

EAST AFR PROT
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1910

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Book - East Africa

Notes further regarding the merits of the
support in promising to recommend purchase
of 50 copies - note for interview.

W. Zeldes

James N. Playne yesterday
took the ^{first of} King. Copley + that
had taken a large number of papers from
the book which he had written about them
I believe that he had wanted in the
S.A.P. long ago, & that the local
authorities although informed that they
could not assist in the sale or withdrawal
of the material, had the feeling that they
felt sure that it would be all right
I explained to him that the S.A.P.
unlike the colonies referred to above, was
a receipt of your relief & that we wanted
all our money for the bare maintenance of life,
& that we had given the local authorities no
reason to suppose that we would maintain
it

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Dunster to Playne 12 Oct 1924

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the purchase of 50 copies. I think that
we might try to meet him as far as
possible. The book is a good piece of work
& there is no doubt that, if it was placed
where it could be seen by the right sort
of people, it would help to advantage the

a good deal. The other of £1,200
of Railway Estimates both for this
year for Advertising, & this second
year includes such matters as the
edition of suitable handbooks, posters &
for also the purpose of bringing the attention
of the public to the value of the publication.
I would suggest that we should
ask the C.A. to purchase 8 more copies, making
10 in all, & charge the amount to
railway advertising - one of the added
copies might go to the E. I. O. - & with
regard to the disposal of the other copies we
might tell the C.A. to consult Mr. Langford,
the advertising agent in this country for the
Uganda Railway. Cook's Head Office in
London, Paris, New York, Berlin, Vienna,
Rome. & the Office of the Water Works Co.,
near the top of the big Atlantic liners.
would be suitable places for the book - & if
via this way we attracted only one big - game
shot to the public, we should ~~well~~ more
than cover expenses - & explain to the public
what we have done?
H. J. R.

Mr. Reed We might put this down 7/1
for but I don't like our spending the advertising funds.
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the purchase of 50 copies of the book
deducted by our printer & I think that
we might try to meet him as far as
possible. The book is a good piece of work
& there is no doubt that, if it was placed
before it could be seen by the right
people, it would help to advertise the

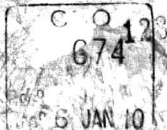
London
Railway Estimate both for this
year for advertising, & this series
of year books, & the
issue of suitable handbooks, posters &
for also the purpose of bringing the attention
of the public to the value of the publication.

I would suggest that we instruct the
C.A. to purchase 8 more copies, making
10 in all, & charge the amount to
railway advertising - one of the added
copies might go to the E. I. O. - & with
regard to the disposal of the other copies we
might tell the C.A. to consult Mr. Langford
the advertising agent in the country for the
Upstate Railway.

Cook's Head Office in
London, Paris, New York, Berlin, Vienna,
Rome, & the Office of the Western & Central
Railways of the big Atlantic lines.
would be suitable places for the book - & if
via this way we attracted only one big fine
chapter to the public, we should ~~well~~ more
than cover expenses - & explain to the public
what we have done? H. J. R.

Mr. Read Wemyss put this down 7/1
for but I don't like our spending his advertising funds.
at once P. 7

27, Pilgrim Street,
Ludgate Hill,
E.C.



6th January, 1910.

C. Parkinson Esq.,
Colonial Office,
Downing Street, S.W.

Sir-

With reference to my interview of yesterday regarding the book "East Africa," I respectfully beg to point out the following:-

1. At the request of the Government in Nairobi I submitted the whole of my photographs and letter press for the approval of His Excellency the Governor, the Lieutenant Governor and the Members of the Legislative Council.
2. At the Meeting which, at the request of the Lieut: Governor (letter enclosed) I attended, several questions were put by the members regarding the book, to all of which I was able to give satisfactory answers.
3. At the close of the Meeting, His Excellency the Governor congratulated me on my efforts and informed me that a strong recommendation of support would be sent to England, The Lieut: Governor and all the members of the Council endorsed these remarks adding their personal congratulations and testifying their appreciation of the work.
4. Later I received official notification that support to the extent of 50 (fifty) copies had been recommended.
5. It was owing to the above that I expended a great deal of money in the Government Sections of my book, the East Department alone having 18 photographs, while the West Department occupies 35 pages illustrated with no less than 35 photographs.

D. Parkinson Esq., contd:-

6. Later I received notification that the production approval of the work would be required before Lord Crew would give permission for the expenditure.

I beg respectfully to put the case before you for consideration. The work has received the highest eulogium from people who know the country and from others capable of judging its merits, and I may add that already I have been requested to forward a copy for H. R. H. the Duke of Connaught's appeal in view of the projected royal tour in East Africa.

I should be exceedingly grateful if you could obtain an interview with the Head of the East African Department, where I could explain more fully and answer any details about which he may wish to be informed. Any day and hour I will make convenient.

I am shortly going abroad again and shall esteem it a favour if you could kindly arrange an early interview.

Trusting soon to receive a reply,

I am,

Yours faithfully,

enclosures which kindly return.

P. East
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13 Jan 1890

Sir

With reference to my

(41005) dated 20th of the 25th of

I Sir, I have the honor

to inform you that

the General Manager has

made representations to

this debt to be paid here

in the case of the previous

publications dealing with

King King Arthur & the

Stone of Bettemont &c

considerable number of

copies had been purchased

by the General post office

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repay that the General

should be done in the

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Sir P. East

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Mr. ~~...~~ Read 10

Mr. Eddes

Mr. Just

Mr. Cox

Sir C. Lucas

Sir F. Hopwood

Col. Spely

Lord Greave

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last of the E.C.P.
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to the Plaintiff that
the financial basis of
the colonies mentioned above
is different from that
of the E.C.P. and in any
case I do not think
that the Plaintiff just
wants to purchase in
purchasing paper specie,
of the bank in question,
but I ~~know the paper to be~~
should be glad to have it better
re-arranged and re-arranged
with a view to utilizing the Prof^{ts}, you think
to purchase right for the
Office making the copies
in all purchases by the Prof^{ts},
the cost of the additional
eight copies being debited
against the fund provided for "advances"
in the separate Railway Estimates.

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purchase right parties
which is suggested above
~~I would suggest that one~~
of them might advantageously
be presented to the Prof^{ts}
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of the remainder Cook's
head office in London
to the chief contractual
other two thirds of
the Prof^{ts} to be
one or two of the largest
Atlantic lines would
probably be found to be
likely places, - where
the book might serve

11 Jan 1910

Sir

Wm. Messer Plaque by

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Wm. Messer

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~~have the matter to~~
~~you in relation~~

Thank you

I am etc

(SIGNED) BY FIDDEE