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Last previous Paper.

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MILITARY EXPENDITURE COMMON CHARGES
APPTS AND PROMOTIONS IN LOCAL FORCES

The minute by the Chief SECRETARY as to
procedure.

*His order to write about the M.H.R.
in the Commission as things are at present
May 1916 in a fortnight
1916*

Mr. B. B. B. B.

The decision to place Co. 100
completely under the C.O. in Chief
has been taken a long time
ago.

Mr. B. B. B.

1916

*... we need not say who is the
... to my mind paragraph, as
... that paragraph has been
... over expenses...*

... Papers

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INCLOSURE

in Dispatch No. 11101 April 5th 1916

Your Excellency Sir,

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1. I have been discussing with Brigadier General
A.A. & Q.M.G. and Colonel Fendall, A.A.G., the
procedure whereby appointments to, and promotions in,
"Local Forces" and "Common Charges" units are sent up for
the approval of the Governor and Commander-in-Chief.
In cases the procedure appears to be an
unnecessary one, because the Civil Government can
not satisfy the detailed requirements of the
military authorities nor of who is considered most suit-
able to fill vacancies.

2. The recent change in the Military command and
the appointment of a "Commander-in-Chief of the Forces"
in place of the "General Officer Commanding", appears to
be a suitable time for simplifying the procedure and I
would submit for your Excellency's consideration that the
present procedure should be discontinued.

sanctioned extra
require to
as far
left to the discretion of the
ties.

6. "Common Charges" units. It has been ~~proposed~~ later on the Protectorate will be debited with the expenditure in connection with these units. But we do not know how our share will be determined. I do not think it likely that any elaborate system of proportion or percentages will be decided upon, indeed the difficulties attending such a system appear to be wellnigh insuperable bearing in mind the constantly fluctuating proportions of the "local forces" to the whole Expeditionary Force, the many changes which have taken place in the composition of the force and the difficulty of distinguishing between offensive and defensive operations. It appears to me far more probable that, at the end of the war, we shall be debited with a sum fixed arbitrarily due to our share in our financial position. In other words, we shall be asked to contribute a share of the cost of the war.

7. Finally, the "Complaint Charges" units serve the whole Exped. by placing us all as we have no voice whatever in the compensation matters of that force, the authorities alone give order of what is needed in the way of establishments, etc. It is necessary to demand that such matters corrected when it is possible. Charges must be laid out in a plan. This would include fixing and increasing establishments as well as the details of appointments and promotions.

14 Aug 96

Sir

I have the honour to
ack. rec. of your despatch
No 205 of April 5th
on the subject of the
administration of the
local R.M. military
forces.

2 You are aware that
since your despatch was
written arrangements
have been made whereby
the whole establishment
of the R.M. has

been placed under
the direct control of
the R.M. in Chief
of the R.M.

DRAFT.

Gen. No. 495

Sir. L. H. C. Belfield
Kew

MINUTE.

Mr. Eg. 12/7/16
Mr. B. 13.7.16
Mr.
Mr.
Mr. Read 13
Sir H. Just.
Sir P. Fiddes.
Mr. St. Maudslayi
Mr. Bonar Law.
for

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Question the address over
Civil votes is changed, as
proposed in p^a. 9 & if
Mr. Bowmings assents, to
the Commrs Charges or to
the President's name

I have been
 looking up for
 the pleasure
 of my account
 and also, for
 the sake of the
 world.

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14, OLD QUEEN STREET,

WESTMINSTER

LONDON, 18th May 1911

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E.W.M.

Your Rep. _____

W. C. Bottomley, Esq.,
Colonial Office,
London, S.W.

Dear Mr. Bottomley,

I duly received yours of the 17th May, and shall be
pleased to call and see you on Friday, 26th May, at 3.30 p.m.

Would it be possible for you to give me 2 notes be-
fore the meeting of the Agents to be discussed?

Yours very truly,

[Signature]

100-2. The proposed amendment from Clause 23
 of the Bill, which, only provides for
 removal of the land on the determination
 of the court at the end of

The suggested amendment to Clause 20
 is in my opinion open to objections. A quantity
 of cables, wires and other things will be
 placed on land which is neither leased under
 Clause 4 nor acquired privately by the Company,
 for example mains and lines etc. laid on
 Government and other land under Clause 5 and
 in Nairobi under Clause 6 and lines laid under
 the powers conferred by the Electric Supply
 Line Ordinance, 1914. If an alteration is
 deemed necessary I would suggest that after
 the word "land" in line 9 of Clause 2 be
 inserted the words "other than land privately

3rd July 1921

will be a good agreement with clause 8.
 This is enough also under the Nairobi
 District Council constituted in 1908
 in the Local Government of this District
 especially in the Nairobi District.

There

17. There appears to be no serious objection to the addition requested by the Company to Clause 28 though the right of the Governor (Commissioner), under the existing law, to exercise his powers as regards the reduction of rates is restricted.

18. The deletion of Clause 30 and amendment of new Clause 30 are unobjectionable.

19. With reference to paragraph 3 of your despatch the Electricity Bill will be ready for introduction at the next meeting of Legislative Council, when it will be read for the first time and sent to you for approval.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your humble, obedient servant,

Henry Bayard

GVERNOR

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instruction

WHOLESHIP WAS RECENTLY AN INKSPOT ALTHOUGH

in both cases National Party could have

ENTIRELY ASSIMILATE CRISTATION PROVED A WHOLE

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SILVERGINS WHOLE DRENNSTORY MEETING FINANCIAL

PROFITANT INCLUDING ANDS PRESENTATION

WAS FULLEN WITH ADVANTAGE. RETAIN HERE

MAILED US SILVERGINS I THERE HAD BEEN COMPLAINT

WORTHY OF DOXETIADO AND REQUEST YOUR INTEREST