME.

Government and Question of Restriction.

'IMMORAL EIGHT.'

An outstanding point in the recent session of the Legislative Council was the series of questions on the natives' observation of the game laws. 'Are natives to be allowed to breed laws with impunity?' was one of the questions put by Mr. General L. H. Boyd M.P.

Major W. C. Leed asked—Will the Government take any steps to ensure that the natives do not remove the natives from the country from the full ripeness of the game laws? 'Are the Government aware that the indiscriminate slaughter of game by natives is great and is generally believed to be on the increase and if so the Government that the present measure is a protective measure for the game laws?'

Eu-Id-Arha.

COMMORATION AT AN ENGLISH MOSQUE.

London, May 31. To commemorate the centenary of Father Abdu, the Festival of Eu-Id-Arha, the Festival of the Muslim Mosque, is being celebrated in the Muslim Mosque at the Park of the Christian, the Jew, and the Muslim and his intention to offer to the people of the world a service with great fervor.

There are only 12,000 motor cars in the entire British Isles, which covers one-fourth of the earth's surface, and only about 900 of them are privately owned. The rest belong to Government and cooperative organizations.

Mr. Robert Merton, who recently took up work in Northern Rhodesia under the name of 'The Society', will be the first from Northern Rhodesia to practice in the United Kingdom. He will be the first to practice in the United Kingdom. He will be the first to practice in the United Kingdom.

A Chinese village of 6,000 members, all of whom belong to one single family, has been recognized by the Government of the Province of Fukien. The residents have been recognized by the Government of the Province of Fukien.

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Here and There. 'On his Dow'

Captain Ben Fraser, M.P., the well-known Chairman of St. Paul's, is to make an estimate for the Government of the proposed tender and October. One of his objects is to make a survey of the blind men who were treated at the St. Paul's Hospital for the blind in different parts of the Union and those who had been treated in other parts, and to make a survey of the blind men who were treated at the St. Paul's Hospital for the blind in different parts of the Union and those who had been treated in other parts.

The salute of two young boys from South Africa, who were sent to the St. Paul's Hospital for the blind in different parts of the Union and those who had been treated in other parts.

The German shortland championship has been won by a team from the St. Paul's Hospital for the blind in different parts of the Union and those who had been treated in other parts.

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The death has occurred in Malindi of a young man, who was a member of the St. Paul's Hospital for the blind in different parts of the Union and those who had been treated in other parts.

The Queen has accepted a copy of the Empire's Year Book, which is arranged in calendar form and contains a list of the names of the people who are procurable at the shops.

A copy of the first edition of 'The Empire's Year Book' which had belonged to the post office, has been sold by auction for £1,500.

There are only 12,000 motor cars in the entire British Isles, which covers one-fourth of the earth's surface, and only about 900 of them are privately owned. The rest belong to Government and cooperative organizations.

Mr. Robert Merton, who recently took up work in Northern Rhodesia under the name of 'The Society', will be the first from Northern Rhodesia to practice in the United Kingdom. He will be the first to practice in the United Kingdom.

A Chinese village of 6,000 members, all of whom belong to one single family, has been recognized by the Government of the Province of Fukien. The residents have been recognized by the Government of the Province of Fukien.

The British and Spanish motor-pans in the collection of St. George's Hospital, which is being sold by auction at Christie's, realized £92,700.

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Harlequins Secure Their First Win.

AN IMPROVED TEAM.

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New Conditions Causing Trouble.

ANNUAL FOURSOMES CUP.

By "Amos". The club has a... (Detailed golf news)

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Another Series of British Defeats.

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The weather... (Detailed Wimbledon tennis news)

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**South Africa Said to be City Desisted.**

**Labour Pits on Upsetting Issue Considered.**

**"STANDARD" CORRESPONDENT.**  
The Anti-Labour Bill was introduced in the House of Commons on June 27.

**Mr. Robert H. Bell, in opening the debate gave an exposition of the Bill, indicating in detail the points open to objection or requiring amendment.**

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**BATHER'S NARROW ESCAPE FROM DEATH.**

**"FRASERS" CORRESPONDENT:** London, May 27.

A London visitor, a man aged about 30, while swimming in Kensington Common lake near Zoology, was attacked by a swan and severely drowned. He was swimming in the water when a male swan attacked him with his powerful bill and finally by swimming in his back and head. He was in a very bad condition when rescued near the diving board.

Public bathing was suspended while the swan was removed from the lake. "Ted" the victim had been a powerful swimmer but would have lost his life. Some of moderate and visitors wanted in the rescue, and were sent to hospital in the lake.

The male swan is particularly dangerous during the mating season. Its usual method is to force the victim to the shore and if there it there until he is exhausted. Dogs are frequent sufferers.

**An Oxford "Duel".**

**PRINCIPALS AND THEIR SECONDS FINED.**

**"STANDARD" CORRESPONDENT:** London, May 27.

Last week there was a "duel" at Oxford on Georgian House between Mr. Graham Eyre-Mawson, of Mansel College, the 23-year-old son of the Government's Chief Whip, and Mr. Hamlyn Druce, of University College, Editor of the independent "Oxford Times" and Mr. Erva-Mossall was selected as seconds.

Each of the duellists was fined £10 by the proctor and the four seconds £5 each, but it now appears that the duel was an "unofficial" planned "fight."

**Customs Union.**

**ITS EFFECT ON REVENUE IN TANGANYIKA.**

According to Mr. M. F. Claitor in the Tanganyika Legislative Council at its monthly meeting the Comptroller of Customs made a statement on the effect of the new step towards Customs unification on the revenue and trade of Tanganyika.

He said—

"The operation of the new agreement has not had any appreciable effect upon the revenue of the Territory. The additional revenue derived from duty on increased importations from Kenya and Uganda is probably offset by reduced importations from overland routes from the former duty collected on broken bulk importations from Kenya and Uganda. A small increase in trade has been attributed to increased consumption in districts where the low rates and extensive system of buying in operations and a further temporary stimulus to trade has been given by the suspension of the prohibitive to goods at all inland rates from the conventional markets in Mombasa and Kampala."

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**UNUSUAL ENDING TO SOCIETY FUNCTION.**

**"STANDARD" CORRESPONDENT:** London, May 27.

A dance which was being given by Mrs. Flower Tenny, at Brookside, Mayfair, W., for her daughter, Miss Tenny, was brought to an abrupt end at two o'clock this morning by a fire which destroyed a marquee and part of the dining-room.

Between 300 and 400 guests attended the dance and were dining in the room above that in which the fire broke out when the alarm was raised. Everyone was taken by surprise, and within a few seconds the guests were pouring out of the house into Brookside street.

When the fire was discovered the contents of champagne bottles on the tables blazing, obscuring the contents of champagne bottles on the tables. The fire spread rapidly. Beyond the walls and across the top of the marquee were massed bundles of bottles of beer. From one bench to another the flames leapt. In less than five minutes from the bursting of the first bottle, the whole of the marquee was one mass of flames.

**Empire Tobacco.**

**"STANDARD" CORRESPONDENT:** The following letter has appeared in the London press this week, from J. R. Douglas, Greenhouse House, Gower Street—

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**A Forecast of the Commissioner's Findings.**

**KENYA'S FUTURE**

Outlines of a "Futuristic Argument."

In the course of a leading article on the "Crown Colonies Commission" the "Manchester Guardian" says it will doubtless wish to check the impressions derived from the evidence of men "on the spot" by the least interested opinion of great colonial administrators who have retired, of scientific anthropologists who can apply the comparative method to the problems of native life, of the officials of the Mandate Commission in Geneva, possibly even of former East African officials who are no longer "on the spot" because Government need for the services of their native charges did not recommend them to the local authorities.

On the main reference of the Commission it is not difficult to forecast their findings. Federation has no friends left—unless the Governor of Kenya, who is popularly given the credit for the Commission's appointment, believes in it still. On the possibilities and objects of co-operation with the different Governments, the Commission will be in a position to give useful advice. The combination of wide financial knowledge, experience of Indian administration and familiarity with the most economic development of the Sudan that it embodied should be of the greatest value to the local Governments with whom the carrying out of the recommendations will lie. But the most important and difficult problem with which the Commission will have to deal is the position of the natives, and in particular the attitude of natives to their white employers.

One thing is true. In Kenya all their differences the five colonies have the fundamental similarity that they are all communities of natives with an element of white immigration, which is, by comparison, unimportant. And the most interesting comparison which the Commission could make is the comparative value of it as established in which the different Governments have adopted to secure the welfare of their native employees. The ex-

amples are represented by Tanganyika or Uganda, in which the Government's policy has been to maintain and foster the native social institutions and economic activities to subordinate white settlement and capitalist development to this object; and Kenya, where every other object has been the maintenance of the holding up of a white community to whose subsistence policy has had to be accommodated.

Plans will have very different results in the two colonies. The position over local labour employment in Kenya has been limited to the capacity of a district to support a family relations are not disturbed; national economic development that the white community could not make and to give the educative stimulus of white example.

In the other case the country is divided into white areas and native reserves. Settlers acquire land for which local labour resources are inadequate. Labour has to be drawn from reserves, often many days distant, and held in employment for long terms by punitive enforcement of contracts, service regulations, law, and rigid control of movement.

Worse than this is the inevitable growth of native prostitution, the spread of venereal disease, the lowering of racial morality in the reserves, and the diffusion of infectious diseases. The result is that since there is contact between the Government administration is held to work and to transport of goods and merchandise who will not lend themselves to such pressure. The reserves are the only safeguard for the preservation of the social discipline and traditional morality.

The one policy is based upon the needs of a native community in which white settlers are accommodated; the other on that of an artificial white community to which a vastly larger native population is accommodated. It is alleged that there is no necessity of such a policy; that the case there would be no complaints of shortage of labour. The truth is that the land is worthless without native labour to work it, and there are not enough natives to cultivate both the land the natives retain and the settler land. Yet our Government goes on encouraging the immigration of white settlers.

**Native Policy.**

Native policy, therefore, turns on the form and spirit of the local Government. If it is established that native interests will prevail in any case of conflict, white settlement will be limited and controlled so that it does not encroach on native life; if on the other hand it is so framed that it will ensure active co-operation, the Government will be in a position to exploit the native will to the utmost, and to produce its own safeguards. The danger that the white settler will produce its own safeguards is the danger that the native will be used to exploit the native will to the utmost, and to produce its own safeguards.

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BRAKING SYSTEMS.

Their Operation and Adjustment.

The most important of the components of the car is the braking system upon which safety so often depends in these days of high speeds and crowded roads. It is essential that the brakes should always be kept in an efficient condition, and to do this intelligently requires some knowledge of how the system operates.

In most modern cars, which wear either a brake drum or internal-expanding brake shoe, which are lined with an asbestos fabric and are forced outwards into contact with the drum when the brake pedal is operated. The shoe consists of two similar castings mounted on a pivot at one end and making contact with a cam at the other end. When the cam is turned by means of a spindle and lever the shoe is drawn outwards, and when the cam is released spring return the shoe to the off position close of the drum.

The Brake Linings.

The linings are secured to the shoe by means of counter-locks of copper or aluminium rivets, and their life depends upon the extent to which you use the brake, with ordinary cars in driving a set of linings should last for at least 15,000 miles. A black plate is fitted which endures the heat preventing the ingress of grit or moisture, and this also in some cases serves as one of the sup-

ports for the brake-cam spindle. The brake drum is secured to the hub of the wheel, the whole job being secured to the axle shaft (in the case of a rear brake) by means of a nut and castellated lock, the withdrawal of the drum then involves the use of a special tool. In other cases the drum is slipped over the same studs that are used for securing the wheel and is secured to the hub by the means of a pair of screws.

Here it seems appropriate to mention that in the case of the front or rear brake special provision must be made in the operating gear to allow of the angular movement of the whole around their pivots necessary for steering the car. This is usually done by placing a universal joint in the operating spindle in line with the axis of the steering pivot. Other arrangements are, however, used, such as a pair of levers with their points of contact in line with the axle.

In order to secure a light pedal pressure the brake gear is arranged to give a considerable leverage, so that a small force on the pedal produces a large outward force on the shoe. This also means that the pedal will travel through a much greater distance than the shoe. Consequently, a relatively small amount of wear on the linings will be sufficient to cause the pedal to travel through a considerably greater range than it did when the car was new.

Thus, where you consume a drive a new car you may find that the utmost reason you can exert forces the pedal down only until it is about 11 in. from the floor boards, after a month or so the same very close to the floorboards and it is then time to adjust the brakes. The principle of the ad-

justment is simply to shorten the rods connecting the brakes to the pedal so as to restore the drive to its normal range. A little thought will soon make it clear that if the adjustment is overdone the brakes will still be applied slightly when the pedal is in the "off" position, and that causes needless friction, wear, sluggish running, and increased petrol consumption. Consequently, it is very important to take considerable care in brake adjust-ment.

Another point is that if the brakes are not adjusted equally the car will tend to veer towards the left or right when the pedal is depressed. Before going for the work with this matter of adjust-ment, however, describe the brake-operating gear in greater detail.

In a very simple four-wheel-brake system, the pedal is con-nected to a lever on a cross-shaft, which is fixed to the centre of the chassis. There is a double-throw lever on each end of the cross-shaft from which pull-rod or cable ends to the brakes mounted on the brake-cam spindles.

In such a system there is, as a rule, an adjusting nut either at the rear end or the front end of the pull-rod operated by the pedal, by turning which all four brakes are taken up simultaneously. If in the course of time the brakes do not appear to be coming on equally further adjustment is made of each individually by means of nuts on the four pull-

rods. It may be pointed out, however, that in the case of rear brakes an unequal action may be due to oil leaking on to one of the drum-ings to a faulty ball washer, and that in the case of the front brakes the axle may be distorted and a new washer fitted.

Adjusting the Brake Equally.

Perhaps the simplest way of adjusting the brakes equally is to turn the adjusting nut slowly while tapping the drum with a spanner. This method will give a ball-like ring, but so soon as the shoe pulls down contact will become "dead," giving a clear indication when the drum has been fully taken up. It is then only neces-sary to measure the pull 14 times in order to give the correct run-ning clearance. This process can be carried out on each corner in turn and it usually found more ac-curate than jacking up the wheels and pulling them round by hand while someone else depresses the brake pedal. It is very important to feel the extent to which the brakes are used when applying this method of pulling the wheels round.

The brake-adjusting nut ordi-narily fitted is provided with pro-jecting facets which engage with a slot cut across the brake rod, so that when the nut is turned the jounce spring out of the slot and itself half a revolution to be completed before they again engage themselves. Conse-quently, the nut should be "clicked" once by half turns and by turning which all four brakes are given a precise and equal amount of "take-up" as they are being adjusted.

It may be pointed out that, in addition to wear of the linings, stretching of the cables (when these are required) will also make brake adjustments necessary. It is very important to keep the whole of the brake-operating gear thoroughly well lubricated. Also, some 25 per cent increase the pedal pressure required each time, and prevent the springs from releasing the linings when the pedal is freed. (The Motor)

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Secretary of State and Rhodesian Capricities.

In the House of Commons in recent weeks, Mr. Hanson (Conservative, Hastings) read the Secretary of State for Dominion Affairs the comparative figures of the production of tobacco within the Empire in 1927 and 1927, and pointed out that the total production has been reduced in Rhodesia, and what special steps are being taken by the Empire Marketing Board to encourage the sale of Rhodesian tobacco in Great Britain.

Mr. Amery: An accurate statement in the form supplied by my hon. Friend cannot be given, as no figures of the production of tobacco in Rhodesia were estimated in 1927 as 1,071 million lbs., of which 5 million were produced in Southern Rhodesia. In 1927 production was estimated at, approximately, 1,100 million lbs. in these countries, of which Southern Rhodesia produced 19 million, or 1.7 per cent. of the total. The Empire Marketing Board are awaiting the forthcoming report on tobacco of the Imperial Economic Committee before deciding how they can best further the sale of Empire tobacco in this country. They have, however, recently been in consultation with representatives of the Government of Southern Rhodesia on the subject of the means that might be adopted to make it known to the public that excellent cigarettes of Rhodesian Virginia tobacco are now available in the market.

Mr. Hanson: Is my right hon. Friend aware of the steadily growing superior quality of Rhodesian tobacco, and will he enquire of the Empire Marketing Board in the matter?

Mr. Amery: As a non-smoker, I can only go on evidence that reaches me from many quarters. I gather that it is no my hon. Friend's.

Lord Commander Kenworthy (Labour, Central Hull): May I ask whether at the Colonial Office entertainments and receptions Calcutta and other members will call on me at my office. I shall be very glad to receive them.

Mr. Harvie-Hart: Are the members of the Empire Marketing Board also being directed to tobacco growers in Southern Rhodesia and other parts of British Africa?

Mr. Amery: Yes, definitely.

Mr. Stinson: Will the hon. Gentleman who raised the right hon. Gentleman's

non-smoker induce him to reconsider this tobacco which cannot be smoked?

Mr. Amery: No; I go on the advice given me.

Colonel Windrock (Conservative, Evesham): Is it not this year important this year for Southern Rhodesia, because of the Empire's enormous increase of tobacco in that country, and will he ask the Emperor Marketing Board to take any special steps?

Mr. Amery: I think any answer to that question would be to enquire of the Empire Marketing Board what steps they are taking in connection with Rhodesian cigarettes, and I am sure my hon. Friends can help in the matter.

Mr. Harvie (Labour, Springburn): Is the right hon. Gentleman aware that, taking doctors' reports, there has been a considerable increase of non-smoking tobacco exports to smoke this tobacco?

**Native Transfers.**

**WHEN SAHOTOBI IS WITNESSED.**

The policy at present followed regarding the section by the Government to transfer of immovable property by natives to non-natives was questioned in the recent session of the Tanganyika Legislative Council by Mr. M. P. Chikha. He asked whether sections were being given, or, if there were any restrictions, what were they?

The Land Officer replied—Sections for the transfer of immovable property by natives to non-natives is freely given, provided the purchase price is reasonable and proof is submitted that the vendor owns the property as an individual and does not merely occupy it as a member of a tribal community and provided there is no reason to believe that the transfer will be to the detriment of the native community.

**Crime in Kisumu.**

**RESULT OF DIMINISHED POLICE FORCE?**

**'STANDARD' CORRECTIVE:** Kisumu, June 28.—There is no doubt that there is an increase in crime here due to a sort of epidemic. I have been told of several cases and in one or two of them violence has been committed. Mr. Anderson the local baker and a friend, a Mr. Draggan, were walking, were sitting a club of cards in the eyes behind the curals and a new grammophone was stolen.

In another case two cushions and a rug were stolen from a car and in the market a couple of steps were broken into but here the thieves had no time to get busy and had to scurry away. They were lucky to get away themselves. They left an iron bar behind them, an empty bag full of the loot, and four broken loaves.

I am informed that the arrests have been reduced in the district and that since the reduction has taken the commencement of this fresh outbreak of crime.

It will be remembered that a series of such outbreaks occurred some twelve months or so ago and at that time the police force was kept so close promptly to the station as to have no time to get busy on the track. That warning, which was given, was not understood in most cases and the police have been promptly warned. It is difficult to understand, therefore, why a serious force during a severe business depression in Kisumu, and in all best parts of the country and in every day they are threatened and that in itself is a danger. These all hours criminal incidents have to report to the police but who can speak their conscience and who can say they have left the town for the purpose of

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A FEAT OF COLOUR.

The following notes on the Chelsea Flower Show held May 21st and 22nd by Mrs. W. F. Mansfield, Captain John's wife, in England:

The show was held on the opening day of the present season, and the crowds at 9.30 were said to be the largest since the opening of the show was resumed to the public, it was impossible to go where one would expect to follow the stream and be carried whither it went. There did not seem to be quite so much colour as usual, the exhibitors lacking just those last few days of sun which did them so good. Others who are expert horticulturists can give you far more interesting notes on the show than I, who only concentrated on a few subjects which I have heard succeed in Kenya, and perhaps have some good reason to interest Readers. The following notes are given not as advice from an expert, but merely as the observations of an enthusiast.

**Dwarfness.** These are not perhaps so interesting as very beautiful plants, but they are the only ones which are well-timed and especially popular in Kenya, especially in the drier districts, and can be most easily grown either in the open or in a verandah plant.

There were several very nice ones from Messrs. H. B. Cotton, and I brought them out to Nairobi and they travelled up-country. Some of these are: 'Maine Kowalsky', which is a small, upright, upright plant; 'Mrs. R. C. C.' orange upright; 'Mrs. G. G.' upright; 'Mrs. J. J.' upright; 'Mrs. K. K.' upright; 'Mrs. L. L.' upright; 'Mrs. M. M.' upright; 'Mrs. N. N.' upright; 'Mrs. O. O.' upright; 'Mrs. P. P.' upright; 'Mrs. Q. Q.' upright; 'Mrs. R. R.' upright; 'Mrs. S. S.' upright; 'Mrs. T. T.' upright; 'Mrs. U. U.' upright; 'Mrs. V. V.' upright; 'Mrs. W. W.' upright; 'Mrs. X. X.' upright; 'Mrs. Y. Y.' upright; 'Mrs. Z. Z.' upright.

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**In Bad Case.**  
**A WHISKY TRIEF'S IMPROBIOUS EXCUSE.**

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**VETERINARY WORK IN 1927.**

Progress of our Work on Stock Diseases.

SOME EXPERIMENTS.

In a further instalment of the Report of the Department of Agriculture for 1927 the work of the Veterinary Division, Department of Agriculture and Executive Council, is dealt with. Each of the main cattle diseases is mentioned with the results of the work which has been carried out during the year. The Division of Veterinary Research is also referred to with a separate technical routine and technical results.

The total expenditure for the year under review was £41,800, an increase of £3,520 over the previous year. The revenue collected during the year 1927 amounted to £22,950, an increase of £2,500 over the previous year. The amount of revenue collected in the form of fees paid by the Veterinary Stations had also increased during the year owing to freight.

**Bleedings.**

The number of recorded inoculations carried out during the year was 1,000. The total number of inoculations carried out during the year was 1,000. The total number of inoculations carried out during the year was 1,000.

**East Coast Fever.**

No material progress in the eradication of this disease can be reported, but serious consideration has been given to this subject and Government has decided to adopt measures to prevent its spread.

**Other Diseases.**

Various diseases of stock have been reported in connection with livestock in the East African territories. The measures to be adopted to prevent their spread are being considered.

**In Malignant Reserves.**

The incidence of disease for the immunisation of stock has been satisfactory.

**Preparation of Hides and Skins.**

The seasonal work of tanning hides and skins for export was carried out during the year.

**THE VALUE OF IMPERIAL CO-OPERATION.**

**Educating the People at Home.**

**SOME EXAMPLES.**

In a recent issue of "Punch," London's well known humorous journal, there appeared a cartoon of an elderly lady—Mrs. Pimpernel—expressing the local opinion that she could guarantee that the rate of inflation would be kept under control if the Government were to issue postage stamps of the amount of the loan of £100,000,000.

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