

EAST AFR. PROT

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1917

29 June

Last previous Paper.

FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE TO COFFEE INDUSTRY

Gives text of motion moved in Lower House by Mr W. Macmillan Wilson and states as to discussion etc. Encloses copies of Special Committee's Report. Trusts that some assistance will be given.

29 June 1917  
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Copy of 9 June 1917 to Pres. Com. 23 June 1917  
Copy to Mr. Wilson 23 June 1917  
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Mr. Robert M. G. Fielder

The Special Committee's Report indicates an average of £15 per ton (with a maximum of £35 per ton) as the amount of the advance required to keep things going. The delegation to Sir A. Steel & Macdonald said that £40 per ton would not be sufficient (see my note of the meeting attached to <sup>M.S.</sup> 28566/17)

We then tried to solve the immediate difficulty by securing export facilities for as much of the coffee as possible, but we are hampered by the fact that the Ministry

Next subsequent Paper.  
For 41241

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DRAFT.

From Alice

16 August 1917

Madam,

MINUTE.

- Mr. Branley, No. 100
- Mr. Hollis, 15.8.17 (21600)
- Mr. ...
- Mr. ...
- Mr. ...
- Mr. ...
- Mr. ...
- Mr. ...
- Mr. ...

with ref to the letter  
 from the Dept. of the  
 of War, each of which  
 to be to you the enclosed  
 copies of reports on the  
 death of your husband,  
 late Capt S. J. Alice, 8th  
 Pioneer Corps, & of a  
 death cert., which has  
 now been recd from the  
 of the War.

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DEATH CERTIFICATE

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Certified that No 3181 Sgt S.F. Blee EAST AFRICAN PIONEERS  
died at 10.35 am on the Twenty ninth April 1917 at No 3  
British General Hospital, Nairobi from Malaria(Cerebral)

Nairobi  
29.4.17

1st Col R.A.M.C.  
Q/C No 3 British General Hospital

ENCLOSURE  
C. A. HENDERSON  
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In Document No. 363 of 27 6 1917

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S.O. Volunteers.

Nairobi.

With reference to your No. 8/647/G, dated 28/4/17, I have to inform you that the death of Sergt Sles was reported to me by the Post Commat Nairobi on 29/4/17 and a squad of N.A. Pioneers was detailed to attend the funeral on 30/4/17.

Sergt Sles was buried with full military honours in Nairobi Cemetery.

N.A. Pioneer Coy Depot,  
Nairobi.  
29/5/17.

*Arthur Sles*  
for  
Comdt. N.A. Pioneers

ENCLOSURE

In Reply to No. 27/17

From

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The Officer Commanding,  
No 3 British General Hospital,  
Nairobi.

TO,

The S.O.VOLS.  
Nairobi.

Sergt Sles was brought in by the Ambulance from a local Hotel, when received at this hospital he was in a state of collapse and almost pulseless so that it was quite impossible to obtain any coherent account of his illness from him. Every effort was made to resuscitate him - without the slightest success. It afterwards transpired that he had been ill for some considerable time and unfortunately had attempted to treat himself instead of seeking medical aid.

He passed away without regaining consciousness and was interred at Nairobi Cemetery with the rites of the Church of England and full military honours.

NAIROBI. 14.6.17

*Scott*  
Lieut Col. R.A.M.C.

O/C No 3 British General Hospital.

EAST AFRICA PROTECTORATE

No. 363

GOVERNMENT HOUSE,

NAIROBI,

BRITISH EAST AFRICA.

June 27th, 1917.

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Sir,

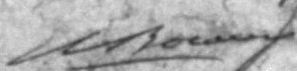
In compliance with your telegram of the 8th May 1917, I have the honour to transmit herewith copies of reports from the Officer-in-Charge, 3rd British General Hospital, Nairobi, and the Commandant East Africa Pioneers regarding the death of Sergeant Sydney Thomas Sise of the East Africa Pioneer Corps.

I forward also a certificate of death.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your humble obedient servant,



ACTING GOVERNOR.

THE RIGHT HONOURABLE

WALTER LONG, P.C., M.P.,

SECRETARY OF STATE FOR THE COLONIES,

DOWNING STREET, LONDON, S.W.

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