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VOLUNTEER FORCES
ACQUISITION

Requests telegram be sent to Governor pointing out that the use of bullets that expand or flatten easily in the human body is contrary to the Hague Convention, and therefore must not be made use of.

Last previous Paper
4500/
36026

Major Jenkins
M^r B... ..

? Tel. to Gov. accordingly
28/9/14

John

Sub 23, 24

Sgt.

see SFC

for 2 Sept. to circulate to Sept.

at once

H. J. R.

29/9/14. P.T.O.

Next subsequent Paper.

Tel to Gov 30 Sept 14

Any further communication on this subject should be addressed to—
The Secretary,
War Office,
London, S.W.
and the following number quoted.

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War Office,

London, S.W.

2nd September 1914.

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Sir,

I am commanded by the Army Council to acknowledge the receipt of your letter No. 36026/1914, dated the 25th September 1914.

With regard to paragraph 2 of your letter I am to say in reply that the Army Council request that a reply should be sent to the Governor of the East Africa Protectorate to the following effect.

"That the use of bullets that expand or flatten easily in the human body is contrary to the Hague Convention, and therefore must not be made use of".

I am,

Sir,

Your obedient servant,

Rob Wade

The Under Secretary of State,
Colonial Office,
S. W.

gentl 1 pm

Sept 1914

30 Sept.
Your tel. 20th Sept.

DRAFT. Tel

Governor, Nairobi

Volunteer Forces

penultimate sentence

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Mr. Cooke 29/9/14

Mr. Bottomley 29.9.14

Mr. Read 30

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X Sir G. Fiddes 30 alone

Sir H. Just. ✓

Sir J. Anderson.

Lord Emmott.

Mr. Harcourt.

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