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Sir,

In reply to Mr. Antrobus's letter of the 18th instant (13623/1907), I am to request you to inform the Earl of Elgin that, in view of the famine which prevails in the Kisumu province of the East Africa Protectorate, the Lord Commissioners of His Majesty's Treasury sanction an expenditure not exceeding £5,000 from Protectorate Funds upon relief works, - on the understanding that the greater portion, if not the whole, of this expenditure will be eventually chargeable to the Public Works Vote for the current financial year.

I am,

Sir,

Your obedient Servant,

F. D. Mackay

The Under-Secretary of State.