

KENYA, EAST AFRICA.
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Sir,

I have the honour to report that I have
recently returned from an extensive tour for the British
Bureau and Eastern Districts, personally
interviewing some hundreds of the Settlers.

1. Near Kisumu on April 2nd I received a
petition of about one hundred Soldier Settlers,
with the attached petition was presented to me, with
a request that I should forward it to you.

2. Various speeches were made strongly
emphasising the necessity for carrying the Plateau
Railway up to the Trans Nzola, and for the early
establishment of a Land Bank.

3. In answering the speeches, I reminded the
Settlers that they had been most carefully informed
of the difficulties they would be up against with
regard to Agency, Communications, Labour, &c. &c.
I added that the Government would, as it had up to date,
continue to do all in its power to help them.
I pointed out how much had already been done for them
in the way of Roads, Post and Telegraphs, reduction
in Land Rates, Postponement of duties for
payments, &c., &c.

I assured them that, during the two years

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that all should ...
but that the matter ...
in any way ...
find ...
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... is ...

3 I shall expect if you will inform
the ... in the ...
a ... and assure them
that I shall not fail to take
their position into ...
the many other factors which
concern the development of the
Colony

~~On the ... of a ...~~
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