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The Under-Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs presents
his compliments to the Under Secretary of State for the Colonies
and, by direction of the Secretary of State, transmits herewith
copy of the under-mentioned paper ~~relative to~~

Foreign Office,

24 November 1905.

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October 20th. 1905.

My Lord:-

With reference to my despatch No. 120 of the 16th. instant relative to the rising in German East Africa, I have the honour to transmit to Your Lordship the accompanying translations of two paragraphs which appeared on the 14th. October in the "Deutsch-Ostafrikanische Zeitung" a weekly journal published at Dar-es-Salaam.

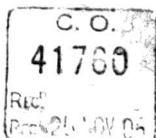
The one refers to the methods of fighting adopted by the insurgents, and the other to the despatch of a military expedition to Songea.

I have, &c.,

(Signed) Basil S. Cave.

Marquess of Lansdowne, K.G.,

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ation.

The 8th. Company has returned to Dar-es-Salam from the region of Kisidju after having broken up the insurgents. Berirkantmann Boeder remains still with the Police in the South. Here as at Kilwa the insurgents are dressed in black (Kasiki) and carry black flags. Their war-cry everywhere consists of the words "Maji, Maji" (water, that is Holy Water). The enemy never held their ground before the Askaris, but withdrew at once back into the bush in order to reappear (?) in another place. The configuration of the country and the manner in which the insurgents fight render it impossible to engage them in a pitched battle. The fruits of perseverance and constant success which distinguish individual detachments of the troops, will nevertheless without a doubt ultimately attain its object, although perhaps slowly.

Great Military expedition to Somalia. On Monday the 16th. instant three companies of the garrison troops, under the command of Major Johannes, left Dar-es-Salam to undertake