

The Grange:
Upper Mallisford
Middlesex.

The Under Secretary of State
Colonial Office.

Thanking you for the
promise of a further interview
on the one or two points mentioned
and suggest Friday next

at 2:30 unless you are a better time?
I am ever Dear Sir, I have

sufficient reason is that
the Co. has since then been
to the S. Agents Station in London
not unless adequate reasons
for the development of the road
property.

Will regard to this
the Commr. des (25852)

states that nothing has been
done by the Co. to carry out the
warrants of the Comr. and, after
considerable pressure, to pay the
rent up to June 30th last. & Lord
t. does not gather that anything
Mr Gidge disputes this.

Add that Lord t. does not perceive
how the aspect of these facts
can be modified by any circumstances,
but that if Mr Gidge still desires
it, it will in short members
of the dist. to me from
Mr. Birley & myself would
be satisfied.

C.P. 2 8
at once

Mr Birley & I have been obliged to make it clear to him that
the only way of transferring the property is that of the
the present value of the property for the purpose of the
the present value of the property for the purpose of the

The Grange,
Upper Mallard,
Middlesex.

July 27 1866
 To The Under Secretary of State
 Colonial Office.

Dear Sir,
 I thank you for the
 favour of a further interview
 as the extra to the Postmaster
 may I suggest Friday next
 at 21st with a view, as a suitable time?
 Very truly yours, I have



J. Cooper

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The Grange
Upper Malsford.
Middlesex

Recd
Recd 7 Oct 06
5/6/2006 6/06

I have the honour to acknowledge
the receipt of your communication

22430 of the 4th inst.

I note with regret that in
Archiving we neglected for the
purpose of future discussion
Lord Elgin has not been able to
inform me of the tenure of
the rights claimed by him from

22475-129-15 No 22430



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to be disposed of in such a
summary fashion, & that it
was recalled to know the contents
of the Commissioner's Report, &
to give the options which of
the various proposals to them.
The report was again,
most fully in the favour
of the latter.

~~Very respectfully~~

Yours truly

J. M. M. Secretary for
the Colonies



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DRAFT.

14 September 08

G. Gedge Esq

1102 10/9/08

Sir I am directed by the Council of the C.E.P. to ask the receipt of your letter of the 11th instth on the subject of the transfer of the lease of the Arabako Forest in the C.E.P. and to inform you that under the powers to them for the lease is subject to the want of the Council
The Board

I refer to the letter of 5/9/08

Copy enclosed to Council



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DRAFT

G. Gedge Esq

1881. 10/9

London 14th September 1881

Sir I am directed by the Earl of Elgin to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 5th inst. on the subject of the transfer of the lease of the Arabah Forest in the t. l. l. and to inform you that under s. 14 of the Forest Act 1878 the lease in question is subject to the provisions of the Forest Act. The Ordⁿ does not

Copy made to Comr Lt

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require that Congress
shall be given for
refusing such consent,
but, in the present case,
Lord Elgin has no
objection to stating
that one sufficient
reason for the refusal
is that experience has
shown that the loan
to the E. Africa Estab-
Co. does not contain
adequate securities
for the proper develop-
ment of the desired
product.

3. With regard to this
the Comr's reports that
nothing has been done
by the Co. to carry

out the contracts of
the loan, except ²⁶¹
after some pressure,
to pay the next debt
up to the 30th of
June last; & H. L.
does not gather
that you wish to
dispute this state-
ment.

4. I am to add
that Lord Elgin
does not perceive how
the aspect of these
facts can be modifi-
fied by an interven-
tion, but that, if you
still desire it, he
will instruct mem-
bers of this Dept.
to see you on the
subject. *Wm. L. ...*